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Musical Festival Held At Russell Has 681 Entrants

Attracting 681 entrants from the surrounding districts, the third annual three-day Russell county musical competition festival, which was held in the Church of St. Andrew's and St. Paul's United, Russell, closed for 1938 late Wednesday evening, April 27th. So extensive and comprehensive was this year's festival program that three nights and an afternoon were devoted entirely to the work, nor was Russell alone in representation but the surrounding towns and villages contributed a wealth of musical talent. Plans for a greater festival are already under way. An offshoot of the former Community Club, the Russell County Musical Festival has for three years been gaining ground under the capable direction and management of C. B. Routley, inspector of Prescott and Russell public schools. Mr. Routley won high praise for the manner in which he guided the festival to a successful conclusion. He was assisted by a committee which consisted of the following: Miss Queenie Glover, of Ottawa, official accompanist; Miss Jennie Carkner, of Kenmore, Rev. and Mrs. K. Daniels, Rev. Wooten, Mrs. F. McKee, Miss Metcalfe, Navan; Mrs. Leonard McEwen, who had charge of the finances of the festival; R. J. McNaught, in charge of ushers and seating of the largest attendance in years; Mrs. Garland Hall, who, with her staff, had charge of feeding the 300 youngsters and their guardians during the children's afternoon competition.

Capacity Crowds

The large church and its annex were taxed to capacity for each performance. One of the main features of the festival was the nightly appearance of Rev. Keith Daniels as guest soloist. The adjudicator for the entire festival was the popular G. R. Fenwick, Mus. Bach., of the department of education, Toronto. At the conclusion of the festival, Mr. Fenwick paid high praise to all the contestants.

On behalf of the county and the festival management, the contestants and the patrons, Mr. Fenwick was presented with a suitable gift.

A highlight of the festival was the presentation of the beautiful C. F. McArthur trophy and miniature cup to George Doherty, juvenile singer who contributed the outstanding performance, scoring the highest marks of any single competitor or group. Last season the cup was held by Rev. Keith Daniels and Grant Mills as a result of their work in a duet. The diplomas were presented by C. F. McArthur.

According to the secretarial report, this year's festival was a success financially, artistically and numerically and some idea of the growth and popularity can be seen in that there were 200 entries in 1937 as compared to 681 entries in 1938.

List of Winners

The following list of results with points give an idea of the program presented:

Piano, 16 years and under—Doris Carkner, 75; Helen MacDonald, 74; K. McCormick, 73.

Elocution, 13 years and under—Margaret Irwin, 78; Metcalfe, Ont.

Boy's solo—Geo. Doherty, 82, Russell, Ont.; Ken Barber, 76, Navan, Ont.; Carl Hume, 75, Marvelville, Ont.; Erskine Morrice, 70, Russell, Ont.

Male quartet—Kenmore Baptist church, 78, W. Carkner, K. Daniels, G. Mills, A. Carkner; Marvelville United church, 75, Geo. Hay, H. Robinson, O. Stearns, L. Brunton.

High school choir—Russell H.S. 80. The H. S. was particularly commended by Mr. Fenwick on the quality.

Bass solo—John Twiname, 80, Russell, Ont.

Elocution, 18 years and under—Miss Aynslee MacEwen, 80, Russell, Ont.

Girl's solo, 18 years and under—Kay Armstrong, 80, Vars, Ont.

Tenor and baritone duet—Frank Casselman and Arthur Casselman, 80, Chesterville, Ont.

Contralto solo—Mrs. Phyllis Young, 75, Russell, Ont.

Piano duet, 14 years and under—Lizzie King and Neta Smith, 82, Navan, Ont.

Girls' duet—Thyra Warner and Frances Warner, 80, Russell; Jean Hamilton and H. Waddell, 80, Russell.

Ladies' chorus—Navan Ladies' Choir, 80.

Elocution (open)—Joseph Rowan, 77, Metcalfe.

Girls' chorus—Russell C.G.I.T., 77

Church choir—Navan, Ont., 80.

Ladies' trio—Kenmore and Russell Baptist, 85.

Tenor solo—Campbell Wilson, 79.

Soprano and alto duet—Frances Warner and Thyra Warner, 80; Helen Waddell and Jean Hamilton, 80.

Soprano solo—Margaret Leahy, 83, Metcalfe, Ont.

Ladies' quartet—Jean Hamilton, Muriel Hamilton, Helen Waddell, Lola Waddell, 80, Russell.

Mixed quartet—Kenmore, 75.

Piano, 13 years and under—Audrey MacEwen, Russell, 80.

