

CHOIR CONCERT AT FIRST BAPTIST

A Difficult Program Was Rendered in Exceedingly Fine Style.

The choir of the First Baptist church assisted by Mrs. David Wright, elocutionist, and the National Male Quartette last evening gave a very enjoyable and highly appreciated concert in the church. The edifice was filled with an attentive and appreciative audience who signified their approval by hearty rounds of applause for each number rendered.

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Mr. J. A. Halrod acquitted themselves admirably. Mr. D. L. Wright, the organist and choir leader, was in charge and his several organ numbers were exquisite in harmony and expression. Mr. Wright proved himself to be a thorough master of the pipe organ, his touch and expression being almost perfect. The numbers rendered by the choir showed the good results of weeks of training. Mr. Wright's rendition of Brewer's "Echo Bells" and Shelley's "Scherzo Mosaic" (Dragonflies) were perhaps the most difficult of his numbers. The soft chiming of the bells resounded throughout the church in vibrant chords, while the louder tones of the organ filled the church with a flood of harmony. Edward Johnson's "Midsummer Caprice," also brought out the finer qualities of tones while his rendition of Charles Dennee's three mountain scenes "The Rainbow," "Forest Streams" and "The Placid Lake" brought forth great rounds of applause, showing that the efforts of the musician were highly appreciated.

"The Carol of the Lark" (Bailey), sung by Miss Edna Phipps brought forth the finer qualities of this young lady's exquisite voice. Miss Phipps has a voice of great culture and one which is heard to advantage at any time. Her rendition of this number would set one dreaming of the singing of the birds so well was it rendered. Perhaps, the most difficult solo work of the evening was done by Miss Rhea Hutchinson, the leading soloist. Besides her solo number, "Spring" by Herschel, a very difficult number, Miss Hutchinson also took the soprano solo in anthem by the choir, "A Song in the Night," nothing need be said of Miss Hutchinson's work. Her ability is well known and last night she lived up to the name she has earned of being one of Brantford's best. Every word and note was as distinct and clear as one could wish for.

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too much praise is Miss Elsie Senn, whose rich contralto voice more than pleased everyone in her rendition of the "Serenata" (Maschevoni). To say the least it was exquisite. Her full, rich contralto notes fairly rang through the church as she sang this difficult number.

Never before has Mr. J. A. Halrod been heard to better advantage than at last night's entertainment. His rich baritone fairly filled the auditorium. Beside his solo "A Song of Thanksgiving" (Allitsen), rendered in an admirable manner, he also had a solo and duet part in the first anthem.

It was in the male quartette that splendid harmony was brought out. The National Male Quartette consisting of Messrs. W. McIntyre, J. A. Halrod, C. R. Armstrong and W. Byers rendered the old but ever popular "Juanito" (Parks). Enough cannot be said about it. The harmony and expression put into the selection was admirable. Mrs. David Wright delighted the audience with one of Ian MacLaren's poems, "Through the Flood" from "Beside the Bonnie Brier Bush." Her manner and enunciation was above criticism, and the great applause showed the appreciation of the audience.

The choir rendered four difficult anthems in an excellent manner and they were greatly appreciated. After the concert the Ladies' Aid of the church served an impromptu banquet to the artists in appreciation of their splendid work.

Village Strikes for Water.

Owing to a defective water supply to Chevington, a village in Normansland, the two hundred miners have struck work. They are also keeping their children from school until the colliery proprietors improve the water supply.

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Military Notes

The regiment is going to camp at Niagara on Monday morning, June 8th in full marching order, detail of same will be found in Regimental Orders published.

This will be their first appearance in the new web equipment, a decided improvement which will be appreciated.

The Dufferins will be brigaded with all the Western Ontario corps, which include Queen's Own Rifles; 48th Highlanders; 10th Grenadiers; 13th Royal Regiment; 91st Highlanders; 19th of St. Catharines besides cavalry, army medical corps, army service corps, and other departmental corps.

The news of the change in orders which meant that the camp was to be held at Niagara instead of Petewawa was received with great pleasure by all ranks.

Signalling Sergt. J. Pearce has returned from Toronto University, and will accompany the regiment to camp, also Sig. Corp. J. Waddle.

