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## GRADUATION EXERCISES OF BIRRELL BELL'S PUPILS

Interesting and Pleasing Event on Monday Night. Winners of Diplomas and Distinctions.

The graduation exercises of the students of the Birrell Bell music studio took place on Monday evening in the basement of the Jewish Congregation hall on Cedar street, and the event was largely attended and most interesting. Practically all the pupils of the studio were present for the occasion and there was also a large attendance of parents and friends. Mayor Geo. S. Drew presented the diplomas and prizes, and made a very interesting address that was greatly appreciated. Mayor Drew complimented the pupils and the teachers alike on the striking progress and success achieved, touching also on the value to the community of music and its satisfaction and pleasure to the students.

Mr. Birrell Bell also addressed the gathering, speaking especially to the parents and urging the closest interest and attention to the musical education of their children. Mr. Bell used a letter from Mr. D. R. Piette, F. V. C.M., L.U.C.M., president of the Musical Art College of Canada, who conducted the examinations here. In this letter Mr. Piette complimented Mr. Bell and his staff on the remarkable success achieved by the pupils, while the pupils were specially referred to for the talent and application shown. Mr. Piette earnestly advised the pupils who had shown outstanding ability to remember that the secret of progress was in steady practice and careful attention, and that the success achieved would be lost if these things were neglected. To those who had not shown the same outstanding talent, Mr. Piette gave the encouragement that continued interest and hard work would win eventually. Mr. Bell himself particularly asked the parents to help the youngsters in their studies in music this summer. He would be away himself until the beginning of September on holiday, and parents would receive notification as to the new premises to be occupied by the studio and other particulars in regard to the fall term.

Mr. Piette's letter had special praise for Miss Reynolds, South Porcupine who had taken the Associate diploma in piano.

The following are the winners of diplomas and prizes, as presented on Monday evening:—

- Senior Grade—Willie Shub, first-class honours; Robert Miner, honours.
- Intermediate Grade—David Horwitz, distinction; Betty Paice, honours.
- Junior Grade—Antonio Cavallieri, first-class honours; Ernest Burnett, first-class honours; Merton Lake, first-class honours; Billy MacKay, honours.
- Primary Grade—Teddy Byck, first-class honours; Roy James, first-class honours; Dolce Bell, first-class honours; Margaret Smith, first-class honours; William Wallace, honours; Nicholas Rutchnjnski, honours; James MacEwee, honours; Edward Edmunds, honours; Patricia Carson, honours. Lorna Monck, honours.
- Preparatory Grade—Hilda Tomlinson, first-class honours; Diana Lacroix, first-class honours; Clifford Edmonds, honours; Stuart Scott, honours; John Lago, honours; Alderic Beauchamp, honours; William Harris, honours; Henry Matson, pass.
- Associate—Catherine M. Reynolds, A.M.A.C.
- Licentiate—Birrell Bell, A.V.C.M., L.M.A.C.

There were also special prizes for each of the grades, these prizes being handsome books. Mr. Piette gave the prize for the student taking the highest marks in any grade. This was won by David Horwitz. Mr. Birrell Bell also presented the highest in each grade with a book as a prize, these being awarded as follows:—

- Fifth grade—Willie Shub.
  - Fourth grade—David Horwitz
  - Third grade—Antonio Cavallieri.
  - Second grade—Dolce Bell.
  - First grade—Hilda Tomlinson.
- In addition to the presentation of awards and the addresses, there were violin numbers, dancing, etc., much appreciated by the gathering. A violin solo by David Horwitz, with piano accompaniments by Miss Poulin, was greatly appreciated by all. Two violin solos by Mr. Birrell Bell, the piano accompaniments being played by Miss Poulin, delighted all present. Little Miss Dolce Bell won the heartiest interest and applause with her graceful and talented dance numbers.

