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# January 16, 1934

<u>A General Meeting</u> of the Association was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The President, Mr. Roderick MacLeod, was enthusiastically welcomed back to the chair after his illness.

<u>It was moved</u> by R. MacLean and seconded by J.D. Robertson that the Treasurer's financial statement, which had been audited by Mr. H.A. Urquhart and Mr. Wm. Bain, be accepted as read. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J.D. Robertson and seconded by D. MacIver that all dues shall be payable at the close of the fiscal year which is in this case the calendar year. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by Wm. Urquhart and seconded by D. MacIver that only those who are pipers may become active members. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J.D. Robertson and seconded by James Alexander that an Associate member is allowed all the privileges of an Active member except the power of the vote and the right to hold office. <u>Carried</u>.

The Annual Election of Officers was proceeded with, with the following results.

President - Roderick MacLeod Vice President - James D. Robertson

Treasurer - John A. Paul Secretary - Edmund Esson

The following members were appointed to the Management Committee.

W. Douglas
A. MacLeod
A. MacNab
D. MacIver
J. Alexander
Wm. Bowes
M. Nicholson
J. Gillies
K. MacLeod
A. Whyte
F. Mathieson
Wm. Urquhart
M. Nicholson
D. MacTavish
J. Gillies
W. MacIn Dewar

The President agreed to get in touch with Pipe Major John Gillies and Mr. Wm. MacIn Dewar and ask them to accept appointment to the Management Committee.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Douglas and seconded by A. MacNab that the Management Committee arrange an Entertainment to be held early in February. <u>Carried.</u>

All business being complete the meeting was closed at 10.35 P.M.

- R. MacLeod, Pres.
- E. Esson, Sect'y.

B.G. Vignes assic. February & nd a committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the Gresident in the chaix. The Resident intimated that he had been in touch with light mayor Gellies and Tur. Were has de Dewar and that both had accepted to again serve on the management Committee. It was moved by Was. Urguhant and seconded by W. Donglas that are explanatory K letter and a skeleton programme he forwarded to the Canadian Radio Commission. L M It was moved by J. D. Robertson and M seconded by W. Donglas that a social N evening in the form of a concert be held 0 in the Elks' Hall on Wed. Feb. 21st Carried. P a coupe program was drawn up and members of the committee were app-R rinted to get in touch with various artists S in the city and report to the next meeting on tet. 6. numbers of the committee present. a. Whyte. U R. mae Level 7. mathison Jacobutson W. Donglas J Paul K. Mar Leod V W Redunction, Sich Were mac Indewoor W. Wignhaut W. Dowes D. Mac Juce Z

# February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The President intimated that he had been in touch with Pipe Major Gillies and Mr. Wm. MacIn Dewar and that both had accepted to again serve on the Management Committee.

<u>It was moved</u> by Wm. Urquhart and seconded by W. Douglas that an explanatory letter and a skeleton programme be forwarded to the Canadian Radio Commission. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J.D. Robertson and seconded by W. Douglas that a social evening in the form of a concert be held in the Elks' Hall on Wed., Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>. <u>Carried</u>.

A program was drawn up and members of the committee were appointed to get in touch with various artists in the city and report to the next meeting on Feb. 6.

Members of the committee present:

R. MacLeod F. Mathieson A. Whyte J.D. Robertson W. Douglas J. Paul K. MacLeod Wm. MacIn Dewar W. Urquhart W. Bowes D. MacIver.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Sect'y.

136. Ognis assu. February 6th 1934. a committee meeting was held in Volice Headquarties with the tresident in the chart. Crist to the teading of the minutes the meeting was addressed by Mr. George Boyd. who made a proposal to take full charge of a concert spronsored by the of Rypus assu. after explaining the details of his plan, Tur. Boyd withdraw to let the meeting discuss the proposition. The number of the neurous meeting were adopted as read. On the grounds that we had already proceeded with our plans for a concert too for to with draw It was moved by J. Vaul and seconded by W. Urquhact that Tux. Boyds proposition be rejected in the meantime. Barried. It was moved by W. Urguhart and seconded by W. Doreglas that as much publicity had been given the Truce of Wales by his playing of the baggings that he he asked to become an honouray member of the association Carried. The Oresident instructed the secretary to collaborate with Vige major Gillio as to the the letter to H.R.H.

Tickels were distributed to the committee for the concert on tebruary 21th and the following artists were reported by the members as welling to give their services. miss Jean Robertson hus aru. Strachan huss Zelpha musray. hir. Donald MacDonald het. George Was Junes. Met. John me Hardy hur. R. mea. Carrick. K Wit. hurds mac Doriald L Tut. James Galloway M mr. Lewis Hoberts MC The Vancouver Garlie Chort. N 0 The following numbers of the committee were P present: Q K. Mac Level W. Urgschack W. Mac Labruar R AR Robert som W. Wicholson J. Gillies S J. alexander 7. mathie son 9. Vaul T a. John son Etesson a. Whyte U W. Donglas K. mac Lood at. Machab V D. Mae Iver W. Bowes W Bi Mufirt. Kms. Y Z

# February 6<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. Prior to the reading of the minutes the meeting was addressed by Mr. George Boyd who made a proposal to take full charge of a concert sponsored by the B.C. Pipers' Ass'n. After explaining the details of his plan, Mr. Boyd withdrew to let the meeting discuss the proposition.

The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. On the grounds that we had already proceeded with our plans for a concert too far to withdraw

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Paul and seconded by W. Urquhart that Mr. Boyd's proposition be rejected in the meantime. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Urquhart and seconded by W. Douglas that as much publicity had been given the Prince of Wales by his playing of the bagpipes that he be asked to become an honourary member of the Association. <u>Carried.</u>

The President instructed the secretary to collaborate with Pipe Major Gillies as to the correct procedure to take in the drafting of the letter to H.R.H.

Tickets were distributed to the committee for the concert on February 21<sup>st</sup> and the following artists were reported by the members as willing to give their services:

Miss Jean Robertson
Mrs. Wm. Strachan
Miss Zelpha Murray
Mr. Donald MacDonald
Mr. George MacInnes
Mr. John McHardy
Mr. P. McA. Carrick
Mr. Murdo MacDonald
Mr. James Galloway
Mr. Lewis Roberts
The Vancouver Gaelic Choir.

