

## FOR WOMEN

## A MUSEMENTS

BETTER DAY FOR  
FILM IN CANADA  
NEAR ITS DAWN

Such is the View of Social Workers of Canada Now in Annual Convention.

SUGGESTS UNION  
OF CENSOR BOARDS

New Laws Sought to Give More Protection to Women and Girls.

London, Ont. Jan. 25.—All phases of motion picture industry in Canada together with legislation concerning vice, were subjected to an exhaustive criticism by the delegates in attendance at the annual session of the Social Service Council of Canada. The discussion and subsequent recommendations arose out of the report of the executive committee on the state of the motion picture industry in Canada, and the criminal code, race tracks, gambling and adultery.

**Better Day for Pictures**  
Secretary Agar of the provincial council informed the meeting that a better day was dawning insofar as better film productions throughout Canada were concerned. In connection with his report on what had been accomplished in Ontario he stated emphatically that the people were not going to suffer in their character because of the little money that a few individuals had invested, not only in the United States but in Canada, due to the activities of the Ontario council, the board of censors had been reorganized. The next big step which would have to be taken was uniting the different provincial boards into one conference which would pass judgment on all productions.

**Better Protection of Girls**  
In answer to a question put by one of the women members, Rev. J. G. Shearer, dominion secretary said that adultery was not classed as a crime in Canada as yet, although the council had been active for the past ten years in aiming to get remedial legislation. The secretary, pointing out that legislation had been secured for the better protection of girls and for the better enforcement of the law against commercialized vice and also race track gambling, included in the proposed legislation for 1921 are acts to protect the feeble minded woman from the white slave and to prevent houses of ill-fame from being maintained.

**HONOR DR. FORREST.**  
Halifax, Jan. 25.—Eloquent and heartfelt tributes were paid to the memory of Dr. John Forrest, former president of Dalhousie University, and all his life an active and ardent worker in Presbyterian Church circles, at the morning services in Fort Massey Church, Sunday, when a tablet to Dr. Forrest was unveiled and a formal address made by Dr. R. W. Ross, the minister; Dr. John MacMillan, a life-long friend of Dr. Forrest, and Dr. J. W. Falconer, of Pine Hill college. The tablet was erected by fellow members of Dr. Forrest of the session of Fort Massey.

## Children Cry for Fletcher's

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Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for Infants and Children. Foods are specially prepared for babies. A baby's medicine is even more essential for babies. Remedies primarily prepared for grown-ups are not interchangeable. It was the need of a remedy for the common ailments of Infants and Children that brought Castoria before the public after years of research, and no claim has been made for it that its use for over 30 years has not proven.

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Eight Hundred Widows  
On Provincial Payroll

Toronto, Jan. 25.—There are now 800 widows on the payroll of the province. This is the total number of applications for mothers' allowances passed so far, out of 1800 examined.

This announcement was made to the local allowance board of Hamilton by Rev. Peter Bryson yesterday at a conference between the Hamilton board and the provincial commission. Sixty applications from Hamilton have already been passed.

Why Not Censor  
The Clothes Line?

Toronto Local Council Wishes Underwear Ads. and Wax Figures Carefully Watched.

In a moment of levity, the fear was here expressed that the inevitable demand of eternal moralists for soft Government jobs would cause Hon. "Pete" Smith to appoint an Ontario censor of underwear advertisements, censor of wax-figures in windows, and still another of windy corners. Already the first two of these ideas have been taken up by the local Moral Standard Committee of the Local Council of Women, and resolutions will go forward to the National Council.

Of course, it cannot be the purpose of the Local Council to agitate for equal representation of the two genders on the billboards and in the shop windows, no doubt the idea of having a censor appointed to see that the intricacies of the feminine toilet are not so brazenly robbed of their mystery. The resolution is, however, incomplete, unless some heed is paid to the city's clotheslines. Who can tell what effect a vision of unsegregated laundry may have upon some impressionable mortal? Danger may lurk in this mixed washing. And it is to the Local Council of Women that one looks to make Monday safe for the school children.—Toronto Evening Telegram.

## WEDDINGS.

**Bowman-Johnston.**  
Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bowman, 72 Coburg street, when Mrs. Josephine Johnston, 36 Sydney street, was united in marriage to William E. Bowman, also of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong in the presence of immediate relatives and principal friends. The bride was attended in a navy blue travelling suit with hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Bowman will go to Halifax on a short honeymoon trip and on their return will reside in this city.

**Kestor-Littlebrandt.**  
Announcement was made yesterday in St. John of the Royal Trust Company, son of Mr. and the late Dr. Geo. E. S. Kestor, was married in the Church of the Transfiguration, New York, on Saturday last, to Miss Marian, daughter of the late Brig. General Littlebrandt, of the United States army. The wedding was a quiet ceremony witnessed only by immediate friends. Particular complaint is registered against the physicians of Houston severe in number who, it is charged, have bound themselves not to answer calls in maternity cases in rural homes.

