

## JOYS' CHOIR GIVES FINE PROGRAMME

Moncton Singers Thrill Large Audience in St. Vincent's Auditorium.

St. Vincent's Auditorium was filled last evening to listen to the exquisite music produced by the Petits Choeurs of the Assumption parish church of Moncton, who gave a much enjoyed concert, directed by Rev. Albini LeBlanc. Miss Lumina LeBlanc was the skilful accompanist, although the choir sang almost entirely without accompaniment for the very fine selections from the old masters of Church music. Father LeBlanc was heartily congratulated at the close. There was about 60 in the choir, 10 young adults and the remainder boys from eight to 14. The heavy bass parts were carried by Captain John Malenfant and his older son, Captain Malenfant is the father of Miss Anna Malenfant, who has such remarkable contralto voice, and who has recently returned from study abroad.

Encores were called for after every number, but, if distinction may be made, it might be said that rapturous applause was given for the singing of L. da Palestrina's "Gloria in Excelsis" and the "Rosary" by Nevin. The tonal effects in these were exquisite, the unaccompanied music being sustained by the fine voices of the adult singers, who gave with faultless execution and sympathy the tuneful notes of the accompaniment of the choir. The deep bass notes that end the accompaniment were thrilling when sung by Captain Malenfant and his son.

For facility of execution and sustained notes the last number on the programme, "Exultate, Justi," by Ludwig Vladana, was excellent and greatly appreciated by the large audience. Throughout the choir sang well together, their attack being clear and well made, with fine attention to timbre and portamento passages. They showed, after only 15 months' training, fine voice control, good intonation and artistic shading. The harmony was melodious in every case. The inspiration to establish this choir was given Rev. Father LeBlanc when the Paulist choir was in the province. His work has made it possible to prophecy that New Brunswick will soon have a rival of the New York chorists.

Eric Robichaud, first soprano; Leo Boleau, second soprano; Algnal Saville, alto, and Eugene LeBlanc, contralto, made a fine quartette, the sopranos rising clear and full, with the lower voices making a musical effect that was exquisite. They sang "La Vierge" by Massenet. The high notes of the first soprano seemed to soar into lofty heights. The other special numbers were a duet by Eric Robichaud and Algnal Saville from Santa Lucia, which brought out the lovely tones of the boyish voices. Other numbers were "Emite Spiritum" for seven mixed voices, by Schuetz, and "Sanctus," for four mixed voices, Oscar Van Durne; Irish song, "Believe Me If All These Endearing Young Charms," by the men, "was heartily received and encored." "Ave Maria," by T. L. de Victoria and Jerusalem, by Gounod, were sung with fine taste. The old favorite, "Swanee River," was given with very pretty effect, when in the second stanza, humming was used. This was repeated, as was part of "Jerusalem," which had many difficult passages sung with perfection.

When the choir arrived on the early evening train from Moncton a light supper was given them at the Young Men's Catholic Institute by the ladies of the Catholic Women's League. The Y. M. C. supplied cars to convey them to and from the station. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, received them and was also present for the supper, which was served them after the concert by the League members, Mrs. John Owens, president of the league, received them as they entered the large room, and there was a large committee of ladies to serve the guests, who received great praise for their wonderful entertainment. They left for home on the late train.

## COUNTRESS MORNER SUELED FOR DIVORCE

New York, July 29.—The Countess Morner, formerly Peggy Hopkins Joyce, of musical comedy fame, who has divorced two millionaires, today was served with papers in a suit investigated by the Court for annulment of her most recent marriage.

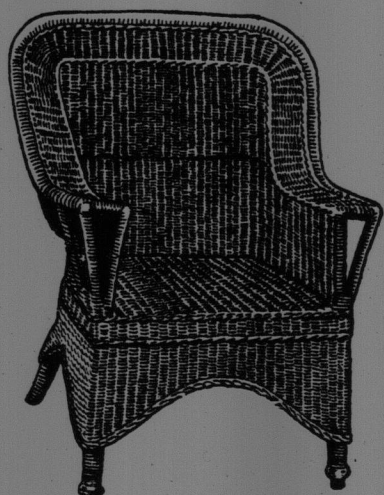
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## LEADS FAIRVILLE IN H. S. ENTRANCE

