

Farm Life In Miniature In a Public Park

A miniature farm has been opened in Central Park, New York. There may be found cows, donkeys, ducks in a pond and all the other delightful things of a real farm.

The Chaperon and the Girl of Today

Dorothy Dix

Indorses Honor System in Duenna's Stead

Plant Ideals in the Heart of the Maid of Any Era and She'll Carry All the Protection She Needs in Her Own Breast.

One of the questions that most perplex mothers in these free-and-easy days is how to take care of their daughters, and protect them from the dangers into which youth and ignorance and foolishness are always liable to stumble.



In the good old times this was easy. Then mother's first duty was to be an efficient watch-dog. She kept a wary eye on her girls, and they were never permitted to stir away from her skirts unless some other reliable duenna was on the job. She kept faithful tab on the comings and goings of her daughters, and they never went without her tagging them.

But now! Oh, la, la! The girls have broken their leading strings, and they've got their own latch-keys, and mother has got nervous prostration lying awake at night listening for them to come home, and wondering what she ought to do about it.

Some women were discussing this question the other day, and one of them said:

"When I was young, no 'nice' girl went anywhere without a chaperon. Such a thing as a lot of young people going off alone together on a lark, without some older woman along, would simply have been out of the question, and as for a girl going on a long ride alone with a man—why, you would hardly have done that with your own brother, and no decent young woman would have dreamed of such a thing as going to a restaurant with a man unless she had been properly chaperoned."

"Our parents took us to balls and parties, and when young men called, our mothers received them, and helped entertain them."

"When I tell my daughter this, she says that, thank God, the chaperon is as extinct as the dodo, and she simply wouldn't stand for anybody shadowing her, or her with the brutal candor of youth she informed me that her beaux do not come to see me, and gave me to understand that when young men came to call my presence in the drawing room was neither expected nor desired."

"Furthermore, when I tell her how my mother looked after me when I was a girl, she gives me, and asks me if I didn't have a very dull time, and she wonders how I ever managed to get married when I was under that sort of surveillance. She further expresses the opinion that no girl who has a mother who 'queers her' that way could have a good time, or catch a husband nowadays. She says the boys simply would pass her up."

"And she's right. Look at the Blank girls. Pretty, beautifully dressed, fine dancers, attractive in every way. And their parents spend loads of money entertaining them, but they never have a particle of attention from men, because, wherever they go, mother or father is along. Father and mother take them to places of amusement and come for them. If a boy asks one of the girls to go riding, mother appears in her automobile coat and hat to go too. If a young man calls, father sits and reads his paper in the back parlor, and it's Good night! with that youth. He never comes again. Every one of those girls is being chaperoned into the spinster's retreat."

"And there we are," concluded the woman, "if we don't chaperon our daughters, we don't feel that we are doing our duty by them, and if we do chaperon them, we are spoilsports who kill all their fun, and make old maids of them, so what are we to do?"

"The chaperon went into the discard with a lot of other old traditions and conventions in the war," said another woman, "and perhaps she isn't as great a loss as we think she is. Perhaps she was always more of a figurehead of respectability than any real protection, because it has always been my experience that the people who have to be watched are not worth watching. Besides, there always comes a place where the watching breaks down. If a girl is wild and giddy, she will give her mother the slip somewhere and go her own way. If she has got the right sort of sense and principle, she will go straight whether her mother's eye is on her or not."

"More than that, how are you going to chaperon girls when they don't stay put as they used to? Mother can't go to work with her daughters and play propriety in a store or office. And, anyway, it's absurd to suppose that a girl who has brains enough to take a college degree, or to hold down a good job, hasn't got sense enough to know how to behave herself. Of course, it terrifies us mothers to see our little young daughters venturing outside of the sheep fold without our being there to protect them, but the girls say they know how to take care of themselves, and apparently they do, for there are no more scandals than there used to be. Certainly a girl of sixteen in these days is more sophisticated and harder boiled than her grandmother is at sixty."

"I think," said the third woman, "that we have to do our chaperoning in the cradle, and that if we do that well, the balance doesn't matter. I mean that a girl's character is formed by the time she is twelve years old, and if from the time that she could understand anything at all we have taught her purity of mind and body; if we have impressed on her ideals of modesty and the beauty of innocence; if we have taught her to hold her honor above her life, then we don't need to worry about the balance."

"She won't need to be watched. She has got all the protection she needs in her own breast. She will be her own chaperon and require no other."

DOROTHY DIX.

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Makes a Family Supply of Cough Remedy

Really better than ready-made cough syrups, and saves about \$2. Easily and quickly prepared.

If you combined the curative properties of every known "ready-made" cough remedy, you probably could not get as much real curative power as there is in this simple home-made cough syrup, which is easily prepared in a few minutes.

Get from any druggist 2½ ounces of Pinex, pour it into a 16-oz. bottle and fill the bottle with syrup, using either plain granulated sugar syrup, clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, as desired. The result is 16 ounces of really better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made and saves easily \$2. Tastes pleasant and never spoils.

This Pinex and Syrup preparation gets right at the cause of a cough and gives almost immediate relief. It loosens the phlegm, stops the nasty throat tickle and heals the sore, irritated membranes so gently and easily that it is really a wonder.