## JUST HAMMERING AWAY

It wasn't so very long ago that I used to love to stand in washed feet and watch the blacksmith pound and pound and pound with his big hammer.

I would pin my eyes upon the red-hot iron as it was freshly drawn from the forge and I would watch every piece of progress until the pounding finally stopped and a brand new shoe for the waiting horse would be thrown into the water-filled tub.

All day long the blacksmith would keep hammering away. I remembered that the faster he hammered the sooner he would have a finished shoe. I remember that he was always a pleasant man, who never complained because I got in his way. I remember that he was a healthy-looking man—with big arms and a broad chest and often with a lot of black on his face!

But he gave me a fine, lasting lesson—he made his living by hammering and hammering away.

I have never forgotten. Many times when big clouds have come and everything got dark, I have whispered to myself that maybe it would be a good idea to straighten up and start hammering away some more.

Keep hammering away! It may sound trite to say this, but it doesn't work out trite. Compensation comes to him who toils and toils and toils.

So, keep hammering away. Rest is always sweet and pleasant after the job is done.

Mrs. Lawlor Says  
Whole Idea Wrong

Inform City Council That \$17,000 Spent on Vocational Education Was Wasted.

The \$17,000 spent last year on vocational education was absolutely wasted; the whole idea is wrong and the city council should refuse to vote another cent until the proper system is adopted, Mrs. J. W. Lawlor before the city council yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Lawlor and Mrs. Richard Hooper appeared before the common council yesterday afternoon to voice their views on vocational education and by the city council in relation to it and both urged no further action be taken until it had been made a part of the school system and administered by the board of education.

Mrs. Lawlor, who was the first speaker, contended that the \$17,000 spent last year in the city on vocational education had been absolutely wasted inasmuch as it had not reached the class of people it was intended to, and the vocational act passed under false pretences. The act was passed on the argument that some provision should be made for the boys and girls who did not take the high school course, and this legislation would provide for them a course which would fit them to earn a living when they left school. What had been done, however, last winter was to provide classes in motor mechanics and house work, and she believed the city should pay for these things for themselves.

Vocational education should be under the care of the board of education, and become a part of the school system, beginning with the kindergarten and going on to the other branches, and she believed the council should refuse to vote one dollar until that had been done.

Mrs. Richard Hooper expressed her belief in the good faith of the ladies who were conducting the home making classes, but claimed the whole system was wrong. The idea of vocational education was to provide training for boys and girls who did not wish to take the present high school courses, and it should be provided in the schools just the same as the classical courses.

Doctors And Nurses  
Leave Women To Die

Startling Charges Regarding Alleged Conditions in Aroostook County.

Houlton, Me., Jan. 25.—All Northern Maine is deeply stirred at the situation holding forth in Aroostook county, whereby physicians and nurses, who are supposed to be organized into a co-operative trust, are refusing to respond to calls in the outlying sections to give their services in cases of child birth or even in cases of serious illness.

In consequence, babies are being born without the presence of a physician or nurse, neighbors and relatives meeting the situation as best they can. Particular complaint is registered against the physicians of Houlton severe in number who, it is charged, have bound themselves not to answer calls in maternity cases in rural homes.

**Doctors Refuse Attendance.**  
The physicians, it is explained, have requested that the women come or be brought to the hospitals which they can easily reach. It is stated that this is literally impossible in a large number of cases. Conditions in the outlying sections are described as worse than those in the new and crude frontier communities of the west fifty to a seventy-five years ago. At least one baby has died at birth as a result of lack of expert care. It is stated.

**RUSSIAN DANCERS' ODD COIFFEUR.**  
(Copyright, 1921, by London Daily Mail and Cross-Atlantic.)  
Paris, Jan. 25.—Oil soaked hair is a novel form of coiffure introduced by the Russian ballet, which has just opened in Paris. The women dancers have cut their hair short and so much as it will oil that it looks like a shell-cap. Their eyebrows are painted in a long fine line which runs right back to the roots of the hair, giving the face the appearance of a

W.C.T.U. Makes  
Appeal For Quilts

Bedding Wanted for Seamen's Institute Which is Sheltering Large Number of Men.

An appeal for quilts was heard at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. Seymour asking for bedding for the Seamen's Institute, which is sheltering a very large number of men this winter. Mrs. David Hipwell, who presided, read the 31st Psalm. Mrs. W. H. Humphrey led in prayer. Mrs. Humphrey reported taking flowers to a sick member and brought happy messages of appreciation. Mrs. R. D. Christie and Mrs. George Logue were appointed buying and cutting committee for garments for the needy of the city.

Mrs. Hipwell spoke of the value of parlor meetings, and stated that their object is to interest people, especially young mothers, in the work of the union, and thus add members. Miss Alice Rising acted as pianist, yesterday and her services were much appreciated. The meeting was well attended.

Eternal Triangle  
In English Court

Wife Sues for Support—Story of Woman and Two Men Told to Judge.

