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FATHERS AND SONS ENJOY BANQUET IN TALBOT ST. CHURCH

Boys Take Prominent Part in Offering and Responding To Toasts.

Fathers and Sons of the Baptist congregations had one of the most enjoyable banquets of the season when they met in Talbot Street Baptist Sunday school on Thursday evening.

After the inner man had been satisfied, a series of toasts in which the boys took a very prominent part were proposed.

Speaking of "Our Training," T. H. Yull of Maitland Street Church declared that the boy could be trained for church work, but the man could not, as the man worked out a way of his own. The Brotherhood movement was helping greatly in the training for the church. Many men were becoming more active in their religious life as a result. Ross Warner also spoke on this subject.

"Father Through the Boy's Specs" was discussed by a boy, Frank Hockney. He was of the opinion that every boy should make a pal of his dad, and should take him wherever he went.

Dr. J. F. Bryant, talking on "The Boy Through Father's Specs," compared boys to the weather. Like the weather there were all kinds of boys. Some were fine, while others were storms and even tornadoes. To the boy, father was his first hero, then a policeman or a fireman took this position, then a famous athlete, later a young lady, and later still another individual.

Rev. N. S. McKechnie, speaking on "The Boy and His Fun," said that he liked a boy who took an interest not only in books but in outdoor sports. He advised the boys always to play fair. Rev. A. C. Bingham responded to this toast.

Father, Son & Co.

"Father, Son & Co., Specialists in Citizenship," was the last toast of the evening. Charles Folks of Talbot Street Church, told the boys how they could live better lives. "Christ increased in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man," was the Bible quotation given them as a model upon which to base their lives.

Rev. T. S. Roy emphasized the importance of citizenship. He thought that the franchise was being treated too lightly nowadays. He expressed his objections to persons voting for a certain party because their ancestors did so. No party, Mr. Roy remarked, could be right all the time. In the schools, although there was every other kind of course, there were not any courses in citizenship. The average individual was supposed to fall right into his place by some instinct or luck, and make a good citizen.

The toast to "Our King and Country" was spoken by D. H. McDermid and responded to by Harold Porter of Egerton Street Church.

Rev. T. S. Roy gave a much appreciated solo. The entertainment was brought to a close with the singing of songs popular with Y. M. C. A. and Tuxis groups.

Lloyd M. Houlding of the Y. M. C. A. was responsible for the publicity and Rev. T. S. Roy for the program.

BRADSTREET'S CLAIM ONE MILLION DOLLARS TO BE SPENT HERE

On Factory Construction This Year—Plenty of Money Available.

London reports to Bradstreet's say that the housing problem continues to absorb a great deal of interest in this city as the number of residences available does not keep pace at all with the growth of the city. During the part of April which has already gone, building permits have promised to show a record-breaking total for the month, if the present rate of issue keeps up.

While factory construction for the year has not yet begun, it is claimed by those in touch with the situation that over $1,000,000 will be spent here this year. It is also expected that an active building program for South London will shortly be initiated. Trade at the various wholesale houses in the city is good and there is a good strong tone in business generally. Payments are good and there seems to be plenty of money available for good legitimate enterprises. Conditions in the surrounding district are reported to be good.

BIG PREPARATIONS FOR WINTER PICNIC

1,500 Employees of Carshops Together At "Y" Saturday Night.

Extensive preparations are being made by the employees of the carshops for the winter picnic which is to be held in the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening. It is expected, by the committee in charge, that over 1,500 employees and their friends will attend the outing, and that it will be the greatest of its kind ever held in this city.

The employees as a whole seemingly have entered into the spirit of the event in a way that is gratifying to those behind the movement, according to the officials at the shops. Music will be supplied throughout the evening by the employees' band.

The relatives of former employees who died while in the service of the country are especially urged to be present. The committees are desirous of getting in touch with the families of these men so that they might give them as great a welcome as the employees themselves.

Children Cry
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CASTORIA

TODAY IS THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF VIMY RIDGE

April 9, 1917, Will Long Be Remembered by Canadian Veterans.

The snow today will no doubt remind a great many of the veterans that this is the third anniversary of the taking of Vimy Ridge.

April 9, 1917, which was Easter Monday, came in with a heavy snow flurry, which lasted for about an hour after the attack on the Ridge had started.

Vimy at that time was one of the hardest pieces of line on the British front to penetrate, but it will be remembered that the Canadians, with the aid of the 14th Irish, 52nd Scots and Guards Divisions, took the stronghold with very few casualties.

The lightness of the fighting on the part of the infantry on the morning of the 9th speaks volumes for the artillery barrage, which was the heaviest and most accurate one ever produced on the western front up to that time.

The infantry advanced so fast over the ridge that the artillery, with the exception of a few of the more advanced heavy guns, was out of range at noon on the 9th.

