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CHRISTMAS MUSIC IN THE CHURCHES

Place Cantata Beautifully Rendered At St. Andrew's Church—Special Music At Wesley Church On Coming Sunday.

Each Yuletide season in its passing brings many little moments of happiness and pleasant memories that linger on and it is most fitting that the Church should contribute, in its own way, to the joys of Christmas. In Campbellton this contribution has, among other ways, found expression in special music tuned to the true spirit of the season. In all the local churches Christmas music is a feature of the Yuletide services and in other ways the universal significance of Christmas is fittingly brought to mind.

In St. Andrew's United Church the arrival of Christmas season was fittingly observed on Sunday by the rendition of a beautiful cantata, "The New-Born King." This special music formed the major part of the evening service. A very large congregation attended and all those who contributed toward its success are to be congratulated on the result of their efforts.

The choir of St. Andrew's recently came under the direction of a new leader, Miss Gladys Allanach, a late graduate of the Halifax Conservatory of Music. In preparing for this special music the new choir leader undoubtedly undertook her most difficult task, since the assumption of her duties and the success of the cantata is perhaps the best testimonial of her ability and her worthiness of the responsibility which was placed upon her at that time.

The Christmas music at St. Andrew's this year was well up to the usual standard and, in the opinion of many, surpassed that of some previous years. Those taking the various parts never appeared to better advantage and the entire piece was splendidly handled. The titles followed:

The Lord is Come... Opening Chorus
The Shepherd... Tenor Recitative by Robert McNutt and Women's voices
Eternal King... Alto Solo, Miss Solo Ramsey will make their home at 2 Wellington Street, Nashua, N. H. Boston Transcript.

Visions of Glory... Soprano Solo Choir—Men's voices Miss Allanach
Unto Us A Child Is Born... Choir
The King Is Born... Bass Solo
A Christmas Lullaby... Alto Solo, Soprano and Alto Duet, Soprano, Alto and Tenor Trio, Quartet and Choir. By Miss Allanach, Mrs. Miller, Mr. McNutt and Mr. Ramsey.

Christmas Bells... Double Quartet
Merris, F. C. McCollum and R. McNutt, tenors; Miss Allanach and Miss Vera Campbell, sopranos; Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Luman, altos; and Messrs. H. V. Ramsey and R. G. Gerrard, basses. Miss F. W. Campbell presided at the organ and her mastery of the piece was a valuable contribution to the success of the concert.

Wesley United Church
On next Sunday the Choir of Wesley United Church will render special Christmas music both morning and evening. At the evening service this music will form a large part of the Christmas service and something particularly fine in sacred Christmas music is anticipated. The names of those taking parts follow: Mr. W. S. Godfrey, Mrs. O. B. Atkinson, Mrs. W. H. Shuman, Misses Maud Warren, Helen McMillan, and Isabel Moore, F. C. Lapsall and H. B. LeRoy. This special music is being prepared for under the direction of the latter singer who is the choir-leader at Wesley United Church. Mr. F. J. Cuthbertson is the organist.

DONATIONS BY PRINCE OF WALES

To Help Wipe Out Deficit on the Wembley Exhibition
London, Dec. 22.—H. R. H. the Prince of Wales has donated £1,000 toward wiping out the deficit on the Wembley Exhibition, it was announced last night by the exhibition's liquidation committee.

Commenting on the contribution from the Prince, J. H. Thomas, chairman of the liquidation committee, said: "This is a magnificent and generous act for the Prince, who is under no obligation in this regard."

TO KING AT WEMBLEY
The Christmas Cantata "The New-Born King" will be rendered by St. Andrew's United Church Choir at the Soldiers' Memorial church on New Year's night.

LOCAL TEAM IN NEW UNIFORMS

Squad Presents Snappy Appearance in Its New Colors—Players in Good Form.

Members of the local hockey squad are turning out every night and are showing their usual good form. Rev. W. S. Godfrey has this year again got the boys in had and by the looks of things now the Campbellton squad is going to be a strong contender for the championship. The new uniforms have arrived and make an attractive and snappy appearance. The sweaters are of old gold and black, the body being black with a gold strip across the breast, gold band at the bottom, gold collar and cuffs. The coat sweater is of black and gold, also with a black body and trimmed with gold collar and cuffs and gold down the front, meeting the gold band at the bottom. On the right breast is a gold crest in oval shape with C. H. C. initials.

MARRIED IN HISTORIC PLACE

Wedding of Miss Marjorie F. Nelson and Donald Ramsay Was in Church, Known as "The Old North" of Revolutionary Days.

