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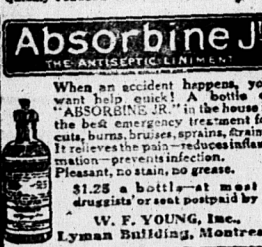
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THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 1921

BURNS' CONCERT 1921

The great annual song festival Burns' Concert under the auspices of the Caledonian Club and the patronage of His Honor the Lieut. Governor, opens on Monday night in the Strand Theatre and will be continued on Tuesday night. It might be too much to say that this year's concert will be the best of the long and brilliant series of Burns' Concerts given in the City but the programme and the new personnel taking part justify the expectation that it will compare very favorably with the best of them.

Burns' Concert has always been the one musical event of the year that lovers of music have made it a point never to miss and similar recognition is expected this year. Every arrangement possible has been made to insure the comfort of the audience and to see to it that every ticket sold will provide a seat for its owner. Entrance of course is guaranteed only to those who secure their tickets in advance and no assurance is held out that tickets will be available up to the last minute. The only assurance given is that tickets are on sale now and that they are going rapidly. The Guardian's advice to those who purport to attend is to get their tickets at once.

Several new features are included in the programme this year in addition to the usual feast of Scottish song. These features will be an assured attraction and all indications are that this year's concert will be one of the best, if not the best, ever held in the city.

The proceeds as usual, after payment of the necessary expenses, will be devoted to charitable purposes as all surplus funds of the Caledonian Club have always been. In patronizing the concert therefore there will be the double satisfaction of enjoying a real treat and at the same time helping the benevolent schemes of the society.

PROFIT AND LOSS OF THE NAVY

Leaving out of consideration altogether the fact that the British Navy has saved the British Empire not once but many times and continuously, and that, incidentally it made the seas of the world safe for all nations, what would it mean to reduce the navy by fifty per cent in sympathy with a similar reduction by other nations as was proposed by a United States Senator? There are at present under construction in British shipyards more vessels than in all the other shipyards in the world combined. We have no figures to indicate the number of men employed in the ships that are afloat. These figures are not available but the number may safely be estimated at an indefinite number of hundreds of thousands. The reduction of the navy by half would mean at least the cutting down of the number of employees by half; that is several hundred thousand men would be thrown out of employment. Such a move would save the British Government several millions of dollars a year while it would compel several millions of people to face want and possible starvation. From the economic point of view any considerable reduction of the British Navy would be a move of a very doubtful wisdom.

A ship, and particularly a war ship, is an expensive institution. Estimate the cost of building an ordinary warship at ten million dollars; some of them cost more than double this, some of them much less. The ten million dollars was distributed among some thousands of people; families were fed clothed and educated on it. What happens when the ship becomes a derelict or scrapped or blown up in battle? The ship is lost but the families of the workmen have been fed and clothed and educated; the building of the ship and its life, long or short, have both done their part in the upkeep of the nation, in the development of civilization and the betterment of the world.

It was the building and operating of ships, naval and mercantile that made Britain the most powerful and the wealthiest nation, per capita in the world. Her navy has been a sort of providence safeguarding the world; her merchant marine has carried the world's commerce from continent to continent, from country to country feeding and clothing and supplying the world. The merchant marine can sail the seas only because the navy has made the seas safe. By how much can the navy be reduced without imperiling the world's safety.

MEASURE OF OUR PROTECTION

The admission of United States products, chiefly manufactured, into Canada, to an aggregate value of \$927,000,000 last year, cannot be regarded as evidence that the industries of Canada are over-protected, or that the tariff is in any sense prohibitive, or that the Canadian consumer is suffering for the lack of outside competition. The tariff today, as stated by the Prime Minister averages only 22 1-2 per cent on dutiable imports and fourteen per cent on all imports, including free goods, as compared with 28 per cent average duty during the sixteen years of Liberal administration. The Laurier Government was nominally and professedly a free trade government, but it maintained the tariff at slightly more than 28 per cent. It called this a tariff for revenue only and the revenue requirements of the country at that time amounted to one hundred million dollars. Today, when, largely because of the war the revenue needs have been quadrupled, the tariff is materially lower and two political parties are striving to abolish it altogether.

happenings of The Week

Lady Margaret Scott, who is visiting at Government House, Ottawa, has received a cablegram announcing the engagement of her brother, the Earl of Balfour, to Esther Mary (Mollie) Lascelles, daughter of the late Major William Lascelles of the Scots Guards. The bride-elect is a grand-daughter of the late Sir Frank Lascelles, and a niece of Lady Spring Rice. She is also a grand-daughter of the Countess of Minto.

Mrs. (Judge) McQuarrie, who is visiting her sister Mrs. Cameron, Brighton, is being made very welcome by several hostesses entertaining in her honor this week.

Many Charlottetown friends will be pleased to know that Mrs. R. C. Fitzgerald, who joined her husband, Capt. Fitzgerald, at Peace River several months ago, is greatly improved.

Keenest interest is being kept up in Prof. Steele's English class at the Y. W. C. A., on Friday evenings.

Mrs. Mathieson, wife of the late Justice, entertained at an evening bridge on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. A. W. Hyndman, whose departure in the near future for Halifax, is so much regretted.

Mrs. Bradford Beer of Summerside, has gone to Halifax, where she will join her husband, who has accepted a lucrative position in the city.

During the week just closing there has been a regular round of bridge parties confined to one-two and three tables, very much enjoyed by those in attendance.

The Charlottetown-Moncton hockey match was a public event in which even the small boy took part, and although the visitors were defeated, it was not because of poor playing, as they were worthy foes.

Mrs. Leith Wright received for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday afternoon at her pretty home on Hillside Street, when a large number called to offer their congratulations.

