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Colborne St. Sunday School Anniversary

The 25th anniversary of Colborne Street Sunday School was celebrated in a most successful and excellent manner last evening. Ever since its organization the Sunday school has steadily grown in size until it is now one of the largest in the city. Under the able and earnest direction of the pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, B.A. and the following officers: John Mann, hon. superintendent; C. F. Verity, Supt.; J. M. Young, Associate Supt.; S. M. Fry, Associate Supt.; John A. Horning, treasurer; W. Atkinson, Asst. Treas.; Herbert File, assistant treasurer; F. Mann, Secy.; H. Bert Howell, Asst. Secy.; Miss Sanderson, pianist; W. S. House, blackboard artist; Stewart Sanderson, chorister.

Much credit is also due to the capable staff of teachers for their untiring efforts have done much for the welfare of the children.

The program was divided into three parts, the primary, intermediate and senior. Rev. Mr. Holling capably occupied the chair and introduced each number with a few appropriate words.

PRIMARY CLASS
All of the songs and recitations by the little children were very good and liberal applause marked the conclusion of each item. The little girls who sang were Misses Ruth Lamb, Wilma Zavitz, Elsie and Helen Prouse, Norma Taylor, Aileen Riddolls, Della Ingleby, Moreen Spencer, Florence Tucker, Grace Warrick and Audrey House. Two splendid songs were rendered by the infant class. Recitations were given by Miss Olga Smith and Master Garvin Jones, and a well rendered song by Master Frank Leeming.

INTERMEDIATE CLASS
The numbers in this second part were given by older children, and proved to be excellent. Two little girls of Miss Turnbull's class sang "Little Sailor" in a very sweet manner. "One of Many," by Master Fred Jones, was also very good.

The little girls of Miss Sowden's class in "A Week in Sun Bonnet Land" made a decided impression on the large audience for their realistic imitation of household duties, such as sweeping, sewing, washing and other things, was exceedingly well performed.

A little girl of Miss Charlton's class gave such an interesting recitation that she was heartily enjoyed. Misses Phyllis Sayles, Dorothy and Florence Dutton gave entertaining songs in a very pleasing manner. The sextette of little maidens from Miss Bedford's class, who sang "Dollies' Bed Time," were very cute.

Miss Butler's class of girls performed a dainty flag drill, which was rather complicated in some parts, but the little girls carried out their exercise without a mistake. Miss Helen Verity gave a recitation which was remarkably clear and interesting, and with another recitation from Walter Mann, and the chorus of "God Will Care for You" by Mrs. C. F. Verity's Class, completed the second part of the programme.

SENIOR CLASS
The duet by Mrs. Frank Leeming and Mrs. Secord was excellently rendered and was worth the hearty applause it received. The violin solo by Miss Mildred Sanderson was remarkably well played, and, as the chairman remarked, was of a very artistic nature. The drill by the S. Finders' Class, the selection by the H. H. Class, and the solo by a member of the Golden Gleams Class, were also very entertaining. The program was excellently closed by a long and well-performed exercise by the H. H. Class. Several fair young ladies portrayed the reception of the various spirits or moods on Mt. Olympus.

Mr. Harley at the close of the programme on behalf of the Quarterly Official board of gold to Miss Agnes Butler, who had been obliged to submit her resignation, because of her call to the West. It was with the greatest of regret that the resignation had to be accepted, for during her had to office in the church Miss Butler had endeared herself to all and would be greatly missed in every department.

Miss Butler expressed her thanks for the splendid gift and said that it was not easy to leave the church which had grown to be so dear to her.

Mr. C. F. Verity presented prizes to the children who had been most efficient and prompt in their attendance, at the close of the entertainment.

SOME VIEWPOINTS

By Special Wire to the Courier.
Venice, May 10, via London, May 11.—The newspapers of Vienna justify the sinking of the Lusitania on the ground that she was "virtually an auxiliary cruiser." The Neue Wiener Presse says: "The Lusitania was really exactly the same as an English battleship." The Neue Freie Presse says: "The sinking of the liner is equivalent to a naval defeat, and perhaps one result of the incident will be the collapse in America of faith in England and greater regard for the German empire."

ALGONQUIN PARK.
The Highland Inn, Algonquin Park has been advertised to open May 15th, but owing to the early season and the good fishing which can now be enjoyed, the Grand Trunk have arranged to accommodate any guests desiring to visit the Park before the date. For further particulars apply C. E. Horning, Union Station, Toronto.

THE MARKETS

CHICAGO, May 8.—Huge sales, the largest perhaps in months, broke down the price of wheat at one time today 5 7/8c a bushel. Fear of complications resulting from the sinking of the Lusitania was most to do with the setback, but the bearish crop report from Washington cut a good deal of figure and 5 3/4c, too, did the renewal of war rumors about Italy. Prices were unsettled. 2 3/4c to 4 1/2c under last night. Other net losses were: Corn 5-8c to 7-8c, oats 4c to 5-8c, and provisions 10c to 35c.

