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—SUCCESSFUL CANTATA.—Epworth hall, Summerside was filled to its capacity Wednesday evening when the beautiful cantata, "The Child Christ in Art and Song and Story" was presented by children of the Methodist Church Sunday School assisted by Mrs. L. H. Allan and others. Beautiful colored slides were used to depict the scenes of the story of the birth of the Christ Child. Mrs. L. R. Allan read the story of the prophetic coming and of his birth. A splendid musical programme was given which included solos by L. B. Crue, Archie Sharp, Willie Corney, Eric Matheson, Hillard Gordon and Miss Dorothy Silphant and a duet by Miss Doris Morris and Helen Baker. There was also a chorus of about twenty child voices; Santa then appeared and distributed gifts to the children.

—PROPERTY CHANGED HANDS.—Mr. C. A. McNutt of Kensington has purchased from Mr. Neil McLeod, now of Three Rivers, Mass. formerly of Summerside the fine residence on corner of Hanover and Grandville streets, now occupied by Mr. Lewis Leard as an hotel. Mrs. McNutt intends moving into her new home in the early spring and will continue the hotel business.

—ISLAND FOXES WANTED.—Mr. Wm. E. Bell of Cape Traverse has received an order from A. L. Williams, of Michigan, U. S. A., for as many foxes as Mr. Bell can supply. Mr. Williams speaks very highly of the foxes he got from Mr. Bell's ranch and says he is well pleased with his first purchase.

—FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late Lloyd Sharp was held on Thursday afternoon under I. O. O. F. auspices Rev. G. S. Mitchell pastor of the Summerside Presbyterian Church officiated. The pall bearers were: J. LeRoy Holman, Dr. Harry Allan, L. B. Crue, C. C. Dickie, Jas. Woods and Wm. Forbes.

—MEMORIAL MEDAL.—Mrs. McLellan, wife of the late Dr. McLellan, of Summerside has been sent the memorial medal given to her as the mother of Sergeant Everard McLellan one of the bright lads from P. E. I. who surrendered their lives for their King and Country during the great war. Sergeant McLellan was only a young lad attending St. Dunstan's College when the call for volunteers came to him and he promptly responded. He was through many of the big battles and was serving in the place of another island soldier when he was fatally injured. As a boy in Summerside he was very popular, as a student in St. Dunstan's College he was bright and had many friends, and as one of the soldiers from the Island he made a name for himself which will endure to the end of time.

—APPRECIATION.—The public generally are loud in their praise of the prompt and efficient service rendered by postmaster Hunt and his staff of officials during the big holiday rush of Xmas, also of the genial caretaker, Mr. McPherson, who so willingly kept the office open after closing hours so that citizens could receive their mail after the stores were closed.



THE TIME YOU PUT ON HER SKATES.

IN MEMORIAM

There passed peacefully away at Belfast on Thursday Dec 23rd, 1920. Euphemia MacLeod beloved wife of Thomas Ross, aged sixty-three years. Deceased had been in failing health for many years but bore her suffering with great patience. Kind charitable and a warm friend ever generous and obliging. Her death will bring sorrow to a host of friends outside her immediate family. Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn one son John R. and two daughters, Alice and Margaret. Another son Neil made the supreme sacrifice in August 1918.

Third raters. The middleweight championship of the world has remarkable traditions. It was held by some of the greatest boxers in the history of the ring—men like Fitzsimmons and Ketchel. In the hands of Wilson it is losing its lustre and the class is falling into a state of innocuous desuetude. Let's have some action among the middleweights.

WESTERN PERSONALS

—Mr. Peter M. Chasson of Tignish was in Summerside yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Adams, Moncton are visiting Summerside.

—Captain Cosgrove of Wellington was in Summerside yesterday.

—Mr. P. C. Gallant left for Boston yesterday morning to visit friends.

—Mr. L. E. Distant, Ellerslie was in Summerside yesterday on business.

—Mrs. (Capt.) John L. Read, Borden, was in Summerside yesterday.

—Mr. F. Beattie, Amherst, N. S. is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hensley, Summerside.

—Mr. A. C. Rogers of Rogers & Arnett, Summerside leaves this morning for Montreal on business.

—Mr. P. W. Clarkin of the C. N. R., Charlottetown was in Summerside yesterday on official business.

—Mr. H. A. Darby of Abrams Village was in town Tuesday on business.

—Mr. M. L. Bradshaw of Joseph Read & Co., Summerside has gone to Halifax on business.

