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SECOND PRIZE (By Sonia Charron, Senior Third Class, Separate School.)

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They picked four out of the pile of

days tortured the other.

An Iroquois who had been captured had sworn to destroy Montreal, Quebec and Three Rivers. After this declaration he was burned at the stake on a quick fire.

Dollard, a brave Frenchman, gather ed sixteen companions as brave as himself to stop the Indians from capturing the fort at Montreal.

themselves and received Holy Communion, and swore that they would never take nor give quarter.

The next day, being the ninth of April, 1660, these generous defenders left Ville Marie in canoes to begin their glorious enterprise. On May 1st they reached the foot of Long Sault Rapids. They entered an abanidea of going our reputation one or doned fort where six Algonquins and two better. Folks say we're good. forty Hurons jointed them.

After ten days two hundred Iroquois were seen coming up to them howling like angry wolves. "Who is in the fort?" they inquir-

"Frenchmen, Hurons and Algon-

quins who have come to meet the Nez Perces." Dollard ordered the Iroquois to

camp on the opposite side of the river. Far from obeying the order, the enemy made an assault upon the fort. For five days they were thrown back. The Iroquois, despairing of success, were just leaving the fort when they received the help of five hundred war- ada from the Hebrides Islands to riors from Richelieu. The Hurons, disheartened jumped over the palisade North on their way to the West, traand told to the Iroquois what a small | velling by the Continental. There were army was within the fort. Anahota- three cars full of the new settlers. ha, the Chief of the Hurons, said, "I They will settle at Red Deer, Alberta. have given my word to the French- They were given a very hearty welmen. I will die with them." The Iro- come to Canada, being greeted at vaquois, after knowing what a small rious points by receptions. They had army was within the fort, became fu- a band of pipers with them and so had rious with rage, and made supreme means of relieving the monotony of effort to break down the palisade.

and thirsty, but still with double cou- long and tedious one, and by the time rage they filled the cannons to fire to they passed over the T. & N. O. they

ed a musket to the muzzle with pow- new life in their new home in the der and bullets to throw among the west. foe. So weak was he that the missile caught the top of the palisade and fell back among the French. It exploded and killed most of the defenders and opened a gap in the palisade. The Iroquois hurled themselves into the fort and killed the few Frenchmen who still breathed.

The heroism of Dollard and his companions was not in vain, for their death was the salvation of New Minnie Shephard, France.

The Iroquois seeing that such small force made so long a resistance began to fear what would happen to them if they attempted to attack Montreal and Quebec, so they returned to their from 14 inches to wood in log. Dry own country.

The colony was saved.

THIRD PRIZE Class, Separate School.)

treal and Quebec. The inhabitants were greatly alarmed. They ran and got their muskets, also barricading

Daulac Des Ormeaux told the people he would stop the enemy. He picked seventeen men and prepared for their departure. On May 1st they confessed and received Holy Communion. They came to Chaudiere Falls and Etc. made their encampment in an old fort. They were joined by forty Huron

Indians and four Algonquins. After JUNIOR CLASSES WRITE ON ten days the Iroquois came two hundred strong. They told Daulac they

brought good news. Daulac ordered them to camp on the couldn't do much any more, dashed at other side of the river, for fear of the French and killed or injured them. treachery, but they took no notice of this order, but made an assault on the the dead and injured Frenchmen, tortured three of them and after a few

They renewed attack after attack, but could not get close enough to knock the palisade down.

In another week five hundred Iro-

The Huron Indians inside the for became discouraged and jumped the palisade and joined the enemy. They asked their chief, Anahota, to come. But he said, "I have given my word ! to the French, and I will die with by the French told them that his tribe them." The Iroquois attacked again but fell at the foot of the palisade. They made shields to hack down the palisade.

Daulac filled a musket to the muzzle and lit a fuse to it. He was too weak to throw it over and it caught on a branch. It fell back into the fort, making a large hole in the palisade. Before departing they confessed The Iroquois only found one man alive to torture.

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