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SACRED CONCERT.

A Delightful Program of Musical Renditions Presented

Most Enjoyable and Successful Event Under the Auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist Church Last Night.

Despite the severely inclement weather last evening, the William St. Baptist church was thronged on the occasion of the presentation of a delightful sacred concert, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

The program presented was an exceedingly fine one in its entirety—a tribute alike to those who contributed and to the accomplished lady musical conductor, Mrs. Alice James, who trained the choruses, arranged the splendid program and directed the entire presentation. Mrs. James is a valuable acquisition to the musical circles of the Mistle City, and the success of last evening's magnificent sacred entertainment is the highest eulogy that can be paid to her earnest energetic effort and high artistic accomplishment.

An appropriate introduction to the evening's rendering of sacred song was the singing of the opening hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers," in the inspiring strains of which the large audience joined most heartily. This was followed by an impressive invocation by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross.

The splendid choruses, "Praise the Mighty God," and "The Singers," the latter unaccompanied, rendered by a full choir, were much appreciated. In the former number Mrs. James sang the solo obligato.

Henry McCaw, the young violin virtuoso, gave two magnificent solos. Mr. McCaw is the master of his fine instrument, and his brilliancy of tone, production and artistic technique have ever met with an enthusiastic reception.

The male quartette, "Still, Still with Thee," by H. Horstead, G. O'Hara, M. Sheldon and J. W. Wilson, was a capital contribution and was very cordially received.

Miss Ada Ross, the accomplished contralto, gave an exquisite rendition of the solo, "Come to the Land of Rest." This was an exceedingly fine number and demonstrated the richness and range of her wonderful voice. Miss Ross was also heard to exceptional advantage in the ladies' quartette, where her full low tones were much admired.

The excellent trio, from the Creation, splendidly sung by Mrs. John Cooper, Miss Maude Oliver and Wm. H. Brackin, was another special feature of a superior program.

Mrs. James, Miss M. Merriam, Mrs. Reeve and M. Sheldon were heard to decided advantage in the effective quartette, "Rock of Ages."

Horace Davis, the clever young baritone, sang with pleasing tone and expression the solo, "The Perfect Way." If there could be any selection in such a uniformly delightful series as was presented last evening it was the rich renderings of the ladies' quartette, composed of Mrs. John Cooper, Misses Clara Blight, Lilian Simpson and Ada Ross. The perfect harmony of the voices and excellent expression which characterizes their singing won for this popular organization a most hearty reception.

Mrs. John Cooper, always a favorite with local patrons of music, sang the brilliant soprano solo, "Call to Thee, O Master." It was much appreciated.

The quintette arrangement of Shelley's "Hark, Hark, My Soul," was very pleasingly contributed by Mesdames James, Cooper, Merriam and Reeve and J. W. Wilson.

Among the artists of the evening none received higher encomiums than did William H. Brackin, the talented young bass-baritone. Mr. Brackin's magnificent range and rich resonant tones were heard to special advantage in his dual renditions, the deep "Come to the Land of Rest" and the inspiring high notes of his splendid baritone solo, "The Song of Triumph," demonstrating his extensive compass and expression.

The closing number was especially enjoyable, an exquisite vocal trio, unaccompanied, by the three accomplished sisters, Mesdames James and Cooper, and Miss A. Lilypointe. Their rendition of "Saviour, Breathe an Evening Blessing," was very highly appreciated.

At the conclusion of the entertainment, little Miss Thompson, on behalf of the choir, presented the lady director, Mrs. Alice James, with a large and beautiful bouquet of roses as a tribute of their appreciation and esteem.

The accompanists of the evening, all of whom performed their duties most creditably were Mesdames Ada Howie, Lilian Pratt and Clara Blight and Wm. H. Brackin.

A delightful report was furnished to those who assisted in the program by the Ladies' Aid Society, to whom, through their president, Mrs. George Merritt, a hearty expression of thanks was tendered.

THE PROGRAM.

Opening Chorus—"Onward Christian Soldiers."

Invocation—The pastor, Rev. J. J. Ross.

PART II.

Anthem, "O Praise the Mighty God," Emerson—Choir, with solo obligato by Mrs. James.

Violin Solo, "Largo," Handel—Mr. H. McCaw.

Male Quartette, "Lead, Kindly Light," Dudley Buck—Messrs. Horstead, O'Hara, Sheldon and Wilson.

Vocal Solo, "Come to the Land of Rest," Greeley—Miss Ada Ross.

