

COLLEGIATE SPEECH DAY.

Medals and Prizes Presented by
Prominent Citizens.

Large Attendance of Parents and
Friends of School.

Work of the Pupils Gave Much
Interest.

The annual presentation of medals and prizes to the successful pupils of the Collegiate Institute took place yesterday afternoon in the assembly hall, which was filled to capacity by the pupils and their parents and friends. Thos. Holson, Chairman of the Board of Education, presided, and in opening made a few complimentary remarks on the efficiency of the school staff and on the success of the scholars as a whole. James Chisholm, M. A., LL.B., in presenting the "Edgar Levy" and the "Luchan" gold medals to H. A. Harrison, spoke highly as to his ability, he having won many scholarships and honors. The awarding of the "Luchan" medal, he thought, created a stronger interest in classics among the pupils. S. F. Lazier, K. C., presented his own medal, which was presented by Miss A. E. Baker, for first proficiency, part II, and referred to the large number of years that he had taken an interest in the work of schools in Hamilton. He was the oldest member on the Board of Education.

Miss L. A. Stewart won the "Hobson" gold medal, which was presented by the donor, Thomas Hobson. He heartily congratulated Miss Stewart on the success of her efforts. He also presented silver medals to the following, with a few words of congratulation: Miss R. Strong, Miss O. Clark, Miss R. Bolton, Miss E. Lambert, Miss P. Almas, W. Russell, C. K. Duff, C. Roberts and H. C. Harvey.

The "Griffin" trophy and cup were presented by Lyman Lee, who outlined the manner in which the trophy and cup had been presented many years ago by Dr. Griffin, to be competed for annually. He also impressed on his listeners the importance of the study of good reading. The trophy was won by class II, which was represented by Harry Nicholson, Norman Mitchell, Roy Peterson, Misses O. Clark, R. Strong and R. White. Each one was presented with a gold pin, as an appreciation of their efforts. The cup was awarded to Miss Muriel Adey, room six.

The Cadet Corps of the Collegiate was present and gave a pleasing exhibition of drill. Corporal Collier was the winner of the Lee-Bafield rifle, presented by Mrs. P. D. Crerar, on behalf of the local chapter, I. O. O. E. Mrs. Crerar thought that every boy should have a military training, and if all were as well trained as the members of the cadet corps, Canada would have an army equal to any in the world. Women, she said, did not want war, but when it did come they wanted men, not cowards. Mrs. Crerar's remarks were enthusiastically received. Lieut.-Col. E. E. W. Moore gave a few brief remarks to the cadets on the proper handling and care of a rifle and emphatically denounced the foolish practice of pointing it at any one, whether it was loaded or not. He congratulated Sergt. Syme on the excellent showing that the cadets had made at the official inspection last summer.

Lieut.-Col. W. A. Logie was present and said that when he attended school they did not have any building facilities or cadet corps as there were at the present time, and commented on the great strides that had been made by the Board of Education. He also congratulated Sergt. Syme and his able officers, Corporal B. Collier, Color-Sergt. T. R. Woodhouse, Cadets J. White, O. Jarvis and J. P. Kane were awarded certificates and a pair of cuff links each as winners in the Canadian Military Rifle League contest. Sergt. C. S. Morgan and Cadet B. Leitch were awarded a pair of cuff links each. Cadet J. White was awarded the president's badge and cup for the highest aggregate score. The team prize, a shield, of the Canadian Military Rifle League match was won by the cadet corps, and was presented to them by Lieut.-Col. E. E. W. Moore.

The following pupils won prizes at the University of Toronto Intercollegiate meet, held last October:

100 yards dash—C. S. Morgan.
220 yards—C. S. Morgan.
High jump and broad jump—C. Manning.

Those who took honors during the year were:

Toronto University.
F. Ainsworth, Miss J. M. Hegg, Miss M. S. Brown, Miss N. L. Evans, Miss E. F. Cloke, J. K. Graham, Miss L. A. Gwyn, L. B. Henry, J. G. Laing and Miss B. R. Thomson.

McGill University.
H. Burrow, W. P. Hudson, C. E. Daw, G. F. Morton, and J. N. Williams, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Lytle K. Webber.

Western Reserve University.
Miss Ruth H. Read.