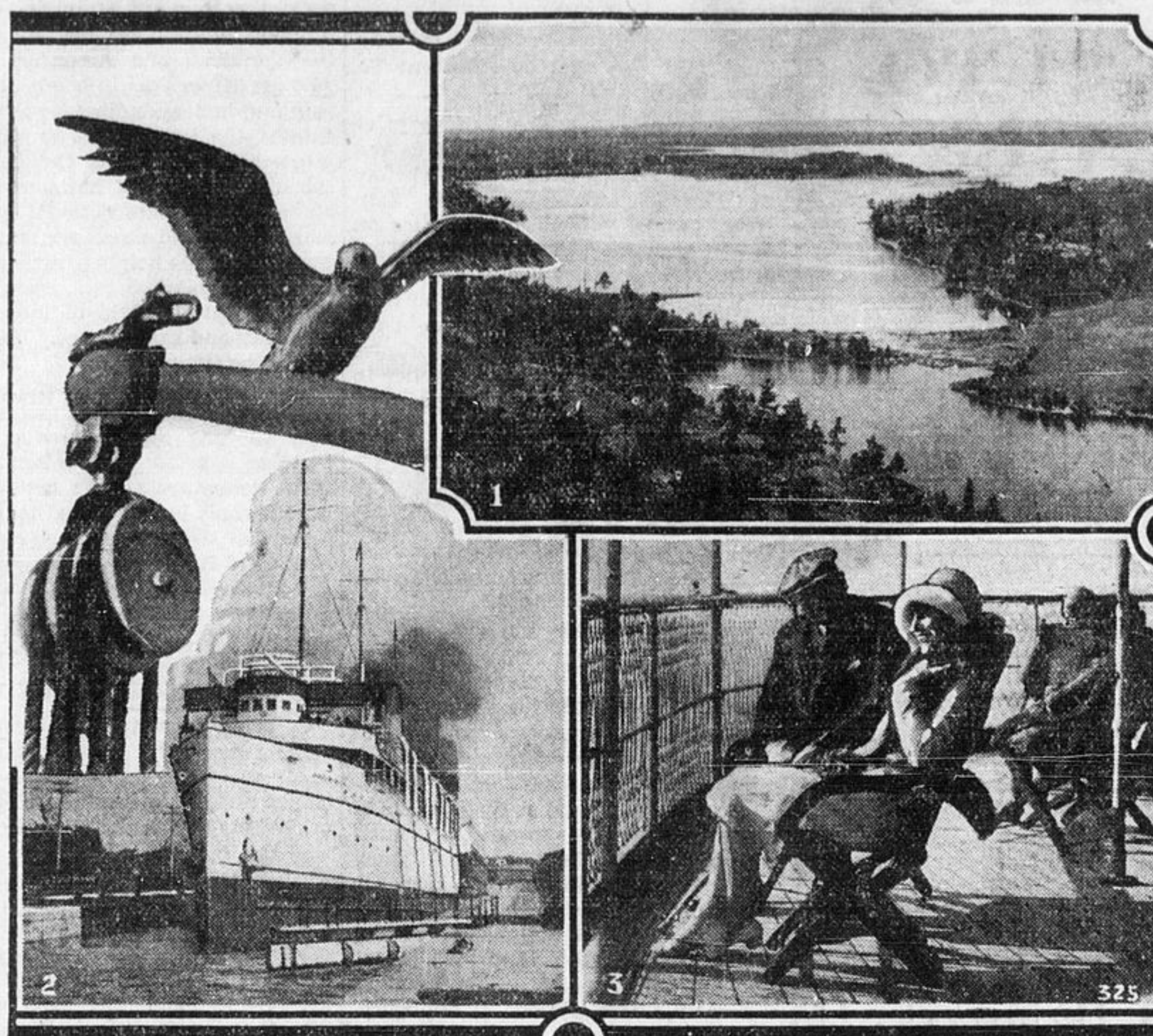
The event closed with the National Anthem.

### WINNERS OF APPROACHING AND PUTTING COMPETITION

The winners of the approaching and putting competition at the Golf Club on Friday afternoon, ladies day, were:—  
First flight—Mrs. M. B. Scott.  
Second flight—Mrs. Carson and Mrs. Gordon, tied.  
Third flight—Mrs. Dye.

