

LIBERAL ASSOCIATION IN CONVENTION

Officers Elected At Meeting In Ottawa.

(C. P. by Guardian's Special Wire) OTTAWA, May 29.—(Special Wire) Ottawa, daughter of Senator Cairine Wilson, Rockcliffe, Ont., was elected president of the women's section Twentieth Century Liberal Association at its second national convention here today. She succeeded Odette Lapointe daughter of Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, who was appointed an honorary vice president.

Education Value

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IV YEAR HONOUR DIPLOMAS

Lewis Woolner, North Rustico, Charlottetown. Harold Black, Charlottetown. Evelyn Woolner, North Rustico, Charlottetown. Anastasia Leightner, Charlottetown. Robert Steele, Charlottetown. Kenneth Beer, Montague. Gerard MacMillan, Eldon. John Ritchie, Charlottetown. Margaret Webster, Charlottetown.

GRADUATING DIPLOMAS

(Order of Merit) Eric Wilson, Charlottetown. Arthur Green, Charlottetown.

III YEAR CERTIFICATES

(Order of Merit) Millar MacLure, Albion Cross. William Martin, Heathersdale. Haldane Scott, North Rustico. Marjorie MacCallum, Summerside. Alex Wood, Tyne Valley. Leigh Ramsay, Northam. Iva Bridges, Howland. Glynn Firth, Bridgetown.

III YEAR PASS LIST

Marjorie Hyndman, Montague. Harold Hooker, Howland. Arthur Peaker, Charlottetown. Wilfred MacCarville, Kinkora.

II YEAR CERTIFICATES

(Order of Merit) Vera Simpson, Hope River. Marion Stewart, West Point. Arthur Wilson, New Dominion. Alice Clements, Hebron. Leslie Stewart, Belle River. Malcolm Reeves, Cross Roads. Frances Reeves, Cross Roads. Alan MacLeod, Elmisdale. Esther Harper, East Royalty. Walter Pickard, Charlottetown. Mary MacDonell, Peakes. Ruth Christie, York. Bruce MacCannell, Charlottetown. Ivan Roberts, West Royalty. Mary Lawson, Charlottetown. Gladys MacCardie, Middleton. Lois Ramsay, Malpeque. Martin Gilmore, Melville. Winnie Arsenault, Summerside. Justin Jordan, Charlottetown. Catherine Bagnall, Charlottetown. Keith Kennedy, Cross Roads. Other students of high standing who, when they have completed the Teacher Training Course, are entitled to a First Class license:

Rita Martin, St. John's. Evelyn Black, Charlottetown. Edith MacEwen, Bristol. Gordon Murray, Vernon. James MacSwain, Cardigan. Viol Farquharson, Canovy. Douglas Black, O'Leary. Mary Love, East Royalty. James Burnes, Charlottetown. Donald MacLeod, Wellington. Alastair MacDonald, Glen William. John Matthew, Souris.

SECOND YEAR PASS LIST

(Order of Merit) Lucy Peters, Charlottetown. Mary Doyle, Charlottetown. Margaret Callaghan, Mt. Stewart. Lorne Smallwood, Charlottetown. Muriel Peake, Charlottetown. Jean Oulton, Charlottetown. Lottie Coffey, Spring Valley. John Coyne, Charlottetown. Lilla Wright, Victoria. Marion Conlon, Morell. Marjorie Paquet, Souris. Everett Smith, Charlottetown. Macintosh Balmco, Ch'own.

COMMERCE CERTIFICATES

(Order of Merit) Doris MacDougal, Charlottetown. Marion Skory, Charlottetown. Jean Forsythe, Charlottetown. Margaret Buote, Charlottetown. Clara Shea, St. Louis. Mae Yeo, Central, Lot 16. Isabel Wilson, B.A., Charlottetown. Helen Hyndman, Charlottetown. Elmer Ling, Charlottetown. James Toombs, Charlottetown. Irvine Rice, Charlottetown. Rena MacPherson, Darlington. Jean Graham, Musquodoboit Harbour, N.S.