Before the presentations the school and the Technical School were open for inspection, and the work of the pupils proved highly interesting.

Other successes of the year were:

Faculty of Education:
Full—A. E. Baxter, N. G. Dixon, I. P. Dymont, E. M. Gillard, A. Kendrick, M. A. Laidlaw, E. V. Marshall, H. L. Moore, E. M. Moss, A. L. Scott.

Part II—A. K. Booker, C. E. Brown, H. B. Campbell, L. T. Dymont, W. Harris, E. V. Marshall, M. E. Moore, J. V. Morgan, G. Morwick, A. L. Scott, H. Stephenson, L. A. Stewart (hon.), E. H. Strong.

Part III—A. E. Baxter, N. G. Dixon, I. P. Dymont, E. M. Gillard, A. Kendrick, M. A. Laidlaw, E. V. Marshall, H. L. Moore, E. M. Moss, A. L. Scott.

Normal School Certificates:
E. E. Binkley (hon.), R. A. Burley (hon.), E. L. Cody, M. B. Cox, P. A. Davis, V. V. Depew, H. Eccles, C. S. Foran, K. B. Hedley, J. R. Hewson, C. N. Morgan, M. C. Morgan, L. Rooney, A. J. Shanks, E. M. Strong (hon.), W. A. Weir, Z. Zimmerman.

Pass Matriculation:
F. Ainsworth, F. M. Allan (Sup.), L. F. Barnes, W. D. Booker, R. A. Burley, G. M. Cameron, E. L. Cody, M. S. Cotter, C. G. Davis, P. A. Davis, R. R. Denison, V. V. Depew, G. M. Dobbin, W. L. Dobin, P. Duvivier, A. W. Eagar, W. H. Farlow, F. R. Gillrie (Sup.), M. R. Gordon, B. L. Gwyn, H. A. Harrison, W. H. Howard, L. Husband, A. Kendrick, E. M. Lake, M. Laidlaw, E. D. Leonard (Sup.), A. Marshall, E. V. Marshall, G. Mitchell, A. C. McFarlane, H. Morwick, H. Parke (Sup.), M. G. Paterson, H. E. Ramsay (Mus.), L. Richardson, A. J. Shanks, G. Shaw, E. A. Simmons (Sup.), J. M. Steedman, G. C. Stevenson, E. Sturdy, J.

N. Williams, A. M. Yeates, Z. Zimmerman.

Model School Certificates
B. A. Caraher, A. M. Davis, F. A. Dugan, E. C. Hogarth, A. Holston, M. M. Kappele, H. Lee, E. F. McJanity, I. M. Neil, B. Nelson, M. M. Rooney, E. J. Sager, V. Transon.

Amusements

PICTURES AT THE SAVOY.

Few people realize that it costs more to produce a motion picture than it does the average society play. It seems odd that a twenty-minute reel should prove as costly as a dramatic presentation occupying two hours and a half, but it is a fact. There is much scenery to be painted, costumes to be made, the players must be rehearsed, and frequently three or four thousand feet of negatives are made before the subject passes inspection. And it all costs money, but moving picture entertainment is here to stay. Perhaps the best proof of that is seen in the crowds that have packed the Savoy all season, especially at the evening performances. Four thousand feet of film are displayed at every performance, and this, with vaudeville specialties and pleasing illustrated songs, forms the attractive combination that has been drawing the crowds to the Merrick street playhouse for months past. The beautifully colored Pathe films are a strong feature. The subjects are selected with great care, and the beautiful tinting and colorings are works of art that excite admiration. The management of the Savoy, adhering to the policy which marked its successful career as a vaudeville, and, later as a stock theatre, spared no expense in making connections that would ensure its patrons getting the best that the moving picture field affords at the earliest possible moment. The feature attraction next week will be the great automobile race on the Atlantic coast, which is expected to be a picture will be a sensational success. It cost a small fortune to produce and is described by competent critics as being one of the greatest films ever produced. It should prove a strong drawing card here on Monday and Tuesday.

HARMONIC SOCIETY CONCERT.

The programme for the concert of the Harmonic Society on Feb. 3 will consist of three operatic selections from "Tannhauser," two short cantatas, "The Crusaders," by Nils Gade, and a setting of the 150th Psalm by Saint Saens. The latter is for double chorus, a new work never given anywhere before. The orchestra of last year will be augmented with harps and more violins. Already tickets are selling well, and prospects good for a record breaker audience.