Trio, "On Thee Each Living Soul Awaits," Handel's Creation—Mrs. Jno. Cooper, Miss Maude Oliver and Wm. H. Brackin.

Quartette, "Rock of Ages," Pfeiffer.

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Mrs. James, Miss Merriam, Messrs. Reeve and Sheldon.

Vocal Solo, "The Perfect Way," Meitzke—Mrs. John Cooper.

Male Quartette, "Still, Still with Thee," W. H. Garrison—Messrs. Horstead, O'Hara, Sheldon and Wilson.

Quintette, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," Shelley—Mesdames James and Cooper, Miss Merriam, Messrs. Reeve and Wilson.

PART II.

Chorus, (unaccompanied), "The Singers"—Choir.

Violin Solo, Selected—Mr. H. McCaw.

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Quintette, "Hark, Hark, My Soul," Shelley—Mesdames James and Cooper, Miss Merriam, Messrs. Reeve and Wilson.

Vocal Solo, "Song of Triumph," Ernest Albert—Mr. Wm. H. Brackin.

Ladies' Quartette, "Way Down Upon the Swane River"—Mrs. Cooper, Misses Blight, Simpson and Ross.

Trio, "Saviour, Breathe an Evening Blessing," Sudds—Mesdames James and Cooper and Miss Lilypointe.

God Save the Queen.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD

Some Trifling Increases in Salaries Made.

A Fire Alarm System For the Schools With Drill Proposed—Miscellaneous Business.

The public school board met last evening. There were present, Chairman Wilson and Trustees John McGorvie, J. E. Johnston, W. E. Campbell, W. N. Morley, Wm. Robertson and Dr. R. V. Bray.

The inspector's report of the average attendance for March was received and was as follows:

Payne—Miss Sprentall 27, Miss Mounteer 25.

Queen St.—Miss Tackberry 29, Miss Kerr 27, Miss Dawson 26.

McKenough—Miss Holmes 27, Miss Young 47, Miss Longwell 34, Miss Errett 48, Miss McGorvie 51, Miss Irving 54, Miss Samson 57, Miss Abram 53, Mr. Brackin 50, Miss Aylesworth 29.

Central school—Miss Eva Barassin 42, Miss Annie McKellar 45, Miss King 49, Miss Arnold 50, Miss Macpherson 48, Miss Birch 42, Miss Collier 47, Miss Gordon 52, Miss Thomson 45, Miss Hillman 51, Mr. Smith 44, Misses Green and Schwenker 33.

An application was received from Miss McGorvie for a position on the school staff.

Chairman Johnston of the finance committee reported as follows:

Central school—R. Cooper, supplies, \$7.38; Chatham Gas Co., \$4.80; A. R. Crow, coal, \$6.75; John Brown, \$5.40; water account, \$19.50; R. Gullen, \$3.63; E. C. Fuller, \$1.25; Dominion Express Co., 28 cents; J. Watt & Sons, \$1.60; teachers' salaries, \$343.72; extras, \$3; janitor's salaries, \$33.33; total, \$432.83.

McKenough—Water account, \$2.28; John Taylor, 65 cents; R. A. Cumming, wood, \$118.68; teachers' salaries, \$272.89; janitor's salary, \$29.16; total, \$423.66.

Queen street school—Water account, \$1.27; Central Drug Co., 50c; E. C. Fuller, 50 cents; teachers' salaries, \$74.99; janitor's salary, \$10.25; total, \$87.51.

Payne school water account, \$1.27; W. F. Cornish, 50c; L. W. Keane, 50c; Geo. Stinson, \$2.85; J. Watt & Sons, \$2.06; teachers' salaries, \$44.16; janitor's salary, \$9; total, \$70.34.

Kindergarten, Central—C. Barclay, \$1; teachers' salaries, \$18.33; total, \$19.33.

Kindergarten, McKenough—R. Cooper, \$5.50; teachers' salaries, \$23.33; total, \$28.83.

22; caretaker of King St. property, \$1; inspector \$100; secretary treasurer, \$30; James Birch, \$44.62; total, \$185.62; grand total, \$1275.54.

W. N. Morley reported that the supply committee had met and elected him chairman. It was decided to ask the booksellers for tenders for supplies. This part of the report was received. The second item on the agenda was the refusal of Mr. Shackleton's map was vetoed. When Mr. Morley reached the latter clause Trustee Campbell said, "A good shot."

