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MURRAY HABOUR NORTH SCHOOL CONCERT

The school concert and Christmas tree held in Murray Harbour North hall, Monday night Dec. 24, was very largely attended and was a most enjoyable and successful affair, young and old alike taking pleasure in the excellent program, so capably presented by the pupils under the direction and training of their teacher, Miss Mary McLeod.

Mr. William Kennedy acted as chairman. At the conclusion of the programme a large amount of candy was sold, proceeds going towards the school.

During the singing of the last chorus, heels were heard and soon Santa appeared and amidst laughter and applause, distributed the gifts from the beautifully decorated and heavily laden Christmas Tree.

Following is the program:

Chorus, Kriss Kingle School.

Recitation, Just before Christmas, Dan Condon.

Song, "I'll be Your Sweetheart," May Johnstone, Florence McHerron and Dolly Condon.

Recitation, "Towser Shant be Tied tonight," Florence Kennedy.

Solo, "Jolly old St. Nicholas" Florence Llewlyn.

Dialogue, "Taking the Census," Dolly Condon, Mary Condon, Floyd Johnstone, Rae Kennedy, Dan Condon.

Solo, Annie Clow.

Recitation, "When I was a Little Boy" Everett Condon.

Motion Song, We're Looking, Eileen McLure, Ruth Condon, Irene Kennedy, Florence Llewlyn.

Dialogue, "Getting Even" with Sister's Beau, Lorne Kennedy, Dan Condon, Mary McLeod, Dolly Cond Condon, Mary McLeod, Dolly Condon Ada Condon.

Instrumental Music, Mr. Oatis Jackson and Mrs. Wm. McLure.

Recitation, "A Sad Accident," Hazen McLure.

Duet, "Tucky Home," Mary and Dolly Condon.

Recitation, "Girls are Queer" Jim Porter.

Solo, "Christmas Songs," Ruth Condon.

Monologue, "An Inspiring Dishwater," May Johnstone.

Chorus, "Boany Doone," the School.

Dialogue, "The Sick Doll," Irene Kennedy, Maagaret Johnstone.

Step Dance, Lillian Jackson.

Florence Llewlyn.

Recitation, Charlie Clow.

Solo, "Its Good-bye to the Boys," Dolly Condon.

Dialogue, "Answering The Phone," Florence MacBerron, Florence Kennedy, Mae Johnstone.

Step Dance, Stella Leeco.

Recitation, Ralph Condon.

Song, "Gloomy Gloops," Lexy Henderson, Irene Kennedy, Florence Llewlyn, Eileen McLure, Ruth Condon.

Monologue, "Writing To Santy," George Mellon.

Quartette, "Coon Song," Dolly Condon, May Johnstone, Florence Mellerron, Annie Clow.

Drill, "Christmas Good Night," Lexy Henderson, Irene Kennedy, Ruth Condon.

Recitation, "The Reason Why," Florence Llewyn.

Dialogue, "Washing Feet," Dan Condon, Annie Clow, May Johnston, Mary Condon, Florence MacHerron, Dolly Condon.

Recitation, "Fooling Santa," Eileen McLure.

Monologue, "Entertaining The Minister" Irene Kennedy.

Closing Chorus, "Christmas Bells," Mary Condon, Zilla Graham, Annie Clow, Mary McLeod, Florence Kennedy, Mae Johnstone.

The entertainment on the whole was an excellent one and all went away feeling that they had spent a most enjoyable evening.

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—STANDING OF CAMPBELLTON SCHOOL for the month of December.—Grade X.—1, Bessie McEwen. Grade IX.—1, Irma Constable, 2, Verna Coiley, 3, Claude McEwen. Grade V.—1, Elsie Dunning, 2, Oscar McKay, 3, Leigh McEwen. Grade III.—1, Gordon Constable, 2, Catherine Coiley. Grade II.—1, Lorna McEwen, 2, Elva McAllister, 3, Clara Currie. Grade I.—Sr.—1, Mattie Constable. Grade I.—Jr.—1, Aubrey Found, 2, Margaret Ramsay, 3, Lucy Paynter. Perfect attendance:—Verna Coiley, Irma Constable, Claude McEwen, Elsie Dunning, Leigh McEwen, Lorne McEwen, Aubrey found.

