

EMPIRE DAY WELL OBSERVED IN SAINT JOHN SCHOOLS WITH EXERCISES AND ADDRESSES

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St. Vincent's
An address by James B. Dever featured the Empire Day programme at 2 o'clock in St. Vincent's boys' school, with the principal, Joseph Harrington, presiding. The programme opened with a chorus by the school, followed by a recitation by Miss Cotter's Grade 2 on "Flags of All Nations." Prayer for Canada was given by Miss Suggs's Grade 4, while choruses for the army and navy and the Dominion of Canada were given by Grades 4, 6 and 9.

King Edward
Song, "Union Jack," by Miss Payson's class.
Recitation, "The Loyalist," by Fred Fowler of Miss Payson's class.
Song, "Marching," by Miss Ingraham's class.
"Flag Exercise" by eight pupils from Miss Fulton's class.
Recitation, "Land of the North," by Dorothy Jenkins of Miss Ingraham's class.
"Gymnastic Drill," by 24 pupils of Miss Hanson's class.
Recitation, "The Torch of Life," by John Secord of Miss Hart's class.
Group of three songs—"O Home, Maiden, Come," "Dusky Night," "Dancing of Leaves," by Miss Nicholson's and Miss Vreudenburgh's classes.
Recitation, "The Maiden and the Sydney," by Arthur Kee of Miss Robinson's class.
Piano solo, "Mary's Pet Waltz," by William Carly of Miss Robinson's class.
Recitation, "The Glow of the Garden," by Jean Wright of Miss Robinson's class.
Song, "Rule Britannia," by Miss Robinson's class.
"Canadian Boat Song," by pupils from Grade 8 and Grade 6.
"National Anthem," three verses.
Rev. R. Cormier is principal.

Alexandra
The Empire Day programme of the Alexandra school was one of great interest and displayed the varied talent of the pupils. The two-part and three-part singing won credit for both teachers and pupils as well as Professor Browne, and showed great promise for the future.
A very instructive feature was a pageant, "Heroes of Canadian History," presented by the advanced grades 5-8. As each hero or heroine appeared on a descriptive sketch was recited by pupils dressed as camp fire. The characters and their attendants were attired according to their respective periods.
The school was indebted to Archdeacon Crawford for an address given by him. Mrs. Blake Ferris was received as usual with much applause. She has generously assisted with the Empire Day programme for several years.

I. O. D. PRIZES
The Alexandra Chapter of the I. O. D. E. made their annual presentation of history prizes to grade 8. The presentation was made by Mrs. J. Brown. In Mr. Dykeman's class Marion MacFarland won first prize and Clarence Mowry second. Miss MacFarland's grade 8, Roberta MacMackinnon first prize and Percy Mott second.
A very dainty miniature was danced in connection with "Canada Under the Old Council of 1663," by Roberta MacMackinnon, Don Cody, Louise Harrington, Reginald Seely, Edna Bridge, Wallace Totten. Beethoven's Minuet was played by Marion MacFarland.
The Cadets gave an exhibition of rifle drill under the direction of their able instructor, Captain Pallin.

THE PROGRAMME
O Canada (two-part song), School.
This Canada of Ours—Recitation—Emma Robertson.
Old Black Joe (three-part song), Grade VIII.
The Flag of Old England—Recitation—Marion MacFarland, Nita Edgar, Jean Leary, Elva Eagles, Alice Bourke and Viola Hearn.
In Glad May Time (three-part song), Grade VIII.
Cadet Drill—Cadets.
Address—Archdeacon Crowfoot.
Cuckoo (two-part song), Grade VII.
Solo—Mrs. Blake Ferris.
Presentation of History Prizes—Mrs. J. Brown.
Heroes of Canadian History: Grade 5—Laura Seard; Doris McMullin, Hazel Wallis, speaker; Jacques Cartier, soldiers and Indians; Harold Mence, Gordon Smith, speaker.
Grade 8—Pioneers: Ruth Cain, Reginald Hines, Lorene Uquhart, Ernest Whittaker, Madeline Vercheres; Audrey Buckley, Robert Aird, Irene McAuley, Samuel de Champlain and followers; Arthur Ward, Jack Manning, speaker; Tecumseh and Indians; Harold Livingston, Ronald Clark, speaker.
Grade 8—Gen. Wolfe and soldiers: James Holly, Roy Black, speaker; Adam Doolan and followers; Chester Henderson, Francis Armstrong, speaker; Sir Isaac Brock; Fred Esler, Francis Mayne, speaker. Under the Old French Council of 1663: Roberta MacMackinnon, Don Cody, Wallace Totten, Edna Bridge, Louise Harrington, Reginald Seely, Percy Mott, speaker.

Centennial
An elaborate programme was carried out in Centennial School, under the direction of H. C. Necker, principal. Rev. H. A. Lody was the chief speaker. The programme was as follows: Devotional exercises, led by Miss Jessie Milligan; exercise, "Canada's Message to the World," Grade 1 boys; chorus, boys, Louis Hickey and Walter Shelley; Maids of Alabama, Dorothy Butler, Edith O'Toole, Katherine Haggerty, Constance Hatchett, Blanche Bradley, Helen Collins, Mary Haggerty, Robin Clarke, Hazel Quinn and Veronice Keenan. Dorothy Viger sang a solo and the usual patriotic choruses with the national anthem concluded an excellent programme.

