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CANTATA, "THE MANGER PRINCE"

At Presbyterian Church Sunday Was Attended by Large Congregation

The sacred Cantata, "The Manger Prince" rendered by the choir of sixteen voices of the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening last, must deservedly receive honorable mention through these columns.

The church was filled to the doors and chairs were placed in the aisles for the large congregation.

The opening number was a Christmas march played on the pipe organ by Mrs. Phillips, the organist and on the piano by her sister, Mildred Sweet.

Then came the processional, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful" followed by Scripture reading and prayer by the pastor, Rev. Martin with response by the choir.

The organ offertory was accompanied by Marion Learmont on the violin, the latter also playing obligato in some of the Cantata parts.

The Cantata itself, was a very beautifully arranged rendition, its parts composed of choruses, unisons, solos and quartets in such a manner that the variety given was very pleasing and gave an admirable tone to the whole. The great majority of Cantatas have a sameness throughout. The selection of "The Manger Prince" was an excellent one, not only for its beautiful music, but for its theme, the wonderful story of the birth of the baby Christ, told in song and its appropriateness at this Christmas season.

The voices, trained by Mrs. Chas. Cavanagh, rendered the difficult music in perfect time and accord and the large audience sat intently quiet, until the final chorus of "Come and Worship the New Born King" denoted the end and the benediction dismissed the people.

FORMER YALE GIRL WEDS

The following item is taken from the Montebello, Calif., News of Dec. 1, 1922:

The many friends of the contracting parties will be surprised to learn of the marriage yesterday of Mrs. Stella Orr to Mr. C. A. Middleton at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Darcy. Only members of the family were present, and the ceremony was performed by Dr. P. D. Ashleigh.

Following congratulations a sumptuous dinner was served, after which the newly wedded pair left for an extended trip east. They will visit in Des Moines, Ia., and they go to Detroit for two months. Upon their return they expect to reside in Montebello.

Mr. and Mrs. Middleton were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Windsor over the week-end and also visited among other old friends of Mrs. Middleton who, as Stella Darcy will be remembered as a Yale girl, having lived here a number of years ago. Her girlhood friends were glad to meet and greet her.

YALE HAS THREE Y. M. C. A. GROUPS MEETING NOW

Yale boys are becoming rapidly interested in the work of the County Y. M. C. A., three different boys' groups having been organized and meeting now. The first is the Senior High school group, with Ben Clyne as president and Supt. Greenman as leader; the second with Howard Clyne as president and Principal Wheaton as leader; the third with Harold Andree as president and Clare Slosser and Harold Andree as leaders. The groups meet on Tuesday evenings at the High school and will be pleased to welcome visitors.

Christmas Night Ball

Monday evening, Dec. 25, 1922, at the New McDonald Auditorium Sandusky, Stone 6-piece orchestra and singer, Detroit. Special favors. Novelty dances.

Timber Wolves Actors In "Brawn of the North"

For the first time in a motion picture production, or any other place, for that matter, timber wolves have been given a definite part to play in a drama and have been accorded the freedom among human beings necessary to let them play a part in a convincing manner. The picture is the second Laurence Trimble-Jane Murrin production starring Strongheart, the wonder dog. It is "Brawn of the North," a First National attraction, and will be shown at Princess Theatre on Christmas Day.

The story selected for the second appearance of this dog star who made such a wonderful hit in "The Silent Call," has in it an attack by timber wolves upon the hero, heroine and their baby. Subsequently their dogs bolt, carrying the baby with them and the heroine's dog, the character played by Strongheart, goes to the rescue.

In preparing the story Laurence Trimble decided that these scenes would be photographed the way they were written or not at all. He got together a pack of timber wolves, some trapped in Canada, and others in the United States, and worked with them for nearly three months before he would trust other human beings with them. The result is some of the greatest thrills that have ever been put on the screen.

Be sure and see Strongheart at Princess Theatre on Christmas day. Matinee at 3:00 o'clock and evening shows at 7:30 and 9:15.

Each child attending the matinee will receive a useful Christmas gift.

MRS. H. R. MAINES DIES FROM INJURIES

A sad accident occurred last week Thursday evening when Mrs. Dora W. Maines, wife of Sheriff Harrison W. Maines, received injuries in an automobile accident which caused her death Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Maines and three others in their machine, were returning from a church supper in Lakeport. A car swung onto Gratiot avenue ahead of a car in advance of the Maines machine, which, swerving out onto the street railway tracks to avoid hitting the car ahead, the wheels skidded on the slippery iron rails and struck a telephone pole.

Mrs. Maines, sitting in the rear seat, was thrown forward and it is thought she must have fractured her skull on the robe rail. She walked assisted to another car, but quickly collapsed and never regained consciousness although as soon as possible, after reaching her home, an operation was performed by several surgeons, in hopes of saving her life.

Funeral services were held on Sunday, several Yale citizens attending.

Many expressions of sympathy are offered our county sheriff and family in this, their great loss.

Notice to Water Consumers

You are hereby notified that all water taps found running all night will be discontinued.

Our tank was full on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning there was not a drop in it. Should a fire occur we would be in a very serious condition.