FIRST YEAR CERTIFICATES

(Order of Merit) Evelyn Hessian, Georgetown, and Lawrence Toombs, Charlottetown, (equal). Olive Rowley, Charlottetown. Lincoln Dumont, Charlottetown. Annie MacSwain, Alliston. Vivian VanIderstone, Peter's Road. Mary MacKenzie, Hartsville. Merton Murdoch, Melville. Goodwill MacDougal, Belle River. Urban MacKinnon, Elmisdale. Edward Blanchard, Rustico. Doris Myers, Hampton. Frank MacKinnon, Charlottetown. Florence Dalton, Summerside. Cornelius Macormac, St. Margarets. Clus Murphy, Millville. Earl Leard, Fortune Cove. Warren MacQuirk, Dromore. Nora Harper, East Royalty. Patricia Ramsay, Hamilton. Harold Stewart, Charlottetown. Annie Cusack, Emyvalle. Chas. MacDonald, North Lake. Grace George, Tracadie. Beth MacEwen, Bristol. Ivan Wilson, New Dominion. Evelyn Harvey, Cape Traverse. Elizabeth Broderick, Tignish. Raymond MacKinnon, West Royalty. Delphine Arsenault, Urbanville. Cecelia Cheverte, Souris. Margaret MacLeod, Hartsville. Annie Ellis, Springfield West. Florence Noonan, Richmond. Eloise Gallant, Bloomfield Station. Elizabeth Mahar, Rollo Bay East. Barbara Pound, Charlottetown. Helena Keough, Charlottetown. Clarence Coady, Hazelbrook. Joyce Cooper, Murray Harbour. Rosita MacKenna, Kensington. Teresa Cusack, Emyvalle. Irene MacLeod, Central Royalty. Anna Smith, Ten Mile House. Roseline Arsenault, Abram's Village.

Gordon Gallant, Charlottetown. Dorothy Johnston, Fortune Bridge. Hazel Johnston, Fortune Bridge. Mary Morgan, Stanhope. Fred Thompson, Dunstonside. Mildred Crosby, Bonshaw. Myrtle Leard, Carleton Siding. Sadie Ramsay, Northam. Olive Buchanan, Albany. Blanche Griffith, Charlottetown. Olive Dewar, New Perth. Pearl MacNeil, West Devon. Myville Webster, Charlottetown. Mary Nicholson, Charlottetown. Imelda MacLellan, Indian River.

Other students of high standing who, when they have completed the Teacher Training Course, are entitled to a Second Class license: Louise MacLeod, Kinross. Jean Enman, Charlottetown. Arthur Wells, Alberton. Eleanor O'Brien, Elmisdale. Aloysius Gaudet, Miscouche. Annie O'Connor, O'Leary. Edith MacLean, Upper Montague. Laila Rop, Souris. Gordon Douglas, Georgetown. Alphonus MacDonald, St. Margarets. Beatrice Clark, Alma. Jean Grant, Montague. Lloyd MacPhee, Charlottetown. Irwin Blondon, Glen Valley. Robert Dalling, Charlottetown. Charlotte Muirhead, St. Eleanors. Nell MacCannell, Lorne Valley. Heber MacEwen, North Rustico. Yvonne Gallant, Abram's Village. Charles Kelly, Bear River. Erna Coles, North Milton. Henry Clark, Alberton. Keith Harrington, Spring Valley. Grace Campbell, Charlottetown. Wesley MacLeod, Kinross. Jean Elizabeth MacDonald, Charlottetown. Leo Cusack, Emyvalle. Rita Arsenault, Miscouche. Toussaint Arsenault, Abram's Village and Joseph Dooley, Charlottetown. Arnold Godfrey, North Wiltshire. Enic MacEwen, Charlottetown. Alice MacGregor, Montague. Olive MacLure, Charlottetown. John Murdoch, Montague. Hazel Luman, Victoria West. Minnie Enman, Cambridge. Jean Halliday, Eldon. Hilda Coles, Milton.

