

GREAT PIANIST GIVES PROGRAM OF RARE MERIT

Leopold Godowsky Holds Appreciative Audience in the Patricia at Rapt Attention.

AVOIDS UNDUE FLOURISH

Confines Offering to Classical Numbers, and Favors Old Masters.

BY A MINOR.

Nobody wanted to go home at the close of the program. All wanted to stay and stay and listen on to the soul-satisfying music. That was the effect Leopold Godowsky, master pianist, had upon the large audience which had gathered to hear him in the Patricia Theater on Tuesday evening.

Leopold Godowsky will be remembered in London not for big dynamic effects or pyrotechnical technique, but for the pure music he dispensed, the personal appeal of his playing, his highly imaginative quality. Just as he played upon the keys of a very beautiful instrument, so he played upon the emotions of his listeners, captivating their imagination, quickening their intellectually, and carrying them along with him through every mood of his numbers.

He is at the same time the most human and most idealistic of artists, capturing celestial fire and bringing it down to light the living-room hearth.

A Wonderful Tribute.

One of the most remarkable instances of "spell-binding" by an artist ever witnessed here was in his playing from beginning to end of the Chopin Sonata, Op. 35, B flat minor, uninterrupted by even a murmur of applause. It was not lack of appreciation, but the highest tribute that could have been paid. For a full 60 seconds after the final chord had died away, a breathless stillness hovered over the theatre, then the storm of approbation broke. It was then that it was realized how the Grave-Doppio movement, with its exquisite singing passages, had changed into the scherzo, then been replaced by the solemn grandeur and dignified grief of the Marche Funebre, through which breathed the spirit song of hope and comfort. Almost as unnoticed as a still small voice came the rush of the wind over the graves in the Presto movement, a hushed rush that subdued its impetuosity in the august presence of death.

Instead of the Barcarolle announced on the program as the next Chopin number, the familiar Berceuse almost lulled to sleep. After that came the Scherzo, Op. 29, B Minor, laughter with an undercurrent of melancholy.

Lays Old Masters.

Godowsky is so big a musician that he can afford to give a genuine musical program, unbroken by attempt to display the amazing technique he has evolved for himself. That was the very unusual feature of his program, apart from the fact that in this day it was very conservative, sticking to the main to the long-tried and tested composers, Schumann, Chopin, Mendelssohn, Liszt, Rubinstein, MacDowell, Rameau, Poldini, Moszkowski, and to wind up, Liszt in the brilliant Tarantella, "Venezia e Napoli."

Twelve symphonic studies, Schumann, introduced the realm of the intellectual and the program at the same time, revealing Godowsky the intellectual.

A charming group followed, his own arrangements of quaint Rameau numbers, "Musette en Rondeau," and "Tambourin," of a Pastoral (Angelus) by Corelli, and an irresistible "Gigue" by Loeilly.

Province of Ontario Bonds Reported Sold

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(Canadian Press.)—It was announced today that the \$15,000,000 issue of 5½ per cent, 15-year province of Ontario bonds, offered here by Kissel, Kinneutt Company and their associates, has been sold.

Elected Warden

Reeve of Malahide Given Warden-ship of Elgin County.



EMERSON E. McTAGGART.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 24.—E. E. McTaggart, reeve of Malahide for the past four years, was elected warden of Elgin at the opening session of the county council Tuesday afternoon. He won on the third ballot, defeating Reeve Barons of Springfield and Reeve Dromgole of Dunwich.

The new warden is 46 years of age. The wardenship came to him almost as a birthday present, as he passed the 46th milestone of his life on Sunday last.

was permitted to make his final smiling, friendly exit.

How Godowsky gets his effects was something that piano students were interested in finding out. His technique is different, because it is his "very own." He plays the greater part of the time with hands that are almost flat. Sometimes the wrist is held high, again very low. Sometimes he appears to be headed for a crash, but however great the volume the sound produced is always meltingly melodious.

The arms are held quietly in playing. There is an absolute lack of flourish. All the power is evidently concentrated in the marvellously flexible fingers, under the most perfect control. Absolute flexibility of wrist and arm is a foregone conclusion, otherwise the impossibility of the feather lightness and ethereal delicacy of touch at command, one of the miracles of Godowsky's pianistic art.