Albert Clark of Manawagonish Road School, Makes 878 Out of 1050

The results of the High School entrance examinations in the Fairville schools have been announced and Albert Clark, son of Albert Clark, the only pupil from the Manawagonish Road school, heads the list with 878 marks out of a possible 1,050. Others who made 700 or more follow: Le Baron McKel, 809; Burton Scott, 787; Robert Lodge, 735; Margaret Donovan, 726; Ena Donovan, 710; Alice Darcy, 704. Those who passed and made less than 700 marks were: Ronald Patrique, 650; Curtis Daley, 546; Edna Byers, 617; Dorothy Fritz, 584; Kenneth Cougle, 612; Lillian Appleby, 661; Florentine Toley, 684; Donald Campbell, 645; Maize Theal, 675; Allison Moore, 676; Thelma Melanson, 648; Theresa Goss, 627; Robert Cochran, 618; Walter Campbell, 548; Gertrude Byers, 616; Andrew Gordon, 664; Gertrude O'Brien, 620; Margaret Duplisa, 585; Helen O'Toole, 605; Gertrude Wallace, 632; and Kathleen Legere, 621. The pupils who wrote the examinations were from the Fairville Superior, Point and Manawagonish Road schools.

## GYRO CLUB HAS ANNUAL PICNIC

About seventy members of the Gyro Club, of friends and friends, went on the club's annual picnic to Belyea's Point yesterday. The various committees in charge had all of the details carefully arranged and the picnicers enjoyed every minute of the time. The party left the city in 16 automobiles at 2 o'clock. The afternoon at Belyea's Point was spent in sports on the beach and in the water.

A keenly contested game of ball resulted in a victory for the team captained by Len Wilson which 11 runs against the 7 of the team captained by Joe Kee. Then two mixed teams put on a game of ball that was short but exciting. Mrs. Belyea served supper at tables set out in front of her house and the Gyro members and their guests voted the supper everything that could be wished for. A series of races were run off after supper and then a tug-of-war was staged. The married men pulled against the single men and could not stand up against the single men's vigorous tugging. At 8.30 dancing was begun in the pavilion and that attraction proved one of the greatest picnic pleasures. It was around the mid-night hour when the party set out on the homeward journey. The club entertainment committee, of which Joe Kee is chairman, had charge of the arrangements. The sports were directed by Len Wilson and Dr. Frank W. Stevenson had charge of the dance.

**STUNT FLIER DIES IN CHINA; WAS AVIATOR TWENTY YEARS**

San Francisco, July 30.—Word of the death of "Danny" Davidson, pioneer "stunt" flier, was received in cablegrams to San Francisco friends. He died in Hong Kong. Davidson was licensed as an aviator in 1904 when he was but 18 years old. During the war he was a civilian instructor. Davidson was in the service of Villa in Mexico in 1915 and last year went to China as an aviation instructor for the Chinese Government.

## CHAMP STRAWBERRY RAISER



Beryl Ashley, Foxboro, Mass., who, with her father, John Ashley, claims the strawberry-raising championship. From a four-acre plot they got 30,000 boxes of berries this year. Miss Ashley is exhibiting some of them in this picture.

## ONTARIO BABY TAKES THE PRIZE

James Edward Rowe, of Whitty, Wins at Empire Exhibition

London, July 29.—Mary Wilson, of Melbourne, Australia, has been chosen from 60,000 entrants as the bonniest baby in the British Empire according to an announcement made today by officials of the National Baby Week competition conducted at Wembley. Baby Wilson, who is two years and eight months old, receives two hundred pounds sterling.

James Edward Rowe, of Whitty, Ont., was the winner of the second class for babies between nine months and two years of age and with John Strong, of St. John's, Newfoundland, who finished at the top of the first

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class for infants three to nine months, wins one hundred pounds sterling. Kenneth Farrell, of Mount Forest, Ont., is one of five babies in the first class and each receive a prize of twenty pounds sterling.

## WEDDINGS

Dick-Kirkpatrick. A pretty wedding took place at Clayburn, B. C., on Thursday, July 17, at 12.30 o'clock, when Rev. A. Ross officiated at the marriage of Miss Janet Cecilia Kirkpatrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kirkpatrick, and James Walter Dick, only son of H. J. Dick, of St. John.

## CANADIAN GIRL AMONG INJURED

London, July 29.—Miss Winifred Ferguson, of Millbrook, Ont., is reported to have been slightly injured in a railway collision at Haymarket Station, Edinburgh, today, when four British women lost their lives. Twenty-eight other women were injured.

