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EMPIRE DAY OBSERVED IN THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY ON FRIDAY

Flag Raising Ceremonies Were a Feature—Programmes of Song and Story Concerning the Glorious British Empire

Empire Day was observed in the city schools on Friday with much enthusiasm. There were flag-raising ceremonies and interesting programmes. The following reports tell how the school children occupied the day.

At Macdonald School.
The halls and class room in which the programme was held were decorated with flags and bunting. In the forenoon a slight departure from the usual work was made and attention called to the greatness of the British empire. In the afternoon the whole school assembled in the kindergarten room where the following programme was carried out:
Presentation of prizes to pupils who wrote essays for the contest provided by the Humane Society; "The Maple Leaf Forever," chairman's address (Rev. Mr. McIntosh); recitation by Jean Lowe; chorus, "Rule Britannia," the school; recitation by Clementine LeFeuvre; recitation, "Empire First," by Robert Gaskins; an essay on patriotism, written and read by Ethel Sutherland, a pupil in the entrance class; chorus, by eight boys; chorus, "Our Flag," by the first class; chorus, "Canada," the school; recitation, "Children of the Empire," by Gerald Roney; recitation, by E. Parker; chorus, "Soldiers of the Flag"; duet, Victor and Amy Tidman; reading, Sidney Montgomery; recitation, "The Majesty of the Empire," Elizabeth Ufford; "God Save the King."

At Rideau School.
The Rideau school pupils assembled on the lawn, saluted the flag and sang "The Red, White and Blue." In the afternoon the following interesting programme was given by the pupils:
Chorus, "Canada First and Forever"; reading by Sadie Richardson; recitation, Marguerite Blakey; "Our Dominion," by William Hoffman; chorus, "Mapleland"; recitation by Rupert Davis; "Our Flag," by Dorothy Bajus, Dorothy Jones and Lois Baker; "The British Flag," by Bernard Clark, Willie McCullough, Theodore Alexander; chorus, "O Canada"; recitation, Wilma Hayward; Hazel Van Winckel, Reta Amey, Beatrice Condat; recitation, Annie Condit; chorus, "The Maple Leaf"; recitation, Ross Graham; "Our Country," Gladys Ferris, Elsie Diamond, George Ayling; "Our Emblem," Nellie Wright; chorus, "The Red, White and Blue."
Miss A. M. Machar and friends delighted the children by speaking to them for a short time. Then "God Save the King," was sung.

Frontenac School.
The Empire Day exercises in Frontenac school were of a very interesting character.

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formal character. Many of the lessons of the day, especially in reading, geography and history were so arranged as to bear directly upon Empire Day topics. These were interspersed with the singing of patriotic songs. At three o'clock the school assembled in the hall when a program of songs, readings and recitations were carried out. Rev. Mr. Compton was present and gave a very interesting and profitable talk to the pupils.

At Sydenham School.
The exercises of the morning consisted of geographical and historical lessons on the British Empire as a whole, also the drawing and painting of the Union Jack. The afternoon was devoted to patriotic songs, recitations and stories, the programme being as follows:
Recitation, "Little Eskimos," Mary Clark, Bertha Holland, Muriel Merchant, Mary Fitzgerald; recitation, "England's Dead," Mary Gordon; chorus, "The Maple Leaf," oral story, "Robert Clive," Jack Walker; recitation, "England, My Country," Alda Cattermole; story, "Laura Secord," Francis Harrigan; chorus, "O Canada," recitation, Joseph Boutellier; recitation, Florence Hardy; story of Nelson, Keith Sheriff; song, "Boats of Oak," Helen Stebbins; recitation, "Children of the Empire," Gertrude McKevey, Lila King, Margaret Stafford, Eva Fitzgerald, Sybil Purvis; story, "James Wolfe," Howard Christman; chorus, "Men of the North"; recitation, Grafton Wilkinson; recitation, "Hymn of Empire," Helen McLean and Miriam Osborne; story, Harold Packer; chorus, "Rule Britannia"; recitation, Willie Kirkpatrick, George Adams; recitation, "Recession," Evelyn Nickle; chorus, "The Maple"; recitation, "Where the Sugar Maple Grows," the primary class; reading, "Canadian Born," Ida R. Hughson; song, Eleanor Greer; "God Save the King."

At Victoria School.
The Victoria school programme was as follows:
Chorus, "O Canada," school; chairman's address, James Craig; piano duet, E. Healy, B. Stafford; recitation, "Children of the Empire," F. Buck; chorus, "Heart of Oak," school; recitation, "Flag Above the Schoolhouse Door," I. Stohall; song, "The Three Little Sisters," junior class; address, Mayor Shaw; chorus, "The Sea is Britain's Glory," school; dialogue, "Mother and the Sons," P. Spencer, H. Griffin, C. McPherson, G. Minnes; mouth-organ solo, A. Gogo; recitation, "Wha the Flag Affords Us," K. Elliott; song, "God Bless the Prince of Wales," senior IV class; essay, "The British Empire," A. Lewis; chorus, "Canada Forever," school; "God Save the King."