Corn held up in a notable manner compared with the weakness of wheat. Improved domestic shipping call was largely the reason for the comparatively strength shown. In oats, as in corn, offerings were readily absorbed. There was some enquiry from the seaboard.

Provisionary tumbled with grain for the time being, the upward slant of the hog market seemed to be ignored.

WHEAT, FLOUR & GRAIN MARKET.
Wheat, fall, bushel..... \$1.50 to \$1.55
Good wheat, bushel..... 1.40 to 1.45
Buckwheat, bushel..... .85 to .90
Barley, bushel..... .25 to .35
Rye, bushel..... .15 to .25
Oats, bushel..... .10 to .15
Rye, bushel..... .10 to .15

MONTREAL GRAIN MARKET.
MONTREAL, May 8.—The export trade in grain today was dull. There was some demand for oats on spot and sales of 100,000 bushels of extra No. 1 feed were made at 64 1/2c, or a decline of 1/2c per bushel as compared with previous sales reported.

There was a change in prices for carlots on spot, but the market is steady and lower values are expected. The foreign demand for flour was quiet and business on spot continues dull. Demand for millfeed continues fair. The feeling in butter is strongest and prices today advanced 1/2c to 2c per pound at Cowansville as compared with last week. Supplies are small and higher prices are expected next week. Receipts for week 7,104 packages as compared with 7,247 a year ago.

Eggs are very strong and prices are fairly booming, all the offers at St. Hyacinthe being sold at an advance of 2c over last week. Receipts for week 23,811 cases as compared with 19,058 a year ago.

Potatoes 2 1/2c per bag lower.

CATTLE MARKETS

EAST BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
EAST BUFFALO, May 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 50; active.
Feeds—Receipts, 400; slow; \$4.50 to \$5.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 3000; active; heavy, \$7.50 to \$8; mixed, \$7; Yorkers, \$7.50 to \$8; pigs, \$7.50 to \$7.75; roughs, \$6.50 to \$6.60; stages, \$5 to \$5.75.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
CHICAGO, May 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; Market steady. Steers, \$6.50 to \$7; cows, \$6.50 to \$7; heifers, \$6.50 to \$7; calves, \$6.50 to \$7.
Hogs—Receipts, 8000; Market steady. Light, \$7.50 to \$7.65; mixed, \$7.15 to \$7.60; heavy, \$6.50 to \$7.45; rough, \$6.80 to \$6.95; pigs, \$6.25 to \$6.80; bulk of sales, \$7.30 to \$7.45.
Sheep—Receipts, 500; Market steady. Native, \$7.50 to \$8.50; lambs, native, \$5.50 to \$10.85.

BRANTFORD MARKET

The market was a large one this morning, but there was nothing new on sale. The prices are steady and generally high, with few exceptions and are generally high. The items are:

VEGETABLES
Lettuce, bunch..... .08 to .10
Radish..... .05 to .06
Horseradish, bottle..... .05 to .06
Onions, bunch..... .05 to .06
Potatoes, bag..... .05 to .06
Celery, bunch..... .07 to .10
Carrots, basket..... .20 to .25
Turnips, bushel..... .20 to .25
Rhubarb, bunch..... .05 to .06

DAIRY PRODUCTS
Butter, per lb..... .32 to .34
Do, creamery, lb..... .34 to .35
Eggs, dozen..... .19 to .22
Cheese, new, lb..... .18 to .20
Do, old, lb..... .15 to .16
Honey, sections..... .12 1/2 to .15

MEATS
Beef, roasts..... .15 to .18
Do, sirloin..... .18 to .20
Do, boiling..... .10 to .12
Steak, round, lb..... .20 to .22
Do, side..... .15 to .18
Bologna, lb..... .10 to .12
Hops, sack..... .20 to .22
Do, boiled, lb..... .35 to .40
Lamb, hindquarter..... .20 to .22
Chops, lb..... .25 to .30
Mutton, lb..... .12 to .15
Beef hearts, each..... .30 to .40
Do, kidneys..... .15 to .20
Pork, fresh hams, lb..... .12 to .15
Dry salt pork, lb..... .20 to .22
Spare ribs, lb..... .15 to .18
Chicken, each..... .25 to .30
Bacon, back, lb..... .25 to .30
Sausage, lb..... .12 1/2 to .15
Duck, each..... .40 to .50

FISH
Fresh Herring, lb..... .10 to .12
Smelts, lb..... .10 to .12
Perch, lb..... .10 to .12
Ciscos, lb..... .10 to .12
Whitefish, lb..... .10 to .12
Salmon trout, lb..... .10 to .12
Herring, large, each..... .10 to .12
Do, small, each..... .10 to .12
Yellow pickerel, lb..... .12 to .15
Silver bass, lb..... .10 to .12

GRAIN
Barley, bushel..... .65 to .70
Oats, bushel..... .40 to .45
Buckwheat, bushel..... .85 to .90
Rye, bushel..... .10 to .15

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