

The Canadian Champion
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HALTON MUSIC FESTIVAL

Halton county's eleventh music festival was held at Bronte by the Walton Memorial church last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 6th, 7th and 8th. There were thirty classes in all—a reduction from last year, when there were fifty. Several solo classes had been eliminated, the change having been made in accordance with the increasing number of entries from rural schools. Most of the changes were in the lower grades and in place of solos, group classes were given for song dramatization and kindergarten singing games. These classes, according to Mr. G. Roy Fenwick, one of the adjudicators for the festival and supervisor of public school music in Ontario, were kept in keeping with the new public school curriculum.

That a much wider interest in the music festival is being taken by rural people was evident by the increased entries and by the large number of parents and friends who attended the festival.

Mr. Eldon Brethour, Toronto, adjudicator at two sessions, expressed his gratification at the high standard which most of the contestants had attained and the same was also true of those taking part in the duets and trios, where the blending of voices was in some cases almost perfect.

Mr. Fenwick thought the progress of music in Halton schools was something of which they might be justly proud and the present festival was almost like a dream come true—because it was something they had hoped and worked for for years. Mr. Fenwick not only paid tribute to the contestants, but he also stressed his appreciation to the festival board and the teachers in charge, for the efficient management of the classes and the orderly conduct of the children, which had enabled him to carry on his duties as adjudicator without any unnecessary delay or hindrance.

"When one considers," said Mr. Fenwick, "that there were over 400 children of all ages here on Thursday, who had to be sorted out for their various classes, one realizes that the order that had been maintained throughout was only made possible by particularly efficient management."

Members of the festival board, on the other hand, were heard to reiterate again and again that the great ease with which they were handled was only made possible by the splendid hospitality afforded them by members of the Memorial church. The church and Sunday school were by no means large, but lack of space was more than made up for by the support and co-operation of the members of the board and the Ladies A.I.D.

A particularly pleasing feature on Friday evening was the presentation of a tea-wagon to the festival association by Mrs. F. G. Russell, M. D. Doyles, I. P. S., and honorary president of the association asked Mrs. Russell to accept their gift as a token of sincere appreciation for the splendid work and unflinching interest which she had given Halton county previous to her appointment last year as teacher of music in Toronto Normal school. The president, Mr. W. L. Smith, Burlington, presented the wagon. Mrs. G. C. Atkins, Bronte, and Mr. J. A. Lockhart, Burlington, also spoke briefly of their happy associations with Mrs. Russell.

Mr. Doyles later introduced Mrs. Russell's successor in several Halton county schools, Miss Ruth Bell, Toronto.

The work of the festival is only made possible by cups, shields and donations given by the following organizations and public spirited persons: High school boards, Georgetown, Milton, Burlington and Oakville; public school boards, Acton, Georgetown, Burlington, Milton, Bell, Strathcona, Fisher's Corners, Pine Grove, Palermo, Limehouse, Tansley, Zimmerman, S.S. No. 6 Nasagawey, Bronte, Palermo, Boyne, S.S. 6, Nelson, Limestone, S.S. 3 Esquesing, S.S. 4, 6, 9, 18 and 22 Trafalgar; organizations, Milton Home and School club, Strathcona East and School club, Halton Women's Institute, Mountain Union W.I., Hornby W.I., John Milton chapter I.O.E.E., Mrs. A. Fletcher, Campbellville, and Rev. P. Matheson, Burlington.

Results for the three days were as follows:

Wednesday afternoon, adjudicator Mr. Eldon Brethour—Rural solos, girls 11 and over, "Early One Morning," Jean Robertson, Louisville, 81; Lois Rogers, Merton, 78; Lois Merry, S.S. 7 Trafalgar, 77. 25-voice choir, 2-4 rooms, two-part, "My Love's An Arbutus," cup, Burlington East, shield, Strathcona, 82. 15-voice boys' choir, 2-4 rooms, unison, "Now is the Month of Maying," cup, Strathcona, 84; shield, Burlington East, Rural duets, "Spring Flowers," Helen Conder and Norman Wood, Palermo, 93; Bert Barber and James Fish, Fisher's Corners, 83; Edson Lee and Shirley Watson, Tansley.

