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PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS

Pollowing are the Christmas promotions in the Public Schools:

Receiving Class to Low First Primer Ralph Borelli, Frank Bossio, Anita Carolla, Florence Cole, Theresa De-Luca, Raymond Harrison, May Hebb, son, Anna Mogielka, John Peterson, Arthur Hesketh, Doris Hutson, Jos. Lasalle, Eligio Lozza, Denora Maffoli, Caterina Megali, John Marasco, Jennie Markovich, Wilfrid Parsons, Baran, Alice Beals, Mary Gayewski, Joe Pissoni, Diletta Rossi, Joe Salanski, James Scarpino, Alvin Stockwell, Annie Telenski, Annie Timchuck, Lil-lian Timmings, Melga Allen, Mar-garet Brown, Margaret Buchanan, Basil Clarke, James Galloway, Elizabeth Griffiths, Charles Heisie, Walter Owen, James Perkins, Ellen Peterson, Dorothy Platt, Ivy Street, Dorothy Braithwaite, Douglas Corrie, Grace Ingram, Annie Kasmar, Helen Mar-shall, Mona Parsloe, Joe Patterson, Archie Price, Douglas Ross, Tony Sedawie, Dorothy Spence, Peter Arcuri, Lillian Beals, Verna Balok, John Car-osella, William Costanzo, Stephen Fetzko, Michael Flood, Margaret Mitchell, Rose McCallum, Elizabeth Ratcliffe, Nick Savello, Sollie Valley, Minnie Williams

Low 1st Primer to High 1st Primer James Atkinson, Olga Belecki, Andrew Lees, Catherine McPherson, Vincent Phillips, Veronica Sedrovich, Jack Amanti, Sidney Bombino, Mary Campbell, Robert Dicken, Helen Gould, Jack Irvine, Betty Johnson, Louise Klauer, Billie Kossoff, Lawrence Kus-ke, Leslie Braithwaite, Bobby Lowe, Hall Smith, Ralph Smith, Nelson Wallace, Olive Young, Donald Young. High 1st Primer to Low 2nd Primer

John Colgur, Attillio DeLucca, Virginia DeLucca, Harry Harrison, Joe Hilton, John Kompan, Juliette Lassalle, Erma Scarpino, Mike Sedrovicht, Mike Shevitz, Katherine Stowe, Peter Zulianni, Henrietta Jensen, Reginald Marcer, Joseph Mogielka, Lloyd Nixon, James Scott, Robert Shenfield, Ivy Vandenburg, Etta White, Leonard Whitehouse, Harry Williams, James Bushell, Mary Cannatta, William Coma, Fred Costanzo, Nondas Elliott, Alexander Fisher, Katherine Gigliotti, Richard Gregg, Sidney Hamilton, Laura Neidig, Clara Rauter, George Reid, John Sweeney, Tony Taverna.

Low 2nd Primer to High 2nd Primer

Annie Blinston, Evelyn Borelli, Pat-Hark, Catherine Hutcheson, Herman Hark, Catherine Hutcheson, Kenneth Harry Murray, Kenneth Fetzko, Edith Groux, Teresa Joinson Kappedy, Arthur Little Marshall, Harry Murray, Kenneth Parsons, Nellie Parkinson, Helen Polok. Violet Reading, Christina Arcuri, Rosie Amantea, John Audia, Albert thur Evans, Julia Gysbrecht, Jackson Graves, Victoria Hamar, Mabel Harper, Lawrence Herchmer, Albina Had-dad, Willie Hynds, Willie Joinson, Louis Andre, Mabel Barton, Bertha Jack Kummer, George Lynch, Eleanor Steliga, Conseltina Savello, James field. Terris, Peter Tulip, Katie Tubrio, May Wallwork, Kenny Hamilton, Philip
Janes, Ralph Lento, Susie Marasco,
Audrey Mills, Dane Parker, EmmaPeters, John Podbielancik, Frank

