

THE increased attention given to the study of music in our Public School curriculum as well as in the courses of all Colleges and Universities, indicates a growing recognition of the vital importance of music.

During the Summer, educators from all parts of the country have been meeting in conventions and formulating their line of work for the coming Winter.

The prominence given to the consideration of music has been significant.



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Majestic Theatre

WARSHIP BUFFETED, CHOICE BETWEEN TWO.

HALIFAX, N.S., Dec. 7.—With her wireless telegraph mysteriously broken off at the heel, a petty officer fatally injured, doors broken in a boat swept away, and minor injuries inflicted in different parts of the ship, H.M.S. Brilliant lies in the dockyard, her officers and crew thankful to be in harbor again.

Disturbed Chinese Visitors. Luo Ss Ki, commissioner of mining accompanied by three members of a company capitalized at \$2,000,000, which has a charter to develop commerce in the Chinese provinces.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The supreme court of the United States today decided in favor of Mrs. Ingersoll in the case of Mrs. Eva Ingersoll, widow of the late Robert G. Ingersoll, against Joseph Coran and others, involving a claim of \$100,000 by Mrs. Ingersoll on account of services rendered by her husband in breaking the will of the late Andrew J. Davis, a Montana millionaire.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Relation of Women to Modern Public Life.

The relation of women to public life afforded Prof. Adam Shortt a felicitous topic for a lecture to the Women's Club yesterday afternoon. The Conservatory of Music Hall was filled by members of the club. President Falconer of Toronto University presided.

Prof. Shortt in countenance before an audience of ladies. The public probably did not realize how important a man Prof. Shortt was becoming.

Every time that some letter had been broken there has been great expectation of an immediate uplifting of the country. But each change had a tendency both up and down.

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ISLANDERS MUST PAY FOR WORK OF SANDPUMP

Only One-Third of Those Benefited Have Paid for Filling in.

The civic island committee yesterday pondered upon the case of a number of island residents who have benefited by the sandpump but have not paid for the filling in.

Assessment Commissioner Forman reported that only one-third of the islanders who have benefited by the sandpump have paid for the filling in.

While ex-Ald. G. R. Geary has not fully made up his mind it is believed to be probable that he will be a board member in the filling in.

Many New Voters. Both houses of the legislature and anti-reductionists have been busy digging up new names for the voters' list.

Some criticisms have been made regarding the dilatoriness of the civic authorities in opening the new morgue on Lombard-street.

EXPLOSION KILLS ELEVEN. A very serious explosion occurred in the morning at the military station here to-day resulting in the killing of 11 men and the wounding of 26 others.

Don't Like the Devil. Ottawa Anglican clergymen are in the stand today supporting Earl Grey in the production of "The Devil" at Montreal.

Local committee was appointed to investigate the modern tendencies of the drama and also obscene literature that is flooding Canada.

HOW I TOOK MY WRINKLES OUT. After Facial Massage Creams and Beauty Doctors Had Failed.

Trouble, worry and ill-health brought me deep lines and wrinkles. I realized that the not only greatly marred my appearance, but that they would greatly interfere with my success.

Madam GADSKI. The soloist at to-night's concert of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra in Massey Hall.

HINDUS WON'T GO. Government Party Have Excellent Time at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 6.—Following an exciting adventure with Tehaj Singh and his Hindu followers Sunday afternoon, the Standard Oil Company government commissioner to arrange for the sending of one thousand Hindus to Honduras, decided that his task was impossible, and that the Hindus would not move from British Columbia.

STANDARD OIL PROFITS. Indians' Company Made Fifty-Five Millions on Capital of One.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Some profits of the business of the Standard Oil Company in various parts of the country became part of the court record in the federal suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company to-day when John D. Archbold resumed the stand for a brief examination, and Henry Tilford, president of the Standard Oil Company of California, testified for the defence.

Congress in Session. WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Both houses of congress held brief sessions to-day. Big crowds attended the opening.

RECEIVING TO-DAY. Mrs. Glyn Osier, 14 Meredith-crescent, Miss Hubert Watt and Mrs. Mack, Willocks-street.

May Move Dairy School. KINGSTON, Dec. 7.—(Special.)—At a meeting of dairymen, G. G. Fubow, chief dairymen of the county, said that the school here did not receive one-half the amount of milk it should, and unless there was more forthcoming there would be danger of the school being moved.

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In Society. The annual dance of the Hya Yaka Club of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons takes place this evening in the Temple Building.

A pleasant musical will mark the second of the series of six song recitals given for the benefit of the Hospital for Sick Children and the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives, which will be held on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 4 p.m., at the Royal Alexandra Theatre.

The Long Branch Bachelors will hold a dance in the Metropolitan Assembly rooms next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Charles E. Brown and Miss Grover will receive on Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 183 East Gerrard-street, and afterwards on the first Monday.

Good Square Piano for \$90.00. The opportunity is now to secure a splendid square piano, well suited for practice, for \$90, \$125, and as low as \$15.

WANT STRONG for Railway Board. WINNIPEG, Dec. 7.—A special meeting of the board of trade this morning, at which Hon. Frank Oliver attended, a report received to-day declares that the railway commission, caused by the death of Hon. Thomas Greenway.

Boy Burglar Sentenced. SALT, Dec. 7.—Earl Licht, the 28-year-old boy who was caught burglarizing the safe of the local Bell Telephone Co.'s office last Monday, was today sentenced by Police Magistrate Blake to two years and six months in Kingston Penitentiary.

Trade is Growing. OTTAWA, Dec. 7.—A. B. Jackson, Canadian trade commissioner at Leeds, in a report received to-day declares that the trade of Canada, with the north of England is growing in a remarkable manner.

Had Burglar's Kit. STRATFORD, Dec. 7.—A professional wrestler, John Hamlet, arrested for raising a disturbance in a theatre, was found to have a burglar's kit, with nitro-glycerine in his hotel room. During the night he tried to set fire to his cell.

Toronto Local Council of Women. A public meeting in the interests of the children of Toronto will be held in the Canadian Institute, 188 Coles-burg-street, on Thursday, at 8 p.m.

French Speaker Says Borden is Sworn Enemy of Race. MONTREAL, Dec. 7.—(Special.)—Le Nationaliste this week publishes the following extract from a speech delivered at Saint-Esprit, Montcalm County, Oct. 11, by F. O. Dugas, member-elect for that constituency.

MONTREAL THEATRES WILL BE OPEN SUNDAY NEXT. MONTREAL, Dec. 7.—The Sparrow and Jacobs Amusement Co. has decided to open the Academy of Music, Francaise and the Theatre Royal on Sundays, as a protest against the small moving picture shows in the French-Canadian portion of the city being open. They say they are paying more taxes and should have at least the same privileges.

Fifty Were Confirmed. Some 50 girls and 20 young men were presented by Rev. Canon H. C. Dixon for the rite of confirmation at Little Trinity Church Sunday evening.

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Advertisement for Madam GADSKI, featuring text: 'The soloist at to-night's concert of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra in Massey Hall.'

Advertisement for Dodds' Kidney Pills, featuring text: 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. THE GREAT KIDNEY DISCOURSER. CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES.'

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