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A MUSICAL TREAT

Wednesday evening, January 2nd, the citizens of Wellington and surrounding country were given a real musical treat in the nature of the Hawaiian Operetta entitled "The Ghosts of Hilo" put on by the Riverside Music Club of Wellington under the direction of Miss Zellica Poirier, one of the Island's most accomplished musicians. The Club is composed of young ladies all resident in Wellington and deserve the highest praise for the manner in which they sang and acted the difficult parts assigned them and certainly proves Miss Poirier's musical ability. Special mention should be made of the singing and acting of Miss Bernice Gaudet who took the leading part proving herself a real Princess.

Following is the cast of characters and story of the Ghosts of Hilo:

CHARACTERS

Princess Lei-la-no of Hilo—Miss Beraice Gaudet.

Ku-u-lei, Favorite of Princess,—Miss Laura Day.

Ma-i-le, Sorceress,—Miss Irene Arsenault.

He-a-lo-ha, Little Sister—Miss Alta Gaudet.

Hawaiian Haidens,—All members of the household.

Misses Nora Arsenault, Faustina Gaudet and Lucie Arsenault.

SCENE—

A glen near Hilo, a town on one of the Hawaiian Islands is believed haunted. On nights of great storms, sounds as of beating of many drums are heard and the inhabitants believe dances and revels of the Ghosts are being held.

Once upon a time after The Great Storm, a little girl was found at the entrance of the glen strangely dressed and beating on a queer little drum which was fastened securely to her. This happened on the anniversarry of the Feast of Laka (personifying Nature), and each celebration of this feast with its dances and much drum beating stirs intensely the little girl who has been brought up as the sister of the Princess. The governess of the household of the Princess is a Sorceress, but has no control over the Little Sister and attributes her failure to some magic of the drum which the little sister always carries. During the rites of the evening's celebration, by means of this little drum the identity of the Little Sister is established.

ACT. 1.

1. Overture.
2. Chorus,—"Hilo the Fair."
3. Chorus,—"Dance of the Lei Makers" Wreath Makers).
4. Solo and Chorus,—"Ghosts of Hilo."
5. Solo and Chorus,—"What I know About Ghosts."
6. Solo and Chorus,—"Rain Song."
7. Solo and Chorus.— "Taboo."
8. Chorus,—Hula Dance No. 1.
9. Solo and Chorus,—"Not So Very Long Ago."
10. Chorus,—"Lovely Hilo."

END OF ACT I.

Instrumental Introduction.
Solo,—"When Mama Sings."
Solo and Chorus,—"Hawaiian Moonlight."
Blind Chorus,—"Drifting."

ACT II.

1. Solo,—"Blossoms."
2. Chorus,—Hula Dance No. 2.
3. Chorus,—"Sing We of Fire on the Mountain."
4. Solo,—"I've Done My Work."

HER BUSINESS

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..*ENJOYABLE GATHERING—The whist party and dance which was held in St. James Hall, Georgetown, on Wednesday, December 31st, was a decided success. The ladies prize was won by Mrs. F. J. Solomon and the gentleman's by Mr. Stillman Johnson, a delicious lunch was served. A.

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..*OPENING CONCERT — A much needed convenience was supplied to St. James' parish when a new hall was built in the upper story of the old parochial house. The hall has a seating capacity of about two hundred persons, and is to be used for social purposes such as whist parties, and the like. The opening took place on Wednesday afternoon when the children of the Cathecism class, about ninety in number, were entertained by a programme and Christmas tree. Much credit is due the committee in charge of both the programme and the way they were carried out, the programme showed just what a crowd of clever children could do with even a little practise. The tree was tastefully decorated for the occasion with tinsel Christmas decorations and holly, besides the tree was laden with many useful gifts. Each child was presented with a gift, oranges, apples, candy and nuts and all were high in their praise of "Santa" who so generously and capably took his part. Following is the programme. Opening Chorus; Recitation by Julia Sting; Dance by Carmelita Solomon; Duett by Mildred and Helen Donovan; Recitation by Raymond Levandier; Step Dance by Mary David; Reciation by Dorothy MacDonald; Chorus, Adeste Fidelis; Step Dance by Leo Gotell; Song by four girls; Recitation by Agnes Soloman; Highland Fling by Dora Lavandier and Faustine Gotell; Recitation by Carmelita Soloman; Duett by Dora and Francis Lavendier; Step Dance by John King; Recitation by Irwin Sampson; Chorus. Distribution of presents from the tree by Santa. A.

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PERSONALS

..*Miss Jennie Gordon, Cardigan is visiting friends in Georgetown. A.

..*Mr. and Mrs. DeWolfe, Boston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad, Georgetown. A.