Mrs. James A. McMillan, was among the hostesses entertaining at bridge this week.

The Social Service Congress which met this week in the Royal Memorial Hall was well attended and much good will no doubt result from the gathering. Among the speakers was Miss Whittier of Toronto, whose topic Child Welfare was very ably dealt with.

Mrs. Harold Monteith and wife welcomed home from Chatham, Ont. on a visit. Mrs. Monteith was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Gill, who has been a guest for the last two months, enjoying her visit immensely.

Miss Blanche Pomeroy, after a seven months visit with relatives in Montreal and different parts of Quebec, arrived home last night. She will be cordially welcomed by her young friends.

The St. Dunstan Boys' Scouts gave a bright and enjoyable concert on Wednesday evening, their talents being to an enthusiastic audience.

Mrs. C. H. B. Longworth gave a delightful afternoon tea yesterday for Mrs. A. W. Hyndman.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter are being welcomed home from a visit to Scotland.

Miss Winifred McLeod, is now a patient in Camp Hill Hospital, Halifax, having been accompanied to the city by her mother, Mrs. John McLeod, the latter being the guest of Mrs. E. C. Scott, Coburg Road.

Daily Selections Guardian Readers

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A place in the ranks awaits you. Each man has some part to play. The past and the future are nothing in the face of the stern today. —Adelaide A. Proctor.

THE ONLY WAY

The Irish sergeant had a squad of recruits on the rifle-range. He tried them on the five-hundred-yard range, but none of them could hit the target. Then, he tried them on the three-hundred-yard range, but with no better success. When they had all missed on the shortest range he looked around in despair. Then he straightened up. "Squad attention!" he commanded. "Fix bayonets! Charge!"

PLUCK WINS

Pluck wins! It always wins! The archer drew the arrow and might he deem that day that came and so, "Fix bayonets!" he said. "Squad attention!" he commanded. "Fix bayonets! Charge!"

CURRENT COMMENT

There is trouble in the United Farmers' camp. War has been declared between their excellent Premier Drury of Ontario, and the United Farmers' organization outside. Some time ago we recorded a conference between these two belligerents in which a truce was patched up and a temporary peace declared. Now hostilities have recommenced, and the U. F. O. Secretary Mr. J. K. Morrison, in a speech at Middlesex which was received with cheers, denounced the premier and promised "war to the bitter end on behalf of the Farmers' Party. In a lengthy speech, defiant from first to last, he attacked Mr. Drury's speech clause by clause, and openly disagreed with every one. In the fervent heat of his denunciation he declared that "The farmers' party made Mr. Drury, AND ONLY FOR THE MOVEMENT HE WOULD STILL BE PLOUGHING A LONE LY FURROW AT CROWN HILL, SO LONG AS HE STICKS TO THE PRINCIPLES AS HEAD OF THE U. F. O. HE WILL REMAIN AT THE HEAD OF THE GOVERNMENT BUT NO LONGER."

When Greek meets Greek, then comes the tug of war. This will be no ordinary battle. Premier Drury as an intelligent administrator has made many friends, but refusing to become the pliable tool of political and class manipulation, he has frequently antagonized the special group that placed him in power. His broadness of mind and democracy in political thought has made him formidable in the ranks of thinking people. His opponent, Mr. Morrison is also a man of giant strength amongst the rank and file in the farmers' movement, and is apparently able to sway the official organization of his will. The Farmers' organization in the legislature are expected to support Premier Drury to the hilt; the Farmers' of the U. F. O., outside will line up with Mr. Morrison, in this battle of the giants, while the spectators will speculate as to which side of the house divided against itself will fall. Public opinion throughout Canada will favor Premier Drury, while the advocates of class and group governments will side up with Mr. Morrison and the U. F. O. group.

The soul and essence of Premier Drury's offending is in that he has come over to Premier Melchior's way of thinking in a most pronounced declaration against the possibility of successful group government. He said, in a public speech at Milton, "THE FARMERS CANNOT AND OUGHT NOT TO RULE THE COUNTRY. WE ARE IN A MINORITY, AND WE MUST NOT ATTEMPT TO DO IT, BECAUSE WE ARE A DEMOCRACY." This is what Premier Melchior has voiced and advocated in every corner of Canada. The wisdom of this conclusion has been demonstrated in Manitoba, British Columbia and in New Brunswick provincial elections, where chaos is in practical control. In Premier Drury's own experience, in Ontario, where he controls the best that is possible in a Farmers' Government, by the grace and with the aid of Labor members, he realizes as a practical man the futility of attempting continuance on such narrow lines, and so he speaks his conscience.

But this doctrine does not please the United Farmer organization, which insists upon ruling the country for their own particular interests and purposes alone. They attained to power as politicians of ten do, upon the broad lines of advocated democracy. Premier Drury, who was not of the original party but an after selection, accepted office for the furtherance of these principles, to discover later on that the narrower policies of group and class control was expected of him, and that submission to dictation from those who placed him there was his prescribed duty. As a man of sound common sense he declined to be the tool of political bosses, and so he is at war with the machine, but as a most natural outcome is more popular with the clean people of the country. He will undoubtedly and most properly receive the hearty support of the Farmers in the House, and also of the great mass

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Doth not the wise merchant in every adventure of danger, give part to have the rest assured? Bacon A. D. 1559

PARTNERSHIPS!

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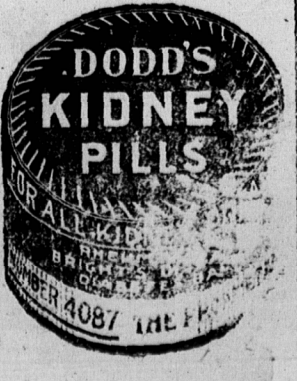
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