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BELIEVE LARKIN WILL SUCCEED SIR G. PERLEY

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The Journal this morning publishes the following:

The presence in Ottawa yesterday of P. C. Larkin, Toronto, added strength to reports that he will shortly be named to succeed Sir George Perley as Canadian high commissioner in London. Inquiries last night, however, elicited the fact that the matter has not yet been dealt with by the Government.

The name of Sir Charles Gordon of Montreal is also being prominently mentioned in connection with the London post. It is said that the Quebec ministers are strongly urging his name.

Mr. Larkin, in addition to being well known in the realm of commerce, has also long been high in the counsel of the Liberal party. He was one of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's closest personal friends.

Sir Charles Gordon, apart from the last election, when he supported Mr. King, has never been active politically. During a great part of the war, however, he was head of the Canadian war mission in Washington. He is head of Dominion Textiles, Limited.

AN ELDERLY MAN FULL OF EXCITEMENT AT A BOXING MATCH

Dad went to a boxing match with his son, who paid \$2 each for seats. "Now, Dad," said the son joyfully, "you'll see more excitement for your \$2 than you've ever seen in your life before."

"I've got my doubts about that," Dad said gloomily. "Two dollars was all I paid for my marriage license."

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Amazon River is so loaded with sediment that its waters can be detected by their discoloration 300 miles out at sea.

At her marriage ceremony in India a bride stands on a large plate filled with milk and rose-colored sweets.

MRS. M'CRAE AGAIN HEADS PRESBYTERIAL

Re-elected President of the W. M. S. For Ninth Term.

WILL HOLD BANQUET

Ontario Provincial President Aably Presents "New Canadians" Problem.

Mrs. D. L. McCrae, who has held the office since the Women's Foreign Missionary Society was formed by the amalgamation of foreign and home missionary societies nine years ago, was re-elected president by acclamation of the London Presbyterian W. M. S. at the morning session of the annual meeting in King Street Presbyterian Church Wednesday.

Miss F. McColl presided during the election, dispatching the business quickly and tactfully. She was assisted by Mrs. Norman Anderson of Westminster, convener of the nominating committee. Other officers re-elected by acclamation were: Mrs. J. M. McEvoy, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jared Vining, recording secretary; Mrs. M. E. McEachern, treasurer.

Mrs. James Ross and McMillan are again appointed honorary presidents, and the vice-presidents are Mesdames W. J. Knox, Mrs. W. R. McIntosh, London; E. A. Horton, St. Thomas; McKay, Dorchester; Patton, London; and Oliver, Wallace-town.

Mrs. Peterman Resigns.

Mrs. Peterman of London replaces Mrs. E. A. Horton, who has resigned as literature secretary. No successor has yet been found for Mrs. J. D. Bannatyne of Brantford for the office of Mission Band secretary, regarded as a most important one. Mrs. Bannatyne agreed to carry on until the office could be satisfactorily filled.

Departmental secretaries re-elected by acclamation were: Strangers, Mrs. George Wood; supply, Mrs. F. Ballantyne; Messenger, Mrs. A. E. Silverwood; library, Mrs. J. C. Middleton; Home Helpers, Miss M. Kelso; Young Women's Auxiliaries, Mrs. J. P. Faulkner; press, Mrs. (Chalmers), Mrs. J. D. Walker, Ontario provincial president, offered the prayer for the new year. Rodney Auxiliary conducted the devotion exercises, and Mrs. J. M. McEvoy the auxiliary roll call.

Discusses Girls' Work.

The extra afternoon session held specially for the purpose, was devoted to the subject, "How Does the Work of the G. M. S. L. T. and Service Bands Link Up With the W. M. S.?" led by Mrs. F. H. Page of Toronto, was given the place of prominence. The final session of the annual meeting will be followed by a rally banquet of Presbyterian girls and young women in King Street Presbyterian Church at 6:30, of which the guest of honor will be Miss Oliver of Toronto, secretary of girls' work in Eloor Street Presbyterian Church. Miss Oliver is delivering an address at 8 o'clock, to which members of young women's organized classes and girls' groups are invited to hear. Mrs. W. R. McIntosh and Mrs. J. P. Faulkner are the directors.