The following members of the committee were present:

W. Urquhart	W. MacIn Dewar
M. Nicholson	J. Gillies
F. Mathieson	J. Alexander
A. Whyte	A. Johnson
K. MacLeod	A. MacNab
	F. Mathieson A. Whyte

D. MacIver

W. Bowes.

R. MacLeod, Pres.

E. Esson, Sect'y.

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# February 27<sup>th</sup>, 1934

<u>A committee meeting</u> was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Returns on ticket sales showed that the concert held on February 21<sup>st</sup> would prove a financial success.

Notice of motion was given by A. Johnson that the Association hold Highland Games on Labor Day.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. MacIn Dewar and seconded by W. Douglas that an examination of all recipients of chanters be held at an early date. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Douglas and seconded by E. Esson that Mr. MacIver, Mr. MacIn Dewar and Mr. Robertson be appointed to examine the recipients of chanters. <u>Carried</u>.

A resolution which was moved by W. Urquhart and seconded by E. Esson was deferred until the next meeting.

Members present at meeting:

R. MacLeod W. MacIn Dewar W. Urquhart

J.D. Robertson K. MacLeod
J. Paul W. Douglas
E. Esson A. Johnson
D. MacIver A. MacNab.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Sect'y.

B6. Olpus assia. Match 13th 1934. a committee meeting was held in Volice Head quarters with the trivident in the chait. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Orior to the opening of the meeting four boys who had received chanters on six months trial were heard by the committee. all were found to be making splendid progress and were given the chanters as their personal property. The Hames of these boys are as follows: Johnfyloson, John Hendusor, T. Wallinon and J. Campbell. K It was moved by K. Mac Lood and seconded by W. Walla Dewar that a practice chanter with presentalion shield be donated to the gaelic society barried It was moved by K. macked and seconded by W. Douglas that the letter diafted by lips major Gellies he sent to the Ornice of Wales. Carried. It was moved by JO Robertson and seconded by a machat that the own of the dollars (\$100) he queu the volice janitors for services undered. Carried The following members were appointed to a committee to investigate the feasability of holding Highland Games on Labor Day. W. Douglas, K. Macheod, J. N. Robertson, W. Urguhart and 6 Esson. Members present were: K. Mac Lood W. Mac Intowar R. Mac Leod I Paul D. Mac Iver J. Gillies, W. Markerd.

# Committee meeting, March 13 1934. Omission.

It was moved by D. Mac Der and seconded by A. War hat that two deligates he appointed to interview officials of the St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society for the purpose of Hering the co-operation of the Association to their the Riping Committee for the Caledonian games. Carniel.

# March 13<sup>th</sup>, 1934.

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<u>It was moved</u> by K. MacLeod and seconded by W. MacIn Dewar that a practice chanter with presentation shield be donated to the Gaelic society. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by K. MacLeod and seconded by W. Douglas that the letter drafted by Pipe Major Gillies be sent to the Prince of Wales. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J.D. Robertson and seconded by A. MacNab that the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) be given the Police janitors for services rendered. Carried.

The following members were appointed to a committee to investigate the feasibility of holding Highland Games on Labor Day: W. Douglas, K. MacLeod, J.D. Robertson, W. Urquhart and E. Esson.

Members present were:

K. MacLeod
R. MacLeod
D. MacIver
W. Urquhart
E. Esson
W. MacIn Dewar
J. Paul
J. Gillies
W. Douglas.

R. MacLeod E. Esson, Sect'y.

### Committee meeting, March 13, 1934

### Omission

<u>It was moved</u> by D. MacIver and seconded by A. MacNab that two delegates be appointed to interview officials of the St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society for the purpose of offering the co-operation of the Association to the Piping Committee for the Caledonian games. <u>Carried.</u>

BG. Gipus' association april 3rd 1934. a committee meeting was held in Valice Headquarters with the Eusident in the chait. The number of the previous meeting were adopted as read. On a request from the Gaelic Society of Yau. convex the following members were appointed to judge the piping we the competition being held by The Gaelic society on agail 19th Deje mejor Win Campbell, Rigio major W. Donglas and Int. a. Johnstr. In the event of any of the fore going being unable to officiate. het. K. hear Lood was appointed as a reserve judge. K Du response to a request from the M. L Highland Dancing association for a donation M on April 21 st Mo N It was moved by W. Urgulant and seconded 0 by I want that the association donate a cup the value not to exceed five dollars. Carried It was moved by J. Vaul and seconded by R D. mac Joer that the report of the opecial commeittee on Highland Games proposed for Labor Day be forwarded to a general meeting. In doing so, not land proposed a hearty ook of thanks to the committee for the thorougness, evident V from their report, with which they had carried. W out their appointment Carried. Z

Committee meeting, agr. 3rd cont'd. PG. ligers assu. Several proposed amendments to the constitution were introduced by the secretary which were discussed by the Committee and forwarded to a general meeting for approval. It was moved by K. mar Lead and seconded by W. Donglas that the letter accioed by the association from the mached of mached The letter follows: Dunvegau Castle, Isle of Skyl. February 14 1934. British Columbia Ripus association Yaucowet, British Columbia. huy dear Six: I received your letter of January 24 a few days ago and yesterday came the replica in separate partel. I am delighted to have it. It is admirably executed and more than all - it illustrates and

confums the strong Highland clan feeling which still exists - undered is growing stronger - between us in the Old World and your out tinsmen in the new. The pages more than anything alouse and intensify these feelings of loyally and affection. It would be very gratifying to me if you would convey my congratulations on his victory to Vige major alchandet phuson - a victory all the more gratifying as he had to K face competitors only a fraction less L skilled than himself. M I like to think that a visit from M your society or some members of it to skyl and to Drinvegau may some day be possible where I should be proud to organize a visit to Borreraig. I should like in my turn to orsit Vancontel - it is 23 years since I was thellbut being now 87 years old such dreams can only be regarded to Castles - in the act beyond realization. kest month we have our annual gathering of the class in Edinburgh on which occasion I shall show the Keplica and your letter. and now, her. W Mesident with hearty good wishes for yourself and your Society, Deemain, very truly yours, mached of wacked. Z

apr. 3rd 1934.

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The secutary was instructed to ustify the members of a general meeting of the association to be held his Police Headquarties, Jues. Gpr. 10 to discuss the proposed amendments to the constitution and to hear the report of the special committee on the proposed Highland Games.

The following members were present:

R. Mac Lead
Jas D. Robertson
J. Claul
E. Esson
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a. Mac hah

W. Wightast W. Donglas D. Mac Ivel I Matheson K. Mac Leod.

The meeting was adjourned at 10.50 P.M. R. Muferd. Pres.

