

THE BOYS' BRIGADE.

DEMONSTRATION

ALBERT HALL,

THURSDAY, MAY 2nd, 1907.

-CHAIRMAN-

Major-General R. S. S. BADEN-POWELL, C.B.



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The Boys' Brigade.

Pairon: H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES. Vice-Patron: His Grace the ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY. Honorary President: The Right Hon, the EARL OF ABERDEEN.



HE BOYS' BRIGADE was instituted in 1883 by Mr. W. A. Smith From a small beginning of 30 Boys the movement has grown into

world-wide organisation numbering 95,000 Boys, of whom 55,000 are in the United Kingdom.

To quote from the Constitution the object of the Brigade is "the advancement of Christ's Kingdom among Boys, and the promotion of habits of obedience, reverence, discipline, self-respect, and all that tends towards a true Christian manliness."

The object is attained by using military organisation and drill as a means of attracting, training, and disciplining the Boys; by direct religious instruction in the Bible Class; by occupying the Boys' spare time with useful and elevating pursuits, and surrounding them with a healthy moral and religious atmosphere.

While the Bible Class and the Weekly Drill Meeting are the two distinguishing features of the work, attention is also given to Ambulance Work, Gymnastics, Instrumental Music, Reading and Recreation Rooms, Athletics, Swimming, and Summer Camps.

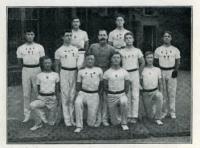


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SWORD EXERCISES TEAM OF THE SM LONDON, COMPANY.



GYMNASIUM LEADERS OF THE IR SOUTH ESSEX (LEYTONSTONE) COMPANY,

Between 6.45 and 7.30 the following Selections will be played—

Fife Band of 47th London Company (Walworth)

Brass Band of the 1st Warley Company

"Pick of the Basket."

"Trauersang."

Brass Band (with Buele accompaniment)

"Marchine through Georgia."

A Detachment of the 1st Reigate Company will act as Orderly Buglers.

Buglers—"Warning for Parade." Brass Band - "The Silver Trumpets."

PARADE OF THE GUARD OF HONOUR.

(The Guard of Honour is composed of the Two Companies in the Final of the Daily Telegraph Competition.

While in the Arena they will be Inspected and Marked for Condition of Equipment).

Buglers—"Reveille."

"THE GENERAL SALUTE."

CHAIR TAKEN BY

Major-General R. S. S. BADEN POWELL, C.B.

Hymn. Tune-Pentecost.

m/ 1. Fight the good fight With all thy might; Christ is thy strength, and Christ thy right. Lay hold on Life, and it shall be Thy joy and crown eternally.

w 2. Run the straight race Through God's good grace, Lift up thine eyes, and seek His face; Life with its path before us lies; Christ is the way, and Christ the prize. 3. Cast care aside: Upon thy Guide Lean, and his Mercy will provide,— Lean, and the trusting soul shall prove Christ is its life, and Christ its love.

Faint not, nor fear;
His arm is near;
He changeth not, and thou art dear;
Only believe, and thou shalt see
That Christ is all in all to thee.

Prayer by the Rev. Canon ALLEN EDWARDS.

Buglers -" 1st Dinner Call."

Physical Drill with Arms (accompanied by Drum and Fife Band) by the 6th London Company (Bayswater).

Buglers—"2nd Dinner Call." Fife Band—"Johnny Cope."

Musical Dumb-bell Exercises by the 2nd West Kent (Blackheath) Co.

Buglers-" Ambulance." Brass Band-" The Gladiator."

Ambulance Display-Stretcher Drill and Bandaging-by Boys of the
North I ondon Battalion.

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Daily Telegraph Competition-Final Round.

Judge-Captain G. D. JEFFREYS, Grenadier Guards.

4th London Company (Kennington)—marks already gained 231.

3rd Enfield Company—marks already gained 226.
(Particulars of this Competition will be found on the last page of the Programme).

Buglers—" Attention."

Address by the Chairman.

Presentation of the Daily Telegraph Shield, and the Ambulance Challenge Cup.

(The Ambulance Competition was held on April 22nd, and won by the 9th London Company),

Buglers -- "Retreat."

Display of Company Drill by Company winning the Daily Telegraph Shield.

Buglers—"Fall in." Brass Band—"Under the Double Eagle."

Gymnastic Display-Parallel Bars and Vaulting Horse by the 8th Nottingham Company.

Buglers—"Fire Alarm." Fife Band—"St. Patrick."

Infantry and Cavalry Sword Exercises by the 83rd London Company (Clapham).

Buglers-"Band Call."

Pose Exercises and Fancy Marching by the 1st South Essex (Leytonstone) Company.

Buglers--" Pioneers."

Display of Pipers and Dancers of the 103rd London Company (South Lambeth).

The Highland Fling.

The Sword Dance.

Buglers-" Officers' Call." Brass Band--" Death or Glory."

Physical Exercises and Pyramids by the 4th London Company (Kennington).

THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.



The Summer Camps.

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Last summer no fewer than 2,768 London Brigade Boys tasted the delights of a week or ten days' camp by the sea. Most of the Boys at the Demonstration to-night are hoping to go to Camp in the summer, and hundreds of them are saving up their spare pence for this purpose.

The total cost of these Camps is over £1,800, of which about one-half is paid by the Boys themselves. Thus £900 must be raised by the Officers and by the London Committee to maintain last year's figures; while with greater assistance from the public a far larger number of Boys—particularly those from the poorer districts—would be able to benefit by this health-giving respite from their daily work.



REVEILLE AT CAMP. PREPARING FOR INSPECTION OF QUARTERS.

How the Public can Help.

1.-By forming new Companies.

Every Church should have a Company attached to it. Those interested in the welface of the youth of the nation could not employ their leisure better than by devoting some of it to this work.

2.- By contributing to the Funds.

Subscriptions and donations are greatly needed for the general expenses of the organisation and for the London Camp Fund.



Contributions should be sent to the London Treasurer, Mr. A. F. Buxton, The Boye' Brigade, 34, Paternoster Row, E.C. Cheques to be crossed "Union of London and Smith's Bank."



BRASS BAND OF THE IN WARLEY COMPANY

"Daily Telegraph" Competition.

The "Daily Telegraph" Shield is awarded for one year for excellence in drill and "all-round" efficiency in Company work. Military Drill takes an important place in the Competition, and marks are also given for Bible Class, Ambulance Work, "Boys" Room," Band, Gymnasium, etc.

The preliminary rounds leave the 4th London and the 3rd Enfield Companies to compete to-night for the Shield. The marks already gained by these two Companies in subjects other than Drill are as follows:—

4th London Company... 231. 3rd Enfield Company... 226.



Marks given to-night for Drill will be added to these, and the Company whose combined marks are highest will hold the Shield for one year.



DUMB-BELL TEAM OF THE 2nd WEST KENT (BLACKHEATH) COMPANY.