The extent of the "New Canadian" problem in Canada, and the source of strength or menace to the national life these settlers from other lands may prove, according to the manner in which the situation is handled by the Christian Church and other nation-building agencies, was strikingly presented on Tuesday evening by Mrs. J. D. Walker, of Toronto, Ontario provincial president of the Women's Missionary Society, at the largely-attended evening session in King Street Presbyterian Church. In addition, the speaker vividly described what is being done by the Women's Missionary Society in particular, and the Presbyterian Church in general to cope with the situation.

Rev. W. R. McIntosh, minister of the King Street Church, presided at the meeting, of which other interesting features were the report for the past year of the Presbyterian So-

ciety, presented by Mrs. J. M. McEvoy, the corresponding secretary, in which she cleverly summarized the reports of departments that had been given in the afternoon, and the presentation of the banner to the Banner Mission Band of the presbytery by the president, Mrs. D. L. McCrae.

The honors for the past year were carried off by the Hamilton Road Church Band, London, which, with a membership of 40, had an average attendance of 30, and graduated a class of 20 into the Canadian Girls' in Training.

Involves Patriotism.

"I have been asked," said Mrs. Walker, "to speak on our Canadian work, which is just another name for patriotic work, and includes all work being done in Canada, whether for the native-born Canadians or those of other nationalities. We are naturally most interested in giving assistance to those of our own countrymen, who are placed in such circumstances as render help necessary, and we were able, in past years, to hold our own fairly well in home missions."

Then came the great influx from Central and Southern Europe. These people were not like the people who came to Ontario, the Maritime Provinces, or the Red River settlement in the early days, who built churches and schools and colleges, even in the midst of their struggle for a living. The new settlers were alien in speech, mode of thought and ideals. They were here in large numbers and here to stay. These people, the down-trodden and oppressed from many lands, have come to Canada as a haven of refuge from poverty and oppression expecting to receive temporal good and a measure of riches. We have that to give which far exceeds temporal riches. We have been redeemed for service, and, like Paul, are indebted to Jew and Gentile, Greek and barbarian."

Continuing, Mrs. Walker told of some of the conditions in Canada today that came as a revelation to many of her listeners.

Speak 85 Languages.

"Canada is the largest home mission field in the world," she said, "eighteen times the size of Germany, has a population of not quite nine millions, of which one million are of non-British birth, among these 53 nationalities, speaking 85 languages, having 79 religions. Over a large portion of Western Canada the population is more equally divided, with the majority fast falling to those of non-British birth."

Referring to the situation at this point to the oriental problem in British Columbia, to three Hindu temples in the province, and one district, at least, the size of Scotland, not ministered to by any denomination. Alberta, with its large non-British population, has, in addition to other difficulties, socialistic, naturalistic, and other propaganda to cope with. In Saskatchewan, she stated, half the population is of foreign birth, quoting the minister of education as authority for the figures. "Out of 150,000 children under the age of 15, only about 50,000 of these are of British origin. In connection with Manitoba, attention was drawn to the illustration in the manner in which the foreign-born are replacing the British and Canadian-born in old settled districts. "The new Canadians are becoming more and more a factor in the life of the country," she said. "Two Ruthenians were elected to the Legislature a few months ago, and many other new electors to these new Canadian."

Held Bolshevik Meetings.

Passing on to old Ontario, her statements were still more arresting as she told of the menace of "Red" propaganda in Northern Ontario, of conditions that exist even in "Toronto the Good."

"It would seem," she said, "that the battle line is swinging back from the prairies to the cities. In an eastern city during a municipal election, the needed information had to be translated into 32 languages, and recently we learned that at least at four points in Toronto, Bolshevik meetings were held. Just a few weeks ago in the old Temperance Hall, at the corner of Queen street and Dovercourt road, the foreigners had a play, in which Jesus Christ was burnt in effigy on the stage, also the effigy of the priest."

