

July 1, 1927 to June 30, 1928

The Executive for the Truro Rotary Club for the year 1927-1928 were as follows:

President	A. R. Coffin
Vice-President	T. P. Bentley
Secretary	Dr. H. L. Daniel
Treasurer	Geo. H. Johnson

Directors:	F. L. Lewis
	G. W. Read
	L. M. Christie

The District Governor of Rotary Club for the year 1927-1928 was Donald J. Buckley of Sydney, Nova Scotia.

New Members for this year were:

C. O. Doyle	23/12/27
Rev. J. W. Godfrey	23/12/27
A. F. Keirstead	18/10/27
H. A. Wellard	2/9/27

In August 1927, a Rotary Picnic was held at the summer cottage of Harry Chase at Spencers Point.

During the summer of 1928, Lord Willingdon visited the Truro Rotary Club and spoke. He and Lady Willingdon were entertained in the afternoon at the Truro Golf Club by T. P. Bentley and others.

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The Executive for the year 1928, 1929 were as follows:

President	T. P. Bentley
Vice President	Geo. M. Kent
Secretary	Ned F. Nutter
Treasurer	Dr. F. F. Eaton

Directors:	A. R. Coffin
	H. F. Bethel
	A. F. Kierstead

The District Governor for the year 1928, 1929 was Wilfred C. Kierstead of Fredericton, New Brunswick.

New Members voted into the Truro Rotary Club this year were as follows:

D. G. Davis	29/9/28
G. C. McElhinney	17/4/29
John M. Trueman	18/10/28

In the spring of 1929, the Truro Club sponsored a new Club in Windsor, Nova Scotia. Two carloads of members went down in April for their first meeting and again in June for their Charter night. The Truro Club presented their Gong and Gavel at this Charter night. Governor Kierstead was at this meeting. The meeting was held in the Hotel in Windsor.

July 1, 1929 to June 30, 1930

The Executive of the Truro Rotary Club for the year 1929, 1930 were as follows:

President	Harold F. Bethel
Vice-President	Dr. H. L. Daniel
Secretary	A. Fent Kierstead
Treasurer	Dr. F. F. Eaton

Directors:	John Slackford
	H. Ward Murdock

The District Governor of Rotary for the year 1929, 1930 was George Graham of Kentville, Nova Scotia.

New members to the Rotary Club this year were as follows:

F. B. Dunlap	24/8/29
B. C. Holder	14/3/30
Fred S. Layton	7/3/30
J. F. Pirie	29/8/29
P. J. Wilcox	24/8/29

The members who dropped out of Rotary between 1927 and 1930 were: C. A. Magnus, G. W. Reid, A. N. Gillis, A. B. Lumsden and W. S. Sweet.

On July 30, Fent Kierstead reported on the Chicago International Convention where he was a delegate.

July 1, 1930 to June 30, 1931

The executive for the year were as follows:

President	Dr. H. Lamert Daniel
Vice-President	C. O. Doyle
Secretary	Chesley Mosher
Treasurer	Frank Dunlap

During November, 1930, the Club had 2 - 100 % meetings. We started the year with 38 members and ended with 39, we lost one by death and added three new ones.

Also in November, we voted a sum of money not to exceed \$100.00 for the Wellard Shield. This shield was presented to the School Board for the Musical Festival. It was won for the first time by the Willow Street School.

The Club canvassed the town and county to promote interest in a Provincial Society for the care of Crippled Children. Two hundred letters, ministers etc. working with the Chairman Ward Murdock for the organization of this Society.

The District Governor for this year was George J. Smith of Saint John, New Brunswick,

New Member this year was Alex J. MacKay.

Members who dropped out were Ned Nutter, and Harry Wellard passed away in September 1930.

On November, 1930, we tried out teams for membership 6 x 6 / 36.

On April 5, 1931, for two nights, Thursday and Friday, The Rotary Club had a Minstrel Show, which consisted of the following. Pres. R. A. Mingie.

Interlocutor	Ed. G. McCulough
Endmen	Jim Pirie, Fred Blois, Gordon Taylor, Elmer Doyle, Jack Glassey, H.W. Murdock

Chorus: G. MacElhinney, Emery Harris, Harry Chase, Fred Layton, B. C. Holder, Geo. Johnson, H. P. Desborough, Archie Jackson, Chas. MacLennan, J. M. Trueman, Preston Wilcox, Frank Dunlap, Boyd Murphy.

Orchestra Twelve pieces under the baton of Douglas Baker.

After the Minstrel Show, the second part of the programme consisted of a concert with six artists. The scenery was done by Gordon Taylor. This was frolicsome, clean, peppy, artistic, witty and altogether a wonderful show. Following is the programme:

Opening Chorus	The Company
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Soloist	Gerry McElhinney
Gwine to Heaben Some Day	Jim Pirie
Take Me Back to Tennessee	Hec Munro
Levee Song	H. W. Murdock
Playing Poker	Gordon Taylor
My Girl of Twilight Dreams	Chas. MacLennan
Chick Chick Chicken	Jim Pirie
Lucy Jacksons Man	Chas. MacLennan
Minstrel Mans Dream	Percy Kennedy
Oh, How I'M Longing for You	Gerry McElhinney
Specialty Number	E. G. McCulough
Finale	The Company.

Concert:

Vocal	Mrs. G. C. Black
Violin	Miss Edith Archibald
Vocal	Percy Kennedy
Reading	Mrs. L. E. Pirie
Vocal	Miss Dorothy Black
Saxophone	Miss Marjorie Mitchell

The Gross Returns from this Minstrel Show were	\$ 331.25
The Expenses	<u>226.03</u>
Net Returns	\$ 105.22