WIN PRI Qualteri, George Rahal, Gordon Snow, Annie Terris, Harold Vines, Robert

Willie Brown, John Heisie, Louis of birds at the Alberta Provincial at Jamison, Althea Schagel, Jamison, Althea Schagel, George Calgary, recognized as the largest Smith, Harry Street, Kenneth Alex-ander, Jessie Beck, John Butcher, where over 3000 of the very best that Crawford, Henry Elliott, Hedley Gash, Annie Janos, Osborne Kennedy, the Pacific coast and a few from the Tony Kobus, Jimmy Lyne, Agnes Maltman, Nettie Nicoletti, Elisa Pi-Agnes ola, Steve Pissoni, Emma Sofka, Willie Turner, Lemby Valley, Wallace, Douglas Wallace, Francis Waters, Mike Wosnock

Low 1st Reader to High 1st Reader Laura Bateman, Lucy Beale, Rosie Bernot, Frances Cannata, John Carlson, May Culleton, Hazel Dobson, John Dragon, Mary Easton, George Fetzko, Matthew Flood, Mary Gambala, Tony Gambala, Jimmy George, Jane Graves, Lily Haddad, Robert Hubberstey, George Kefoury, Joseph Knowles, Lottie Martin, Ruth McIntyre, Mary Miscisco, Alice Neidig, Greta Nicholson, Terance Parsloe, Rosie Peter, James Phillips, Angeling, Pinnotti, Earle Price, Josie Rizzuto Mike Steliga, Daphne Todd, Mat Tully, Anna Will, Edith Wray, Edna Barton, Agnes Carlson, Emma Davidson, Evelyn Dodd, Annie Dolstra Mary Kompan, Muriel Littley, Brune Megali, Sandro Mesura, George Or ner, Victor Parsons, Andrew Parsons, Wilfrid Ross.

Irma Bossetti, Mary Bough, Lillian Buckley, Bella Bunch, Muriel Foster, Louisa Fratianni, Andrew Paton, Richard Rasmussen, Walter Reading, Louie Shulaika, Clifford Uphill, Edgar Allen, Rudie Bourguignon, Stewart Brown, Leslie Buchanan, Archie Cairns, Edna Charnock, Sherman Edgar, Willie Griffith, John Hartley, Ivor Hughes, Gerald Jamieson, James Margaret Townsend, Richard Waters, Connie White, Cyril Whitehouse, Clar-Elizabeth Ihas, Willie Kennedy, Kubenic, Vera Kuske, Clarence Mangan, Tom Parker, Angelina Picariello, Eva Polak, Walter Rasmussen, Antonio Rushcall, Annie Shutlak, Sam Timchuk, Rosie Wallace, Steve Zuffa, Mary Salanski.

2nd Reader to High 2nd Reader Isoline Andrews, Joe Bossio, Louie ots the activities of the energetic star Bossio, Edna Cartledge, Elizabeth in this production with notable re-Crompton, Agnes Elliott, Hamish sults. In fact, it is freely predicted keth, William Hilton, Margaret Ir- the greatest Fairbanks screen vehicle vine, May Maltman, Florence Mc-Donald, Bert Pierpont, Ivy Reading, Mary Robichaud, Lillian Stowe, Edna Adlam, Ella Alton, Evelyn Austin, adding to his accomplishments as an Jane Baddeley, Tom Booth, Florence author. Braithwaite, Archie Brown, Mary Medeline Chardon, Emma Carolla, Chubra, Alice Cooper, Louisa Costanzo, Mary Costanzo, Martin Costanzo Chrissie Davidson, Mike Dragon, Edmer Evans, Nellie Evans, Harold Griffith, Donald Harvie, Ella Hesketh, Mangaret Hynds, Joe Kasmar, Annie Hacular special, "The Garden of Almrs. H. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Mott, Mr. A. Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Mott, Mr. A. Prentice, Mr. and Mrs. Kosta, Casimir Lassalle, Theophile lah," at the Isis theatre on Monday Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Mott, Mr. Lassalle, Jack McPhee, Helen Mulligan, Annie Nicholson, Ernest Neidig, hara sandstorm will be presented. Sam Palmire, Willie Peter, Mary Phil-We see the flying clouds, the day Shaw, Rev. and Mrs. Carr, Mr. and lips, May Pearson, Betty Podbielancik Lizzie Savage, Verdant Snow, Lena Taverna, John Vacher, Julia Van-