Thursday morning, adjudicator, Mr. G. Roy Fenwick—Rural solos, boys 11 years and over, "Rose Among the Heather," Cecil Peck, Fisher's Corners, 79; Norman Wood, Palermo, 78; Jack Ford, Omagh, 77. Rural choir, max. 15 voices, "Baby Seed Song," Dublin, 82; S.S. 14 Nelson, 81.

Thursday afternoon, adjudicator, Mr. Fenwick—Combination of motion and song, Lynbrook, 82; Limehouse, 80. Massed rural choirs, "Gliding Through the Meadows," Miss Osborne's choir, Milton, 83. Rural choir, max. 20 voices, "Dame Swallow," Palermo, Louisville.

Thursday evening, adjudicator, Mr. Brethour—Urban duets, girls, "Echo Song," Betty Gibson and Joy Deserant, Acton, 81; Betty Paul and Jane Early, Georgetown, 80; Shirley Brown and Margaret Peace, Strathcona, 78. "Lightning Flashes," Douglas Craig, Burlington H.S., 82; Frank Carter, Georgetown H.S., 70. High school duets, senior girls, under 21, "Barcarolle," Muriel Smith and William Johnstone, Oakville, 82; Norma Marcellus and Evelyn Vansickle, Milton, 82; Gertrude Morley and Ruth Sergeant, Milton, 80. Urban duets, boys, "See Our Gang With Feathered Spray," Sam Brunelle and Charlie Allan, Acton, 81; Alexander Metcalfe and Bill Bentley, Burlington Central, 76; Jim Gantry and Charlie Henderson, Strathcona, Piano solo, under 15, "Minnet and Trio in G," Margaret Somerville, Acton, 79; Margaret Somerville, Milton, 78; Robert Clark, S.S. 3, Trafalgar, 77. High school solos, girls under 16, "Linden Lea," Jacqueline Plettham, Burlington, 84; Marion Gastie, Milton, 80; Mary Galloway, Burlington, 79. Violin solo, under 21, "Siciliana," George Boland, Burlington, 91; William Nash, Burlington, 71.

Friday morning, adjudicator, Mr. Fenwick—Urban solos, boys 11 years and over, "Come Unto Him," Jim Bentley, Burlington Central, 80; Charlie Henderson, Strathcona, 79; Charlie Allan, Acton, 77. Double trio, public school, "Evening Hymn," Acton, 80; Patricia, S.S. 17 Esquesing, 79. Urban solos, girls 11 years and over, "The Leaves and the Wind," Georgina Bridle, Burlington Central, 82;

Barbara Nixon, Milton, 81; Ivy Tees, Bronte, 80. Piano solos, under 12 years, "Tell Me Daphne," Barbara McKay, Oakville Central, 84; Barbara Culham, Pine Grove, 82; Patricia Tilley, Oakville Central, 79. Friday afternoon, adjudicator, Mr. Fenwick—Junior choir, 25 voices, "What Does Little Birdie Say?" Acton, 80; Milton, 79. Grades 5 and 6, dramatizing of songs, Burlington Central, 80; Milton, 78. 25-voice boys' choir, "Water Parted," Oakville, 85; Burlington Central, 82. Kindergarten singing games, 15 voices, Strathcona, 77; Westwood, 76. 40-voice choir, two-part, "Piper's Song," Acton, 83; Oakville Central, 81. 60-voice choir, "How Merrily We Live," Burlington Central, 82; Acton, 80. High school duets, junior girls, under 17, "Beauty Lately," Mary Galloway and Margaret Craig, Burlington, 85; Jacqueline and Doris Plettham, Burlington, 84; Frances Allan and Marion Gastie, Milton, 80. High school boys' choir, two-part, "Rhymer of the Open Road," Milton, 79; Burlington, 78. High school solos, girls under 21, "My Mother Bids Me Bid My Hair," Evelyn Vanasickle, Milton, 87; Betty White, Milton, 86; Muriel Smith, Oakville, 85. High school solos, boys under 21, baritone, "Without a Song," Roy Chapman, Burlington, 80; Stewart Maclearen, Georgetown, 78; Jack Sheppard, Burlington, 77. Piano solos, under 18, "Troika," Helen McGowan, Georgetown, 85; Ellen Fisher, Burlington, 78; Mary Angus, Burlington, 76. High school double trio, "Easter Song," Burlington B, 82; "Jupiter Polka Polka," Joseph Wilcox, Georgetown, 80; Clark Crawford, Burlington, 76; Bruce Matheson, Burlington, 74. Piano duet, "The Old Bachelor," Jean Goldthorpe and Gertrude Morley, Milton, 78. Ellen Fisher and Ellen Cline, Burlington, 85. High school solos, boys under 21, tenor, "Passing By," Dennis Kurtz, 77; Grant Fraser, Milton, 76. High school girls' choir, 75 voices, "Fall on Me Like Silent Dew," Milton, 80; Burlington, 79. High school choir, max. 60 voices, "Ma Little Banjo," Burlington, 82; Milton, 78. High school orchestra, "Tambourin," Burlington, 82; Georgetown, 79.