Fairville Superior
Fairville Superior School held its celebration in the Orange Hall, Fairville, with a large attendance. Flags, bunting and evergreens decorated the hall. I. Newton Farney, principal, was chairman. Rev. C. T. Clark, Rev. J. M. Rice and Rev. F. J. LeRoy gave patriotic addresses. H. M. Stool, secretary of the Fairville school board, presented, on behalf of Windsor Chapter, I. O. D. E., a prize to Hazel McCumber for the best essay on Saint John City.
"O Canada" in chorus, was sung by the school; Grade 2, under Miss Currie, sang "Canada's Helper"; Grade 3, under Miss Violet Fowler, gave a recitation in unison; Grades 4 and 5 sang choruses, "We Will Fight for the Grand Old Flag" and "Empire in Our Country." Jack Allen, of Grade 5, recited; Grade 2, under Miss Alice DeWolfe, gave a flag exercise; Grades 6 and 7, under Miss Vera Carleton, sang "Rule Britannia," and later demonstrated the "Making of Canada's Flag." Nellie Brody, Grade 5, recited; Grades 4 and 5 saluted the flag, and the advanced grades gave an excellent demonstration of physical work. The national anthem closed a bright programme.

Beaconsfield
Owing to lack of an assembly hall, the Beaconsfield school held its celebration in the respective rooms, each teacher carrying on individual programmes. Guy Cheryne, principal of the school, presided over the exercises on the significance of the day. Rev. McInnes, of the First Presbyterian church, gave the address in Miss C. H. Fifth's Grade 5 room. The other teachers in the school carrying on successful programmes were Miss Mary Granger, Grades 5 and 6; Miss DeVitta Smith, Grades 4 and 5; Miss Gertrude Smith, Grades 4 and 5; Miss Lillian Cruikshank, Grade 1. After the programme, the school assembled in the gymnasium to hear short addresses from Rev. Mr. Matthews and the principal and to sing patriotic songs, closing with the national anthem.

St. Peter's
The children assembled in the auditorium for the following programme, after timely references had been made to the day, the flag and the Empire in various classrooms.
Chorus—"O Canada, School; Illustrated Lecture, Eastern Canada, Dr. MacIntosh.
Army and Navy Lads, chorus.
Illustrated Lecture, British Isles and Western France, pictures, Sergt. Major Bevis and Captain Phillips.
Western Canada and Pacific Seaboard (moving pictures), J. Cavanaugh; God Save the King.
As there is no general assembly hall in this building the Sisters held oral lessons on imperial subjects, but the children drilled and saluted, and there was a splendid array of patriotic designs on the blackboards.

Holy Trinity
In each of the rooms of this new "Valley" building the pupils were drilled in matters of imperial importance and excellent essays were read by John McInnes—"History of the British Navy"—and Francis Taylor—"What Canada Owe to the British Navy." The rooms were prettily decked in patriotic designs and an enthusiastic spirit pervaded the church institution.

St. George's
Assembled in their splendid little theatre the several hundreds of pupils proceeded with the following programme:
Gun Drill—King George School.
O Canada—School.
Exercise—School Choir.
Exercise, The British Empire, Grade 7.
Song Mother Britain—School Choir.
Address—Rev. Mr. Fuller.
God Save the King—School.

LaTour, West End
Principal Thompson's large assembly of various grades had a particularly interesting list of Empire Day numbers as follows:
Chorus, Maple Leaf Forever.
Recitation, The Old Flag, Ruth Johnson.
Exercise, Our Flag, three boys and three girls.
Recitation, Little Man, Earl Ward.
Chorus, Britannia the Pride of the Ocean.
Recitation, O Canada, Our Country and Our Home, Albert Dryden.
Exercise, Grade 1.
Recitation, My Land, Alfred Shuba.
Exercise, The Provinces of Canada.
Chorus, O Canada.
Recitation, A Little Cock Sparrow, Doris E. Peer.
Solo, "Tis of Canada, Lena Jennings.
Flag Exercise, 8 boys.
Solo, Boes, Elsie Galbraith.
Exercise, The British Flag, John Williamson, Fred Ward, John Vening, Bertram Ellis.
Chorus, Rule Britannia.
Exercise, Making the Flag, Grade 1.
Flaz Saustoin.
God Save the King.