FIRST YEAR PASS LIST

(Order of Merit) Gordon MacRae, Heathersdale. Daniel Nicholson, Charlottetown. Borden Greenan, Emerald. Edgar MacCallum, Cross Roads. Alice Higgins, Charlottetown. Cyril Bernard, Alberton. Alice Douglas, Bunbury. Sadie Brehaut, Murray Harbour. Raymond Donahoe, Souris. Borden Champion, Malpeque. Vincent Grant, Montague. Reta Leard, Alberton. Leo MacKinnon, Charlottetown. JoAnna MacDonald, Peakes.

DR. ROBERTSON SPEAKS

"Today is just another day to the ordinary person, but to the students and their anxious parents it will be 'no ordinary day' but a red letter one in the calendar," Dr. Robertson declared in his opening review of the work of the past year at Prince of Wales College. "It is the same to the teachers for each class and each student in a new one," the Principal went on to say. There would be an element of sadness in the hearts of the graduates, who have spent four years at the institution. The teachers had great pleasure in the senior class with whom they had worked and mingled for four years and the teachers' goodwill and gratitude would follow them when they left the institution, Dr. Robertson declared.

IN THE THIRD YEARS

There was another equally good class. In average ability perhaps no class in recent years had surpassed it, the speaker told the audience. It was in the first and second years, the junior classes, that the greatest problems arise. The individual student comes from his own district school. He comes to the province away from parental control to the freedom of the boarding house. He comes to the classes of Prince of Wales College. In his own school he was administered to daily by one teacher who knew his weakness and his strength. He comes to the college where he had to divide his energies between five or more different teachers and classes. These different conditions often combine to make work for the student difficult or impossible. Under such conditions it is not to be wondered at that there are a considerable number of failures among students of the first and second years.

Dr. Robertson then went on to stress the need for care on the part of parents in the selection of the student's environment so as to eliminate as many as possible of the undesirable factors. The parent can't be too careful in the selection of the house and family with whom the young student is to be placed. The house should have good health record, the speaker said. It should be a good thing to suspect the existence of tuberculosis until proven to the contrary. The family should not only be respectable but should have a respect for education and a sympathetic attitude towards it. The mother of the household should be one who would actively interest herself in the studies and welfare of the student. If there is neglect on the part of the young student it should be reported to the parents and perhaps the college career could be saved before the wrecking work too far, the Principal stressed. Discipline has never been a problem in the college, he stated. The time spent in class was stressed. That would mean an eight to eight and a half hour working day for the student and would leave plenty of time for outdoor recreation with a properly arranged time table, the Principal said.

It is in the second year that the student comes to the dividing line. Much of the best work of the first year, deduction and the handling of his own problems required of the student. Many students who have done very well in the formal work of the first year find themselves not so well equipped for the work of the second year. Consequently not only the teachers but also the parents should recognize the great line of division that comes in the second year work. The speaker then went on to mention the excellent equipment, the magnificent building, airy and above all sanitary, and the fine teaching staff with which the institution is supplied. "We have a faithful body of teachers in our college," Dr. Robertson declared. "As the classes go out, however,

perhaps we should disillusion them," the Doctor went on to say. "The world is not waiting with open arms to offer you jobs. You are entering a difficult world. Be forewarned and consequently forearmed so that destruction will not wreck its way upon you. 'It is a busy world and a changing one,' stressed.

The struggle since the creation of the world had been to make two blades of grass grow where one grew before. Now, however, through the accumulated knowledge of science man is able to produce more than he needs, and as a result there is in the storehouses of the world a surplus of food and materials for which no demand can be had. "The world you are going into is not one calling for increased production. The emphasis has been taken off the material side of our living and now is on the mental, social and spiritual side," the speaker said. "One hears the criticism, 'what is the use of filling the country with educated people?' The doctrine is a pernicious one. The struggle now is between reforming and revolution. It can be seen in the world that the countries that paid attention to education that had the Principal declared. He urged the students to continue their studies. What must be demanded is more education. "It was looked on as a personal asset at one time and perhaps it was in the olden days when production was the prime factor in life. But when we think of education as the way to a better life, it will prove to us from revolution we take a different conception of it," he pointed out.

"Perhaps we should call our schools seminaries and were we take our students apart for a time to send them out as missionaries of the new doctrine. Not to the wild parts of the world but as home missionaries."