LOWVILLE

Special Easter services will be held in St. George's and the United churches next Sunday. A reception service will also be held in the United church.

On Wednesday evening of last week the members of the United church were entertained at a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Conner, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gundy and family, who have taken up residence in Waterdown. Mr. and Mrs. Gundy were presented with a clock, Miss Mary Gundy with an electric bedroom lamp, and Mr. Orlie Gundy with an electric reading lamp.

Miss Jean King, of Postville, visited Sunday with Miss Ruth Robertson. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coulter and family visited friends at Elora on Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Readhead and Miss Marjorie Harbottle are attending the Women's Missionary convention being held in Oakville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sinclair, of St. George, visited on Sunday with Mr. D. H. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. S. Bennett.

The Women's association will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Harrison.

The Community League met on Wednesday evening with a good attendance. The program was in charge of the Red group, and consisted of instrumental music by Miss Betty Bennett, and Miss Doris Harrison, duets by Miss Annie Wilson and Miss Evelyn Pelletier, and Misses Joy and Gloria Bennett; reading by Miss Marion Galbraith; Scripture reading by Miss Millie Pelletier. The topic was presented by Mr. D. H. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cartwright, who have spent the past three months in Florida, are expected home this week-end.

Mr. R. Adams, formerly of Brantford, has taken up residence on the farm formerly owned by Mr. Lou Johnston.

Miss Lena Simpson and Mr. Jack Lentz, of Hamilton, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Galbraith.

The regular monthly meeting of the Home and School club will be held on Monday evening.

Condensed Advertisements

WANTED—Experienced truck driver wants work. Apply Champion Office, shield, Strathcona, 82. 15-voice boys' choir, 2-4 rooms, unison, "Now is the Month of Maying," cup, Strathcona, 84; shield, Burlington East, Rural duets, "Spring Flowers," Helen Conder and Norman Wood, Palermo, 93; Bert Barber and James Fish, Fisher's Corners, 83; Edson Lee and Shirley Watson, Tansley.

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Estate of HIRAM HILL.

All persons having claims against the estate of HIRAM HILL, late of the Township of Trafalgar, in the County of Halton, retired Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of October, 1937, are required to send same to the undersigned solicitor on or before the 20th day of April, 1938, otherwise their claims will not be allowed.

W. I. DICK, Solicitor for the Administrator, Milton, March 28th, 1938.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of FREDERICK WALLACE INGRAM, late of the Township of Trafalgar, in the County of Halton, Gentleman, deceased, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gundy and family, who have taken up residence in Waterdown.

All persons having claims against the estate of Frederick Wallace Ingram, late of the Township of Trafalgar, in the County of Halton, Gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 1st day of March, 1938, are requested to send same to the undersigned solicitor on or before the 27th day of April, 1938, otherwise the estate will be distributed without regard to their claims.

GEORGE E. ELLIOTT, Solicitor for the Executor, Milton, Ontario, April 2nd, 1938.

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