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### B.C. Pipers' Association

# April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1934

<u>A committee meeting</u> was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. On a request from the Gaelic Society of Vancouver the following members were appointed to judge the piping in the competition being held by the Gaelic Society on April 19<sup>th</sup>: Pipe Major Wm. Campbell, Pipe Major W. Douglas and Mr. A. Johnson. In the event of any of the foregoing being unable to officiate, Mr. K. MacLeod was appointed as a reserve judge.

In response to a request from the B.C. Highland Dancing Association for a donation to their prize list for the competition being held on April 21<sup>st</sup>,

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Urquhart and seconded by J. Paul that the Association donate a cup the value not to exceed five dollars. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Paul and seconded by D. MacIver that the report of the special committee on Highland Games proposed for Labor Day be forwarded to a General Meeting. In doing so, Mr. Paul proposed a hearty vote of thanks to the committee for the thoroughness, evident from their report, with which they had carried out their appointment. <u>Carried</u>.

Several proposed amendments to the constitution were introduced by the secretary which were discussed by the committee and forwarded to a general meeting for approval.

<u>It was moved</u> by K. MacLeod and seconded by W. Douglas that the letter received by the Association from the MacLeod of MacLeod be copies into the minutes. Carried.

The letter follows:

Dunvegan Castle, Isle of Skye. February 14, 1934

Roderick MacLeod, Esq., President British Columbia Pipers' Association Vancouver, British Columbia

My dear Sir:

I received your letter of January 24 a few days ago and yesterday came the replica in separate parcel. I am delighted to have it. It is admirably executed and – more than all – it illustrates and confirms the strong Highland clan feeling which still exists – indeed is growing stronger – between us in the Old World and you our Kinsmen in the New. The

pipes more than anything arouse and intensify these feelings of loyalty and affection. It would be very gratifying to me if you would convey my congratulations on his victory to Pipe Major Alexander Johnson – a victory all the more gratifying as he had to face competitors only a fraction less skilled than himself.

I like to think that a visit from your Society or some members of it to Skye and to Dunvegan may some day be possible where I should be proud to organize a visit to Borreraig. I should like in my turn to visit Vancouver – it is 23 years since I was there – but being now 87 years old such dreams can only be regarded as Castles in the air beyond realization.

Next month we have our annual gathering of the clan in Edinburgh on which occasion I shall show the Replica and your letter. And now, Mr. President, with hearty good wishes for yourself and your Society, I remain, very truly yours, MacLeod of MacLeod.

The secretary was instructed to notify the members of a general meeting of the Association to be held in Police Headquarters, Tues., Apr. 10 to discuss the proposed amendments to the constitution and to hear the report of the special committee on the proposed Highland Games.

The following members were present:

R. MacLeod W. Urquhart
Jas. D. Robertson W. Douglas
J. Paul D. MacIver
E. Esson F. Matheson
A. Whyte K. MacLeod
A. MacNab.

The meeting was adjourned at 10.50 P.M.

R. MacLeod, Pres.

E. Esson, Sect'y.

Pol. Oysers' assic. april 17th 1934. a general meeting was held in Oblice Headquarter will the Ousident in the chait. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The following changes were made in the constitution. Clause I (one) was removed entirely. Clause 3 (three) was amended as authorized in the minute book of the General meeting on march 28 1933. Clause 8 was amended to read own members instead of 5' (free). Clause 9 was umoved entirely. Clause 11 was removed and incorporated in the new claux number 2. M M The following new clauses were adopted: 2. Humbus shall be curolled in three classes: Honorary, active and associate. active munder ship shall be confined to exponents of the Highland baggings. associate and Honorary members shall cupy all the privilege of an action member with the exceptions of holding office and voting. Hororay membership may be confund for services undered the association in the momention of its objects by the magnity orte of a general meeting. W 4. A general business meeting shall be held

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10. No member of the association shall consent to officiate as a judge in any signing competition held in Greater Vancouver unless so appointed by the association.

The report of the special committee appointed to convertigate the advisability of holding thighland games on Later Day was used but was placed in abegance pro tem and no action was taken This being all business the meeting was adjoined at 10.45 P.M.

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### B.C. Pipers' Association

# April 17th, 1934

A general meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The following changes were made in the constitution.

Clause 1 (one) was removed entirely.

Clause 3 (three) was amended as authorized in the minute book of the General Meeting on March 28 1933.

Clause 8 was amended to read seven members instead of 5 (five).

Clause 9 was removed entirely.

Clause 11 was removed and incorporated in the new clause number 2.

The following new clauses were adopted:

- 2. Members shall be enrolled in three classes: Honorary, Active and Associate. Active membership shall be confined to exponents of the Highland bagpipe. Associate and Honorary members shall enjoy all the privileges of an active member with the exceptions of holding office and voting. Honorary memberships may be conferred for services rendered the Association in the promotion of its objects by the majority vote of a general meeting.
- 3. A general business meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday of every month from September to May inclusive. All other meetings shall be held at the call of the President.
- 10. No member of the Association shall consent to officiate as a judge in any piping competition held in Greater Vancouver unless so appointed by the Association.

The report of the special committee appointed to investigate the advisability of holding Highland games on Labor Day was read but was placed in abeyance pro tem and no action was taken. This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 10.45 P.M.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Secretary

06. Lyns - assi. May 18 1934 a committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the Resident in the chait. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. It was moved by I Paul and seconded by D. mac Toek that the sum of tere dollars (\$1000) he paid to Wet. Www. Campbell for his surces and transportation egenses on april 19 3 - Casuid descussed and the President and seculary were appointed to see Mr. Brown of CKMO N M in this regard. meeting was adjourned at 10 P.M. Rhae Leod.

### May 18, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Paul and seconded by D. MacIver that the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) be paid to Mr. Wm. Campbell for his services and transportation expenses on April 19<sup>th</sup>. <u>Carried</u>.

A proposed radio broadcast was discussed and the President and secretary were appointed to see Mr. Brown of CKMO in this regard.