A day's use will usually overcome the ordinary cough and for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness and bronchial asthma, there is nothing better.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, which has been used for generations to break up croupy coughs.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

CENTENNIAL CHOR GIVES PROGRAM AT BELMONT

About fifty members of the choir of Centennial Methodist Church motored to Belmont Monday evening and presented a delightful program at the Centennial concert of the Belmont Methodist Church.

The program was presented under the direction of Mr. Theodore Gray, director of the choir. Charming solos were given by Mrs. Gertrude Hayward and Charles Hall, and enjoyable numbers were also given by the Mills quartet. A most attractive number was the quartet number given in costume by Mrs. Misses Gladys Udy and Helen Thompson.

Antheims by the choir were also enjoyed, also duet by Mrs. Hayward and Miss Udy. Clever readings by Mrs. C. Allan were greatly enjoyed. Following the entertainment supper was served, and a vote of thanks was given to the ladies of the Belmont Church by the president of the choir, Mr. Bert Weir.

HOLD HARVEST HOME

Special to The Advertiser. Princeton, Oct. 2.—Harvest home services were held in St. Bartholomew's Church, Falkland, Sunday afternoon by Rev. A. S. Mitchell of Hayville, the Princeton choir and Miss Costain, organist, taking the musical part of the service.

MARK HARVEST HOME

Special to The Advertiser. Paris, Oct. 2.—Sunday was observed as harvest home day at the Bethel Methodist Church, Rev. Graham of Colborne Street Methodist Church preached in the morning, and in the evening H. B. Christie, editor of the Expositor, delivered a patriotic address. The choir rendered special music under the direction of Mrs. Horace Costain, and Miss Mary Lang of Brantford was the soloist for the day.

SOCIETIES and THE HOME

Interesting Plans Made At I. O. D. E. Meetings

Plans For Winter Activities Were Made At the Initial Meetings of Many Local Chapters.

Yesterday afternoon marked the initial meetings of a number of the primary chapters of the Daughters of the Empire, interesting plans for the coming season were discussed, and among the leading questions was the deciding of the various booths to be taken care of at the mammoth fair, "The Streets of Wonderland," being held Dec. 3 and 4, under the auspices of the War Memorial Hospital committee, with the assistance of all the local women's organizations.

SEVENTH REGIMENT CHAPTER. Mrs. F. H. Butler presided over the meeting of the Seventh Regiment Chapter held at the officers' quarters in the armories. This chapter decided to take care of the fancy work booth in the "Streets of Wonderland" in conjunction with the Isabel Hampton and Senator Coffey Chapters, with Mrs. Butler, the regent, in charge.

The silver cup offered annually by the chapter for the best shot in the Western Ontario Regiment was won by Captain Gordon Galbraith, and the presentation will be made later in the season. Plans were also made for a bridge and euchre to be given by the executive in the officers' quarters towards the end of October. Tea was served at the close of the meeting, with Mrs. Butler, the regent, and Mrs. W. D. I. Wright, first vice-regent, acting as hostesses.

PLANS SALES FOR NEAR FUTURE

Meeting at the home of Mrs. W. B. Walker, William street north, the Trafalgar Chapter planned a rummage sale to be held this month. With Mrs. L. Harding as convener, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Ram, Mrs. Dreaney, Mrs. T. Hill, Mrs. Fred Laing and Mrs. A. H. Shaddock. A home cooking sale was also planned, with Mrs. John Laughton in charge, with an assisting committee, including Mrs. William McLeod, Mrs. N. G. Nightingale, Mrs. Samuel Logan. Mrs. T. Carney was appointed convener of the apron and tea towel sale.

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Weddings of the Month

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MAKES FINAL PAYMENT.

The proud announcement was made at the meeting of the Overseas Chapter held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Thornton, that the last \$400 of the chapter's objective of \$2,500 had been made to the hospital committee for the room endowed by the chapter in the War Memorial Hospital.

Encouraging reports of the sale of flowers for the service of the lunch to the directors at the Western Fair were made. Mrs. H. G. Link was in charge of the flowers, and Mrs. W. H. Link was in charge of the lunch. Mrs. Alfred Croden and Mrs. A. H. Clinger were appointed as delegates to attend the provincial meeting being held in Windsor.

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Studio Built For Animal Portraiture

A studio especially built for the purpose of painting horses has been designed and built by Edward H. Miner, portrayer of animal subjects, at his home in Westbury, Long Island.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE ARRANGES RUMMAGE SALE

A large rummage sale has been arranged to take place at 253 Dundas street Friday evening and Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Catholic Women's League, to raise funds to carry on the social service work of the organization. Despite the fact that the League lost its money in the Home Bank, the social work is being carried on as formerly, and it is necessary for the members to make an extra effort to supply the necessary funds.

A special feature of the sale will be warm winter clothing, including both men's and women's suits as well as heavy topcoats. Miss Darcy is acting as general convener of the affair.

