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Musical Evening at The Caledonian Club

Professor Duncan Lectures on the Musical Education of the Child, and, Together With Mrs. Duncan and Parry, Submits a Delightful Musical Programme.

The series of lectures under the auspices of the Caledonian Club concluded for the season last night when Professor W. Duncan gave an interesting lecture on "The Musical Education of the Child in the Home and in the School." In addition there was a delightful musical programme, to which the following contributed: Misses Acorn, Hilda Jones and Rafuse, Mrs. Duncan, Messrs. Duncan and Pogson.

Mr. James Paton presided in the unavoidable absence through illness of President J. H. Malcolm. Professor Duncan said that music nowadays is considered as an essential part in a scheme of education. In almost every home was to be found an instrument of some kind and nothing was of greater interest to parents than to follow closely the progress made by their children in learning the art of making music. Although living in the days when mechanical music, such as is given on the player-piano and on the Victrola, had reached a very high pitch of excellence, interest still was held by the personal element in music. In the schools music is gradually coming to its rightful place, and is recognized as a very essential and valuable subject to have in the curriculum. An unmusical nation is a nation without a soul, and it is to the younger generation that we look to carry on and perpetuate these national songs and folk songs, which are so characteristic of the genius of the English-speaking race. It is also to them that we look for main thinking and improving what reputation we have got as a people who are singers and who are lovers of song. Under these circumstances, can we put too much stress on the necessity of giving the youth of our country every chance not only to become acquainted with the best of the world's music, but also to become reliable readers of music? The influence of good music on a growing mentality and on the formation of character is beneficial in the extreme and on the parents and education-

Terrific Explosion Of War Material

1,800 Soldiers Buried in Ruins of Barracks, Many Being Killed. Church Struck by Flying Shell Burying Many Women and Children.

(Special to The Guardian)
LONDON, April 20.—A terrific explosion occurred today among war material at Saloniki. According to a despatch from Athens, eighteen hundred soldiers are reported to have been buried among the ruins of a barracks. Hundreds of persons, mainly children, were killed and according to the report fires have broken out and panic ensued. The explosion occurred at noon Wednesday. It was dinner hour for the troops and the barracks in which they were eating collapsed from the blast and many were killed according to the report. One shell, hundreds of which flew in all directions, following the first explosion burst after hitting a church. Hundreds of persons, mainly children, were said to have been buried. Part of the town where explosion occurred is in ruins.

Lloyd George Optimistic Over Genoa Conference

Says Pan-European Pact Will be Discussed the Nations Guaranteeing Not to Attack Each Other Without Lengthy Consideration.

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GENOA, April 20.—The success of the Genoa conference is assured, Premier Lloyd George declared today, addressing the press of the world at San Giorgio Palace. (This would apparently conflict with an earlier cable from Genoa which reported that the German had not agreed flatly that they would not attack or withdraw the treaty.) A still later cable announced however that the German delegation had decided to postpone delivery of the decision until tomorrow. Lloyd George was most optimistic in his predictions. "We are overcoming all difficulties he repeated. We are having the greatest success."

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Natural Resource Prairie Provinces Under Discussion

OTTAWA, April 20.—The natural resources conference between the Prime Minister and members of his cabinet and the premiers of the three western provinces opened at eleven o'clock this morning in the Prime Minister's office. Premier Herbert Greenfield of Alberta reached the city yesterday and Premier Norris and Dunning have been here for several days.

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Free State Rebels Attack Govt. Troops

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DUBLIN, April 20.—Rebel assaults upon the Free State headquarters, the town hall, the telephone exchange and upon provisions, also to become more frequent.

Establishment of Supervised Playgrounds

A meeting was held last night in the Board of Trade Rooms, called by the Rotary Boys' Work Committee. The matters of supervised playgrounds was taken up and discussed. Representatives of the different churches, the City Council, the League of the Cross, Red Cross and the Rotary Club were present. Mr. J. O. Hyndman occupied the chair. There was a unanimous feeling among those present that something should be done in the matter of providing suitable playgrounds in suitable parts of the city. The City Council representatives, Messrs. Moran and Prosser, promised to bring the matter to the attention of the Council. After considerable discussion a resolution moved by Mr. C. H. Black, seconded by Mr. H. E. Miller was carried to the effect that Play Grounds Association be formed and a committee appointed consisting of Messrs. C. H. Black, J. A. McMillan and G. H. Gorbell, was appointed. On motion of Mr. Prosser, seconded by Mr. J. D. Jenkins it was decided to adjourn this meeting and call a general meeting of citizens on Friday evening, 28th inst. to appoint officers and complete the organization.

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The Weather, Temperature, Tide, Moon, Etc.

TORONTO, April 21—Mar time winds or gales, mostly fair. Snow flurries.
High tide this evening at 6:04 and tomorrow morning at 7:40.
Sun sets this evening at 6:56 and rises tomorrow morning at 5:05.
New moon Thursday, April 27th, 1:04 a.m.

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