Being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10 P.M.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Secretary

June 5th 1934. 126 ligners ass w. a committee meeting was held in Colice that quarters on the above date with the Resident in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. It was moved by D. Wal Jud and seconded by I land that the wiritt baldonian blut be notified of the following there members of the Association are available as gudges of Giping for 7. Mathieson W. Mynhack K. macheod The motion carried and the secretary was influcted to communicate with the mental society. The letter to H.R.N. The Rince of Wales was read and was approved by the meeting. was approved by the meeting. The matter of a broadcast of piping was laid on the table pluding a jurther engring by the Resident and Secretary; The following mumbers were present: A war hard W. Mighast J.D. Robertson T. Mac Kerd J. Vaul W. Oniglas D- Mac Succ F. Watherson Represent wety The muting was adjourned at 9.15:

# June 5<sup>th</sup>, 1934

<u>A committee meeting</u> was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

It was moved by D. MacIver and seconded by J. Paul that the Merritt Caledonian Club be notified of the following three members of the Association are available as Judges of Piping for the Games in Merritt, July  $2^{nd}$ :

F. Mathieson

W. Urquhart

K. MacLeod.

The motion carried and the secretary was instructed to communicate with the Merritt society.

The letter to H.R.H. The Prince of Wales was read and was approved by the meeting.

The matter of a broadcast of piping was laid on the table pending a further enquiry by the President and Secretary.

The following members were present:

R. MacLeod W. Urquhart
J.D. Robertson K. MacLeod
J. Paul W. Douglas
D. MacIver F. Mathieson.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Secty.

16. april assu. hue 19 1934. A General meeting was held in Volice Headquarters with the Gusident in the Chait. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted It was moved by J. Gillies and seconded by JR Robertson that the sum of \$57% he donated to the north Vancouver Highland Games. carried The fallowing members were appointed to judge Paires a Ward. albert Whyte. Billy mac Lead. M The rules of individual pying were adopted Mo as drawn up by the committee to be the N Official rules of the association. 0 It was moved by W. Urguhart and seconded P by w Donglas that are amendment in the 0 dreuming points of the pype band contest rules R he adopted. The amoudment was read by D. W. mackerson It was moved by Willighart and Coursed seconded by a. Whyle that the seculary write the Cark's Board and ask that Ogsc bands he given consideration in nest years alloquent This being all burners the W meeting was adjourned at 9.20 RM. R. Machend Y Soul Lecty Z

### June 19, 1934

A general meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Gillies and seconded by J.D. Robertson that the sum of \$5.00 be donated to the North Vancouver Highland Games. <u>Carried</u>.

The following members were appointed to judge piping at North Vancouver on July 2<sup>nd</sup>:

James A. Ward Albert Whyte Billy MacLeod.

The rules of individual piping were adopted as drawn up by the committee to be the official rules of the Association.

It was moved by W. Urquhart and seconded by W. Douglas that an amendment in the drumming points of the pipeband contest rules be adopted. The amendment was read by D.M. MacPherson. (Carried).

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Urquhart and seconded by A. Whyte that the secretary write the Parks Board and ask that Pipebands be given consideration in next year's allotment. Carried.

This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 9.20 P.M.

R. MacLeod E. Esson, Sect'y.

July 3rd 1934. Be Pipus assu. a committee meeting was held in Volice Headquark on the above date with the Resident in the Chait. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. a letter from the St. andrews & Caledonian Society was read to the meeting stating the apporntinents which had been made in judges of piging and drumming for the balidoman Games on any 4? It was moved by J. Paul and seconded by W. Urguhart that are explanatory letter be sent to the St. audrews & Calidonian Society stating our views on the whole subject of judges and why we wish to appoint judges for the various meets. It was moved by I. Gillies and seconded by J. Paul that permission be sought from the St. andrew's & baldonian Society to send delegates to their yours Committee meeting on Henerday, July 5th Carned a letter was read from the Loyal Orange association asking that the hand contest which they are sponsoring on July 12th he held under the Bh. Riper's assic rules and that the judges appointed be forwarded a copy of same. It was moved by J. Gillies and seconded by

July 3rd Cont'd) We urguhant that receipt of the letter from the Loyal Orange association be acknowledged and the requests therein complied with. Carried. of the proper steps to be taken in intending to sociation of the proper steps to be taken in intending an invitation of Honourary membership to H.K.H. K. Wee Lead that the invitation to H.R.H. be sein through the channels advised Carniel M Mo The the event of primission to send delegales to the baledornan Society meeting, the following wenters were appointed to represent the association. N 0 P K. Macheod W. Douglas E. Erson. R This being all business the meeting was adjourned S T ah 10.20. The following meinhers were present: K macked D Was Sver W. Douglas Ja Paul Maroka W. Urguhart My macked W R. hurferd Y Secretary Z

# July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

A letter from the St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society was read to the meeting stating the appointments which had been made in judges of piping and drumming for the Caledonian Games on Aug. 4<sup>th</sup>.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Paul and seconded by W. Urquhart that an explanatory letter be sent to the St. Andrew's & Caledonian Society stating our views on the whole subject of judges and why we wish to appoint judges for the various meets. <u>Carried</u>.

A letter was read from the Loyal Orange Association asking that the band contest which they are sponsoring on July 12<sup>th</sup> be held under the B.C. Pipers' Ass'n rules and that the judges appointed be forwarded a copy of same.

It was moved by J. Gillies and seconded by W. Urquhart that receipt of the letter from the Loyal Orange Association be acknowledged and the requests therein complied with. Carried.

A letter from the Secretary to H.R.H. The Prince of Wales was read informing the Association of the proper steps to be taken in extending an invitation of Honourary Membership to H.R.H.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Gillies and seconded by K. MacLeod that the invitation to H.R.H. be sent through the channels advised. <u>Carried</u>.

In the event of permission to send delegates to the Caledonian Society meeting being granted the following members were appointed to represent the Association:

K. MacLeod

W. Douglas

E. Esson.

This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 10.20. The following members were present:

K. MacLeod J.A. Paul D. MacIver K. MacLeod W. Douglas W. Urquhart

E. Esson

J. Gillies.

R. MacLeod

E. Esson, Secretary

July 17th 1934. Bb. Eggis assis. a committee meeting was held on the above date in the Valice Headquarters with the President in the chait. The number of the previous meeting were adopted as read. he correspondence was on hand from the St. andrew's and Caledonian Society reguling the Championship Violainachd, on belay of which one delegates allended the A audus and Caledonian meeting of July 5th It was banned however that the Society had Decided not to replace this event on their program for aug. 4th It was moved by a. macket and seconded by J.D. Robertson that the report of our deligation be seconded in these minutes. Barried. It was reported by the delegates, W. K. mae Lead, nu. Walter Dongla- and M. E. Essox that they had you into the subject of the Championship event very fully at the Calidonian Society meeting: that they had pointed out why no time could be saved by cutting it from the program: that because Dancing and alkelies had bein cut was not sufficient reason to But the Olyping as there had always been more than twice the events in Dancing and Athlitics than in Viping. The deligation als offend the financial assistance of finding all the prize money for the Champ -

