

SPELLING WINNERS FROM MORE CITY SCHOOLS

First Round Winners From Five Schools In The Advertiser's Big Spelling Match

LORD ROBERTS

Grade V.
Ross McNaughton
Cameron Ware
Clarence Wakeling
Olive Cruickshank
Catherine Barbour
Dorothy Wakeling
Florence Moore
Lula McClelland

Grade VI.
Mary Barnes
Frank Shore
Jean Ballantyne
Alan McNaughton
Marjorie Moffatt
Muriel Johnston
Laura Cruickshank
Roy McBeth
Jack Symons
Hilda Greaves
Stephen Corrigan
Edna Cusden
Jack Spry
Stewart Stevens
Gladys Binks
Bennie Higgins

Grade VII.
Nenone Chamberlain
Grace Brymner
Fred Jones
Ruth Hayes
Mary Hutchison
Dorothy Harmon
Stewart Murray
Emily Jones
Rudolf Eberhard

Grade VIII.
Chrissie Baker
Mary Ware
Barbara Fraser
Pearl Thomas
Mamie Riddell
Meta Rhodes
Frank Coldham
Franklin Taylor
Hugh Knox
Jack Gunn



The successful entrants in the first round of The Advertiser's Spelling Contest from Talbot Street School are shown in the accompanying photo by The Advertiser photographer. They are, from left to right: First row—Allen Warren, Newton Dean, Jack

TALBOT STREET SCHOOL.
Schussler, Arthur Clarke, Philip Gleason, Peter Mandes, George Georges, Howard Newton, Wilbert Plante and Arlen Merriam. Second row—Harry Brennan, Helen Rousseau, Mary Clark, Lillian Clements, Marie Douglass.

Marjorie Mason, Barbara Gibberd, Beth Harkness, Doris Kennedy, Ivy Clements and Janet Smith. Third row—George Griffith, Teddie James, Violet Rice, Marjorie West, Josephine Vice, Goldie Jury, Cecilia Brown, Isa-

bel Keene, Alva Plante, Geoffrey Marvel, Jack Beattie and Alan Beattie. Janet Smith, the young lady on the extreme right of the second row, entered the first grade one year ago. Today she holds the enviable position of the best speller in the fifth grade.

RIVERVIEW

Grade V.
Fred Clue
Owen Froggett
Kathleen Finch
Jean Hudson
Esther Hudson
Sarah Heald
Stanton Morris
Mildred Player
Shirley St. Lawrence
Dona Thomas
Yvonne Whiting
Audrey Yale

Grade VI.
Violet Andrews
Minnie Bryan
Bernice Baxter
Edwin Cotton
James Gilmore
Olive Hall
Edna Hill
Rhea Jamieson
Eleanor Stevens

Grade VII.
Marion Reynolds
Eleanor Clark
Evelyn Carter
Albert Carey
Reggie Serle
Donald Patrick
Everett Case
Violet Fisher

Grade VIII.
Lillian Bishop
Catherine Harris
Velma Hudson
Harold Jackson
Marion MacKenzie
Richard Nevett
Bessie Nigey
Elsie Reid



In the above photograph by The Advertiser staff photographer, are shown the Ealing School pupils who were successful in the first round of The Advertiser Spelling Contest. They are, from left to right: First

row—Edward Hobbs, Ashlyn Ault, house, Arthur Johnston, Gordon Wood, Fred Wakefield, Jack Merrall, Jack Lawton, George Robinson and Reg. Robinson. Second row—Robert

row—Lloyd Newby, Clifford Laskey, Bill Torrens, Tom Fones, Fred Mills, Roland Hicks, Vernon Gardner, Bert Jolly, Sam Barnes. Fourth row—Malcolm Allison, Stewart Howe, Lucy Etchells, Dorothy Crocker, Fred Morley, Raymond Noble.