At Orphanage
Much interest was evinced in the bright programme, given for the first time, in the large assembly hall of the school in connection with the New Brunswick Protestant Orphanage, Manawagamiash road. D. C. Clark, president, with members of the board were on the platform, which was draped with flags and bunting. Rev. F. J. LeRoy and Rev. J. H. Rice were speakers, with Mr. Clark and H. Usher Miller, general secretary, and others. Others on the platform were Miss Annie Frost, Miss M. Frost, matron and assistant matron, and other members of the staff.
Miss Bernice Schofield and Miss Mary Patricia Mooney, teachers, had

charge of the programme, which consisted of marches, drills, exercises and choruses, as follows: March by pupils; duets by Mabel Hall and Everett Leaman; Evelyn Williams and Jean Osborne; recitations by Pauline Hazlett, Hazel Cameron, Dorothy Morrison, Roland Lewis, Greta Gekkie and Everett Leaman; four exercises by the children and four choruses, in which were "Rule Britannia," "O Canada," "The Maple Leaf Forever" and "My Own Canadian Home." The flag salutation, followed by the national anthem, closed the interesting afternoon event.

Other Schools
Owing to the fact that St. Joseph's school has no assembly hall, short programmes will be held in the various rooms during part of the afternoon. Exercises in the various class rooms composed the observing of Empire Day in St. Thomas' school today. Songs, drills and recitations comprised

the programmes, while the rooms were decorated with flags and bunting. A brief programme was carried out in Aberdeen school under the chairmanship of the principal, Reverdy Steeves. The programme included three songs, "Rule Britannia," "My Own Canadian Home" and "The Union Jack," followed by the flag salutation and the national anthem. There was a short history of the Union Jack, each of the seven grades taking part.
Principal Owens said no special programme was being held today in the assembly hall as the regular closing in June would probably include the children's patriotic numbers. However special reference to British and Canadian subjects was made in all the separate rooms.
Patriotic choruses, some in new part-singing (Grade 6) and a spirited address by Rev. Mr. Britton, the recently inducted pastor of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, were the chief features of the Empire Day exercises in this new building. There were talks, recitations and exercises in the individual rooms as well.

NOT IN POLICE COURT.
Mrs. George Martin of 83 Thomas avenue, wishes to state that she is not the Mrs. Martin who was in the police court on Wednesday of this week.

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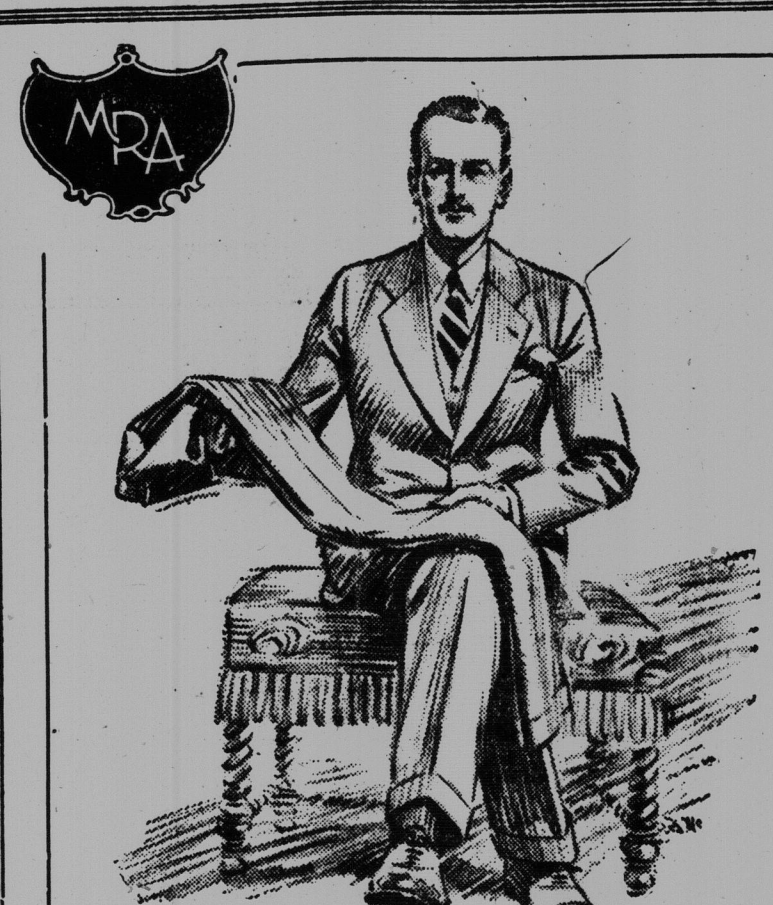
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- Condes Lemon Cream for sunburn and tan. Softens, whitens and soothes the skin. 60c bottle.
- Pond's, Daggett and Ramsdell's Three Flowers, Yardley, Conde and Luxor. 35c to 75c.
- Three Flowers Travellets containing cold cream, vanishing cream, face powder and perfume. All neatly boxed. 35c.
- Tooth Paste including Colgate's, Forhan's, Yardley's and Vantine's. 25c to 40c.
- Norida Loose Powder Compacts. Very new and dainty. \$1.50 ea.
- Compacts in a large assortment of dainty and convenient sizes. 45c to \$3. (Ground floor.)

Owen's Blue Soap Powder

Removes shine from clothes. Great for cleaning Oriental Rugs, Tapestries, Upholstery, Window Blinds, Auto Tops, or for removing stains of oil, tar or grease. Ask to see this at notion counter. (Ground floor.)

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