He urged the students not to consider the receipt of a certificate the finale of all their efforts. "Make some effort to stimulate the young people of your community who perhaps do not have had your opportunities to join you in your reading classes," the speaker requested.

"In the Carnegie libraries we have an abundance of material, carefully selected, and abundantly supplied and well divided so that all students, farmers, workmen and others may be interested in. Consequently adult education is at our door and can be had for the asking. No person with the slightest desire need be unsatisfied," Dr. Robertson pointed out.

Hon. Mark R. McGuigan, Minister of Education, in a short address congratulated the Principal, the staff and the students on the successful completion of the year. The province owes a debt of gratitude to Dr. Robertson and his staff, the Minister of Education pointed out, for the wonderful work they have been carrying on for years.

Regarding the adult education movement in this province what it needed most was leadership. To the students who intended to become teachers he asked that if there was a study group in the community into which they went to teach to join it. If there was no group he urged that they organize one.

The speaker mentioned the criticism that is heard from time to time that education is too academic and not practical enough. The Minister of Education suggested that no proposal should even be considered that would in the slightest degree interfere with the cultural education which has always been given in the College.

Mr. H. H. Shaw, Chief Superintendent of Education, also reminded the prospective teachers of the work they would be expected to do to forward the cause of adult education.

He pointed out, too, that the teachers in this province do not receive sufficient training. In Scotland all teachers must have a degree and have several years training before they are allowed to teach, he pointed out.

His Worship Mayor Turner and Hon. J. P. McIntyre, acting Premier, who presided, also spoke briefly, congratulating the teachers and the students on the successful completion of the year's work.

ADDRESS BY LT.-GOV. DEBLOIS

The following is the text of the address delivered by His Honour Lt.-Governor DeBlois: "Another year has rolled by and once again it is my pleasure and privilege to be present with you at your Convocation Exercises. "How quickly time passes. It seems but yesterday that we were gathered here for a great exercise of the great deal has happened during the intervening period. The great Empire to which we belong has suffered an almost overwhelming loss in the passing of our Beloved Sovereign, King George the Fifth, and the whole Empire has been turned in mourning. Tributes of deep affection and sympathy have been forthcoming from all parts of the world, from all classes and ranks, the rich, the poor the high and the lowly, drawn together by the strong tie of love and loyalty for their King who through his rule of love and selfless service has won the confidence and affection of all his people. Although he has passed from our sight 'He lives on in the hearts of the people he loved.' To our new King Edward the Eighth, who has promised to walk in the footsteps of his great and noble father, we again pledge our loyalty and devotion to his rule and his Empire. "Within the past few months this Province has also suffered another regrettable loss in the death of a loyal friend of this Institution, the Honourable Walter M. Lea, late Premier of this Province. A gentleman whose sterling qualities and devotedness to duty we all learned to love and to admire. Mr. Lea was a successful farmer and a public spirited citizen of high integrity

and splendid ability. He was ever willing to give of his best in the service of his country and, I am happy to say, he enjoyed in a very large measure the confidence and admiration of all our citizens as shown by the many fine tributes paid to him by people in all walks of life. Of him it may well be said: Life's crown well won, Life's crown well done, Life's crown well won, Now comes rest."

Necessity of Clear Vision

"In speaking to you last year I endeavoured to emphasize the necessity of having a clear vision of the goal before you as you continue your studies, and especially when you bid good-bye to this institution to go out into the world to make your living, so this morning I thought perhaps I could not do better than to discuss with you, for a few brief moments, at least two or three of the essentials that must be kept before you if you are not to lose sight of the goal, and if you are not to be hindered in the pursuit of it. "However, before saying anything further, I wish to make it clear to all that I am not here posing as a Preacher. That is the last thought I have in mind for as a great Canadian Universities remarked the other day, 'Sensible laymen' and I hope I come under that classification, 'prefer to leave the preaching to those who have been ordained and set apart for that purpose. But I wish to speak to you just as a friend, and after having had over thirty years experience in business and in other walks of life. Now, the first essential you must have is faith. An old teacher of mine whose friendship I enjoyed for many years and whose opinion I valued very highly, was very fond of impressing upon me the truth of these words. 'Wisdom is good, but it must be the servant of faith or else it is sure to mislead.'"

