

I.O.E. CONVENTION GETS UNDER WAY

Eighteenth Annual Meeting Opens in Toronto With Many Delegates.

COME FROM ALL POINTS

Organization Represents Bulk of Patriotic Endeavor of Canada.

Delegates from many points in Canada gathered yesterday at the opening session of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire in their eighteenth annual meeting. The meetings are being held in the Jenkins Art Galleries, Grenville street, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, national president, in the chair. Yesterday was given over to the preliminary work of greetings and registration. At 11 a.m. a conference of the national president, secretaries and treasurers was held, and in the afternoon a joint conference of national and provincial presidents, regents, secretaries and treasurers of municipal and primary chapters. Mrs. Angus MacFarlane, regent of the local municipal chapter, is general hostess.

The headquarters of the gathering look quite busy and give promise of an alert session. The hall where the general meetings will take place is tastefully decorated with flags, the bureau of information and the registration bureau being situated at either end. The afternoon sessions, which were private, were mostly devoted to giving out information that will expedite the real business, which will commence today. The religious service held in convocation hall last night was the first public gathering of the convention.

There are about 50,000 members of the order now in Canada, who during the past year have done colossal work along patriotic lines. This will be all summarized more or less in the reports offered at the national gathering. The number of delegates who will be present is not yet completely ascertained. French-Canadian delegates are more numerous than in any former year. Among these is Madame Dumont Laviolette, who, at the suggestion of Madame Casgrain, two months ago formed the "Lamont and Alexander Laviolette Chapter in honor of her two sons, both dead, the victims of war, and one the winner of the Croix de Guerre. A third brother is now in France, and a sister has served as a V.A.D. Madame T. Chase Casgrain, who has been doing such excellent work in the interests of the devastated parts of France among the I.O.D.E. of Canada, is expected to join the convention during the course of the week.

The list of delegates includes: Miss Lenore Cutten, Guelph; Mrs. Clara Lawson, Simcoe; Mrs. Kerr

Chatham; Miss Lella B. Moore, St. Thomas; Mrs. Bray, Chatham; Miss Eva Boles, Stratford; Miss Margaret Erb, Selkirk; Mrs. W. C. Morrison, Sudbury; Mrs. W. E. Irvine, Orangeville; Mrs. John Hagerman, Cobourg; Mrs. W. E. Scott, Prince Albert; Mrs. H. S. McDonald, Dresden; Mrs. H. F. Moores, Kingston; Mrs. Burpee L. Tucker, Parraboro; Mrs. J. Amos Johnson, Brockville; Mrs. C. A. Snider, Waterloo; Mrs. James P. Archer, Campbellford, Ont.; Mrs. Charles L. Bricknell, London; Miss Hazel Miller, Almonte; Mrs. McConekey, Stratford; Mrs. Armstrong, Warkworth; Mrs. I. A. MacColl, Sault Ste. Marie; Mrs. Story, Blenheim; Mrs. Harris, Madoc; Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, Hamilton; Mrs. Gordon Duncan, Brantford; Miss L. R. Martin, Hanover; Mrs. D. Kerrigan, Englehart; Mrs. R. L. Hamilton, Welland; Mrs. T. Woods, Pictou; Mrs. Mary A. Bailey, Amherstburg; Mrs. G. W. Farish, Yarmouth, N.S.; Mrs. S. B. Richardson, Stratford; Mrs. S. Morrison, Sutton, Ont.; Miss Anna Giesle, Mrs. T. G. Smith, Kingston, Ont.; Miss Margaret Bowby, Windsor; Mrs. C. E. Moore, Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. Owen, Annapolis Royal, N.S.; Mrs. D. J. Robertson, Kingston; Mrs. McAllister, Renfrew; Mrs. D. T. White, Hamilton; Mrs. E. A. Wisser, Walkerton; Mrs. Stodgett, Walkerton; Mrs. Ruth Mason, Windsor; Mrs. J. H. Eastwood, Peterboro; Mrs. George A. White, Trenton; Mrs. R. Sutherland, Nelson, B.C.; Mrs. H. S. McLeod, Dresden; Mrs. Carie, Goderich; Mrs. H. P. Borden, Montreal; Mrs. Margaret Turner, St. Thomas; Miss Ethel Simpson, Marshville; Miss Caroline Bowley, Kitchen; Mrs. J. J. McDermid, Winnipeg; Mrs. Niven, Mrs. McLean, London; Mrs. J. E. Gobel, Carleton Place; Mrs. Wallace Campbell, Windsor; Miss Gibart, Quebec; Mrs. Emerson, Nichols, London; Mrs. M. A. Stewart, Camrose, Alta.; Mrs. D. McCowan, Portage la Prairie; Mrs. Edward Wilson, Napanee; Miss Georgina Faulkner, Halifax; Mrs. M. McDonald, Acton West; Mrs. Robert Watson, Portage la Prairie; Mrs. Hodgson, Montreal; Mrs. J. M. Knowlton, Lindsay; Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Miller, Mrs. Fred White, Mrs. A. A. Campbell, Mrs. Wm. Coles, Mrs. R. M. Graham, Mrs. Greenaway, Mrs. Jennie Wiley, Mrs. Albert Brown, London; Mrs. Braithwaite, Unionville; Mrs. Clinger, Miss Raymond, London; Miss Fleming, Windsor; Mrs. Emma Lawton, Stratford; Mrs. V. M. Tremblay, Midland; Mrs. C. W. Farlan, Farron Point; Miss L. Foulds, Hastings; Mrs. W. M. Nesbitt, Woodstock; Mrs. Sladen, Ottawa; Mrs. Albert Montreal, Port. Ont.