SHUT YOUR TAP!

J. H. Moore, Commissioner

Lynn Township Taxes

I will be at Yale State Bank on Thursday, Dec. 21st, and every Thursday thereafter until Jan. 10, 1923, for the purpose of receiving taxes. John Clink, 38-2 Treasurer Lynn Township

For Sale—A large fumed oak library table in excellent condition. Price reasonable. Mrs. Geo. Barth.

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Christmas Morning



Scholarships Still Available To Ex-Service Men

Ex-service men have until Jan. 1 to enroll at half price in the Y. M. C. A. correspondence school.

With a record of more than 100,000 scholarship awards to ex-service men in the last three years the Y. M. C. A. announces that by Dec. 31, 1922, it will have completed the distribution of awards up to the limit of the Educational Service Fund of the Association's National War Work Council. The expenditure involved in these awards up to the present is in excess of \$5,125,000.

The announcement is made at this time by the extension division of the United Y. M. C. A. schools as a final reminder to ex-service men who wish to share in the awards. These last scholarships will be distributed on the basis established, when a supplementary fund of \$500,000 was made available a year ago, namely 50 per cent of the cost of tuition. Under this arrangement a scholarship holder pays his share in small monthly payments. Nearly 19,000 men have taken awards under this plan. Frank Beadle, ex-Post commander at St. Clair, has taken two courses under this plan.

The courses from which the ex-service man may make his selection during these closing weeks of the fund cover as heretofore every line of training of a practical nature and may be taken by correspondence or by residence work in schools at more than 700 points in the United States and Canada. Forms for applications may be secured from the County Y. M. C. A. Office or Secretary E. T. May, at St. Clair.

MONEY TO LOAN

On first class farm security, Amounts of \$2,000 and over. Five per cent interest. Straight mortgage for five years, with privilege after two years of prepayment.

L. J. MILLER, Box 81, Yale, Mich.

CHRISTMAS GATHERINGS OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Friday evening of this week, the Sunday school of the Presbyterian church will hold a Christmas party in the basement of the church. A delightful time is assured all attendants.

At the Church of Christ a Christmas program will be given on Sunday evening and there will be a wonderful tree for the members of the Sunday school.

On Friday evening the Sunday school of the Methodist Protestant church will celebrate the season with the rendering of a Cantata. A Christmas tree and Santa Claus will also be prominent features.

The Methodist Episcopal people are giving their Sunday school a fine dinner party on Wednesday evening from four to six, with a Christmas tree and Santa afterward.

A Word of Warning to the Users of City Water

Winter is at hand, and where there are furnaces and a pipe should burst and no shut off in the basement and the cap off the stop box, it would be a very serious condition. If I understand the law rightly every furnace owner is obliged to have a shut off inside his building. Every person should carefully look over the water and toilet pipes to see that they are all tight and secure before cold weather comes.

J. H. MOORE, Light and Water Commissioner

Come to our box social and Christmas entertainment at the McConnell school on Friday evening, Dec. 22. Ladies please bring boxes.

F. & A. M. installation of officers Wednesday, Dec. 27th. Regular meeting Thursday, Dec. 28. Third degree work. Jas. Shaw, W. M.

County Infirmary Eagerly Awaits Yuletide Help

A visit to the county infirmary at Goodells by a representative of the King's Daughters, preparatory to their usual Christmas work there, showed that the number of inmates totalled more than 75, some of whom are not in the best of health. Of this number, 25 are women, and the remainder men, all looking forward to Xmas with a childish expectation for what it may bring them.

A few of these elderly folk are unable to walk, necessitating the use of a wheel chair for their movements about the infirmary.

They have read, in the Saturday's issue of the Times-Herald, where they are to be given special attention at Christmas by the King's Daughters. They are expectantly looking forward to this time, with remembrances of past Christmases made joyful by the King's Daughters who will endeavor, this year, to bring even more of the spirit of this great day into the hearts of the aged and lonely. They anxiously await the visit of their Santa Claus, in the form of these local women.—Times-Herald.

LOCAL BOYS REPORT STATE BOYS' CONFERENCE

Local people have had the opportunity to hear the State Boys' Conference reports given by the delegates in the several Sunday schools of Yale, two of the boys not reporting in the Sunday schools, Clare Slosser and Joe Gogley, with County Y Secretary E. T. May, reported at the High school assembly.

It is estimated that the County Y Delegation reported to more than 2,000 people in church services, Sunday schools and High school assemblies.

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Here's What We Appreciate

Bay City, Mich., Dec. 18 '22
Mr. J. A. Menzies,
Yale, Michigan.

Dear Friend Jim—Noting that my subscription soon expires I am enclosing check for renewal of same as I sure do enjoy the weekly visits of the Expositor. Many changes take place in a year's time and I note that the past year has added an addition to your own family by the matrimonial route, both Ruth and Leslie J. having taken life partners. Although a little late I extend congratulations.