At a quiet ceremony which was solemnized on Thursday, Dec. 17, at Christ Church, Salem street, the "Old North Church" of history, by Rev. William H. Dewar, Miss Marjorie Florine Nelson, daughter of Mrs. Marjorie A. Nelson, of New Brunswick, Canada, became the bride of Donald Ramsay of Nashua, N. H. There were no bridal attendants. George Richardson of 45 Commonwealth avenue gave the bride in marriage. She is a graduate of the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital and served overseas with the American Red Cross, during the World War. Mr. Ramsay is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald A. Ramsay of Reading, Mass., and is in the paper manufacturing business in Nashua. At the time of the World War, he was commissioned first lieutenant in infantry, at Plattsburg, N. Y., and was later promoted to captain. After a trip to Hawaii, Cuba, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsay will make their home at 2 Wellington Street, Nashua, N. H. Boston Transcript.

WEDDINGS

Scott-Falkenham
On December 10th, there took place in the Lutheran Church, Halifax, N. S., the marriage of Hilma June, daughter of Joseph Falkenham of Lunenburg, and Walter Burton Scott, of Halifax.

The ceremony was performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. Frisby D. Smith, bride and groom began unattended. The bride looked very charming in a suit of navy blue, trimmed with squirrel fur wearing a smart black velvet hat, and carrying a bouquet of yellow caryanthemums. Immediately after the ceremony, and followed by the best wishes of all their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Scott left for a trip to Montreal, and on their return will make their home at 11½ Seymour Street.

The collection of wedding gifts was large and valuable, one including a silver tea service from the staff of First, Shurton and Company, with whom the bride before her marriage held with much efficiency a responsible post, and a set of community plates from the groom's friends of the C. N. R.

OBITUARY

Jerome Roy
Newcastle, Dec. 22.—The death of Jerome Roy, an aged and highly respected citizen of Newcastle, N. S., occurred at his home here early Wednesday morning, aged 80 years. Deceased had been bed-fast for only the past three weeks, but had been in failing health for about six months. He was a native of Green Point, Gloucester Co., but resided here practically all his life.


Mr. Roy is survived by his wife, nee Miss Annie Sheppard of Strathairn, and five children, John S. of Vancouver, B. C., Rev. Thomas Roy of Brockton, Mass., Mrs. John T. McLean of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Harry M. Kelly of Calgary, Alberta, and Mrs. John Cooper of Newcastle to whom sincere sympathy is extended in their loss. Also surviving are two brothers, one sister, twenty grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

FORD INTERESTED IN A POLAR FLIGHT

Washington, Dec. 22.—A project for a Polar flight has been presented to the United States War Department by Wm. D. Mayo, Chief Engineer for Henry Ford, but officials have decided against it, as they have decided against a congressional authority would be necessary for government participation.

Greetings...

The Graphic Management and Staff take this opportunity of wishing the readers of The Campbellton Graphic a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.



ROTARY CLUB TO PROVIDE RINK

Open-Air Rink And Toboggan Slide To Be Opened Soon—No Admission Fees.

The Campbellton Rotary Club took a definite step in the right direction when, at last Thursday's luncheon, plans for the opening of an Open-Air Rink and a Toboggan Slide were formulated and committees appointed to look after these undertakings. Since then these committees have lost no time. Sufficient space has been secured for the proposed rink in the Off-Air field and it may be added that this is a desirable location. Work of preparing the rink is also well under way and it is expected that the ice will be ready shortly after Christmas—if the weather during the interior is sufficiently cold. All children up to sixteen years of age will be privileged to skate on this rink and there will be no admission charge. A suitable anti-room will be provided and all children attending will be properly looked after.

The proposed Toboggan Slide will be located on Gerrard Hill just south of Arran St. and this will be opened as soon as weather conditions permit.

The Rotary Club is to be congratulated on this practical step taken in the interests of local boys and girls. The advantages for good, wholesome sport in Campbellton have never been so numerous and this undertaking is a decidedly valuable contribution toward our youthful citizens of the town.

BANQUET HELD AT EDMUNDSTON, N. B.

The Madrasack Fish and Game Club celebrated their first anniversary by holding a Banquet in the Windsor Hotel, Edmundston, N. B., on Thursday night, December 10th. Among the out of town guests who attended the banquet were the following: L. A. Gagne, Chief Game Warden, St. John, N. B., J. S. White, Grand Falls, who has sporting camps on the Kedgewick River, Rest, Co., N. B., J. A. D. Robertson, Fishing Officer, Grand Falls, N. B., P. Parrot, Supr., Dom. Fish Hatchery, Grand Falls, N. B. The Club has a membership of over two hundred members, and is very active in having the Game and Fishery Regulations enforced.

POST OFFICE RUSH

The annual rush of the post office has been in evidence during the past week, and the postmaster and staff are giving their usual good service. The amount of mail being handled this year is said to be greater than ever.