Kincardine Reporter: At Hornepayne near Port Arthur, the man who issues dog tags and licenses and is entitled to destroy all such dogs as are not thus provided for, operates a meat market. Hot dog!

## A Trip Through Canada's Inland Ocean



1. View of Manatoulin Island from aboard ship.  
2. S.S. ASSINIBOIA passing through Sault Ste. Marie locks which connect Lakes Huron and Superior.  
3. Deck scene on S.S. KEEWATIN on Lake Superior.

The Great Lakes—Canada's inland ocean—opened to navigation last month, are just entering on their summer condition of offering one of the major attractions of the Dominion to tourists. Vistas of beautiful islands and frowning headlands present some of the most beautiful scenery on the North American continent; while the illusion of sea travel is given to passengers when for a full day at least nothing but water is visible from the ship. Canadian Pacific ships, traversing their waters weekly, supply every up-to-date comfort and facility to travelers and remarkable engineering works add to the list of sights and beauties which nature gives in profusion.

Often you say "some day I'll take an ocean voyage," but did you ever stop to think that next door to you is an inland ocean where for two glorious days aboard a Canadian Pacific ship you can enjoy your long-dreamed-of voyage? If you haven't, the chance lies open to you and you can take the delightful cruise across Huron's blue waters, through the lovely St. Mary's River and away over the broad expanse of Lake Superior, the largest body of fresh water in the world.

You can take it as a trip in itself or you can take it as a break in your rail journey across the continent. It carries you from Port McNicoll to the Head of the Lakes at the Twin Cities. The great white ships of the Canadian Pacific speed along with all the swift grace of gulls that circle and dip at the mast heads or perch and flutter above the deck rails. Perfection of service adds a last pleasing touch to the meals, the comfort of the staterooms and the social affairs on deck and below.

Since the level of Lake Superior is 21 feet higher than that of Lake Huron and the Sault Ste. Marie locks has been constructed and the Canadian Ship Canal to join up the two lakes. This remarkable engineering work is one of the sights of the voyage. Three fine ships make the trip weekly for the Canadian Pacific, the "Keewatin," "Assiniboia," and "Manitoba," two from Port McNicoll and one from Owen Sound, with the same number of eastward sailings from the Twin Cities.

### NEWLY-BORN DEER FOUND BY FARMER NEAR COLLINGWOOD

The Barrie Examiner last week says: "A young deer only a few hours old was recently picked up on the roadside by a farmer near Collingwood recently. The farmer, realizing that the law provides a penalty for anyone harboring wild animals without special permission, turned the fawn over to an officer of provincial police, who delivered it into the hands of Game Warden Stevenson, Orillia. Mr. Stevenson, being well acquainted with the habits of the deer family, experienced no difficulty in resuscitating the little creature which was, by the time it was placed in his charge, in a starving condition. The Game Warden is sending it as prize to the governmental experimental farm at Balsam Lake, where it will be placed in more congenial surroundings."

### Noranda Production May Be Over Million a Month

Despatches from Rouyn last week say that copper production of about \$1,000,000 monthly before the close of the current year appears assured at Noranda Mines. Provided prices for copper are maintained at 18 cents per pound it is reasonable to look for production at the rate of about \$13,500,000 per year.

This will call for the handling of about 2,000 tons daily in the smelter. Added to this, of course, will be the gold content.

In view of the shaft facilities at Noranda, progress in the underground development has been remarkable. The delay in commencing the sinking of the shaft prevented establishing production at the rate of 2,000 tons daily at an

### VISITORS FROM PORCUPINE TO THE RENFREW DISTRICT

The Calabogie correspondent of the Renfrew Mercury last week had the following two items of interest to readers of The Advance:

"Mrs. D. A. McLellan and son Douglas of South Porcupine spent a few days this week at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Julia Twolan, and also with her brother, Mr. James Windle, in Ashdod."