Have Three-Fold Faith

"Then I recall the words of advice given by the President of one of the large Universities in the great Republic to the south of us. It was his farewell message to the students and he said, 'I beg of you two things. That is never to lose faith in your God and never to lose faith in your country and it seems to me that neither very well have added a third, and that is never lose faith in yourself. That is good sound advice for faith is the very foundation stone upon which the whole structure of life must be built or else it is sure to fall and end in disaster. No other will do and the older the more we delve into the manifold problems of life with all its confusion and with all its uncertainties, the deeper is our realization that in order to live a useful life to develop a well balanced mind and character so that we may be prepared to shoulder our responsibilities to the community at large, we must have faith and we must also constantly refresh our minds and strengthen our will power by keeping in contact with the highest and best that life has to offer. That, my students, is absolutely necessary if we are to receive the zest and the enthusiasm to preserve and fight against the many hard knocks and bitter disappointments that we are bound to meet, and so we need faith to keep pressing on towards the desired goal of success."

A True Aim Needed

"Next to faith I suggest that we should have a true aim in life. By that I mean, not a general aim, which would probably end in being a Jack of all trades and a Master of none, but what is required is a definite purpose in life, otherwise you will just drift along from day to day and from year to year without getting anywhere, idly wasting your life away. To me one of the saddest pictures in life is to see a young man or a young woman drifting along throwing away that precious thing called time. "I realize that under present unfortunate economic conditions it is not easy to obtain employment but that is no excuse for being idle. Use the time to improve yourself and help in your studies, or get on with your hobbies, or get on with your religious, without remuneration. Do anything at all, so long as it is good honest work so as to keep yourself employed because to remain idle is bad for you so keep busy."

Remember Hearing an Eminent Teacher and Scholar

"I remember hearing an eminent teacher and scholar make this statement that 'Idle hands and an empty heart are two very dangerous things to have about. The empty heart' he said 'was like an empty house it invites all kinds of temptation and trouble.' We know from experience that if we leave a house empty for any length of time it will not be very long before rats and all kinds of objectionable creatures will occupy it and the same thing is true with regard to ourselves, an empty heart and idle hands are bound to invite and beckon to us all the temptations of the world. Let us fill up the empty heart with useful knowledge and with kind and wholesome thoughts, and let us keep our idle hands ever fully employed in doing what we can to help others and in fostering all work tending to promote peace and good-will among men."

A Parting Word

"Now, I will not detain you any longer. I do ask you to try and remember these three essentials. First, hold fast to your faith in God, in your country and in yourself. Secondly, make sure you have a real definite aim in life. Thirdly, keep yourself usefully employed. "I hope you will all have a very happy and enjoyable holiday and that I may have the pleasure of seeing many of you back in your places next year."

VALEDICTORY

The following Valedictory was delivered by Anastasia Leightner, Fourth Year graduate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Leightner of Charlottetown:

"Today, we, the graduating class of Prince of Wales College, extend our sincere appreciation for your presence at our Convocation exercises. Since the last hand of our Empire in the passing of its beloved ruler, the great and good King George V. The best loved of all modern monarchs, by his noble life, his loyal and devoted spirit, his inspiration to his far ranging subjects throughout his far flung Empire. To his successor, our glorious sovereign King Edward VIII, we, as students of Prince of Wales College send bound by special ties of affection, and to him we pledge our enthusiastic loyalty and wholehearted devotion."

"The best year of his reign, a new era in our lives begins as we stand here, the graduating class of 1936, whom Prince of Wales College sends forth from her portals today to take up the more serious responsibilities of life. The four years we have passed in this institution have sped by all too quickly. Now that graduation day has come, we regard it with mingled feelings of joy and sorrow, joy because we have attained our goal, sorrow because we have come to the parting of the ways. "The pleasant associations we have formed during the last few years will always be fondly in our memories however divided our paths may be. We realize, in some degree at least, the part we may be called upon to play in the ever growing complexity of the modern world. Never in the history of mankind has there been a more urgent need for intense effort in order to solve the problems affecting the lives and well-being of all classes. We know that for ourselves, too, life will not be easy. We shall find competition keen in any profession we may choose."