July 17 1934 (cont'a) conship Caro should the Caledonian Society feel unable to meet that expense this year. It was funder reported that this offer med with favour with the meeting with the exception of mr. a. macaulay Chairman of the Rigning Committee. Les allitude was reported by the delegates, that no matter what the cercumstances, should the event be unstated, his unqualion could be unmidiately expected. The delegalis also reported that me. mac aulay was very better in his umarks about the association and exceedingly unguttemanly in manner to M that it was moved and seconded to re-open MC the question of the Champion ship Ciohairenche. N This molion carried and our delegation 0 withdrew from the meeting. a leiter was submitted by the Secutary asking the Caledonian Society R l'o reconsider their decision. The letter explained the subject in full detail, but failed to find favour from the meeting and was dropped. This being all burniers the meeting was Closed at 10.20 8.14. R. Marfeod Pres W Y Secutary Z

# July 17<sup>th</sup>, 1934

<u>A committee meeting</u> was held on the above date in the Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. No correspondence was on hand from the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society regarding the Championship Piobaireachd, on behalf of which our delegates attended the St. Andrew's and Caledonian meeting of July 5<sup>th</sup>. It was learned however that the Society had decided not to replace this event on their program for Aug. 4<sup>th</sup>.

<u>It was moved</u> by A. MacNab and seconded by J.D. Robertson that the report of our delegates be recorded in these minutes. <u>Carried</u>.

It was reported by the delegates, Mr. K. MacLeod, Mr. Walter Douglas and Mr. E. Esson that they had gone into the subject of the Championship event very fully at the Caledonian Society meeting: that they had pointed out why no time could be saved by cutting it from the program: that because Dancing and Athletics had been cut was not sufficient reason to cut the Piping as there had always been more than twice the events in Dancing and Athletics than in Piping.

The delegation also offered the financial assistance of finding all the prize money for the Championship Class should the Caledonian Society feel unable to meet that expense this year. It was further reported that this offer met with favour with the meeting with the exception of Mr. A. MacAulay, Chairman of the Piping Committee. His attitude was reported by the delegates that no matter what the circumstances, should the event be reinstated, his resignation could be immediately expected. The delegates also reported that Mr. MacAulay was very bitter in his remarks about the Association and exceedingly ungentlemanly in manner to them. The delegates reported however that it was moved and seconded to re-open the question of the Championship Piobaireachd. This motion carried and our delegates withdrew from the meeting.

A letter was submitted by the Secretary asking the Caledonian Society to reconsider their decision. The letter explained the subject in full detail but failed to find favour from the meeting and was dropped.

This being all business the meeting was closed at 10.20 P.M.

R. MacLeod, Pres.

E. Esson, Secretary

-august 14 1934 036. Eyjers ass'u. Il committee meeting was held in Colice Headquarters on the above late with the Disident in the chair. The munitis of the previous meeting were adopted as read. a letter was read from the Bowen Island Highland Galhening requising the association to appoint five judges for the individual Organiz and the bound congelition to be held at Towen Island, Saturday aug. 18. a donation to the die list was solicited. The following appointments were made to Um. Basie K. Mac Lood A. MacGuer Reserve jidge - A. MacKenzie. Drumming. me. L. montford - Weinipeg, man. W. Donglas. with the object in own of obtaining a trophy for the prize list for the annual gathering in november next her. of gargow. This offer was accepted by the meeting. The seculary was custuded

aug 14 contil. to communicate with the Godainachd Society in Scotland soliciting an annual medal also to get in bouch with me. mac Lead, Edinburgh who so kurdly youd to present two a copy of his book the " mae brimmons of Skye" to be awarded to the winer of the mac Criminon memorial was adjoined at 9.35. M Secretary. N 0 Omission: On the martin of a donation P to the Bowen Island Rige list the Grendent Q voluntered to handle the matterwhich R was accepted by the meeting. R Mar Level, Prus. T U

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## August 14, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. A letter was read from the Bowen Island Highland Gathering requesting the Association to appoint five judges for the individual piping and the band competition to be held at Bowen Island, Saturday, Aug. 18<sup>th</sup>. A donation to the Prize list was solicited.

The following appointments were made to cover the judging:

Piping:

Wm. Bain K. MacLeod A. MacGrier

Reserve Judge – H. MacKenzie

Drumming:

Mr. H. Montford – Winnipeg, Man.

Deportment:

W. Douglas.

With the object in view of obtaining a trophy for the prize list for the Annual Gathering in November next, Mr. W. Douglas offered to write Peter Henderson of Glasgow. This offer was accepted by the meeting. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the Piobaireachd Society in Scotland soliciting an annual medal, also to get in touch with Mr. MacLeod, Edinburgh, who so kindly offered to present a copy of his book the "MacCrimmons of Skye" to be awarded to the winner of the MacCrimmon Memorial Trophy.

This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 9.35.

E. Esson – Secretary

Omission: On the matter of a donation to the Bowen Island Prize list the President volunteered to handle the matter which was accepted by the meeting.

R. MacLeod, Pres.

BC. Cypus assic. September 4 1930 The fust general meeting of the season was held in Value Headquarters on the above date with the Resident we the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The bundent intimated to the meeting that he was considering the tendering of his usignation as President because he felt that be no longer had the support of the association as a whole. The meeting was well attended and the Diesident was given every cucomaziment to carry on in his present capacity. Many members spoke at good length urging the Ruddent to reconsider his decision as this association had made gual progress in carrying out the educals which brought it into existence Only one voice was heard landing the usignation of nur macked. Mr. J.D. Robertson the vice Quident spoke at good length giving his opinion of what had laken place to descript the Viendento confidence & in the association and he frushed his remarks by stating that he approved of the Cumberlo dicession. Out the wish of the meeting however, expensed by Orga major Gillio, the Cresident adjourned the meeting for two weeks. R. harford, Pous. Edmunderson, Secutary

## <u>September 4, 1934</u>

The first general meeting of the season was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The President intimated to the meeting that he was considering the tendering of his resignation as President because he felt that he no longer had the support of the Association as a whole. The meeting was well attended and the President was given every encouragement to carry on in his present capacity.

Many members spoke at good length urging the President to reconsider his decision as the Association had made great progress in carrying out the ideals which brought it into existence.