High 2nd Reader to Law 3rd Reader
Pasquale Audia, Frank Aunselmo,
Helen Bernisky, Laura Bombino, Nelson Clarkson, Owney Corrigan, Rose
Costanzo, Bertha Covert, Christina
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Duff, Roswell Garner, Alice Haigh,
Harry Roydeck Sydney Hutcheson

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Corsan, Miss Kilgren, Miss M. Nelson

Corsan, Miss M. Harry Haydock, Sydney Hutcheson Evelyn Hutson, Mary Knowles, Mabel Larner, Janet Lees, Louis Maffoli Edith O'Brien, Joe Pachara, Katerina of the Sand Diviner, the meeting of idge, Mr. Peter Dawson, Mr. Potekul, Elsie Puckey, Jessie Robertson, Nellie Shenfield, Annie Smolik, sionate love scenes that then ensue. Nicholas Smith, Alvera Stockwell, Norman Uphill, Minnie Williams, William N. Selig, who is responsible for the feature film successes, "The Bunch, Gladys Corner, Wilfrid Corner, John Dragon, Willie Duncan, Isabel Duncan, Annie Eastwood, Mike Stockwell, Norman Annie Eastwood, Mike Stockwell, Nicholas Smith, Alvera Stockwell, William N. Selig, who is responsible responsible for the feature film successes, "The Spoilers," "The Ne'er Do Well," "The George Pollard, Mr. Jule Quigg, Mr. Donnam, Annie Eastwood, Mike Stockwell, Nicholas Smith, Alvera Stockwell, Norman Uphill, Minnie Williams, William N. Selig, who is responsible for the feature film successes, "The George Pollard, Mr. Jule Quigg, Mr. McNally, Mr. John Pollard, Mr. A. John Sweeney, Mr. McGonnell, Mr. A. John Sweeney, Mr. McGonnell, Mr. A. John Sweeney, Mr. Sidney Lynes. Josephine Kennedy, Arthur Littley John Lukas, Dorothy Martin, Rose Mulligan, Harold Parkinson, Wilfred Aiello, Cecil Brown, Lena Carosella, George Corrie, George Clowers, Ar-Rogers, Isabel Shulaika, Jim Taverna, Ethel Turner, James Venables, Willie Woodhouse.

Louis Andre, Mabel Barton, Bertha Caravetta, Dorothy Corrie, Gordon Dobson, Vincinzella Fratianni, Edna Lowe, Willie Lyne, Laura Lalonde, Dobson, Vincinzella Fratianni, Edna Margaret Mulligan, Frances Mills, Harvie, Leighton Henderson, Fred McAnnie Norton, Helen Rushcall, Peter Vannell, Matrey Rahal, Ella Shen-

George Calgary, recognized as the largest could be produced from Manitoba to at the B.C. Provincial, which is the premier show of this province, win-Andrew ning the following prizes:

R. Jones, West Fernie, 6 firsts, 3 seconds, 3 thirds, 1 fourth and 1 fifth; also 5 Orpington Club of Canada championship ribbons.

thirds, 1 fourth.

J. White, West Fernie, White Dots.,

seconds, 1 eight.
W. Green, West Fernie, White Dots., 2 thirds, 1 fourth.