"As a result of the educational advantages offered to young people today, even on our own island, more college trained young men and women than ever before, and it is only the most efficient that can hope to attain notable success. "However, true to the training we have received, we must go forward with courage and resolution, confident that attainment will crown our earnest endeavor. But in our efforts may we ever be governed by the principles of honesty and justice, never, as Kipling so well expressed it 'become obsessed by the desire of wealth for wealth's sake.' Rather, as a means to an end, let us do good for the sake of good, let our example may be an inspiration to them to lead nobler and better lives."

"To our revered and honored principal and to the other members of the staff, we wish to acknowledge a debt of gratitude that we can never fully repay. You have ever kept before us the thought that formal education is beneficial only in so far as it assists us in resourceful and creative reasoning. You have always had our welfare at heart, and have tried to impress upon us that the success worthwhile is that which is accompanied with the sacrifice of our own high ideals. Prince Edward Island can well be proud of the noble staff of professors who conduct this college. You command the esteem and veneration of your pupils both past and present, for you ever keep before them lofty standards of conduct, teaching them by your example with reverence for God and for His holy law. Here there is none of the modern conflict between faith and science; no youthful mind will here be taught to distrust the all ruling Providence of the eternal and ever wise Creator. We trust that our future achievements will be such as to reflect credit on our Alma Mater, and thus repay you in some measure for your zealous devotedness on our behalf."

"To the general public represented here today by such a large and distinguished audience, we express our heartfelt thanks for the kindly interest you have manifested in the scholastic attainments of the students of our college. Your presence shows us that we have not been unmindful of our past endeavors. May we beseech your continued sympathetic concern for us and for those who will follow us."

"And now we would ask a special word to our honored and beloved parents. It is only through your untiring encouragement and self-denial that this day has been made possible for us. We shall endeavor to prove to you in the years to come that your confidence has not been misplaced, and that the expectations you are entertaining for us are being realized. "To our fellow students may we say in parting, 'Uphold the noble traditions of your Alma Mater. By mischance you lower the standards set by your predecessors, you are not on your own, but the whole institution that censures will fall.'"

"We exhort as many of you as possible to continue your studies here. It is universally conceded that the only way out of the intricate maze of world problems is through the medium of more intensive and extensive education. The distinct advantage which the relatively small number of students affords you coupled with the modern equipment and excellent teaching staff at your disposal, assures you a sound preparation for whatever profession you choose. "Classmates, the long dreamed of day of graduation has become a reality. Today is the last time we shall meet within these hallowed walls. May those of us who are going on to other institutions of learning maintain the high standards set by the long list of illustrious graduates of whom Prince of Wales College is justly proud. Those of us who intend to take up the teaching profession immediately, must endeavor at all times to uphold its noblest traditions. The teacher more than any other is able to make or mar character by the ideas and ideals presented to youthful minds. To all, I say in whatever sphere of life we may be

Tribute To Dr. David D. Scannell, Boston Mass.

The "Boston Traveller" in its issue of May 26, 1936 pays editorial tribute to Dr. David D. Scannell who was for 33 years chief of staff and surgeon-in-chief of the third surgical service to the Boston City Hospital, and now seeking retirement. The paper comments as follows: "Dr. David D. Scannell, for many years chief of staff and surgeon-in-chief of the third surgical service of the Boston City Hospital, after thirty-three years of service to the hospital and the people of Boston, has asked that the work be taken over by somebody else. "After long thought about what to write here about this man of great mind and skill and heart. The Traveller confesses it does not know where to begin. And certainly we could not find where exactly to stop. "England and the country are very grateful to you for all the mercy you have shown your fellow men, all the sympathy you have given the afflicted, all the God-given skill you have used to relieve suffering, all the wisdom you have shared in training younger men. "May we now can find time to do some of the many other important things you are so capable of doing, to the world's still suffering benefit." Dr. Scannell is a frequent visitor to the Island with Mrs. Scannell who is a former resident of Georgetown.