Only one voice was heard lauding the resignation of Mr. MacLeod. Mr. J.D. Robertson, the Vice President, spoke at good length giving his opinion of what had taken place to disrupt the President's confidence in the Association and he finished his remarks by stating that he approved of the President's decision.

At the wish of the meeting, however, expressed by Pipe Major Gillies, the President adjourned the meeting for two weeks.

R. MacLeod, Pres.

Edmund Esson, Secretary

Bb. Ripus' association Friday, Sept. 21 1934. an emergency genual meeting was held in Volice Headquartus on the above date for the purpose of receiving the resignations of Resident Rodinick mached and Vice Kesident Jas. D. Robertson. The munits of the previous meeting whe adopted as used. The chair was occupied by Eusident hackerd, who gave his wasons for verquing stated that he was resigning becaux he felt that the policies which he pursued were not appreciated by the association and that several members had entired into collusion regarding the excent Calidonian games And that hecause of this, he felt he could not continue to hold office. After a discussion lasting were than an hom when all angles were discussed and several splended pleas made to the president ringing hum to retain his office until the end of the year, it was seen that he had led was adament in his I was moved by K. macked and seconded by a mae In Dewar that the Orindents resignation be accepted with regulo. Carried. was used from the Dee Purident Mr. Jas. D. Robutson I was moved by Www. Urguhart and seconded by J. Gillio that Wi. Robertsons unqualion as a menter he accepted. (over)

Sept 21 '34 could. This motion was carried without comment. Au itemized financial statement was read by Treasures John Vaul. It was moved by W. Urguhart and seconded by a. mac In Dewar that the heaveners tatement be accepted. Carried. The date of the next meeting was left to the descretion of the secretary. It was decided that two members to be would be appointed to "carry on" in the offices vacated by lee. Mac Leod and me. Robertson until the annual election of officers as January. JaPaul ading Chauman Sool Secretary.

#### **B.C. PIPERS' ASSOCIATION**

## Friday, Sept. 21, 1934

An emergency general meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date for the purpose of receiving the resignations of President Roderick MacLeod and Vice President Jas. D. Robertson. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The chair was occupied by President MacLeod, who stated that he was resigning because he felt that the policies which he pursued were not appreciated by the Association and that several members had entered into collusion regarding the recent Caledonian Games and that because of this, he felt he could not continue to hold office. After a discussion lasting more than an hour when all angles were discussed and several splendid pleas made to the president urging him to retain his office until the end of the year, it was seen that Mr. MacLeod was adamant in his resolve.

<u>It was moved</u> by K. MacLeod and seconded by A. MacIn Dewar that the President's resignation be accepted with regrets. Carried.

An explanatory letter of resignation was read from the Vice President, Mr. Jas. D. Robertson.

<u>It was moved</u> by Wm. Urquhart and seconded by J. Gillies that Mr. Robertson's resignation be accepted. This motion was carried without comment.

An itemized financial statement was read by Treasurer John Paul.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. Urquhart and seconded by A. MacIn Dewar that the treasurer's statement be accepted. <u>Carried</u>.

The date of the next meeting was left to the discretion of the secretary. It was decided that two members would be appointed to "carry on" in the offices vacated by Mr. MacLeod and Mr. Robertson until the annual election of officers in January.

John Paul, Acting Chairman

E. Esson, Secretary.

026. Typus assu. Oct. 2 1934. an emergency general meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with Dieasuier John Paul in the chail. The minutes were read and one motion, that referring to the resignation of James Robertson was questioned by the chair. With the purinssion of the mover and seconder I was moved by 66 you and seconded by ( Donglas that the words "as a member" be deleted from the motion in order to make the motion correspond with me Robertsons written resignation. Carried. a letter was read from the Ph Highland Dencing association asking that a member of M N Och 3th to take part in their installation of officers. 0 It was moved by J. Dyer and seconded by P J. Gillies that When Bowes Represent the association Q on the occasion. R but. Jas. Dyer was unamuously appointed as Viendent until the annual election of remainsonsly appromited Vice Resident for the same V by K. mae Tead that a hearty vote of thanks  ${f w}$ be extended to W. Donglas and Wes. Mynhart Z

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### Oct. 2, 1934

An emergency general meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with Treasurer John Paul in the chair. The minutes were read and one motion, that referring to the resignation of James Robertson, was questioned by the chair. With the permission of the mover and seconder

<u>It was moved</u> by E. Esson and seconded by W. Douglas that the words "as a member" be deleted from the motion in order to make the motion correspond with Mr. Robertson's written resignation. Carried.

A letter was read from the B.C. Highland Dancing Association asking that a member of our Association be sent to their meeting of Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> to take part in their installation of officers.

<u>It was moved</u> by J. Dyer and seconded by J. Gillies that Wm. Bowes represent the Association on the occasion. Carried.

Mr. Jas. Dyer was unanimously appointed as President until the annual election of officers in January next. Mr. Wm. Bowes was unanimously appointed Vice President for the same term.

It was moved by J. Gillies and seconded by K. MacLeod that a hearty note of thanks be extended to W. Douglas and Wm. Urquhart for the enthusiasm which they displayed in soliciting a competition trophy from Peter Henderson of Glasgow. A letter was read from Peter Henderson Ltd. promising delivery of the trophy in time for the November Gathering.

It was decided to hold a concert in the Elks' Hall on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> and that the Annual Gathering should be held on Nov. 24 also in the Elks' Hall.

The secretary and Mr. W. Douglas were appointed to visit the Elks' Hall and make arrangements for these events, also to submit to the meeting on Oct. 9<sup>th</sup> an outline of a concert program suitable for Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>. The secretary also took in hand to have tickets for the concert available for distribution at the meeting of Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>.

This being all business, the meeting was adjourned at 10.15.

James Dyer

E. Esson, Secretary

B. Eypirs assu. October 9 m 1934. Al Committee meeting was held in Valide Headquarted on the above date with the Rindent in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. An outline was made of the program for the concert to be held on och 27th. Various members offered to cultiview artists for the program and uport to the next meeting. The Conditions governing the mac Criminon memorial Tropping will discussed at some length by the meeting. It was decided to see ex hundent mal Lead regarding their conditions as he was largey responsible for the againston of this pring. The matter of having several hundred pridled MC Copies of the program on hand for out 2 7 was N also discussed. It was decided to leave this 0 matter until near the date of the concert and l' P have mograms minted if tecket sales warranted this expenditure. Tickely for the concert were distributed at the close of the meeting. R S James & ges. Scentary. T W Y  $\mathbf{Z}$ 

# October 9<sup>th</sup>, 1934

<u>A committee meeting</u> was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. An outline was made of the program for the concert to be held on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>. Various members offered to interview artists for the program and report to the next meeting. The conditions governing the MacCrimmon Memorial Trophy were discussed at some length by the meeting. It was decided to see ex-President MacLeod regarding these conditions as he was largely responsible for the acquisition of this prize.