Town Topics

Sub-bits on the Tip of Everybody's Tongue

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BON NOEL

"I heard the bells on Christmas day
And wild and sweet
The words repeat
Of peace on earth, good-will and brotherhood
To men."

To all our customers—and they are countless—we extend our keen appreciation of past and present patronage, and assure you that we will continue to strive for the highest quality of service and the most reasonable prices.

May this Christmas be the happiest day of your life—
Of peace on earth, good-will and brotherhood
To men!

SUICIDE VERDICT IN MAN'S DEATH

Inquest Into Death Of Jacob Johnson of Atholville Held Yesterday—Deceased Was Desponded For Some Time.

A verdict of "death due to violence inflicted by himself and no one else being to blame" was returned yesterday at the inquest conducted by Coroner Dr. L. E. Gorman into the death of Jacob Johnson of Atholville, whose dead body was found in an upper room of his own house on Sunday morning. From the evidence secured at yesterday's inquest the case was clearly one of suicide. The exact reason for the sad affair is not definitely known but for some time the deceased had been the victim of a melancholy mood. The late Mr. Johnson who was 59 years of age was a resident of this district for the past twenty-five years. He was apparently in good circumstances owning his own home and being, to all appearances, comfortably situated. For the past few months he had been out of work however, and this fact seemed to weigh unduly upon his mind. He seemed to regard the future with uneasiness and anxiety and gradually fell a prey to a mood of morbidity and depression. On Saturday he took steps to sell his house and was requested by a prospective purchaser to return on Monday, when the matter would be definitely decided. On Sunday morning he got up as usual and after lighting a fire and getting his breakfast, prepared the morning meal for his wife. While Mrs. Johnson ate her breakfast, however, he returned to his room and, securing a revolver which had been service company's in his son's possession, he shot himself through the base of the brain. Dr. MacPherson was called and he in turn immediately notified Chief of Police Adams and Coroner Gorman.

Besides his bereaved wife, who is the only survivor living here, the late Mr. Johnson leaves to mourn three children who are away from home. The funeral services are being held this afternoon, Rev. A. Brock Humphreys officiating.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing relatives in the sudden and tragic death of their loved one.

PERSONALS

Professor Webb of U. N. B. spent the week-end in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Stevens.

Mr. R. D. McNutt who has been spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. O. Dewar, left Saturday on an extended trip to Vancouver.

Misses Glenora and Beth McCallum of Acadia University and Seminary are the guests of their parents for the holidays.

Mr. Billie Miller of Acadia Academy, Wolfville, N. S. is the guest of his parents Mrs. and Mrs. W. H. Miller for the holidays.

Miss Marjorie Stevens of Dalhousie University, Halifax is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Stevens.

Miss Marion Alexander of McDonald College, St. Anne de Bellevue, Que., is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herb Alexander.

Miss Tillie Goldenberg of Ottawa Ladies' College is spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Goldenberg.

Miss Helen Marquis of the Provincial Normal School, Fredericton, is the guest of her parents for the holidays.

Miss Vera Marquis of New Woodstock is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Marquis.

Mr. Raymond Martin of the Provincial Normal School is spending his holidays the guest of his parents.

Mr. Kenneth McKenzie of Mount Allison Academy is the guest of his parents. He has as his guest Mr. Harry Dunkey, of Hamilton, B. R. munda, who is a student at the M. Allison Academy.

Miss Norma MacLachlan is visiting at her home in Chatham.

Miss Hazel Smith of Mount Allison Academy is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith.

Rev. T. S. Roy of Brockton, Mass., left last night for his home after attending the funeral of his father at Newcastle.

NOVELTY DANCE

In addition to the Christmas Dance at the Linnae there will be a Novelty Dance on New Year's night. Linnae patrons know what a Novelty Dance at this place means and, if possible this one will excel all previous affairs of a like nature. Delicious refreshments will be served and good music will add to the pleasure of the occasion.

BEEHIVE OF INDUSTRY

"How many men work in your factory?"

"About one out of every ten."

BATHURST WON FROM MONCTON

Finnigan's Work In Net The To Be Held On Saturday—Important Changes In Line For Coming Year.

Bathurst, N. B. Dec. 22.—Bathurst won from Moncton by 4 to 2 in the first game of the hockey season last night. An exhibition affair—played in the Arena before about 500 spectators. The game was the first of the season here. It was rough in spots and lively. The rushes were about evenly divided, but Finnigan's good work in goal gave Bathurst the margin to win.

The first period ended 2-2, Crosby securing two goals. In the second period D. Cripps scored and Fallon followed with a goal in the third period. The second period ended with the score 3 to 2 in favor of Bathurst and at the final whistle the score was 4 to 2 in favor of the home team.