St. Vincent Academy.
The sisters in charge of the different classes of St. Vincent's Academy deserve credit for the able manner in which they executed their programme in observance of Empire Day. The school was decorated in fine style and the different grades assembled in the large room of Form II. Here a quite lengthy programme was given, including patriotic choruses and songs by the pupils. Recitations and essays were rendered and read by the senior scholars, all of which were heartily received. Flag drills and dialogues upon the British empire were participated in and created a pleasing effect. The songs entitled "My Old Canadian Home," "Maple Leaf Forever," besides several others, were sung and the happy event came to a close by singing the National Anthem.

St. John's Separate School.
The pupils of St. John's separate school were not behind in their observance of Empire Day, for on Friday morning they artistically decorated the class rooms in a most suitable manner under the careful direction of Sister Berchmans. An appropriate programme was also arranged and carried out with great success. Choruses of a patriotic nature were sung by the pupils, consisting of the Part I, II, second reader and third reader grades, who had paper hats made which they wore while they went through various marches, including the saluting of the flag. Recitations were ably rendered by the young pupils of St. John's.

At St. Mary's School.
The following exercises were followed out in St. Mary's school:
Primary department—Marching, patriotic songs, flag drill.
Form I—Chorus by pupils, "O Canada"; marching with flags, patriotic songs, recitations.
Form II—Chorus, "Hail, Hail, King George," by class; patriotic songs, choruses, recitations.
Form III, junior—Chorus by class, "Hail to the Land that Gave Us Birth"; readings by pupils, patriotic songs, "God Save the King."
Form III, senior—Chorus, "O Canada," by the pupils; recitations and readings, essays by pupils on "England's Greatest Men," flag salute, "God Save the King."
Form IV—Address, "Liberty Under the British Flag"; the purpose of Empire Day; history of the flag; patriotic readings by pupils; "God Save the King."
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Straw Hat Time.
On page two, to-day, George Mills & Co. announce a complete showing of the new straw hats. They have received this season so far over 6,000 straw hats for their wholesale and retail trade.

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LABOR MEN OBJECTING TO MANNER OF DISPOSING OF STREET GRAVEL.

It should be Used for Repairing Roads, Instead of for Filling In Military Ground.

At a meeting of the Trades and Labor Council, held Thursday evening, a resolution was passed objecting to the manner in which the gravel, which is being taken off Princess street, is being disposed of. The labor men feel that instead of giving the gravel to the militia department to fill in the ground at the rear of the new stables which were recently erected near Carletonville bridge, it should be used for repairing the city roads. The men feel that it is not good policy to pay out from seven to nine dollars a ton for stone to repair roads, when the material which is being removed from Princess street could be used. If the gravel were screened, it would make good material for road repairs. A resolution was passed asking the city to see that the contractors, who are laying the new pavement, live up to the nine-hour clause in the contract. The city regulations state that the company must pay overtime for any extra time the men work. William Baxter and W. J. Driscoll were appointed as the labor council members on the Kingston Board of Conciliation.

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The Niagara had trouble at Point Vivian.
The steamer Niagara, of the Hall Coal company, Ogdensburg, N.Y., ran aground near Point Vivian, between Clayton and Alexandria Bay, on Thursday. The vessel was loaded with coal.
The steamer Cornwall and barge Harriet D., of the Donnelly Wrecking company, left for the scene on Friday morning. Her cargo will be lightered and it is expected that the vessel will be released by Saturday, as she is not in a very dangerous position.

The Late Mrs. John Steele
A much-respected and honored person passed away on Thursday morning at her home at 29 James street in the passing of Margaret Crumley, wife of John Steele. The cause of her death was a complication of diseases. The deceased was an active member of Calvary Congregational church, and was secretary of the Ladies' aid. The survivors are her husband, her daughter, Miss Florence; her sisters, Mrs. Avia and Mrs. J. Hay, of Alpena, Mich., and Mrs. Morrison, of this city, and two brothers, Hugh and Charlie, both of Detroit, Mich. The funeral will be on Saturday at 2 p. m., and the service will be conducted by Rev. E. LeRoy Rice.

Weather Notes.
The area of low pressure now extends from the great lakes to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and is more pronounced than it was yesterday. Heavy showers have occurred in north western Ontario and are likely to be general in eastern Ontario and the St. Lawrence valley.

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