INTERNATIONAL LODGE.

The entertainment given by International Lodge last evening drew an audience that filled the C. O. O. F. Hall to overflowing. Following was the programme: Piano solo, "The Dawn," Miss Lily Boniface; song, "I Know a Lane in Springtime," F. Hepdershott; song, "Roses," Miss L. Mason; song, "The King," S. Addison; comic song, "I Remember You," Scott Morrison; recitation, "My First Appearance," Miss Florence Wilson; song, "I Love You," Miss L. Mason; comic song, "The Man Who Wrote 'Home, Sweet Home,'" Scott Morrison. All the numbers were well received, every selection being encored. Miss L. Boniface played the accompaniment with her usual skill and taste. The entertainment concluded with the farce of "Poor Pillicoddy," with the following cast: Pillicoddy, J. Rosie; Captain O'Scuttle, G. Austin; Mrs. Pillicoddy, Miss M. Watkinson; Mrs. O'Scuttle, Mrs. C. A. Hardy; Sarah, Miss Mary Morrison. All the parts were well taken, and the piece went off without a hitch, causing continuous laughter.

KILLS GIRL.

Follows Murder by Shooting Him-
self Through the Heart.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 11.—Enraged at seeing his schoolgirl sweetheart, Laura Braden, sixteen years old, in company with another youth, Walter Seybold, eighteen years old, also a high school student, shot her shortly after noon today and later, when surrounded by officers, shot himself through the heart. Miss Braden died a few minutes after the tragedy.

The girl was a daughter of Attorney W. A. Braden, of the law firm of Campbell & Braden. Seybold's father is George Seybold, a prominent tobacconist and for years a leading resident of Washington. The tragedy occurred while the pupils of the high school were on their way home for lunch. Miss Braden was walking with Paul Hallam, a boy about her own age, when Seybold came up behind her and began firing.

Seybold had lately written many notes to Miss Braden. His mind was affected by his love for her. Last night he threatened to kill his mother with a hatchet.

Marcel Prevost has written an article for a Paris publication on the subject of "Fashions of the Period," in which he discusses at length the methods employed by women to go to gain. He denounces them all as injurious to body and mind, with the one exception—rational exercise.

The record price of \$75 has been paid for a butterfly at an auction in London.

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Feats of the Business Giants Paralleled by the Mother of a Family.

The atmosphere of the skyscraper restaurant was conducted to conversation, the tables being so separated that each had in its way the privacy of a room. From the windows a magnificent view of the bay and river was to be had. As an outward bound liner passed in review the private secretary remarked:

"—Has a fine day for sailing. Wonderful man, that! I've often thought if the so-called financial giants of other days could return they'd be dumbfounded at our modern wizards." He said it somewhat pompously as befitted the confidential man of one of the wizards he had in mind and in whose reflected glory he liked to bask.

"Not," replied the lawyer. "This financial giant business is overworked. There's nothing remarkable in a man controlling millions making additional millions. The exceptional man is the one who with small capital develops a great enterprise, and his kind is seldom written about. When it comes to real talent in finance the women have the men whipped to a standstill," said the private secretary in a tone of conviction.

"Why, I can name all the women of note."

"I don't mean that kind," interrupted the lawyer. "I refer to the unknown wives, women who handle small salaries and yet get results that make your giants look like amateurs. One instance is the mother of a young doctor who already has a paying practice and is frequently called in consultation as a specialist in children's diseases."

"His father was a mason, whose wages averaged \$18 a week. There were five children, and merely to clothe and feed them would be no ordinary problem, but added to this was a desire of the father to own real estate which finally developed into a mania."

"This woman's girlhood was spent during the civil war period. Her schooling was of the simplest, but she appreciated the advantages of education and culture, and hesitated at no sacrifice to fit her children for an easier life than her own. In addition to the regular household drudgery she made the girls' dresses, and from the father's castoffs knickerbockers for the boys. All ailments were doctored by her."

Pausing to light his cigar, which had gone out, he continued:

"Up at 6 in the morning, she worked incessantly for their advancement, and 12 o'clock was her usual time for going to bed. Success at school was rewarded

with little gifts, but if the monthly report was unsatisfactory there was a third degree session for the delinquent."