Dr. Bray—You have to run next year and you really need help.

Mr. Johnston hated to go against a committee's report, but he had opposed the map purchase before and would do so again.

Mr. Campbell said that Engineer Shackleton had been to some expense to get up the maps. They were not expensive and might be a luxury, but it would be doing a public spirited act to purchase a map of the school district.

Mr. Robertson considered that the money might better be applied to the India Fund. He had opposed the maps before and he was under the impression that one refusal to purchase such an intangible body of men as the Chatham school board should be sufficient for all time.

Dr. Bray, for the managers of the Central School, to whom had been referred the increase in salary asked for by Janitor Sudds, reported that the managers recommended an increase of \$25 per annum—Carried.

Dr. Bray reported that the managers of the Central School had met the waterworks board and asked for a flat rate for water. The water commissioners promised to give the matter consideration at their next meeting. They had not met yet, but would meet next Tuesday night.

On motion the secretary was instructed to write the waterworks committee and have the matter settled at once as a new quarter was just beginning.

Mr. Johnston moved that Miss Samson and Miss Irving be given the increase of \$25 each, to which the rooms they now taught entitled them. This matter had been laid over for two months, and the time was now up; the two teachers had large classes, and were working hard.

Mr. McGorvie seconded the motion, and after some discussion, it carried. All the trustees voting for it.

Mr. Campbell suggested that it would be a good idea to put a fire alarm in the two large schools.

Mr. McGorvie—A splendid suggestion.

Mr. Campbell—I saw in the papers the other day where a school had been burned and three or four scholars lost their lives.

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Mr. McGorvie said that he was in Dorsey, a suburb of Detroit, the other day. They had a fire alarm in the school there, and they practised fire drill. The principal would touch a button in his room, and the pupils would march out. They showed Mr. McGorvie how it worked, and the pupils all went out in splendid style.

Mr. Wilson said he was glad the matter had come up. He had thought for years that it would be wise to take steps along this line.

Mr. Campbell said he had had some experience in these matters and the alarm system would not be expensive. He moved the chairman appoint a committee of one from each school to look into the matter, ascertain the cost, etc.

Mr. McGorvie seconded and the motion carried.

The chairman nominated Messrs. Morley, (chairman), McGorvie, Campbell and Paxton, as the committee.

The board then adjourned.

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TILBURY.

April 4.—Mrs. J. Appleyard, of Comber, is visiting her grandmother here, Mrs. John Struthers.

The spring millinery openings in all the dry goods establishments will take place this Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week, and great expectations are rife on account of the large stock which have lately been reopened.

Mr. Roburick, of Tilbury East, died on Saturday last from the effects of measles.

The funeral of the late Mr. Roburick was held in the Stewart cemetery Monday afternoon.

Wesley Shafer, George Bowles and G. McLeod, of this place, and M. Kelly, of Quinn, visited for Saint Ste. Marie, where they have obtained employment.

Joe Pettit, of Staples, was in town yesterday.

Supt. Edgecomb, of the Methodist Sunday school, was present with an easy chair and a flattering address by the teachers and scholars of the school, on Monday evening last.

Willie Stewart, of Tilbury East, returned yesterday from an extended visit with relatives in Peterborough.

Mrs. Adams, of Detroit, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Morris.

George Powell, sr., is suffering from an attack of quinsy.

Mr. Hattie Mount returned to her home in Chatham yesterday, after a short visit with Miss Pearl McLaughlin here.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnson's Drug Store.

Every Barrington Hat guaranteed. Price \$2.50. The 2 T's Sole Agents.

THAMESVILLE.

April 4.—The storm of yesterday proved a disappointment to those who were sure that spring had come.

Nearly one thousand people attended John Thompson's sale yesterday. Buyers from all over the province were there to purchase his fine collection of thoroughbred stock. Mr. Thompson intends going into extensive cattle ranching in Alberta District.

N. C. McCarthy, postmaster, of Thamesford, is in town.

Dr. Verrinder is quite indisposed.

A Dressy Couple—a pair of \$3.50 Slater Shoes and a \$2.50 Barrington Hat. The 2 T's.

WALLACEBURG.

April 4.—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Robinson and family returned to Cleveland yesterday morning.

A. Lacourse is in Kingsville this week mending the glass works lately acquired by the Sydenham Glass Co.

The biograph pictures drew a good crowd in the opera house notwithstanding the stormy night.

C. Foster, of Leamington, was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Gordon is on a visit to Bay City.

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