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London, Jan. 25.—Charging her husband with desertion, a London woman, Mrs. Ridge Jones, told the Westminster court a remarkable story involving a Canadian soldier, William Castle, who has now returned to the Dominion.

While her husband, Thomas Ridge Jones, the son of a doctor, was in the army, she formed an irregular alliance with Castle, and a boy was born. The birth occurred after her husband had been discharged from the army and had rejoined her. Two months later he went out one day, promising to return for dinner, but never came back. They parted in a friendly manner.

Castle had since sent his mother over to take his son to Canada, and Mrs. Ridge Jones said she "had a chance to go, too, deserting by both husband and lover, she with her two legitimate children, is being maintained by the poor-law authorities.

Half Operations Not  
Essential Says Doctor

St. Catharines, Ont., Jan. 25.—That about fifty per cent of the operations now being performed by the medical profession are unnecessary was a statement made by Dr. Hott, ex-mayor of Kitchener, in an address at the Welland on the national day of the medical profession. He advocated that doctors should be under government salary.

Eat Enough  
A Safe Rule

Have No Fear of Sour Stomach, Gasiness, or Distresses Due to Indigestion or Dyspepsia.  
From the daily food the system must have a diversified supply of materials or parts of the digestive



machinery will quit for lack of work. Therefore, to cut down food or go on a starvation diet calls for a degree of selective knowledge that very few men possess. The best plan is to eat anything you like and as much of a variety as possible. Follow meals with a St. Mark's Dyspepsia Tablet and you supply the stomach with an alkaline effect which enables digestion to go on without gasiness, rumblings, water brash, biliousness, coated tongue, abnormal thirst, and the feeling of drowsiness after eating. Get a 50 cent box of St. Mark's Dyspepsia Tablets at any drug store and you will realize why so many physicians have recommended them for indigestion and dyspepsia.

Plenty of Style To  
Parliament Opening

Pre-War Display to Mark Summoning of the House of Commons.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The opening of parliament on February 14 will be marked by all the old-time display. The ceremony will be full-dress and will be held in the new chamber of the Senate, and for the first time since the outbreak of the war, Their Excellencies, the Governor General and the Duchess of Devonshire will subsequently hold a drawing room. This will be held in the senate chamber, the Saturday following the opening of parliament. The drawing room will be on the same lines as drawing rooms held previous to the war, in the old parliament buildings. There will be but one change. Following the example set in drawing rooms at Buckingham Palace feathers and veils will not be worn.

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"California Syrup of Figs"  
Child's Best Laxative

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California".



## Robin Hood Flour

When Robin Hood dined the old Friar, They had a fine feast, it is said, Quoth his guest—"May I frankly enquire, The recipe for such cracking good bread?"  
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Oppen, Silesia, Jan. 25.—Population of Upper Silesia with rifles, revolvers, and is well supplied with munition, which the forces and the plotters hesitating to sell in a general uprising, said the late-alled Communist day. Widespread terrorizing between the German and the Polish forces during the last few days cannot be prevented, he declared, without a war between the troops of the police and civilians.

**Bandits Stay Ever**  
Whole communities in districts now are being organized bandits operate bodies, which is assigned between the German and the Polish police, are unable to each side believing the of these outrages. The are making no attempt to territory, extend in the cause of the hostile miners. The French ve Pybnik and Plessa double patrols.

**Bismarck the Al**  
The terrorism and crime are partly due to the inter-alled. Communist the German security police of Silesian police, equally of Germans a commission member said men, who are still in the work, are unable to situation. Since the member, fifty-five men dered, a number of burned and whose settle mans or Police driven o

Reds Plan Reve  
Campaign

Sending Bolshev  
Spread Bolshev  
ganda All Over

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The expedition by the the Bolshevik agent Mr. and Trotsky are planning of revenge against that. The first step is to overrun by Soviet agents whom are now here aware opportunity to enter States. They are planning with money and some that each has a quarter roubles in gold in his pocket. Their present plan is to into Mexico and Canada, across the border single signal territory.

Three Principal  
The United States has equine districts to each of the agents has been addition there are super with roving commission the in certain industries exert their energies all over the country in especially interested. The orties at Copenhagen trusted the attempts of these men to ship ships going to America and Mexican ports, and political had planned to make their way into the eral Danish-American spending their holidays in the United States. It has been offered to surrender their agents of the Soviet, and able for them to penetrate States through any possible.

Boils So  
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GIVE UP W

From the days of Job, out skin, boils have been afflictions of the human race. All the poebling an may do will not prove breaking out again. Boils are simply cancer blood boiling out; and must be made pure be will disappear. Burdock Blood Piffers been on the market years, is well known a blood medicine purifies the blood every particle of foul m system, and when this boils vanish, and you are troubled again. Mr. James Fisher, Ne Quo, writes—"I was boils on my neck and I was obliged to give up several remedies, but finally I went to a doctor treated me for several without benefit. At last I got Burdock Blood Piffers, and before I had been all gone. It now, and I have had no and trouble, and have well."

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