E. Cartledge, West Fernie, R. I.
Reds, 1 second, 1 fourth.

C. Gellett, West Fernie, White Dots 1 third.

Methodist Church

Sunday, Dec. 30-11 a.m., A Message to the Lonely, 2.30 p.m., Sunday School. 7.30 p.m., "The End and the Be

Monday. Dec. 31, 11.30 p.m., Watch High 1st Reader to Low 2nd Reader

Tuesday, Jan. 1, 8 p.m., The Miss Menges concert under the auspices of the C.S.E.T. boys. Miss Menges is violinist of great reputation. hoped that the citizens of Fernie will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear this talented musician. Prices, Adults 75c, Children 50c. Tickets on

sale at Suddaby's drug store Friday, 8 p.m., choir practice Sunday, Jan. 6—Social and Moral Reform anniversary. Preacher, Rev. Hugh Dobson, B.D. J. Fielding Shaw.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION

A special attraction which will be craft picture, "Down to Earth," writscreen by clever little Anita Loos. John Emerson; producer of previous Fairbanks Arteraft pictures again pil-Forbes, Fred Gonyiak, Evelyn Hes- that "Down to Earth" is undoubtedly ever given the popular star, the reason for this, no doubt, being the fact that he wrote it himself, incidentally author.

Watch for the date. It will be shown

at the Isis.

"THE GARDEN OF ALLAH"

ens' novel of the same name, is the attack on the desert caravan, the charge of the Bedouins, the forecast

THE JIGGER SHOP

The "Jigger Shop" of the Lawenceville School stories stands out in a place by itself in allure and fascina- Borden on Dec. 18: tion. In case there should be one of inquiring turn of mind who demands Unionist what or whom a "Jigger" might be, be it understood that a Jigger is a delicious, soothing, soul-satisfying feeling throughout Canada, and deconcoction made of ice cream, crush-sires to offer Prime Minister hearty ed fruit and other blissful ingredients. In the Jigger Shop the Lawrenceville boys forgot Greek and Latin translations, recitations and even football practice in joyful partaking of jiggers. It was here that "The Varmint," (Jack Pickford) met the Tennessee Shad, Doctor MacNooder," "The White Mountain Canary" and all the other in the Paramount Picture "The Var-Williams.

Fernie poultry men strengthened the reputation they had made at local shows as breeders of high class exhibition poultry by exhibiting a number of the Paramount Picture "The Varmint." But to enjoy it there is no way like seeing it for yourself at the Isis theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

"MY MOTHER'S ROSARY"

"My Mother's Rosary," which comes the Pacific coast and a few from the Western States were competing; also of the best shows which has been on the road for the last six years, fea turing the great Frank O. Ireson as Father Kelly, whose magnificent acting in the same role in The Rosary was largely responsible for the great success of that play. "My Mother's although by the same au-Rosary," J. Conliff, Fernie Annex, Light thor, is far superior to any play on Brahmmas, 5 firsts, 2 seconds, 3 the road at present, even the Rosary included and that is saying a lot. One of the leading Chicago critics that "the new play has everything to make it one of the most successful n modern times. A hearty laugh-a sigh—a tear and you go away feeling that at last you have witnessed a per-formance that was really worth while." It is a most delightful blending of comedy and pathos, roars of laughter and dramatic situations of intense interest, and the management of the Grand are to be congratulated upon having secured this premier attraction for this city, and you will be well advised to book your seats early, as Mr. Ireson is so well and favorably known that a crowded house is sure to greet him.

MR. WILSON **ENTERTAINS**

Mr. W. R. Wilson entertained over a hundred guests at a dinner in the Methodist church on Friday evening The affair was given in honor of the Victory Loan Committee, who did such successful work during the big loan campaign. The dinner, which was one of the most elaborate ever given in the city, was followed by a program of speeches' and music. Among those who spoke were Mayor Uphill, Mr. A. I. Fisher, M.P.P., Mr. shown at the Isis theatre soon will be R. M. Young, Mr. A. B. Trites and Douglas Fairbanks in his new Art-Mr. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. A. Watson and Mrs. A. Prentice furnished sevtonian Rushcall, Annie Shutlak, Sam ten by himself and adapted to the eral vocal and instrumental selections Following is a list of the invited