—Thomas Galant of Tignish was taken to the P. C. Hospital for treatment.

—Mr. Austin Scales returned on Saturday from a business trip to New York.

—Silas Raynor who was spending Xmas with friends left for his home Tuesday.

—Messrs Herb and Charles Spray have gone to their home in Cape Breton to spend New Year's with their parents.

—Mr. J. P. Duffus who conducts the only exclusive silver black fox store in New York was in Summerside Friday.

—Mrs. John Beer and child of Montague are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. H. M. Downing, Central St., Summerside.

—Mr. Silas Raynor, Greenmount, was an interested visitor to the P. C. Hospital a few days ago and he was pleasantly surprised with the modern and well planned institution. Mr. Raynor headed the list of the donors to the building fund in the recent drive contributing \$1,000.

Canadians Lost To The Hamiltons

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—Displaying lack of physical condition and absence of team play, both obvious results of the lack of pre-season training, the Canadian hockey team was defeated by the younger, faster and better-conditioned Hamilton Club in the opening 10-11 match of the National Hockey League season at Mount Royal Arena last night. The final count was six to two, and the score is indicative of the merits of the game, for, with the exception of early period flashes, Canadians were never able to hold pace with the speed and dash of the Hamilton Club. Each period saw the Canadians starting with a rush, which invariably tailed off under pressure with their opponents then taking the aggressive.

Well over three thousand people, one of the largest crowds which has ever witnessed a local professional opening game, saw a contest which was never in doubt after the first ten minutes of play, of five to one. Taking a lead of two goals in the opening period, Hamilton was never headed, and at one time, earlier George Carey, who flashed all in the line, led by a score over the ice, fine work by each defender, together with superior condition and for more effective combination play, were the factors which enabled Hamilton to show

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Coax Wilson To Return

Now that Tex Richard has done boxing a great hand by the elimination of Herman, and the crowning of a new champion, he ought to do the game a still greater service by coaxing Johnny Wilson into the Garden with Mike O'Dowd. When Wilson took the middleweight championship of the world from O'Dowd on a decision in Boston, he promised that he would give O'Dowd another chance in the near future, and that he would defend his honor often. But Wilson has been about as active as was Herman. The champion seems to lack confidence in his ability. Only the other week he went to Montreal and met George Robinson, a second rater from the Hub. Robinson caught the title holder on the jaw early in the proceedings and came near taking the crown away from Wilson. Wilson rallied and late in the bout dropped his man, but the ringside critics gave the decision to Robinson.

Boxing demands that Wilson come out of his shell and give O'Dowd a return match. It is tired of the "retiring" type of champion who declines to retire and declines to fight, but is content to dub around with a lot of second and

Ask for Minards and take no other. GRENVILLE SCHOOL

in Grenville school on Thursday, the 23rd inst., was attended by the raters of the district and a number of visitors notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The school room presented a beautiful appearance decorated with evergreens, holly and Christmas bells, while a Christmas tree resplendent with candles and loaded with gifts graced the room characteristic of the spirit of the season.

The pupils were examined by the teacher, Miss Minnie Chasson, assisted by some of the visiting parties, and the excellent showing made by the different classes bore evidence of the ability and painstaking efforts of the teacher, and the hearty co-operation of the pupils.

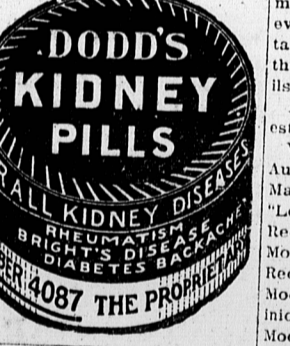
After the examination an interesting programme was carried out. Welcome Speech: Clarence McAuley; First Speech in Public: Margaret Mooney; Recitation: "Looks Like Pa," Edward Mooney; Recitation: "A Schooner," Mary Mooney; Chorus: By the School; Recitation: "Not So Easy," George Mooney; Recitation: "Johnny's Opinion of Grandmothers," John Mooney; Recitation: "A Christmas Dilemma," Mary Mooney. Song: "Santa Claus." By the School; Valedictory: Margaret Mooney.

After the programme the advent of Santa Claus caused not a little merriment and in his usual style distributed the gifts to the little ones. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the school district and the audience was further entertained by vocal and instrumental musical selections by the teachers.

Before singing the National Anthem a vote of thanks was tendered the teacher (by the people of the district) for her untiring energy and zeal concluding one of the most successful examinations ever held in the district.—Cor.

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