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WORTLEY ROAD

Grade V.
Madge Smart
Eunice Ward
Dennis Chapman
Jack Hockney
Betty Meaden
Thelma Graham
Josephine Winn
Stanley Brown
Marjorie Colerick
Harrison Evans
Willie Farrell
Vera Wilkins

Grade VI.
Sadie McConnell
Bobby Poulton
Douglas Loft
John Prosser
Flossie Wigelsworth
Ralph Watson
Margaret Bruce
Eva Roberts
Betty Houston
Nora Dawson
John Patterson
Olaf Bright

Grade VII.
Lenore Crawford
Helen May
George Watson
Victor Johnstone
Frances Fish
Maise King
Leatha Cole
Ruby Shoebottom
Helen Reid
Grace Rennie

Grade VIII.
Lillian Lyons
Margaret Craik
Beryl Ott
Wilbur McDonald
Frank Rawlings
John Wilson
Dorothy Lowe
Truida Vanderheiden
Jean MacIsaac
Helen Leonard

ABERDEEN

Grade V.
Audrey Clark
Francis Thompson
Jean Ryall
Roy Lewis
Harold Todman
Minnie Slobasky
Minerva McKechnie
Willie Treehubs
Phyllis Collins
Dorothy Parker
Margaret Frank
Doris Webb
Cecil Eaton
Eva Ticknor
Gordon Clayton
Mary Sugarman
Bernice Fenwick
Eva Packer
Connie Cogan
Florence Haragan
Beatrice Powell
Tom Madeley
Dorothy Beaman
Robert McCallum
Rosie Grace
Sydney Sawyer
Madeline Herald
Dorothy Bullock

Grade VI.
William Grant
Norman Fletcher
Rose Warshafsky
Bessie Zimmerman
Kenneth Singleton
Stanley Light
Mary Bell
Thelma Shortt
Ada May
Dorothy Day
Lorraine Cake
James Wells
Tom Currie
Georgina Duncan
May Britton
Alma Cornelius

Grade VII.
May Tilley
Margaret McMillan
Tom Eaton
Archie Kalmanson
Albert Bartley
Jack Holmes
Clara Suchard
Mary Loff
Jack Braund
Nettie Day
Bertha Stewart
Gladys Henderson
Borden Carrothers
Wilfred Clayton
Fannie Jack

Grade VIII.
John Randall
Dorothy Burnett
Grace Thurman
Tena Flittton
William Hogg
Ruth Raymond
Cyril Genereaux
Betty Stewart
Alice Kalmanson
May Bartley
Robert Moore



Here are the first round winners in The Advertiser Spelling Contest from St. George's School, as snapped by The Advertiser staff photographer. Reading from left to right they are: First row—William Stanton, George Miller, Archie James, Lorne Kelvin,

Walter Nicholls, Robert Kingham, Edward Bingham, Tom Lyons and Donald Carr-Harris. Second row—Winnie McPhee, Margaret Wyatt, Margaret Christopher, Mildred Macdougall, Gladys Palmer, Margaret Taylor, Lucy Downham, Alda Har-

ison, Eleanor Browne, Marion Hooper, Helen Kipp, Marion Irwin and Willa Floyd. Third row—Betty Lyons, Dorothy Brown, Marguerite Floyd, Margaret Arkell, Helen McCormick, Margaret Wray, Ruth Hooper, Louise Skee, Marguerite Pearson. Fourth

row—Thelma Kaiser, Hazel Hayden, Howard Smith, Lilly Fox, Dorothy Tamin, Hope Knightly. Fifth row—John Flaherty, Jack Jarrett, Aleck Burr, Ernest Johns, Cyril Cooper and Paul Christianson.