NURSE KILLED IN WAR.

Nursing Sister Georgina Dean Long, whose home was at 25 Bousfield ave., Toronto, was killed in the air raids in which the hospitals in France were recently bombed. Miss Long before going overseas, was on the nursing staff of the public schools, and is remembered for her devotion to work and duty. She was a graduate from Elizabeth General Hospital, New Jersey. She is the first of Toronto nurses who has met death directly thru the missiles of war.

WILD FLOWERS

BY Rachel R. Todd, M.D.

THE YELLOW CLINTONIA.

Clintonia borealis.

"In a fair variety of green. The woodland lilies of the north."—Scott.

Clintonia borealis stands a good first, among our wild flowers, for the wonderful beauty of its leaves. From two to five, but usually three, they rise to a height of from eight to 15 inches above the surrounding wood plants, rise in their dark shining living green. Very smooth, deeply veined with parallel veins, they rise from the short, thick, woody root stock, widen out like a splendid shield and finally taper to a nice point, some ten, twelve or more inches from the spot where they issue from the earth. I think that we have not yet spoken of any plant whose leaves are so beautiful that they attract the eye and keep it, even though no blossoms may be in evidence.

These leaves, if plucked, preserve their form, color and texture for a long time after leaving the root stock, and are a pleasant reminder of the days spent in the woods.

The blossoms of Clintonia are true lilies, holding fast to the lily rule of three—three petals, three sepals—both of a faint greenish yellow of most unusual hue, and each sepal and petal almost exactly alike. These blossoms number from three to six, forming a loose cluster at the end of a long fruit stem that is peculiar in that it is rather a deeper green than all the rest of the plant and very smooth and shiny.

The one note of strong color in the plant is to be found when the seed pods form—oval dark blue berries of a peculiar handsome appearance, and which often remain on the plant well into the next spring.

Clintonia loves the moist cool woods and thickets, especially along the back reaches of some quiet and undisturbed pond or little stream. A flower of the solitude, it delights to bloom alone amid the scents and breezes of nearby pines and spruces, and so may often be discovered climbing its long stem up some mountain slope. The plant is quite likely to be found in evergreen woods; beneath the balsams or footing its way among the mossy rocks.

Late May and early June are the blossoming periods, the dark blue berries forming rather late in September. As the autumn drops into winter the berries take on a deeper and deeper hue until the blue is all but black.

Clintonia is not by any means a too common wild flower just around this city, although specimens may be discovered by a very keen eye and especially if the eye belongs to one who knows exactly where to look for last year's plants. Last year I discovered one huge specimen out along the Etobicoke, and the year before saw several high up along the upper reaches of the Humber. The plant, however, is so large, so lovely and so unlike the other wild flowers that one should have no difficulty in discovering it if any were around.