"Mr. Bill Smith arrived in town on Tuesday by motor from Timmins to spend his holidays with his mother Mrs. Mary Smith."

early date, but with this now having reached its objective, the work of exploring and developing may be expected to proceed at a much more rapid rate than heretofore.

## NOTES ON COMMENTS ON SOFTBALL ON THE CYANIDE

Moyses Won Four Straight. A Few Circus Catches. Some Folks Pretend They Don't Like Softball.

Moyses made it four straight wins when they beat Tuxis on Monday.

A few circus catches featured Monday's game, reminding the softball fans of McIlarghy who played centre field for the Arrow Club last year. The fans then were disappointed if "Mac" didn't pull one or two of his famous catches in a game. He sure was a wizard at it.

With the exception of Moran at shortstop, Moyses have the old Arrow Club infield, including Tommy Stephens catching.

Stephens has been having some tough luck this season, knocking out his finger and then having the ball knock him out.

Brisson, first baseman for Moyses, also knocked a finger out in Monday's game. In fact, there have been quite a few of the ball players knocking their fingers out of joint this season.

Yes, you'll hear a few fellows going around town, saying that softball is a girl's game! It's a dollar to a pretzel that if you ask these wise birds to come out and try it, they'll refuse.

Softball fans have been wondering why there have been so many errors made on the infields here. Well that's easily explained. They boys are playing on a hard and fast diamond and one must remember it's cyanide. The high-class teams down south, when playing indoors on cement floors, are making no less errors than the boys here do.

Give these boys a couple of first-class pitchers, and they will go a long way in the Ontario softball play-offs. —A Softball Fan

### COBALT GIRL SAVES HER FRIEND FROM DROWNING

A despatch from Cobalt this week says:—"Teresa Sullivan, 13-year-old girl, is the heroine of a daring rescue of another girl of the same age from drowning, according to the story brought here on Saturday. Although the near tragedy happened last Wednesday, nothing was said by either girl at the time, and the facts came out over the weekend. Ida Brocklebank was bathing in Groux Lake and got out of her depth when she stepped in a hole some distance from the shore. She screamed for help, but was going down for the third time before the Sullivan girl managed to swim to her aid. Although dragged down by the other girl, the rescuer succeeded in getting Miss Brocklebank to shore. No adults were near at the time, it is stated, and the children who were in the vicinity kept quiet until the story leaked out two days later. Two girls were drowned near the scene of this rescue, several years ago."

### FORMAL OPENING JULY 2nd OF THE STANDARD EXCHANGE

The Standard Stock and Mining Exchange will commence operations in its new building on Temperance street on Tuesday, July 2, according to an announcement by President Norman Urquhart last week. This evening, (Thursday), June 27th, the exchange will be formally opened by Premier Ferguson at a dinner to be given in the new quarters. Finishing touches are now being put on the new board, which extends for the full length of the trading area. The floor itself is more than twice as large as the one in the present building. It is divided into six areas, each of which will have telephone communication with the section of the board on which its trading is listed. From each post a vacuum tube will carry sales records direct to the ticker, giving a much more speedy service than at present. It is expected that some announcement will be made shortly as to plans for the establishment of the proposed curb market to deal in unlisted securities.

### MOSQUITOES WERE BAD ON THE BAND STAND ON SUNDAY

The mosquitoes were unusually bad at the band stand on Sunday evening and some of the bandsmen found the pests particularly objectionable and inconvenient. One player while in the middle of an important part of one selection felt one of the mosquitoes light upon his chin. He kept on blowing, hoping that this mosquito would note that he was busy and so go away. But mosquitoes do not act like that. The pest kept digging in and by the time the player could take a rest sufficiently to get one hand free the mosquito had filled himself and rolled away. Other players were bitten by the pests on the arms, legs and other places, but the blood-stained villain who diamond drilled on the one player's chin was admittedly the most double-cursed mosquito of this season.

North Bay Nugget: These wild animal pictures they are bringing back from the jungle look as if the chief danger incurred were that of having a lion walk up and spoil a perfectly good lens by licking it, just out of affection.

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