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In order to solve the cash flow problems which created the need to borrow money from the banks and other members the group decided to make it a requirement that fees be prepaid by members and guests before they went in to Camp. A figure not exceeding \$4.00 per day was to be used with any balance of expenses incurred at the end of the year to be adjusted.

The Annual General Meeting and a special meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors took place on May 13th, 1926 at the Essex County Golf and Country Club again where many items of Camp were discussed and acted on. A Board of Directors Meeting was also held later, on June 10th, 1926 where the group discussed opening dates for Camp, selected Camp Managers, discussed the purchase of a light plant and fridge and spoke of a sink in the kitchen.

E. C. Bennett had sent a letter to Dr. H. H. Sanderson concerning the desire to have the Camp assessed for school purposes (tax) which was approved by the Morton's Point Ltd. Board.

The positions of President, Vice President and the Secretary-Treasurer of Morton's Point Ltd. were put in control of banking requirements with The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

New members nominated in this year. They were C. W. Isaacs, P. W. Grandjean and J. W. Petch all proposed by A. D. Green seconded by L. D. Hogan. Mr. P. W. Grandjean waited until 1927 to join as the rules had to be changed from a maximum of 16 members to make a space for him. It was raised to 20 in 1927.

Marine insurance was purchased to cover possible damage or loss of the launch.

The Shareholders Board of Directors were reelected to their positions this year and in future, the President would set up a committee to nominate future Board members for shareholders to vote on.



One of our Founding Members, William J. Burns, was elected as President of the Windsor Rotary Club for 1926 - 27.

The Camp was opened on July 10th, 1926 with the Camp Managers being E. F. Ladore & J. R. Coate for the first half of the season and A. D. W. Leach and E. C. Kenning for the second half of the season. During the season, a sink was installed in the Main Lodge. A committee was set up, with the power to act, Green, Ladore, Leach & Coate, to look into the purchase of a new refrigerator (ice box), and another, Coate & Ladore, was to look into a lighting plant for in Camp.



New fridge approved at the June 10th, 1926 Board of Directors Meeting. It was stored in the boathouse for many years and was deteriorating badly. It was given to Rob Haddow by the Camp and he has since had it completely restored. Picture taken May 2003 during Rob's moving day.

Resignations (2) Leonard D. Hogan and Col. J. F. Smyth both died September 10th, 1926.

New Members (2) Charles W. Isaacs, J. W. Petch.

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