It was after this time that the Canadians paid so dearly for the capturing of Vimy, as the infantry had very little artillery support for the next two days, and, being on the offensive, they came in for a great deal of heavy shelling by the Hun, as he retired with his guns to the Avion-Mericourt-Fresnoy line.

Kindly Inspector Reunites Family; Gets Husband Job

Man Who Left Wife and Child Weeps When Shown Duty.

Detroit, April 9.—Inspector William Good Thursday reunited a family that has been separated since the husband and father deserted his wife and child in Cleveland several weeks ago.

Michele Michetti, alias Pietro Leone, left his wife and child in Cleveland without telling them where he was going. He came to Detroit, but was unable to find work, and did not communicate with his wife. Wednesday the wife heard her husband was in this city and came here and asked Inspector Good to find him. He was located at 433 Wilkins street, and when members of the bomb squad brought him before Inspector Good and his wife, he broke down and wept.

Inspector Good secured Michetti a job in an automobile factory, and he promised to take care of his family in the future and not desert them again.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES BEING CATALOGUED

Work on Medical School Books About Completed.

Good headway is being made in the work of building up and cataloguing the university libraries. The work on the medical school library, which is in the hands of W. J. Hodder, is nearing completion. When the medical department moves into its new building later on this year they will be able to take with them a library that will be fully catalogued and quite up to date in its arrangements and equipment.

The collection of bound medical journals is one of the particularly valuable sections of the library, and is being added to continually. At the meeting of the university library committee yesterday it was reported that on the part of the students there was a steadily growing use being made of the current medical journals.

Work on the arts library has gone ahead well this last year, and the original arts library, together with the purchases of the last two years, is now practically all catalogued on the most scientific lines. From now on, until the fall, special effort is to be directed to the task of cataloguing large sections of the Barnett collection, which is housed at 313 Cheapside street. At least two members of the university library staff will be at work on the Barnett library all summer, and the books put through in that time will then be incorporated in the general library of the arts department. In view of the importance of the modern language work a special addition is to be made to this section of the library, the books being imported direct from France.

"PALS" ARRANGEMENT FOR THE SEVENTH

Recruiting Campaign Will Start Monday Next.

In connection with the recruiting campaign of the 7th Regiment, which will be sent off to a good start next Monday night at the Armories by means of a band concert and informal dance to all who have the interest of the regiment at heart, the recruiting committee has decided to encourage the "pals" idea, which met with such great success both here and in England during the late war.

The committee realizes that there are many young men in the city who are friends and like to stick together, and the officers of the regiment are determined to assist them. The company rooms will be encouraged to be looked upon as club rooms, and the men will be welcomed every night in the week. It is the intention to make the re-organized regiment both social and athletic centres, as well as military.

Young men who join the regiment will be given the opportunity to select the company and platoon they wish to join, and, as far as possible the junior N. C. O.'s will be selected from their number if they have the qualifications.

Arrangements are pending whereby rooms at the Armories will be furnished as club rooms, and the men will be encouraged to use them as much as possible. Informal dances and other gatherings of a similar nature will be encouraged, and as a result it is expected that the regiment will soon be up to strength.

Owing to the majority of the men who will join having had plenty of experience as soldiers, it is not thought that much time will be taken up in elementary training, and therefore it will not be long before the more enjoyable parts of training will be indulged in to the satisfaction of all.

Plans for the regiment will be outlined by Lieut.-Col. Eric Reid at the band concert and dance on Monday night at the Armories at 8 o'clock, and everyone interested is cordially invited to attend. All the officers and senior N. C. O.'s will be present to receive any who are desirous of joinng.

CANADIAN BOND SALES.

Toronto, April 9.—Canadian bond sales in March, 1920, according to the Monetary Times record reached the sum of $48,101,575, the largest amount of new financing during one month on record. This total compares with $7,984,514 in March, 1919, and $8,551,405 in February, 1920.

BULLDOG AND COLLIE STAGE REAL BATTLE ON WELLINGTON ST.

Burning Torches Held Under Singed Jowls Went For Naught in Grim Struggle.

If there had been an Irish terrier anywhere within ten blocks, one side or the other would have enjoyed a decisive victory within three minutes, but down around Wellington and Bathurst streets there are no Sinn Fein bow-wows, and so the English bull and the Scotch collie who mussed up the pavement Thursday afternoon fought for a full hour or more before they lay down, panting and exhausted, a few yards apart, to glare and snarl unsatisfied defiance at one another.

The regular customers of Dad's Old Inn heard the cataclysmic commotion, which registered clearly in the Orangeade seismograph, and the section hands and yard men and a police constable, who hurried up from Horton street, were soon crowding the observation arena of the battlefield.