> Mr. and Mrs. T. Prentice, Dr. and Mrs. Orner, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Young, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. A. Klauer, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cau-field, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wilson, Mrs. Pearson, Miss Benning, Mr. and Mrs. F. White, Dr. and Mrs. Corsan, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wood, Mr. Thos Crahan, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Trites Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Uphill, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Graham, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rudnicki, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Bonnallie, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. H. Douglas, Mr. and darken, then the eddies of wind continually gathering in force until a veritable hurricane results. In the rain of sand, the man and the woman like Haile, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stew-

mons, Mr. G. Scarpino, Mr. J. Wal-

Soldiers present:-Mr. Chas. Clar-Denusick, Mr. H. Joinson, Mr. H. E. Kennedy, Mr. Mike Mulligan, Mr.

CONGRATULATIONS TO SIR ROBERT BORDEN

The Windermere District Independent Unionist Association to Sir R. L

"Windermere District Independent Association learns with heartfelt joy of great Unionist mafeeling throughout Canada, and de- night between the Bankers and High sires to offer Prime Minister hearty School, which resulted in a win for congratulations."

The following reply was received on Dec. 19:

"Warmest thanks to you and mem-bers of Association for kind message Canada clearly realized and fulfilled her duty.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

on Saturday night at the Grand.

Miss Crocker is spending the holi-

days at Wardner. All the business men report a rush-

ing Christmas trade, in fact the best in years. The telephone girls wish to thank their friends for the many kind re-

membrances on Christmas Day. Some of the young men gave a dance in Victoria Hall on Christmas night.

The Trites-Wood Co., M. A. Kast ner and R. J. McEwan have issued very fine calendars this year.

Madame Petrova in the the great picture, "The Exile," at the Isis theatre on Monday and Tuesday.

Freight rates, with the exception of B.C., have been increased from 10 to 15 per cent.

Married-At the Manse by Carr, on Dec. 22, Earl Raymond Lille and Etta Martz, of Yahk.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Young and family spent Christmas with friend in Jaffray.

Bert Whimster, of the Edmonto Bulletin staff, spent Christmas his parents.

day and Thursday.

Wanted-Second hand baby sleigh and high chair. Apply Box 173, Fer-

"Her Mother's Rosary" at the Grand on Jan. 4th.

Franklyn Farnum and Brownie Veron in "A Stormy Knight," Orpheum Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Constance Bonnell, who is attending college in Montreal, is spending the holidays with her mother in

Magistrate Hewat conducted court at Waldo on Monday. A man named Robt. McDougall was fined \$50 and costs for striking a Hindoo.

Allen's full orchestra will supply

Remember that your second payment to the Victory Loan comes due on Jan. 2nd, Call at the bank where you are doing your business and leave our check.

A quiet but pretty wedding took lace on Christmas Day at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams, 345 McKenzie Ave., when their daughter Dorothy was united in marriage to David W. Mitchell by Rev. A. L. Carr. We extend

CITY COUNCIL

Minutes of meeting held on Dec. 13 ere read and adopted

Dudley-Beck-That Duff be emoved as engineer at power house at onthly wage of \$100, this rate of to commence from the works as an engineer. Lekson ted hay.

The following accounts were paid: E. Suddaby \$6.65, Metals, Ltd. \$12; Imperial Oil Co., \$21.07; A. W. Bleasdell, \$4.00; The Duthie Co., \$5.89, Inspector of Boilers, \$49.50; A. E. Ferguson, \$5.00; C. N. Trading Co., \$5.00; Coal Co., \$1101.68; Cushman & Denison, \$24.50; Children's Aid

Society, \$38.58.

The following checks, dated Aug. 17, 1916, were cancelled: E. Carlson \$1, J. Lapiter \$1, R. Cicero \$1.

Jackson-Thompson — That Mr. Mc-Nally be appointed permanently as power house engineer at a salary of \$90 per month.

CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE

The second game of the city beckey league was played on Wednesday the High School 4-3.

There will be two games next week,

ne on Jan. 2, Knights of Gladness Bankers; also one on Jan. 3, High School vs. Commercials.

The games are played off before skating starts. Come and root for Pianos-Mrs. Elley, 12 Howland Aveyour favorite.

"The Varmint," a Paramount picture, at the Isis theatre next Wednes-IN FULL SWING

The curling season officially open ed on Wednesday afternoon with grand match, President vs. Vice-Preident. The rinks lined up as follows, the first name appearing playing for the President and the second for the Vice-President:

Prentice 10, Kastner 14. Beck 5, Wallace 9. Herchmer 10, Corrie 9. Jas. Johnston 13, Douglas 8 Baldrey 9, Stewart 9. Fred Johnson 9, Young 5. Daniels 10, G. Johnston 8. Lancaster 6, Macneil 9. Marshall 7, Irvine 12. McLaren 7, Brown 10. Greenwood 13, Liphardt 6.

the music for "Baby Mine," reactions
Madge Kennedy, at the Orpheum,
Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 2nd
Year's Day, the losing team to pay
for four tons of coal for the rink. Fol-

10.30 a.m. Prentice vs. Kastner. McLaren vs. Brown. Jas. Johnston vs. Douglas. Baldrey vs. Stewart.

2 p.m. Fred Johnson vs. Young. Daniels vs. Guy Johnston. Lancaster vs. Macneil. Marshall vs. Irvine. Beck vs. Wallace.

4 p.m. Chief Brown vs. H. J. Johnson. Greenwood vs. Liphardt. Following are the Ingram Cup draws for next week:

Wednesday, Jan. 2 7.30 Draw-Johnson, G. F., vs. Wallace. Lancaster vs. Johnston, Guy. Kastner vs. Irvine.

Prentice vs. Marshall. Macneil vs. Douglas. Thursday, Jan. 3.

Baldrey vs. Correct Rrow Daniels vs. Stewart.

Brown, H., vs. Macneil. Beck vs. Young. Friday, Jan. 4.

Douglas vs. Jas. Johnston. Liphardt vs. Herchmer. McLaren vs. Fred Johnson Marshall vs. Greenwood. Lancaster vs. Beck.
The Bank of Commerce staff has

challenged Ingram's curlers to a match for four boxes of cigars.

There are seven curlers on Ingram's staff this year.

THHE WEATHER

Following are the official thermometer readings for the past week in Fernie:

High Low

7	Dec.	21-	32	25
	Dec.	22-	31	25
	Dec.	23-	40	2
7	Dec.	24-	8	-21
,	Dec.	25-	0	-20
	Dec.	26-	0	-7.0
ı	Dec.	27-		-9
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Sole Agent for Heintzman & Co

Fernie, B.C., Dec. 28, 1917.

Don't forget "The Love of a King," To the Electors of the City of Fernie:

Ladies and Gentlemen—At the request of a large and representative number of the ratepayers, and after careful consideration, I have decided to allow my name to appear before you as a candidate for Mayor for the ensuing year. The responsibility connected with the position is large, but I know I can fill the position to the satisfaction of the large majority if elected. I have a large amount of time at my disposal and if elected, will devote most of it to your interests in the fulfilment of my duties.

I would like to point out for your information and consideration the fact that my hands are in no way tied, and there are no straps on me. I do not know an individual, a firm, an organization, a corporation or faction who is in a position to tell me what I must or must not do, if elected Mayor.

I stated my views re salary for Mayor and Aldermen a year ago from the public platform. My views regarding salaries are just the same today. I will deal at greater length with this particular matter between now and election day, also with other matters which will arise between now and then. I will endeavor to see most of you personally before the day of election, and would ask you not to pledge yourself to any candidate until you have had my platform explained to you.

I earnestly solicit your votes and influence and wish all A Happy and Prosperous New Year.

> Yours very truly, GEO. B. THOMSON.