The five days will be spent in field tactics with plenty of leisure for sight seeing. The catering is in the hands of Host Crumback—nuff sed.

The regimental football team will compete in championship series, and hopes to win the banner as they have done twice previously.

match will be shot on the range on Saturday.

"D" Company are holding a prize shoot and some valuable prizes are being offered.

The B. C. I. cadets league team are shooting their match off to-day.

The B. C. I. Cadets are concluding all arrangements for their camp at Niagara on the Lake on July 1st.

Capt's. Stemin and Feely are sure of taking two full companies of the local corps.

The cadets camp will be bigger and better than ever this year, the supply department leaving nothing undone to assure success.

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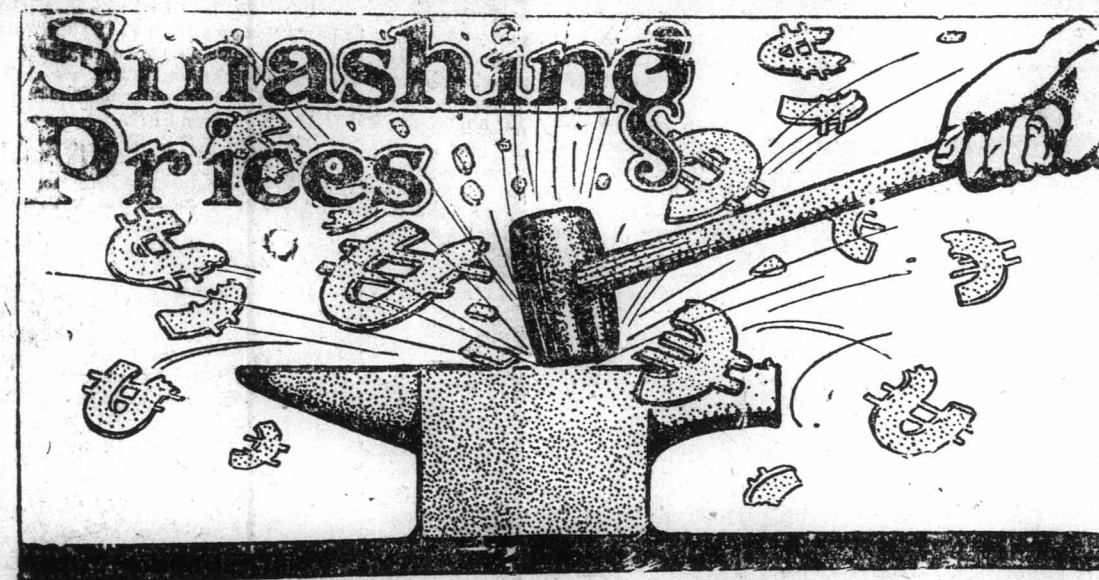
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Thrilling Story To-Day—Affair, D Save W Died W tain Ker Army L

The Special Wire to The QUEBEC, May 30.—The stories of the survivors of the Empress of Ireland last night, it is now possible to get a fairly accurate idea of the great marine disaster. The collision between the Empress and the collier, Storstad, was seen by Captain Kendall, who had pulled up the signal from the Empress, which she sank, only two could be launched. Most of the first and cabin passengers were caught by the rush of water. A boiler explosion which wounded many of the passengers. The Storstad did not realize that she had fatally struck the Empress, and then lay in lowering her boats. Hundreds of women lives by stopping to dress. While the crew rep majority of the saved, to no violation of the British naval regulations. The Empress sacrificed their lives after people in the boats and being picked out of the water which they had swam at. Another reason for the

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So Said the Story... ed Up by the... on the Life... ped to Dress

By Special Wire to The RIMOUSKI, May 30.—I opened so quickly that we did not know what was going on. I had time even to cry "two" before the Empress was down. They stated that there were no survivors from the Empress. The Empress was seen by Captain Kendall, who had pulled up the signal from the Empress, which she sank, only two could be launched. Most of the first and cabin passengers were caught by the rush of water. A boiler explosion which wounded many of the passengers. The Storstad did not realize that she had fatally struck the Empress, and then lay in lowering her boats. Hundreds of women lives by stopping to dress. While the crew rep majority of the saved, to no violation of the British naval regulations. The Empress sacrificed their lives after people in the boats and being picked out of the water which they had swam at. Another reason for the