"Fee Fo Fiume," cried an Italian fruit vendor, counting fourteen bananas for a dozen, in his excitement to see what new d'Annunzio had come to conquer the little world of trade and commerce that lives, moves and has its being on the west side of Wellington street between Bathurst and Ottaway avenue. Was it Austrian artillery or another Detroit hold-up man that was blocking the traffic at the gates of the city? shivered the son of sunny Ee-talie, as he locked his cash register.

Some Excitement.

Babel of strange tongues, polyglot exclaimings, vocabulary consternation of many races unwittingly spurred the combatants to fiercer fangfuls. Some kind-hearted pacifist proposed enforcing a truce, but kicks, tail-tuggings and daring neckholds were futile efforts to separate the interlocked jaws. Burning torches were held between them, but singed jowls held mercilessly, unflinchingly to their tasks.

A black cat maliciously ventured across the danger lines, but the canines continued their ill-starred battle. Real beef bones would not tempt them to a social meal. Bleeding, battered, grimy, but relentless they fought on, mincing each other into a semblance of hamburg horsesteak. Temporarily separated several times, they escaped from the peace patrols and returned to the combat.

At last, hours afterward it seemed, their straining began to weaken and soon they fell apart limp and inert, and were lugged feebly protesting still to opposite sides of the street. When the shades of evening fell, each was ready to make a strategic retreat, and each of them today is probably telling his neighborhood friends how he "won the war." But, as has been pointed out, the Irish terrier was not there.

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HARDWARE PRICES STILL ADVANCING

All Lines of Woodenware Are Marked Up This Week.

Hardware and Metal, April 10, will say:

The situation which has developed in iron, steel and wood materials is believed to be the main factor for the persistent advances which are being made on hardware commodities. Nearly all lines of woodenware have been marked up this week, including stepladders, washboards, clothes pins, clothes bars and dryers, etc. Manufacturers have decided to make only two grades of stepladders, in order to conserve their supply of lumber and also in order to increase production. Paris green and arsenate of lead have advanced. Higher prices have also been named on shovels, spades and scoops as well as extra handles for same.

Other Lines.

Other lines that have advanced in price are: Bake and ironing boards, axle grease, horseshoe nails, wrought washers, wood choppers' wedges, screw plates, brick trowels, sweat pads, safety fuse, fireware, wall and floor thimbles, some lines of builders' hardware, sash weights, lawn fence, steel wool, egg beaters, candles, refined wax, cattle chains and stall fixtures, leg vises, cistern pumps, hatchets, wrenches, automobile parts, seine twine, galvanized and black sheets, bar iron, oil stoves and ovens and canvas belting.

Trade in nearly all hardware lines is very brisk. Spring lines are all moving freely and merchants generally are well satisfied with the business offered. Prices are very firm and the scarcity of supplies is becoming more pronounced each week. Collections are very good.

WAR NURSING AND ITS PROBLEMS IS SUBJECT OF SPEECH

Nova Scotia Nurse Relates Story of Work.

Ottawa, April 9.—"Some aspects of war Nursing," was the subject of an address delivered by Miss M. C. MacDonald, of Nova Scotia, yesterday, at the seventeenth annual convention of the Graduate Nurses' Association of Ontario.

Matron MacDonald said that never during the war was it necessary to ask for volunteers for nursing. The blighting influence of the money question never entered into their calculations. Honors were granted by the king, but these were regarded as more or less accidents, and as of necessity being limited in number. Of the bravery and fearlessness of the nurses not half has been told, she avowed, and gave an instance of what occurred in her own office the morning after the hospital ship "Llandovery Castle" was sunk by submarine action.

A lady entered and said that she would like, if she could be "utilized for hospital ship services."

"You cannot have read the morning papers," replied Matron MacDonald.

"Oh, yes, I have, and that is why I am here," was the answer.

FIRE LOSSES IN MARCH.

Toronto, April 9.—The Monetary Times estimate of Canada's fire losses during March, 1920, was $1,793,200, compared with $2,154,095 in March, 1919, and $1,895,575 in February, 1920.

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PAULIST CHORISTERS UPHOLD REPUTATION, "SECOND TO NONE"

Famous New York Choir Heard in Two Splendid Concerts Yesterday.

It was an impression somewhat ethereal and other-worldly which was left with the large audiences privileged to hear the famous Paulist Choir of New York in recital at St. Peter's Hall yesterday afternoon and evening under the direction of the Rev. Father Finn. The clear piping of the childish voices against a background of the deep basses and golden tenors produced an effect which was amazingly beautiful and confirmed the choir's reputation of being second to none. Although the secular music rendered during the latter part of both recitals was indeed exquisite, it was the sacred music in which the choir excelled. This is the second visit of this organization to the city, and it was received with no less enthusiasm yesterday than at the first time of hearing about two years ago.