TECUMSEH AVENUE

Grade V.
Ivan Box
Isobel Holmes
Dorothy Hill
Munro Clark
May Box
Elissee Demanock
Armour Young
Ross McKay
Charles Davies
Jean Bell

Grade VI.
Erma Eldridge
Vera Hoover
Frances Smith
Olive Tripp
Reta Hoover
Alice Davies
Rigby Harris
Olive Boss
Kathleen Penn

Grade VII.
Olga Davies
Margaret Taylor
Ralph Geiger
Marcel Ramer
Walter Blakeley
Esther Shainline
Emma Dent
Percy Burnard

Grade VIII.
Jack Holmes
Jack Dadds
Charles Durand
Betty Clark
Gordon Ford
Ross Stevenson
Francis Calrae
Grant Maloney

News From the Churches

CONVENERS NAMED.

The conveners of the various committees for the year were appointed at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Talbot Street Church, held yesterday afternoon. Those appointed were: Mrs. G. W. Stuart, floral; Mrs. L. Clark, social; Mrs. F. Wilson, membership; Mrs. W. McFadden, sewing; and Miss Charlotte Jeffery, program. Plans for a rummage sale to be held in the near future were made, and Mrs. F. Arscott was appointed convener. Arrangements were also made for a bazaar in the hall. Mrs. Melville Dale, the new president, presided over the meeting, and the Scripture lesson and a talk on "Prayer" was given by Mrs. Bowley Green. Prayer was led by Mrs. Hazlegrove, and solos by Miss Gwen Ware were greatly enjoyed.

SIMCOE STREET MOTHERS' CLUB.

At a meeting of the Simcoe Street Mothers' Club held last evening plans were made for the unveiling of the monument, which will take place on Empire Day. Gen. W. B. King and his staff have been invited to take part in the ceremonies, and an address will be given by Rev. (Col.) Beattie. The oldest teacher of the school staff and a member of the mothers' club will be chosen to unveil the monument, which is being presented to the school by the mothers' club. All the returned boys who attended Simcoe school are being invited, and the school children will also take part in the program. A call came to the club for a baby carriage for a needy mother in Cochran who suffered great loss during the forest fires. This needy woman came to London when her home was destroyed, and since that time has returned to Cochran with her seven children. Anyone who has a carriage to offer may get in touch with Simcoe Mothers' Club. Following the meeting refreshments were served.

PRODUCED A COMEDY.

An amusing comedy, "Our Boys," was presented by the Beaver Class of Centennial Methodist Sunday School last evening. The various parts were cleverly taken, and the production was well directed. During the evening music was supplied by the school orchestra. The cast included: O. Currie, U. Currie, M. Jolliffe, Stanley Dick, Orville Lockhead, Miss Edna Lancaster, Miss Hilda Rowell, Mrs. Earl Evans and Miss Eva Reid.

NAMED TO PRESBYTERIAL.

At a meeting of the W. M. S. of King Street Presbyterian Church, held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Leckie and Mrs. Johnston were named as representatives to the Provincial Presbyterian being held next week at Windsor. Mrs. McLeod, the president, gave a short talk from the study book, "The Building of a Nation." Mrs. Sargeant took the Bible reading.

PRESIDENT ELECTED.

Mrs. F. A. Steven was elected president at the first rally of the

HALE STREET LADIES' AID.

As a wind-up for the church calendar for the year were appointed at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Hale Street Methodist Church have been keeping a birthday party was held last evening. The proceeds from the calendar amounted to \$200. An entertainment program was presented, including solos by Mrs. Wyatt and Misses C. McClurg and Pond; cello selections by Miss Cooke, and readings by Misses Eunice Beattie, Florence Lewis and Doris Yull. Supper was served from tables daintily decorated in pink and green, and centered with Sunset roses. Mrs. Reaveley, Mrs. Bessence, Mrs. Arms and Mrs. Bedgood poured. The program was in charge of Mrs. M. Stevenson, and Mrs. Robert McKenzie was supper convener. The church calendar was in charge of Mrs. Earl McClurg.

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EMPRESS AVENUE SCHOOL.