I found an interesting little note in my encyclopedia about this plant. It



RIGHT IN LINE

No woman has reached the finishing part of her dressing unless she is fastening upon her toque a veil, be it a small, scroll-designed circular veil, a tightly-enveloping fine mesh or one of the large floating chiffon motor veils like the one sketched, which is in grey and fastened upon the top of the hat. The small shield veil is in order, top.

was named in honor of De Witt Clinton, a member of the United States Senate, who died in 1828. Clinton was a wild flower lover, but also an enthusiastic scientist, and at one time had planned a huge canal which was to connect Lake Erie with the Atlantic Ocean, thus making a waterway that would have been famous the world over.

However, Clinton is remembered nowadays by the lovely wild flower that bears his name.

EMPLOYMENT REPORT.

Women's Department Figures for the Past Week.

Reports from the women's department of the Ontario Employment Bureau, gives the factory returns for the past week as: Employers' orders, 21; re-registrations, 60; new, 58; help wanted, 54; referred, 37; placed, 29.

The domestic department reports: Permanent orders, 46; casual, 170; re-registrations for permanent, 20; new, 20; help wanted, 84; referred, 15; placed, 5.

Casual work: Re-registrations, 94; new, 5; help wanted, 170; referred, 115; placed, 115.

Out-of-town orders were: Employers, 6; re-registrations, 2; new, 4; help wanted, 7; referred, 4; placed, 2.

The government bureau expects to move on Thursday to its new offices at 45-47 West King street.

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND REPORT FOR WEEK

The Belgian Relief Fund, Ontario Branch, 50 West King street, reports receipts for the week ending May 24, \$1,460.25, making total to date \$144,594.57.

Some of the subscriptions were: John T. Hepburn Co., \$200; W. F. Cowan, Oshawa, \$100; Ideal Bread Co., \$100; The Schottel Woolen Co., Oshawa, \$100; Christie, Brown & Co., \$100; The Toronto Iron Works, \$100; Goldie & McCulloch, Galt; Eby Blain, Ltd.; Gump, Ltd.; Stevens, Hepner Co., Fort Elgin; The Imperial Varnish & Color Co., each \$50; The Irving Umbrella Co., W. Goulding, Bowden Machine Co., A. T. Reid Co., Pittings, Ltd., Oshawa, each \$25; John W. Hyatt, Sore, Pictou; Wm. McLaughlin & Co., each \$20; Busy Bee Chapter, I.O.D.E., Listowel, \$15; McRae Mfg. Co., The European Co., George Rathbone, Ltd.; Grand & Toy, J. L. Harriman, Niagara Falls; James Harriman, Niagara Falls; Alexander Miller, Pembroke; E. S. Watt, Palmerston; Miss Helen Kerry, William T. Lee & Sons, Owen Sound; Edmund Scheuer, Ltd.; The Ault & Wilberg Co., Elliott Bros., Prescott, each \$10.

HEADQUARTERS MOVING.

The Toronto Women's Patriotic League headquarters are being moved from 80 to 82 West King street.

War Garden Bulletin

PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACKYARD GARDENERS ENLISTED IN GREATER PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN.

Issued by the Canada Food Board in Collaboration With Experts on the Staff of the Dominion Experimental Farm.

BEANS AND CORN.

It's time to think about beans and corn, and the first planting should not be delayed any longer. They are among the foremost of the successful crops and should receive three plantings, with a period of a week between each. In this way there will be a continuous supply for the table.

In planting corn, make a hole about two or three inches deep with your hoe. Scatter in this about five or six kernels of corn. Then throw in the corn and tramp down the hill. When the shoots appear sturdy, pull out all but the three strongest. Care must be taken not to plant corn as long as there is any danger of frost.

Beans are a very important war garden crop, for they are not only palatable, but are a highly nutritious substitute for wheat and meat. For planting beans, make a hole about two inches deep with the hoe. In this put the bean seeds two inches apart, and twelve inches apart. In each hole drop three or four seeds. Cover with soil and tramp lightly over the row. The seed may be sown before planting by soaking in water.

ROSEDALE PEOPLE TO GO NO FURTHER

Bow to Inevitable When College Accepts Government's Offer to Buy.

The proposal to use new Knox College on St. George street as a temporary home for the boys of St. Andrew's College, pending the erection of their school on upper Yonge street, near York Mills, will have to be considered by the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which meets in Toronto on June 5. As far as the authorities of either college are concerned, The World was informed last night that they could do nothing in the matter other than agree between themselves as to details. The general assembly, as the governing body of the Presbyterian Church, alone has the authority to grant permission for the use of Knox building.