..*Miss Bertha Lannigan, Stargeon is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. P. McKinnon, Georgetown. A.

..*Miss Katie Fraser, teacher, who has been visiting her home in Georgetown, has left for Mount Stewart. A.

..*Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDonald, Georgetown, who have been visiting Mrs. McDonald's brother in Mount Stewart, have returned to their home in Georgetown. A.

THE PAPERS!

Villain—Where are those papers! First Assistant Villain—In the blacksmith shop. Villain—Ha, ha, —I suppose being forged. First Assistant—No, being filed!—Gargoyle.

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The Public Forum

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matters that Mr. Hughes could very well devote attention to at Ottawa, and thus place the blame for lack of cars in the proper quarter. I have on lyle a very complete and valuable statement of the facts in this case, which will be brought to Sir Henry Thornton's attention at the first opportunity with a view to safeguarding against similar occurrences in future. I have been in close contact with local railway officials for many years and have always found them courteous and obliging. In many cases, we must admit, they are handling a difficult problem without sufficient authority and with very inadequate equipment. These officials are very often not given half a chance to perform services expected and often receive criticism undeserved. I might cite an instance where local railway officials are sometimes placed in an impossible position. It was during the war following an appeal to our farmers by Dr. J. W. Robertson, representing the Dominion Government, for increased production. The shipping season was in full swing, when an embargo was put in effect and not a car was available to ship Island products. On hearing the report, the writer in company with other Board of Trade members, called on railway officials to obtain full particulars. We were immediately shown telegrams and correspondence that the embargo was absolute, the reason given was that so many thousand Canadian cars had been absorbed in the United States and it was difficult to get them back. The co-operation of the Board of Trade was solicited and welcomed in an effort for relief. At that time a Victory Loan was just about to be launched, and the writer undertook to send telegrams to the Prime Minister at Ottawa, also to the Railway and Finance Ministers, setting out the seriousness of the situation and suggesting that if it was not possible to obtain Government cars, that the loan of Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk cars be secured, otherwise, if immediate relief was not forthcoming and the crops were not moved the Victory Loan would be a failure as far as this Province was concerned. The effort was fortunately successful, and in a few days Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk cars were arriving and the embargo lifted. Local officials could do nothing, their hands were tied. Moncton said relief was out of the question. If Board of Trade members had not intervened, the Local railway officials would have been unduly criticised for something beyond their control. I would like to take the liberty of suggesting that rather than criticise our local railway officials that extra effort be made at headquarters to secure more adequate equipment for carrying freight and passengers, also for fighting snow drifts, and not allow this Province to suffer another such loss from tie up of traffic, as happened in the winter of 1923, causing a loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars to farmers, fishermen, hotels and business firms generally; and which loss correctly speaking should be another charge against the Dominion of Canada for nonfulfillment of the terms of the Confederation.

Now I have no desire to enter in to a newspaper controversy with Mr. Hughes or any one else, but I do protest against being charged with having made inaccurate statements. I have gladly done what little I could, from time to time, voluntarily and without remuneration, with the sole object of promoting the interests of our Province, and have never sought honors from Boards of Trade or elsewhere. I am, however, always ready when I can be of service to the community. The Board of Trade is a non-political organization, and as far as I am aware, all members are anxious to prevent politics from being introduced, and so far, I think any attempts made have been successfully resisted. On the forming of the Associated (or Provincial) Boards of Trade, it was strongly advocated that business men and farmers should get closer together, and provision was thus made in the constitution to encourage this idea. Since then a strong movement has developed throughout the United States and Canada for closer co-operation between the great basic industry of Agriculture and Commerce. Same is being strongly advocated today by bankers, Rotary Clubs, Boards of Trade and other organizations, largely with a view to encourage goodwill and a better understanding and also with the hope of retarding to some extent the serious migration from the farm to the cities. It was solely with the hope of promoting this idea for the general welfare of the Province that my letter was addressed to the Farmers' Institutes.

To my mind the greatest obstacle always standing in the way of progress in this Province has been the lack of proper transportation facilities. Although a remedy was in sight it was felt that it would take the united effort of all to obtain our rights, and with this object in view the various Boards of Trade formed themselves into a Provincial organization. I think the efforts of the organization, so far, have more than justified its existence. Mr. Hughes appears to jeer at and discredit the Boards of Trade. This is rather surprising as any improvements he may have achieved in transportation or reduction in rates, are very large the result of the persistent work carried on by the Boards of Trade and to which I think he should be fair and give credit where credit is due.

I am, Sir, etc.,
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