WHY STAY FAT? YOU CAN REDUCE

The answer of most fat people is that it is too hard, too troublesome and too dangerous to force the weight down. All these difficulties. They are absolutely harmless, entail no dieting, exercise or absurd greases and salves, and have the added advantage of cheapness. A case is sold at one dollar by all druggists the world over, or send the price direct to the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. Now that you know this, you have no excuse for being fat, but can reduce steadily and easily without going through long sieges of the exercise and starvation diet or fear of bad effects.—Adv.

MISS MOLLY WEIR,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Weir, Sarnia, Gravel road, whose marriage to Mr. Cyril Williams of Detroit, formerly of this city, takes place the latter part of the month. (Portrait by Sanders Studio.)

"Y" PHYSICAL CLASSES HOLD JOLLY RALLY

Opening Rally Held in Western "Y" Gymnasium Proves a Success.

A most enjoyable affair of last evening was the rally held by the physical department of the Y. M. C. A. at the Western University Gymnasium, Oxford street.

An interesting address was given by Miss Marjorie Morton, general secretary of the "Y" and a most amusing number was the presentation of a comedy skit, "The Love Affairs of Manuel Del Patulo." Those taking part in this were Misses Jessie McFarlane, Jean McIntosh, Gwen Harris, Bessie Hardie, Marian Garbutt and Ruth Davis.

A jolly program of games were arranged and the guests, who included the members of the classes as well as all those interested in the work, enjoyed light refreshments at the close of the evening. Miss Edith Wynne Pryce, physical directress, was in charge of the affair.

BLACKHEADS

Don't squeeze blackheads—dissolve them. Get two ounces of peroxide powder from any drug store and rub with a hot, wet cloth over the blackheads. They simply dissolve and disappear by this safe and sure method.—Adv.

98 Out of Every 100 Women Benefited

An Absolutely Reliable Statement Important to Every Woman

Remarkable Results Shown by a Nation Wide Canvass of Women Purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. 50,000 Women Answer

For some time a circular has been enclosed with each bottle of our medicine bearing this question: "Have you received benefit from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?"

Replies, to date, have been received from over 50,000 women answering that question.

98 per cent of which say YES. That means that 98 out of every 100 women who take the medicine for the ailments for which it is recommended are benefited by it.

This is a most remarkable record of efficiency. We doubt if any other medicine in the world equals it.

Think of it—only two women out of 100 received no benefit—98 successes out of a possible 100. Did you ever hear of anything like it? We must admit that we, ourselves, are astonished.

Of course we know that our medicine does benefit the large majority of women who take it. But that only two out of 100 received no benefit is most astonishing.

It only goes to prove, however, that a medicine specialized for certain definite ailments—not a cure-all—one that is made by the most scientific process; not from drugs, but from a combination of nature's roots and herbs, can and does do more good than hastily prepared prescriptions.

You see, we have been making, improving and refining this medicine for over 50 years until it is so perfect and so well adapted to women's needs that it actually has the virtue to benefit 98 out of every 100 women, who take it.

It's reliability and recognized efficiency has gained for it a sale in almost every country in the world—leading all others.

Such evidence should induce every woman suffering from any ailment peculiar to her sex to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and see if she can't be one of the 98

THE LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO., Cobourg, Ont. and Lynn, Mass.

CANADIAN CLUB PLANS ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM

Further Plans For Coming Season Made At Executive Meeting.

Further plans for the fall meetings were made at an executive meeting of the Women's Canadian Club held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. G. R. Bartram, Richmond street north.

An interesting speaker, who will address the club, Nov. 26, is Madame Blanch d'Aubigne Biele, who attended the Geneva conference, and who will speak on the conference from the viewpoint of an on-looker.

Plans for a "cave chantant," to be held at the home of Mrs. William Beattie, Nov. 2, were also made. This affair will be held to augment the club funds.

The speaker for the opening meeting has not been decided upon, as Dr. Edgar de Witt Jarvis, who was to have addressed this meeting, is unable to come at this date, but will address the club later in the season.

Arrangements were also discussed for the observance of Canadian Book Week, Nov. 14, but nothing definite was decided upon. Further plans were also made for the meeting, Nov. 8, when Ellen Carman will speak.

An invitation was extended to the members of the club to attend the mass meeting being held under the auspices of the Ontario Medical Association, Oct. 4, when lectures on cancer and goitre will be given.

ENGAGEMENTS

A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions is made for notices under this heading.

Orders for insertion of engagement notices must bear the name and address of the person to be notified, and must be taken over the telephone.

Fashions by Wire

Special to The Advertiser.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The quaintest of ideas seen today are the sort which cling by a single thread, so to speak, to the parent thread. Attached by a bit of braid or a thin fold of cloth to the under-arm, this runaway sleeve slides down to the elbow, where it forms a sort of semi-detached cuff.

Hats Match Neckpieces.

Paris, Oct. 2.—Very often these days the trimming on a hat matches exactly the neckpiece of a gown. This is especially true of fur.

New Additions to Furs.

London, Oct. 2.—A glance at the novelties in the Savoy on any afternoon proves that antelope, gazelle and suede are fashionable as dress and coat materials. Gazelle and antelope are among the newest additions to the category of furs.

Ribbon Ends Trim Frocks.

London, Oct. 2.—The dance fro