The line-up:
Bathurst: Finnigan, R. Cripps, Fallon, Crosby, D. Lawlor, D. Cripps.
Moncton: Wilson, MacDonald, Wilson, Gould, Bastarch, Lane.
Substitutes: Bathurst—Robertson, C. Gannon and H. Schryer; Moncton—Cole and Wall.

Referee—Chas. Brown. Timers—Bill Kelvey, Moncton; B. Montgomery, Moncton, and McKeenan, Bathurst. Goal Judges—W. O'Donnell and A. Frenette.

LOCAL SCHOOLS CLOSE FALL TERM

Much Interest Displayed By Pupils and Parents—Fine Program at Grammar School.

The formal closing exercises at the three Campbellton Schools took place last week, with a fine program of interest on the part of both pupils and parents. The closing exercises were all of a high standard.

The closing exercises of the Academy and Roseberry Street Schools were held on Friday morning. As neither of these schools have halls wherein to accommodate a large gathering the exercises were held in the different classrooms.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Remarks by the Chairman of the Board of School Trustees
"Christmas Bells." Song by nine girls of Miss Murray's class.
"A Joke on Pa." Recitation by Colin Marquis, of Miss Murray's class.
"Kiss Kringie," by ten pupils of Miss Dickie's class.
"The Tale of a Christmas Cat," by four pupils of Miss Baird's class.
"Christmas Bells," by eight girls of Miss Miller's class.
"The Look out man." Recitation by Wallace O'Keefe of Miss Baird's room.
"Christmas Bells and Stars" by seven pupils of Miss Baird's class.
"Motion Song," by twelve girls of Miss McNaughton's class.
"What Uncle Willie Thinks." Recitation by Daniel O'Keefe of Miss McNaughton's class.
Chorus "Christmas Voices" by the school.

Presentation of Lieut. Gov's medal for the highest standing in High School Entrance. Won by Miss Avis McNeil.

Presentation of High School Entrance certificate.

GOD SAVE THE KING

The Lieut. Governor's Medal was presented with fitting remarks by Rev. W. S. Godfrey while Mrs. Stewart McLaughlin presented the various certificates.

LIVELY DEMAND

The Graphic was obliged to procure additional mama dolls during the week-end and yesterday another telegram was forwarded for another supply, which will fill the demand until after Christmas. Any little girl who did not get a doll for Xmas can procure one in a few hours. Read the adv. on page 2.

ANNUAL MEETING OF TRAILERS' CLUB

To Be Held On Saturday—Important Changes In Line For Coming Year.

The purpose of the annual meeting of the Trailers' Club was to elect officers for the coming year. The meeting was held on Saturday, December 26th, at the Hotel de Ville. The club has a membership of about 100 members and is one of the largest in the province. The officers elected for the coming year are: President, J. LeMesurier of Paspébiac; Vice-President, J. LeMesurier of Paspébiac; Secretary, J. LeMesurier of Paspébiac; Treasurer, J. LeMesurier of Paspébiac.

YOUNG MAN DIES OF WOUNDS HERE

Victim Of Axe-Wound Of Three Weeks Ago.

As the result of a serious wound in the leg, sustained almost three weeks ago while at work in the woods, John Le Mesurier, aged 19, of Paspébiac, Que., died this morning at the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital here.

The unfortunate young man was brought to Campbellton on Saturday, Dec. 12, after a fall from a tree while working in the woods. He was taken to the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital where he remained for three weeks. He was suffering from a severe wound in the leg, which had not healed properly. He was brought to the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital where he remained for three weeks. He was suffering from a severe wound in the leg, which had not healed properly. He was brought to the Soldiers' Memorial Hospital where he remained for three weeks. He was suffering from a severe wound in the leg, which had not healed properly.

PREDICTS NEW ERA IN RAILROADING

Trains Will Have Speed Nearing That of Airplanes.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—A new age of transportation with crack passenger trains running safely at terrific speeds on concrete railways, foreseen with steel trusses, was predicted today by Frank H. Alfred, of Detroit, president of the Pere Marquette Railway and one of the forty three executives attending meetings of the American Railway Association. Cars of the new trains will run on roller bearings and their speed will be almost as fast as airplanes.

MR. HICKS RIDES HERD OF TUBERCULAR CATTLE

Moncton, Dec. 22.—An interesting case in connection with the progress of the tuberculin test of cattle throughout the province by Dominion Government officials of the Department of Agriculture had its sequel yesterday in the slaughter here of seven cattle out of what was apparently a very choice herd of fifteen Holsteins and Jerseys. The case is a good illustration of the manner of tuberculous contagion among cattle and incidentally shows how the source of contagion can be traced in many instances.

The daily herd affected is owned by Mr. R. L. Hicks, of Dalhousie Junction, in Restigouche County, and the test was made by Dr. Lundie, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, at the request of Mr. Hicks himself who feared that there might be in his herd some animals suffering from tuberculosis.