With the announcement in The Sunday World that the government's offer of \$500,000 had been definitely accepted by the owners of St. Andrew's College rather than have the property expropriated, the residents of Rosedale have bowed to the inevitable and will take no further action in the matter. One resident last night said there had been a great deal of misapprehension on the part of the public with regard to the attitude taken by those who lived in the vicinity of the college. When it was first suggested that a military hospital be established there, he said, a committee was appointed to see just what the government really proposed to do. The appointment of this committee, which was purely to gather information, was regarded by some as an act of hostility towards the scheme. This was not the case, and when it was learned what the military authorities had decided the committee's labors were at an end.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE ON BIGAMY CHARGE

Judge Winchester yesterday found Christina Holloway guilty of bigamy, but as his honor ruled that the offence was more technical than deliberate, she was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

B. D. Holloway stated he married accused in 1914, near Ottawa, and two days later she left him, as according to her statement he had said he was previously married. She came to Toronto, and believing that Holloway's first wife was living, she thought she was free, and in 1915 married Albert Richardson, now overseas. Holloway denied having said his first wife was alive, and she died seven years before he was married to Christina Stewart.

"THE WORLD DO MOVE"

A well-groomed, well-bred hackney driven by a groom in livery, and hitched to a high two-wheeled English dog cart, created more than passing interest as it stopped in front of the city hall yesterday afternoon.

Annual Stock-Taking Sale

AT

Heintzman Hall

Nearing Its Close

Don't forget that this is a Stock-taking Sale; that our year ends on Friday, May 31, and that at that time this sale closes. We have made scores of homes happy by selling them beautiful pianos at prices and terms which they really could afford—homes that considered a piano out of the question, at present at least.

Scores of Bargains Left But Going Fast

We still have a splendid array of real snaps, but they are going fast. Every day sees many more people taking advantage of the wonderfully low prices and remarkably easy terms. We have some particularly fine bargains in pianos for practice purposes and for the summer cottage. In fact, the list includes still pianos for every use—square pianos, small and medium size uprights, player-pianos, grand pianos, etc.

Make Your Selection To-day and Be Sure

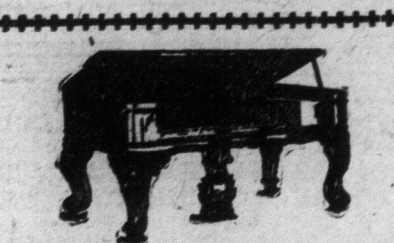
Don't wait till the sale is over, and then feel sorry you did not take advantage of this wonderful opportunity—an opportunity which, under present conditions, may never come again. See us to-day, and examine them anyway. It will be time well spent. Don't be afraid of the cost. We will arrange terms to suit you.

Victory Bonds Accepted as Part Payment on any of These Bargains

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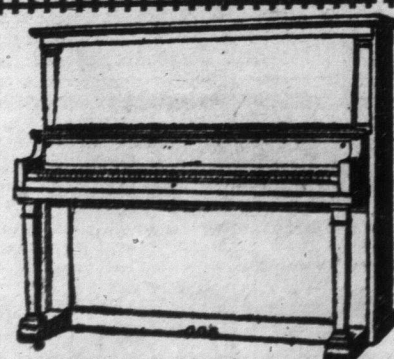


Mason & Risch Square Piano

Carved legs, full iron frame, case re-varnished. A very dependable practice instrument.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$73.00

Terms—\$5 Cash and 75c Per Week. Can be exchanged within two years on any upright piano.

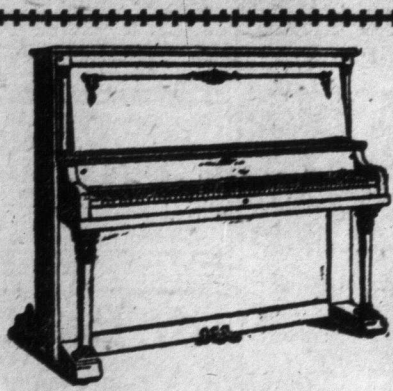


Devonshire Upright Piano

Up-to-date colonial model, satin finish mahogany, full iron frame, 2 pedals, slightly used in Rental Department.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$295.00

Terms—\$15 Cash and \$1.75 Per Week.