I also note you were up to Sage Lake again this fall and put up at the Wilson Boys' Cottages. George and John are sure two dandy fellows and very accommodating. I have known them a number of years and call on them several times every summer when on fishing trips. John was one of my steady advertisers when I published the "Prescott News," as he owned and operated a saw and planing mill and handled all kinds of lumber at that time in Prescott.

In looking over the last issue of the Expositor I could not help but notice the neatly displayed advertisements contained therein. They were very suggestive of Christmas time and will no doubt catch the eye of the busy Holiday shopper. The wide-awake business man today realizes that in order to get the business he must constantly use "Printer's Ink" through the medium of advertising in the local papers.

I was sorry that you failed to find me at home on one of your trips north, but as I remember, that happened on a Saturday and we didn't labor Saturday afternoons. But I am now connected with the Bay City Times-Tribune, on the corner of 5th and Adams, so next time you strike Bay City by all means look me up as I would like to see you and have a good chat. If I am not on the job come up to the house and see me, as you are welcome any time.

Give my best regards to Chas. S. Tell him I would like to hear from him, and that if he ever comes to Bay City to be sure and come and see us. Always glad to greet old printer friends.

Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I beg to remain,
Your friend,
Chas. E. Wells

508 N. McLellan St.

Get Rid of Your Pet Peeves.

Trotsky has for his pet peeves the Greek church and the British navy. The K. K. K. chooses for its favorite aversions the negroes and the church of Rome. The prohibitionists vent their feelings on demon rum. The Reds get their fun by abusing the capitalist. Some people have mild peeves. They do not like to be slapped on the shoulders or they may not like coffee except when it is piping hot. There are a few uninterested persons who have no aversions. They are prepared to meet anybody or anything with calmness. While it may be an indication of weakness to have a pet peeve, the person who has none misses many of the joys of sudden reactions. He never discovers the exuberance of subtle sarcasm. He may not get "all het up," but he often loses the temporary satisfaction of playing the fool. He may be devoid of prejudice but the man without a pet peeve seems to lack a vital, decisive quality. The world is a lot more exciting and interesting because most of us do indulge in pet peeves.—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

Doelle to Head National Society

Lansing, Dec. 14—At a meeting of the National Great Lakes Tidewater association in Chicago last Tuesday, John A. Doelle, head of the Michigan department of Agriculture, was elected president. Mr. Doelle received word to that effect Wednesday from Leo C. Harmon, retiring president. He was formerly secretary of the Mid-West association and will accept the national presidency, he said Thursday.

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THUMB TALES TERSELY TOLD

Items Taken From Newspapers of Neighboring Towns and Villages

George A. Wilson, a prominent farmer of Grant township, died last week, at the age of 83 years.

The home of Joseph Kaake, near Peck, burned to the ground last week. Mrs. Kaake was severely burned.

An hourly limited service is to be placed on the Rapid Railroad soon for the remainder of the winter and longer if business warrants.

It was so cold one day last week in Uby that work on buildings had to be stopped and school several rooms was suspended because the temperature couldn't be raised sufficiently.

Brown City women have become organized into a club known as the "Brown City Woman's Study Club," formed for the purpose of literary, civic, social and research work. There are fourteen charter members.

James Barkley, of Almont, who met with an accident Dec. 8 while working in the foundry, is still in the Port Huron hospital where he was taken the day following the accident. The physicians amputated his arm, which was severely crushed.

George Grover, of Lenox, has just been united with his daughter after a separation of fifteen years, during which he not only whether she was alive or dead. The knowledge came by means of a personal advertisement in a Detroit paper, placed by the girl, who is 17 years of age.

A horse belonging to J. A. Elliott of Memphis, backed into an ole cistern under the barn floor Wednesday and spent the most of the morning in four feet of water. About 50 farmers attended an impromptu horse-raising bee, which was eventually successful in getting the animal out. The cistern is 15 feet deep. The horse is one of the well-known matched pair well-known about Emmett.

Marine City's death rate will probably be the one of the lowest in the state this year. There have been only 40 deaths since Jan. 1, according to the records kept by William Caswell, city clerk. With a population of approximately 4,000, this gives Marine City a death rate of 1 per cent. It is improbable that this will be appreciably increased by the end of the year, health authorities say.

It cost Fred Helm of Crosswell \$125 for damages when a team of horses which he had borrowed ran away Wednesday afternoon. Helm had borrowed the horse and wagon to draw a load of hay. The team became frightened and after running some distance went off the end of a bridge, breaking one of the horses' legs and demolishing the wagon. It was necessary to shoot the injured animal. The horses and wagon belonged to George Wedge.

Daniel Clark, 69, died at his home in Lexington last week after an illness of two months. Mr. Clark has been a merchant here since he came from Vermont in 1870. He entered the business of his father and uncle, and in 1871 became the head of the firm. He was the sole proprietor when he became ill. He was born in Bradford, Vt., and married in 1876. He is survived by his widow, a sister, Mrs. Helen Gilmore, and a brother, Ellis Clark, of Vassar, Michigan.

Brockway Tax Notice

I will be at the Yale State Bank beginning the 15th of December, every Friday until the 10th of January, 1923, to receive Brockway township taxes.

MORTON KILBORN, Brockway Township Treasurer

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