The story of what is already being done to evangelize and Canadianize was a story of the establishment of hospitals, schools and boarding-homes, of the services of home missionaries and deaconesses, the organization of Canadian Girls in Training groups and clubs for boys. Special mention was made of the action of the general assembly in 1920 with regard to the special training of workers for non-Anglo-Saxon missions. The advance that has been made owing to the co-ordination of forces in Northern Ontario through the practical working out of church union was a bright spot in the picture.

Solution in Evangelism.

"If these people are thoroughly evangelized," said Mrs. Walker in summing up the situation, "there will be little to regret. If left to their European ideals, the outlook is not encouraging."

During the evening music was provided by the choir of King Street Church, with Mrs. H. V. Eckert as the accompanist. A solo was pleasingly rendered by Miss Lillian Mowat.

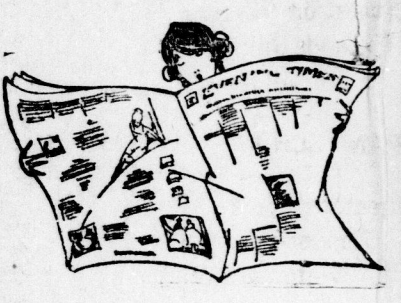
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10 pieces of Velour finished Wrappettes, soft and warm, neat designs, in sky, pink, navy, grey, red and green, also in kitten and pup designs, in blue and fawn for children's wear; 29 inches wide. To clear at 29c yard

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1922 Wardens

The county councils of nearly all the counties of Ontario assembled today for the first meetings since the January elections. County councils are composed of the reeves and deputy reeves of the different townships and other organized municipalities which make up the county. The first duty of the council is to elect a warden, who is presiding officer for the year.

The wardens elected this afternoon in the counties of the province follow: Brant—William Shellington, Burford. Eglin—Emerson E. McTaggart, Malahide. Essex—Robert Halford, Sandwich S. (accl.) Frontenac—G. M. Drew. Grey—Robert Howey, Holland. Halton—Reeve Harris, Burlington. Huron—W. Trewartha, Holmesville. Haldimand—Charles Stevens, N. Cayuga. Hastings—W. H. Kells. Kent—J. W. Ward, Orford. Lambton—W. J. Davis, Euphemia. Leeds and Grenville—William Jelly, Elizabethtown. Lincoln—Arthur Westhead. Lennox and Addington—Johnston, Hannah, Camden. Middlesex—John S. Cousins, Westminster. Norfolk—A. O. Sandham. Northumberland and Durham—Harry Phillips. Oxford—Andrew Bachelor, Tavistock.

Ontario—E. R. Richardson, Pickering.

Perth—A. A. Colquhoun, Hibernia.

Prince Edward—Col. Ferguson, Hibernia.

Peterborough—J. C. Strickland.

Prescott and Russell—Orphair Demers.

Peel—E. A. Orr, Toronto.

Renfrew North—Horace Russell, McNab.

Simcoe—Dr. J. D. Banting, Cookstown.

Victoria—H. J. Patterson.

Waterloo—P. F. Stumpf, Elmira.

Welland—A. G. Wilson, Ridgeway.

Wellington—James Malloy, Erin.

Wentworth—Hugh Johnston, Beverly.

York—Richard Cronsberry.

PLANS EXTENSIVE PROGRESS DRIVE

St. Thomas Motor League Defines Plans For 1922.

[Special to London Advertiser.]

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 24.—Efforts are being made to increase the membership of the St. Thomas Motor League to 300, and to reorganize the society so that it will become a strong factor in bettering conditions generally for local motorists and tourists visiting the city. The club will be assisted in the reorganization work by A. T. Guay, organizer for the Ontario Motor League.

APRIL TO SEE START OF BIG MONTREAL ARENA

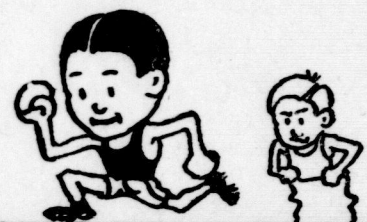
MONTREAL, Jan. 24.—It was announced today that work on a new \$400,000 arena, capable of accommodating over 6,000 persons, will start next April. It is to be located on Atwater avenue, near the site of the old Westmount Arena, the scene of many a great hockey battle.



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