## PROMISES TO LEAVE.

Nellie Gogan, who was arrested last Thursday night on a charge of wandering about and not giving a satisfactory account of herself, appeared in the police court yesterday afternoon and was fined \$25 or an option of three months in jail. The penalty was allowed to stand providing she left the city, which she promised to do.

## AIRPLANE CRASHES.

Calgary, Alta., July 29.—Cutting down through the storm-banked clouds while doing forest patrol duty in his airplane in the Porcupine Hills district on Monday, George Mercer, aviator, crashed into the top of a hill that was hidden by the low-lying clouds and wrecked his airplane. Mercer broke his nose, but was not seriously injured.

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(Fur Dept.)

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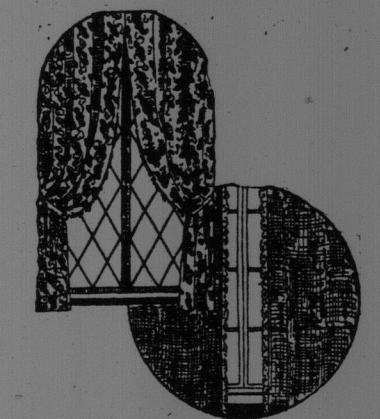
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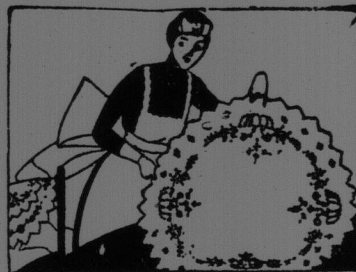
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## HIGHWAYS OF N. B. RECEIVE PRAISE

"Best Encountered in 6,000 Mile Trip," Says Visitor.

A motorist from Montana remarked to a garage man in St. John a few days ago that the best roads he had found on the trip he had travelled after he entered New Brunswick. He believed the province had good cause to be proud of the splendid state of its highways. That motorist had travelled 6,000 miles before entering New Brunswick.

The garages and service stations in the city last night reported that they had large numbers of foreign cars during the day and that the motor tourist traffic through the city this year was fully twice as great as last year although they believed that fewer of the cars were staying overnight in St. John. Reports from five of the garages told of 26 cars from outside New Brunswick having put in yesterday for longer or shorter periods.

The season's record in far distance automobile traffic according to the registers of service stations and garages showed that cars had come to St. John from California, Vancouver, South Carolina, Montana, Iowa, Nevada, Illinois, Ohio, Rhode Island,

Ontario, Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Quebec and Nova Scotia. The number of Nova Scotia cars visiting the city has been surprisingly great.

## Varied Collections.

At one garage yesterday three Nova Scotia cars and one car each from Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire were housed during the day and there were six cars which had been cared for over Monday night. The six came one each from Ohio and Illinois and two each from Maine and Massachusetts. A service station numbered among its clients yesterday three Boston cars, two New York cars, an Illinois car and a Nova Scotia car which had passed through two weeks previously and was returning after a trip to New York and the White Mountains. On Monday a South Carolina car had called at this station.

Another garage had a Quebec car and two Massachusetts cars in shelter yesterday and still another had eight foreign automobiles, including five Massachusetts cars, and one each from South Carolina, New Jersey, and New York. This garage had had as patrons this season cars from California and Nevada, but the proprietor was inclined to regret the fact that so few cars stopped overnight this year. He thought the new hotel might be an inducement for longer visits in the city next year and mean an increased business for the garagemen.

## Mostly Well Pleased.

At one garage, where a New York car and a Massachusetts car were being put up yesterday, the season's clients had included cars from New Jersey, Rhode Island, Illinois, Cal-

ifornia, Connecticut, Quebec, Ontario and Nova Scotia.

Automobile repair shops had responded some benefit from visiting motorists also. One repair shop on the outskirts of the city had had about two dozen foreign cars to work on this season and they had come from New York, Boston and Maine. The proprietor of this shop had noticed passing cars which had come from as far distant as Indiana, and believed the automobile traffic this year was considerably greater than last year. Another repair shop had worked on seven American cars this season and still another had had cars from Boston and Detroit.

## WRECKAGE FOUND.

Halifax, July 29.—Advices reaching here today stated that part of the wreckage of a schooner's cabin and a trunk had been picked up off Port Felix, N. S. The trunk contained a violin and a book with the name "Verger" on the flyleaf. The wreckage seemed to be fresh and the result of a collision.

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