It was a thrilling moment when the choir, all in surplice, first appeared upon the platform in massed formation yesterday afternoon, and rendered Grieg's "Ave Maris Stella" in a manner in which it is rarely heard. Something of the religious fervor of the Middle Ages has been instilled in the choir, which, together with the beauty of their voices, the perfection of shading and exactness of attacks and releases, goes to produce an effect indescribably beautiful. The choir appears as one great instrument upon which the conductor plays with masterly fingers, to produce music, true and beautiful, even though sometimes the piano is silent.

Most striking of all the afternoon numbers was one not written upon the program, Bach's "Alleluia" Fugue, an intricate piece of technicality which but one other choir ever attempts, and that a famous choir in London, England. The infinite patience required to teach young boys such a difficult composition was surely amply repaid in the resultant music, not altogether pleasing, but something producing wonderment and awe. Another Fugue number was Rheinberger's "Quando Corpus."

Rachmaninoff's "Praise Ye the Lord" was delightfully rendered, the men's voices ringing sonorous and clear against a delicate accompaniment of boys' voices. Another very beautiful number was Gounod's "Jerusalem," whose opening bars were rendered by the high-pitched, silvery voices of the boys. The latter half of the program was devoted to secular music, a very dramatic choral selection being Gardiner's "Carzoes."

There were three very fine solo numbers in this half of the program, including "Ah! Moon of My Delight," from Liza Lehmann's "Persian Garden," exquisitely sung by John Finnegan, the tenor soloist of the choir. Mr. Finnegan has a beautifully clear-toned voice of resonant quality and sings with dramatic fervor and abandon. His encore was no less than the old Irish favorite "Mother Machree."

Perhaps the very highest pitch of delight was reached, however, when Master Billy Probst stood up alone and sang "L'Ete" by Chaminade. The simple, flute-like quality of his voice, softened by intelligent training, was beautiful beyond words and turned many a listener to thoughts of angels. Master Thomas Huber, another small member of the choir, with an exceptionally fine voice, was heard in Godard's "Florian Song" to the delight of the audience.

In the evening the program was divided into three parts, mediaeval church music, modern church music and secular music. The first section included Antonio Lotti's "Crucifixus," Giovanni De Palestrina's "Kyrie Eleison," "Gloria in Excelsis," "Benedictus" and "Agnus Dei," and Tomasso Vittoria's "Vere Languores," "The Day of Judgment" (Arkhangelsky). "Tota Pulchra Es Maria" (Sir Edmund Hurley), and Bach's Fugue, "Alleluia," formed the second part, while the last part of the program included Spanish and Russian folk music, "Where I Go" (Brahms), and "Christ in Flanders" (Ward-Stevens), as well as solos by John Finnegan, Master Coates and Billy Probst.

HEARTLESS WEATHER MAN SPOILS EASTER HOLIDAY PLEASURES

Baseball and "Hop Scotch" Out of the Question For Youngsters This Week.

Concerted protest by public school pupils against the type of weather being handed out for the Easter holidays is among the latest probabilities. Ever since Good Friday individual complaints from juvenile residents of the city have been registered, but matters have come to such a stage that united action may be necessary.

Spring training and early schedules of the Vacant Lot Baseball Association have been completely disorganized. A few attempts have been made to hold preliminary games on some of the league's several score of diamonds, but these have in every case been checked by the failing snow or the low temperature, which removed all the joy from the game. It is absolutely impossible to get out in regulation baseball uniform and warm up when the snow is falling so fast it is impossible to see the home plate.

This is the chief cause of complaint. The weather is absolutely useless. Although it is impossible for baseball, it is equally impossible for hockey and the other sports which made the Christmas holidays so welcome.

Predictions are being made frequently that a change will come about Monday, April 12, as this is the day when school reopens. Weather from that date on is expected to be ideal for all summer sports. There is a possibility of rain on most Saturday's however.

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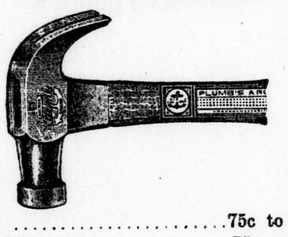
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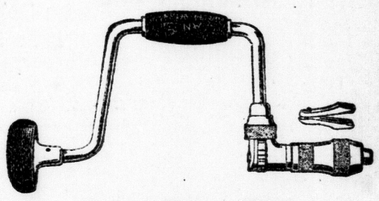
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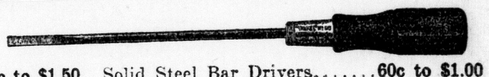
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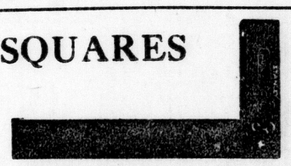
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