"But," interrupted the private secretary, "I don't see the point of your story at all. You are describing a woman who was a slave to her children; where is the financial genius displayed?"

The lawyer laughed with a touch of sarcasm.

"You don't suppose that she kept a growing family well fed and comfortably clothed on \$18 a week, especially in winter, when expenses are heavier? Of course she didn't. She built up her business, her family, on the same line as that of the resourceful business man, on credit."

"The grocer, the baker, the butcher, the milkman, these were her banks, and she went the limit. The week the boys got overcoats, the grocer got nothing, and when the coal bin was empty the butcher had to wait until it was replenished. The amount she owed fluctuated, and her reliability was never questioned."

"I had a mother like that," said the architect, who had been an attentive listener, "and I suspect that we drink the health of the unknown heroines of finance," which was accordingly done.—N. Y. Sun.

The Pleasure of Bossing.

Mr. S— offered a young colored man 15 cents to cut the grass about his home. Returning a few hours later Mr. S— saw the darky whom he had hired lying in the shade of some trees watching another darky cut the grass.

"What's the matter, Sam?" inquired Mr. S—.

"Nawthin," sah," returned the negro, placidly. "Jim just happened along and done offered to take the job off my hands, and I loved he could do just as well as I could, sah."

"Oh, it's all right, Sam. I suppose you are making something off the deal, aren't you?" Mr. S— queried, amused at the lordly air of Sam.

"No, sah," replied the negro. "I done told Jim I'd give him two bits (25 cents) to cut that far grass."

"Two bits!" exclaimed Mr. S—.

"Whv, Sam, you are an awful fool. That is 10 cents more than I am going to pay you."

"Yes, sah," Sam rejoined, smilingly. "I knows dat, sah; but I calculate it's worth 10 cents for me to be boss for a whole afternoon, sah."—Harper's Magazine.

Everybody's Column

PREFERENCE SHARES.

Editor Times.—Please explain exactly what is meant by "7 per cent. cumulative preference shares."—Ignorant.

Prima facie such shares are assured of a dividend of 7 per cent. (if the property earns that amount); and if a less sum is paid in dividends in any year it must be made good out of profits in any subsequent year, if profits to enable the payments to be made have been earned.—Ed.

SENATOR BOWELL.

Editor Times.—How old is Sir Mackenzie Bowell, and was he born in Belleville?—Tory.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell will soon be 87, he having been born at Rickingham, Suffolk, Eng., on Dec. 27, 1823.—Ed.

SUCCESSION DUTIES.

Editor Times.—To settle a dispute will you please answer whether under any conditions an estate of \$12,000 would have to pay succession duties in Ontario?—Interested.

Yes. An estate exceeding \$10,000 is subject to \$10 for every \$100 of its value (10 per cent.) if it passes outside the family circle.—Ed.

GOVERNORS-GENERAL.

Editor Times.—When was Lord Lansdowne Governor-General, and when did he succeed in that office?—Young Canuck.

He was appointed on August 24, 1883, and succeeded the Marquis of Lorne.—Ed.

How your own row, but don't forget your boundary lines.—Florida Times-Union.

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This led to a charge of ritual murder against the Jews of that city. A deputation of prominent French Hebrews went to Egypt to intercede with Mehemet Ali to check further persecutions. The attempt was without effect; largely perhaps because at that time there was no central organization of Jews to undertake such work.

In 1858 a Hebrew child, Edgar Mortara, was abducted by the Papal authorities and his parents were unable to have him restored to them. That, writes Dr. Abram, S. Isaacs in the Independent, crystallized the Jewish desire to organize for protection.

The Alliance Israelite Universelle was formed in 1860 by six Frenchmen, when the conditions of Jews in the Orient was deplorable in the extreme. From that small start the Hebrew Alliance has practically encircled the globe. It is significant of the breadth of the founders of the alliance, whose schools are open to Mohammedan and Christian, that its first public work was in behalf of the Christians of Lebanon, persecuted by the Druses and in danger of starvation.

Since that date is has secured civic rights to the Jews of Switzerland, helped appreciably in ameliorating the condi-

tion of the Jews in