Island Scholars Win Diplomas At McGill

MONTREAL, May 28.—At the convocation of McGill University today five hundred and fifty degree and diploma were conferred. Winnifred McQuaid of Charlottetown was awarded diploma for Public Health Nursing in school and graduate nurses. The degree of doctor of medicine and Woods' gold medal for best clinical examinations final year was awarded to David W. MacKenzie Jr. son of Dr. David MacKenzie formerly of Belfast, P. E. I.

Among six recipients of the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters were Stephen Lescock and Professor of economics, and Professor of Harvard University, world famous scholar and author, who was introduced by Hon. Cyrus Macmillan one of Dr. Lowes' former students at Harvard.

placed, may we ever be true to ourselves. May our motto be, 'Let us be as the Ich Dede, to the sublimity of ideal of service—service to our fellow beings, to our country and to our God.'"

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SCOUTS ASSN. HOLD ANNUAL CONCERT

Interesting Program Presented To Large Audience.

A large audience attended the annual concert and display under the auspices of the Boy Scouts Association held in the Prince of Wales College Hall last night. The Scouts and Cubs gave an interesting variety of drills, songs and demonstrations during the program.

Mr. L. D. Murray, president of the Scout Association for this Province, in a short address made an appeal for increased interest in Scouting, stressing it as one of the most important movements in the world today.

The program opened with a Jungle Dance by the Zion Wolf Cub Pack. Next came a flag drill by the Trinity Wolf Cub Pack in the course of which the Pack sang "The British Grenadiers." The Kirk Wolf Cub Pack in short speeches then gave a resume of the origin of the Cub Movement. Ken MacKenzie of the Kirk Wolf Cub Pack sang "Old Strawberry Roan" and accompanied himself on the Guitar. The Trinity Scout Troop gave a number of entertaining demonstrations during which the boys displayed considerable agility and skill. The Kirk Troop in a number "Who-What-How" provided pleasing variety to the program.

After a short intermission and sale of candy the Holy Redeemer Scout Troop put on a display of several games played at their meetings. A roping and fire lighting demonstration by the Kirk Wolf Cub Pack was followed by a playette by the Holy Redeemer Scout Troop. Orchestral selections by the King's Own Troop proved to make a big hit with the audience, as did the Campfire scene featured by some of the monica selections and step dancing by the Badilla Scout Troop and Cub Pack. The camp fire scene brought the interesting program to a close. The concert was under the patronage of His Honour Lt.-Governor DeBlois.

I.O.D.E. Parley Opens Tonight

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Table with horse names and odds: land 7 to 8 7 6 dr. Winslow (Lee) 8 9 dr. Summer C. (Stone) 6 7 dr. Time: 2:24 1-2, 2:24 1-4, 2:25 1-4, 2:26 1-4, 2:25 1-4, 2:25 1-4, 2:27 1-2, 2:29 1-4.

Jimmie Sanderson of Truro, who is training Patrick Direct, 2:0 1-4 writes under date of May 26th: 'Just a few lines to let you know we are having races the 23rd of June. The classes are 2:28, 2:22 and 2:15, all trot and pace, three seconds allowed trotters. The fastest m'te to date is 2:32 by Holly Britton, now trotting. J. A. Kerr has Belfast and Hillside Jack in training. Neshia 2:14 has a nice colt by Bellini Scott. There is good Captain Aubrey five-year-old here owned by Hunt's Chulifer. He calls him Jim Todd as he is out of Mac 2:16 in training again and she is coming good. George Bishop, caretaker of Patrick Direct 2:07 1-4, has written a song to be sung to the tune of The Strawberry Roan. In praise of Pat, which he has asked me to send along to you.'

THE HANDSOME BAY STALLION He was at the race track in the early spring-time, just taking his time. He's the big bay stallion the pride of the tracks, His legs they are clean not even a scratch. He is pacing quite well, he is pacing erect And the name of that stallion is really Patrick Direct. He's as game as they make them, he's never too late And if I'm not wrong boys, he'll pace in 2:08. He was born in old Utah just eleven years ago And he's always right there when they say the word Go. He is always the front when he hits that last eighth. And that's why I'm betting he'll pace in 2:08. So I'll soon be hooking him up in his bike. So down the back stretch he'll be able to hike. So come all you boys and get down your bets On that handsome bay stallion the pride of the West.