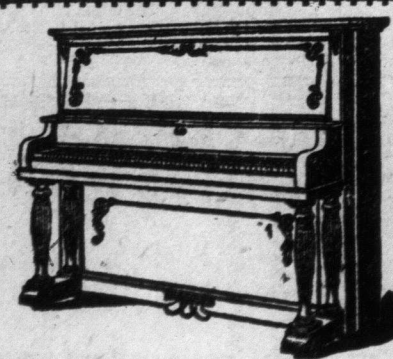


Gerhard Heintzman Upright Piano

Dark mahogany case, full compass keyboard, full length music desk. Slightly used, but fully guaranteed.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$275.00

Terms—\$15 Cash and \$1.75 Per Week.



Heintzman & Co. Upright Piano

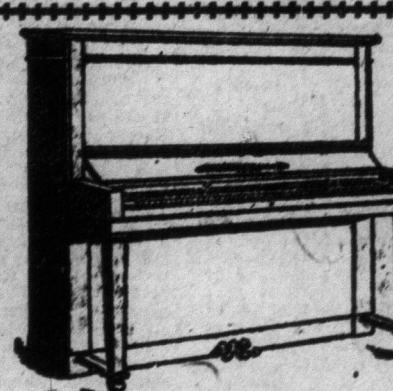
Cabinet grand upright, mahogany case, 71-3 octaves, 2 pedals. An expensive model, slightly used.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$285.00

Terms—\$15 Cash and \$2 Per Week.

Real Bargains in Player-Music

100 rolls High-class Music. Regular value up to \$3.00, for each.....**50**
1,000 slightly used Rolls, all classes of music. Regular up to \$1.20, for, per roll.....**25**

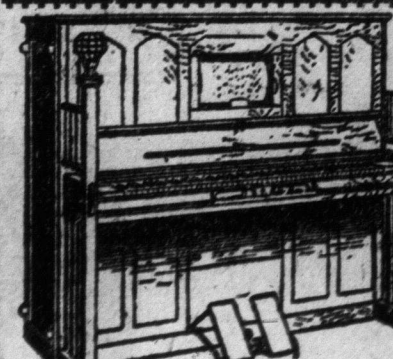


Practice Upright Piano

A fine practice piano, in rosewood case, 7-octave keyboard, in perfect working order.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$80.00

Terms—\$5 Cash and \$1 Per Week.

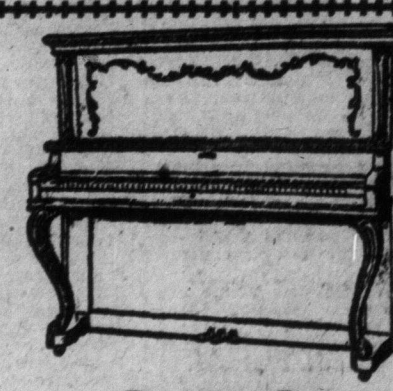


Heintzman & Co. Upright Piano

Oak case, library design, with electric lights, similar to player-piano illustrated. Baby grand scale, characteristic Heintzman tone and touch—slightly used.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$335.00

Terms—\$20 Cash and \$2.50 Per Week.

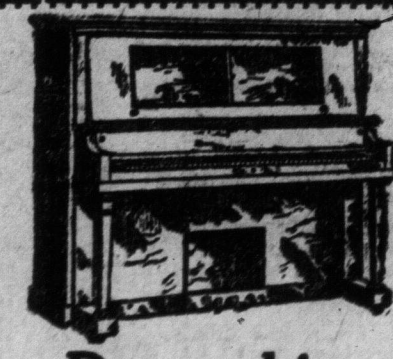


Canada Upright Piano

Louis XV. De Luxe model, dark walnut case, modern construction. Slightly used for demonstration purposes.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$325.00

Terms—\$20 Cash and \$2 Per Week.



Devonshire Player-Piano

Genuine French burr walnut case, \$8-note metal action. Used for show purposes only.

Stock-taking Sale Price
\$595.00

Terms—\$50 Cash and \$8.75 Per Week. \$10 worth of player music and bench included. No war tax on this price.

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