Local and Personal

Mr. Harold Snell, of Ottawa, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Edith Pillar, of Ottawa, spent the week-end the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Pillar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted LeMaistre spent Sunday the guests of friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Warner and family spent Sunday in Newington, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Warner.

Miss Anna Loucks, Ottawa, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Ella Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Marcellus and family, of Ottawa, spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. Wm. Fitzpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hall spent Sunday in Ottawa the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stanley-Smith.

Mr. Lorne Harrington, of Borden, Ont., Toronto, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Mabel Tweed, R.N., of Ottawa, spent a few holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tweed.

Mr. W. J. Smiley, of Huntingdon, Que., recently purchased a team of young horses from Mr. H. Cochrane.

Mr. Adolore LaPlante has been given charge of the Horticultural plot and has started work for the lawn and border.

Miss Anna Loucks and Miss B. Loucks, of Ottawa, visited with Mrs. Edwin Hamilton over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Booth visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrow on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Booth attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, in Arnprior on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Doris Moore and Miss Marjorie Scott, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott.

Miss Pauline McMillan and Miss Phyllis McMillan, of Wales, Ont. and Cornwall, Ont. spent a few holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Browne.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Booth, motored to Pakenham on Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Hunt.

Mr. Button, of the Ontario Bridge Co., was in town on business connected with his firm. Contrary to last season, bridge business on the Cay is this season seems to be a bit slow.

James Rimbough had the misfortune to have a splinter of steel fly off a splitting wedge and enter his leg causing a painful injury. He was attended by Dr. C. E. L. Morrow, of Metcalfe. James is now doing the crutch crawl on crutches that are about three inches too short.

Gardening now seems to be the order of the day and those enthusiasts are busy planning, planting, digging and sowing. The local Society is planning a busy season and details of some of the Societies activities will appear in an early issue.

With deep regret we learn of the death of Violet K. Graham, formerly of Gloucester, Ont., on April 21st, at the home of her brother, Robt. Graham, Des Moines, Wash. Surviving are three brothers, Thomas Graham, of Ottawa; Robert, of Des Moines, and Christopher, of New Westminster, B.C. and one sister, Mrs. John Townsend, of Portland, Oregon. Miss Graham was well known in Russell and vicinity.

The Y.P.U. of the United Church, Russell, met on Monday evening. The vice-president, Donald McKercher, presided for the business session and Miss Gwen Gaukrodger, citizenship convener, had charge of the topic. After playing selections from several of Schubert's best known compositions, Miss Gaukrodger gave a very interesting biography of Schubert. Rev. T. McNaught assisted in the worship period.

BOYS' CALF CLUB

All boys between ages of 12 and 20 who wish to join the Boys' Calf Club and who have not received an enrollment form are requested to send in their names as early as possible.

H. W. HAMILTON,
Club Leader.

With a pair of skates slung over her arm a young woman entered a crowded street car. A man rose to give her his seat.

"Thank you," she said, "but I have been skating all afternoon."

Children's duet, age 8 years and under—Kathleen and Eldon Hay, 76, Marvelville.

Elocution, 13 years and under—Audrey Smith, Navan.

Piano, 16 years and under—Phyllis Armstrong, 78, Vars, Ont.; Thelma MacRae, 78, Navan, Ont.

Boy's solo—Evan Gardiner, 77, Navan, Ont.

Girl's solo, 12 years and under—Helen Carkner, 82, Kenmore, Ont.; Jean MacCallum, 82, Kenmore, Ont.

Piano, 10 years and under—Joan Savage, 78.

Ungraded schools—Beckett's school, Ont., 75; Marvelville, Ont., 75.

Graded schools—Cumberland school, Cumberland, Ont., 77; Russell school, Russell, Ont., 77.

Piano duet—Phyllis Carkner and Ralph MacDonald, 82.

Elocution, 8 years and under—Joan Savage, Navan, 82; Lydia McCullough, Navan, 82.

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Piano, 16 years and under, winner of two sections—Phyllis Armstrong, Navan.

Elocution, 13 years and under, winner of two sections—Margaret Irwin, Metcalfe; Audrey Smith, Navan.

Boy's solo, winner of two sections—Geo. Doherty.

Open piano—Lizzie King, Navan, 80; Jean MacLaren, Kenmore, 78;

Meryl Irwin, Navan, 76; Emily McCaffrey, Russell, 75; Doris Carkner, Kenmore, 74.

Baritone solo—Arthur Carkner, Kenmore.

Rural choral society—Chesterville, Ont., 84; Carsonby, Ont., 83.

Mixed octet—Chesterville, 83; Russell, 82.

Open vocal, 20 entries—1st place, Arthur Carkner, Kenmore; 2nd place, Frances Warner, Russell.