C. M. Alexander of Saint John has imported the bay pacing gelding Billy Bonder 2:12, eligible to the 2:22 class. He took part in several races last season and won three and looks like a good horse for his class. He is offered for sale in this issue. 2:38 Class—Purse \$150 Clayson by Alle Clay (Hill) 6 1 1 1 Nelly Bly by Allright 1 2 2 1 (Lee) Tam O'Shanter by Allright 2 3 3 dr (Edwards) Barbara Pride by Brotherton's Pride 3 5 4 dis Minnie Snow by Young 5 6 4 dis Snow by Melbourne King 6 4 4 dis Major by Melbourne King 6 4 4 dis (Dover) Halifax by Allright 2 3 0, 2:31. Time: 2:32, 2:33, 2:30, 2:31.

2:50 Class—Purse \$125 Juno by Allright (Lee) 3 2 1 1 L.H.'s Hope by Rampart 1 1 2 3 r (Bill) Tansy by Israel (Swift) 5 5 5 4 Maud D. by Dean Swift 5 5 5 4 (Slipp) Joe by Rampart (Currie) 6 4 4 5 r Chieftain by Island Chief Dis. Time: 2:40, 2:42, 2:40, 2:43, 2:40. Free-For-All Class—Purse \$250 Israel by Rampart (Bell) 2 1 1 1 Stranger by Sir John Dean 2 2 2 (Learnmont) Katrina by Harry Wilkes 3 3 1 (Slipp) Senp by Allright (Glasgow) 4 4 4 (Hill) Favorite by Basha Prince 4 4 4 dis. Time: 2:34, 2:33, 2:32.

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GULLSON BEAUTY SALON for Permanents. L-5045-5-26-27-30.

CONFEDERATION LIFE INSURANCE. L-8798-7-12-312.

PANTRY SALE Moore and McLeod's, Saturday, May 30th, Mt. Herbert Ladies Aid. L-5069-5-30.

POLICE COURT—In the Police Court yesterday morning the defendants in two sanitary cases were assessed the court costs. The defendant in an ejection case was given a month to vacate the premises.

BRIDAL SHOWER—Miss Edna Macmillan was entertained at the home of Mrs. Frank Hobbs Thursday evening when about twenty of her girl friends gathered to shower her with personal gifts and good wishes.

FUNERAL SERVICES—The funeral of the late Mr. Jonas Gallant took place yesterday morning from his late residence 58 King Street, to St. Dunstan's Basilica. The pallbearers were Messrs Daniel Gillis, John W. Gormely, James Campbell, and Patrick Cullen. Service at the church was conducted by Rev. Louis Dougan and at the grave by Father Patrick MacMahon.

LAD TO REST—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Costello took place yesterday morning from her late residence to Lot 65 Church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Thomas MacQuaid, Alfred MacQuaid, John Connolly, Reginald Brae, Edward Carragher and Joseph Carragher. Father Herrell conducted the service at the church and grave.

PRESENTATION—At the Mile Box opening of the Women's Missionary Society of St. James Church on Wednesday afternoon Mrs. J. G. James, honorary president, was pleasantly surprised when after a few opening remarks by the President, Mrs. Mary McLean, the minister Dr. Legate in a few gracious remarks presented her with a life membership in the W. M. S. of which she has been a most energetic and devoted worker for many years.

LARGELY ATTENDED FUNERAL—The remains of Mrs. Wm. E. Hammill, followed by a large number of sorrowing friends were laid to rest in the Roman Catholic Cemetery yesterday morning. The funeral was held from St. Dunstan's Basilica where Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father MacCardie. The pall bearers were Messrs. Louis Walsh, Wm. Dooley, Michael Walsh, Bert Dwyer, Ernest McIntyre and Louis McMahon. Included among the mourners were the management and employees of the Patriot Office, where the husband of the deceased is employed as linotype operator. Service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father Dalton.

Miss Edna M. Clark, B. Sc. arrived home last evening from Montreal. She spent the past year taking post graduate work at McGill University.