The matter of having several hundred printed copies of the program on hand for Oct. 27 was also discussed. It was decided to leave this matter until near the date of the concert and to have programs printed if ticket sales warranted this expenditure. Tickets for the concert were distributed at the close of the meeting.

James Dyer

E. Esson, Secretary.

B. Vijers ' assir. October 16th 1934. a commottee muling was held in Valice Headquarters on the above dale with the busilent is the chair. The minutio of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The following artists were reported as being willing to donale their services for the concert on Och- 27 " Trees. mystle Thomson Tuartie malcolus macDonald Turs. Www Strachau Tur. R. med. Carrick me. James Galloway XX Mr. Stuart Jail + Mr. Gw. Mac Junes. Tue Kewis Koherlé Oyse major Gillies look in hand to seeme the services of eight association rights to spen and close the concert with selections on the pypes. ricket sales were reported as nogressing satisfactorily and members were urged to make all possible sales. The secretary was instructed to notify the Gallie brisky of our concert at their meeting of the 18. James & Jes Esson - Leutan

# October 16<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

The following artists were reported as being willing to donate their services for the concert on Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>:

Mrs. Myrtle Thomson
Master Malcolm MacDonald
Mrs. Wm. Strachan
Mr. P. McA. Carrick
Mr. James Galloway
Mr. Stuart Tait
Mr. Geo. MacInnes
Mr. Lewis Roberts.

Pipe Major Gillies took in hand to secure the services of eight Association pipers to open and close the concert with selections on the pipes.

Ticket sales were reported as progressing satisfactorily and members were urged to make all possible sales. The secretary was instructed to notify the Gaelic Society of our concert at their meeting of Oct. 18.

This being all business the meeting was closed at 9.30.

James Dyer

E. Esson – Secretary.

B.C. Ripins assu. October 23rd 1934. a committee meeting was held in Volice Headquarters on the above date with the bundert in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The special order of husiners of the meeting was to arrange all details of the program for the concert October 1. " With the exception of Me. James Galloway the actists for the concert who are taking part are as given in the minutes of the previous meeting. Sign major fillies look we hand to unterview the Hon. In hat lengte H.P. and secure his securces as Honomany chairman for the concert. Ticket sales were reported as progressing favoriably. he burners alle their that of MC the concert was descussed and the meeting N was closed at 9:20 P.M. James Dyer PRESIDENT 0 Secutary R T W Z

# October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. The special order of business of the meeting was to arrange all details of the program for the concert October 27<sup>th</sup>. With the exception of Mr. James Galloway, the artists for the concert who are taking part are as given in the minutes of the previous meeting. Pipe Major Gillies took in hand to interview the Hon. Ian MacKenzie M.P. and secure his services as Honourary Chairman for the concert.

Ticket sales were reported as progressing favourably. No business other than that of the concert was discussed and the meeting was closed at 9.20 P.M.

James Dyer, President

E. Esson, Secretary

BL. Lyis assu. nov 7 n 1934. a general meeting was keld in Valice Headquartus with the Resident in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Incomplete returns on the concert of Oct. 27 " were reported by Treasurer John Carl promising a gross income of forly five to fifly dollars. It was moved by K marked and seconded by D. macroer that litters of appreciation he sent to the artists taking part in the consert. Carried I was moved by W. Mac InDevar and seasaded by Haul that the fruce of admission for the Gallening on the 24th be liventy five cents, this admission to ciclude both sessions. A letter from R.G. Lawrie Ltd. Reje Wakers, Gargow promising a challing trophy for the annual gathering was und by Mr. Donald hear Joer Lwas decided by the meeting to custicet the secretary to purchase five hundred lickets (1-500) runhered (1-500) to be ready for distribution at the next meeting. Auling on the foun of a motion was made by W. mae In Dowar and seconded by W. Mighart to Govern de Tuac Creminon Memorial Trophy. This ruling co as fallows: no competitor may win two medals. a competitor who word the hear busion Trophy a occord line and all succeeding times will receive, so contemate

of his victory, a has which will be placed on the reston of the original medal which he holds. The trophy shall be awarded to the player wrining first place in the competition which competition shall be open to all comed. (This ruling was carried.) It was moved by a. mac Indowan and seconded by I have that the amateur program of hor. 24" he the same as last year. Caniel. I was decided to add a special went for veteran pipers to the professional program. This Sevent to be confined to men over fifty years. and to be a Old Highland airs will be played in this class. a cup for first place was promised by Wee. Much walnuteral. second prize was offered by Donald here In and a theed by Wongla. N This being all basiners as Theeting was closed at 10.20 P.M. The seculary being absent, minutes were kept by hu. Was Mapplant. 0 P Q W. a. Bours Vill- President R Seety. T Z

# Nov. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A general meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Incomplete returns on the concert of Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> were reported by Treasurer John Paul promising a gross income of forty five to fifty dollars.

<u>It was moved</u> by K. MacLeod and seconded by D. MacIver that letters of appreciation be sent to the artists taking part in the concert. <u>Carried</u>.

<u>It was moved</u> by W. MacIn Dewar and seconded by J. Paul that the price of admission for the Gathering on the 24<sup>th</sup> be twenty five cents, this admission to include both sessions. Carried.

A letter from R.G. Lawrie Ltd., Pipe Makers, Glasgow, promising a challenge trophy for the Annual Gathering was read by Mr. Donald MacIver. It was decided by the meeting to instruct the secretary to purchase five hundred tickets (1-500) numbered (1-500) to be ready for distribution at the next meeting.

A ruling in the form of a motion was made by W. MacIn Dewar and seconded by W. Urquhart to govern the MacCrimmon Memorial Trophy. This ruling is as follows:

No competitor may win two medals. A competitor who wins the MacCrimmon Trophy a second time and all succeeding times will receive, as emblematic of his victory, a bar which will be placed on the ribbon of the original medal which he holds. The trophy shall be awarded to the player winning first place in the competition which competition shall be open to all comers. (This ruling was carried.)

<u>It was moved</u> by A. MacIn Dewar and seconded by J. Paul that the amateur program of Nov. 24<sup>th</sup> be the same as last year. Carried.