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AN OUTSIDE MAN MAY BE SECURED FOR FIRE CHIEF

Some Members of the Council
Favor This Course If Chief
Aitken Retired.

FEAR FRICTION

Alleged Dissensions in the Fire
Force May Prevent Promo-
tion of Local Man.

Should Fire Chief John Aitken be superannuated—and there is no official assurance yet that he will be—there are others in his department who may go with him. The Advertiser was informed today.

It was further explained that there are certain members of the city council who feel that it is considered well that the chief be retired at this juncture, his position should be filled by some person from outside the city.

This suggestion emanated from members of the finance committee within recent weeks, and several days ago Mayor Wenige acknowledged that the proposal was well worth considering.

Cite Precedent.

It is recalled that similar procedure was taken several years ago, when the late Fire Chief Clark was brought into London from Hamilton and placed in charge of the several fire stations. The result was highly satisfactory, assert those who claim to have kept close tabs upon the situation.

That similar action should be taken this year, in the event of any such change as already advocated, is the opinion of many. During his inaugural address and upon several occasions since, Mayor Wenige has claimed that the internal affairs of the fire department have not been conducted smoothly and without friction.

The alleged dissension among the men, inferring that they were divided in their allegiance, to at least two persons, the chief and one of his aides. That there are even three or four groups is not considered an impossibility.

Fear Friction.

In the face of this, if such is correct, the suggestion has been submitted to the mayor that the chief position, if declared vacant, should not be filled by any of the two or three possible aspirants in the service. The appointment of either of these men would not, it is warned, tend to better conditions or produce more unanimity than exists at present. If the men are running rival camps, the elevation of a member of one group to chief would only displease the others and so forth.

A complete "show-down" — the long-heralded "fire department probe" — is now anticipated at the next regular session of the finance committee, when if the chief's retirement is not recommended the question will disappear from the municipal chart for the remainder of the year at least.

RAILWAY "SHOWDOWN" DOES NOT MATERIALIZE

Mayor's Scheduled Preliminary
Parley for Tonight Is
Again Cancelled.

The mayor's scheduled preliminary "show-down" with the London Street Railway Company remains in a state of infancy. A parley with the latter authorities, postponed from Wednesday until tonight, is again cancelled. "Impossible to get them together yet," elucidates his workshop.

"Would any good come of it if you did get together again?" he was asked.

"It was the mayor's prompt retort. "There seems to be little use conferring with the company authorities. Their proposition is always 'gimme.' They have never anything to offer. They just belong to the 'gimme gang.'"

The mayor persists that there is but one solution of the impasse, or introduce a municipal motor bus system to freeze out the company.

STREET RAILWAY PLANS TO CUT OUT MANY STOPS

Manager King Announces the
Carling Street Stop Will
Be Abolished.

The street cars will not stop at Carling street after today, according to C. B. King, manager of the London Street Railway.

"The idea," said Mr. King, "is to improve the service by eliminating as many of the smaller stops as possible. "So far Carling street is the only one we have decided on, but we hope to add others to this list, as soon as we arrive at a decision that they are not really necessary."

will reach ninepence or even a shilling at the corners of streets coming in between two larger streets, and wherever the traffic suggests that a change would be profitable in saving time, without too great inconvenience to the travelling public, we shall do away with the stop."

BAND CONCERT MONDAY NIGHT.

Instead of the usual Monday night parade of the W. O. B. B. band, concert by both brass and pipe bands of the unit in the Armories will be held, marking Ypres Day. The 1st W. O. B. B. is the convener of the old 1st Battalion, which distinguished itself greatly in the battle which caused the name, "Canadians," to ring throughout the Empire.

PREPARING FOR PETAWAWA.

At the meeting of the 12th Field Battery officers and N.C.O.s, arrangements were made for the annual training trip to Petawawa this summer. Major Ken Ingram, O.C., presided over the meeting, which was an enthusiastic one. Preliminary training in the armory, it is believed, will be commenced next week.

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