It was decided to add a special event for veteran pipers to the professional program. This event to be confined to men over fifty years and to be Old Highland airs will be played in this class. A cup for first place was promised by Wm. MacIn Dewar. A second prize was offered by Donald MacIver and a third by W. Douglas.

This being all business the meeting was closed at 10.20 P.M. The secretary being absent, minutes were kept by Mr. Wm. Urquhart.

W.A. Bowes, Vice-President

E. Esson, Sect'y.

Ol. Rigins association november 13th 1934. - a committee meeting was held in Colice beadgreaties with the Vice Wiendent in the chair. The minutes of the neurous meeting were adopted as read. A bill for \$300 which was presented by the seculary as whitel of a hypewrite was approved and proved to be paid. The following members were appointed to act as judges of the compilitions on hor 24. Quiatere: a. Juson, His Reid, W.P. Was. aigulant Referensal: a MacGruer, War. Bain, Borald Cameron Heleans: Donald Mac Joe, Koderick Macked Was Machadanas Alewards of the piping were appointed as follows: Afternoon session: Well have Inhavar. Coening " Allan Was hat. Syx major gellies was appointed to give entroductory remarks on the actory of the probarreched payedle the Mac Gummon memoral contest. The secretary was instructed to envite the following prominent Deligues to the platform for the evening session. Shief Gameson, Koderick Wasterd Jan Wasteryle, Jon Heid, U.P. a good report on prizes solicited was made by Winga and the occulary. The lung all husiners the meeting was adjorned at 10.25. James Dyes Son, Secretary

## **B.C. PIPERS' ASSOCIATION**

## November 13<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the Vice President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

A bill for \$3.00 which was presented by the secretary as rental of a typewriter was approved and passed to be paid. The following members were appointed to act as judges of the competitions on Nov.  $24^{th}$ .

Amateur: A. Johnson, Thos. Reid, M.P., Wm. Urquhart Professional: A. MacGreer, Wm. Bain, Donald Cameron

Veterans: Donald MacIver, Roderick MacLeod, Wm. MacIn Dewar

Stewards of the piping were appointed as follows:

Afternoon session: Wm. MacIn Dewar Evening "Allan MacNab.

Pipe Major Gillies was appointed to give introductory remarks on the history of the piobaireachds played in the MacCrimmon Memorial contest. The secretary was instructed to invite the following prominent citizens to the platform for the evening session: Chief Cameron, Roderick MacLeod, Ian MacKenzie, Tom Reid, M.P. A good report on prizes solicited was made by W. Douglas and the secretary. This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 10.20.

James Dyer

E. Esson, Secretary

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## **B.C. PIPERS' ASSOCIATION**

## November 19, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. Mr. W. Douglas, Mr. W. Urquhart and the secretary were appointed to act as a prize committee with power to buy what prizes were not donated with the funds on hand. The secretary reported that over one hundred tickets had been distributed for sale among members of the association by mail. Complimentary tickets had been sent to the artists of the recent concert and two tickets had been sent to each donor of prizes and cash. All judges appointed were reported as signifying their intentions of being on hand on Saturday. Pipe Major Gillies consented to give a brief introduction of the piobaireachds played in the open event. All business being well in hand the meeting was adjourned at 10.25 with final details such as allocation of prizes, the arranging of the window display and the dressing of the prize table left in the hands of the Prize committee.

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# Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A committee meeting was held in Police Headquarters with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. A financial statement of the gathering on Nov. 24 was read by the secretary from the data available which promised a very satisfactory financial return on this year's event. Returns were incomplete and a full statement will be given by the treasurer as soon as possible.

The placing of the Robertson Quaich as the amateur aggregate to include piobaireachd was criticized by Mr. Wm. MacIn Dewar as the decision to what events should be included in this aggregate had not been made at a meeting of the Association. It was explained by the secretary that the Quaich had been inadvertently overlooked and that the matter had been discussed with the Prize committee and with the President before being allotted to its present place. Mr. MacIn Dewar reported that he had had complaints from practically all the competitors in the amateur class over 16 regarding the inclusion of the piobaireachd in the amateur aggregate and that many of the competitors had stated that they would not compete in the Association events hereafter.

Mr. MacIn Dewar also spoke at some length on the slow airs event which he maintained was originally included for veteran players. Being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10.10 P.M. and a general meeting called for Tuesday, Dec. 11 at 8 P.M.

James Dyer

E. Esson, Secretary

December 11 1934. Bl agins assu. a general meeting was held in Volice Scadquarters on the whore date with the Chrident in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read. It was decided to award as fourth must, marches under 16, a selver medal which was left over from the pures donated for the dunual Sathering. This decision was made because huss margaret macronald who came fourth in this class was through an error called forward to receive a muze when none had been alloted to this place. After a lengthy discussion of Clause 10 of the Constitution it was proposed by John Zillies that The subject be laid on the table weanwhile. Wife major Sellies proposed that the clause he made to read as follows: Any member when asked to officiali as a judge of piping in any such competition uld his Butish Columbia, should of possible, accewe the approval of the association. It was moved by W Donglas and seconded by John Lillio that the annual general meeting a postponed until April 2nd 1935. Counid. I was decided to hold a Boncert and Dance lowards the end of Abruary and the following Committees were appointed.

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# December 11<sup>th</sup>, 1934

A general meeting was held in Police Headquarters on the above date with the President in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were adopted as read.

It was decided to award as fourth prize, Marches under 16, a silver medal which was left over from the prizes donated for the Annual Gathering. This decision was made because Miss Margaret MacDonald who came fourth in this class was, through an error, called forward to receive a prize when none had been allotted to this place.

After a lengthy discussion of Clause 10 of the Constitution it was proposed by John Gillies that the subject be laid on the table meanwhile. Pipe Major Gillies proposed that the clause be made to read as follows: "Any member when asked to officiate as a judge of piping in any such competition held in British Columbia, should if possible, receive the approval of the Association."

It was moved by W. Douglas and seconded by John Gillies that the annual general meeting be postponed until April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1935. <u>Carried</u>.

It was decided to hold a Concert and Dance towards the end of February and the following committees were appointed.

Refreshments: K. MacLeod, J. Paul, I. MacIntosh

Tickets: W. Urquhart, W. Bowes, A. Whyte

Entertainment: W. Douglas, J. Dyer, E. Esson, J. Gillies.

This being all business the meeting was adjourned at 10.25 P.M.

E. Esson, Secretary

W.A. Bowes, Acting President