A PAGE OF GENERAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

SPLENDID S. S. CLASS AT DUNDAS CENTRE

There is a most remarkable Sunday school class of women in Dundas Centre Methodist Church. It is organized with its own president, secretary, etc., and is conducted by Dr. Neville of the Western University. The class has a membership of about forty. It is their custom to meet every Mondy night at the church to do Red Cross work, and to meet socially at each other's homes as well. This week they met at the home of Mrs. Collamore on English street for a mitting bee. At this meeting the class presented Miss Robinson with a modern reader's Bible for special work which she had done for the class. On Saturday night they expect to have a skating party. There is a most remarkable Sunday

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. R. D. Dulmage, Colborne street, returned home this week. A pleasant evening was spent this On Wednesday evening at the Talbot week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Street Baptist Church, Verna St. Marie D. Learn, White Oak, when a number Street Baptist Church, Verna St. Marie
of Sarnia was united in marriage to
John McCrie of Sarnia Township. The
ceremony was performed by the Rev
H. H. Bingham. Neither the bride nor
groom was attended. Mr. and Mrs.
McCrie will reside in Sarnia Township.

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Mr. Sid Duimage of the Intercolonial
Railroad, Quebec, who has been spending the holiday season with his mother,

Mrs. D. C. Wilson of Parkhill, who is

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a member of the publicity committee of the Child Welfare Association, is in town for a few days to assist with preparations for the exhibit to be held in this city the week of February 10. Russel Cianahan of Giencoe, late of the Merchants Bank, Frome, Alta., is spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. William Newkirk of Dover, Kent County, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Stella Adlyn, to be Lieut. Wilson O'Loane of the 1st Depot Battalion, W.O.R., of this city, the marriage to take place the latter part of this month.

The many friends of Mrs. May Wilkinson Munroe, formerly of Toronto, will have the opportunity of hearing her sing at the Women's Music Club next Wednesday. Mrs. Munroe possesses a beautiful contrait voice.

Mrs. Casey, with her two children, has returned to Regina after spending some time with her sister, Miss M. Stewart, Maple street.

Miss Dorothy Dennis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dennis, left this week for St. Margaret's College, Toronto.

Capt. Pentalon of the Royal Naval College, Hailfax, has gone to Guelph after a delightful holiday with Mrs. E. B. Smith.

RED CROSS NURSE AT

TALBOT ST. BAPTIST

Y. PEOPLE'S UNION

Last night London was honored for the first time with the presence of Lady Falconer, the Dominion president of the first time with the presence of Lady Falconer, the Dominion president of the Y. W. C. A. Toronto. She addressed an assemblage of women in the King Street Y. W. C. A. Jopening up to the work of on.

Women now stand in a very different place than they did some years ago," declared Lady Falconer. "Now, women in many countries are taken into the business of life, and whether we wish it or not, we have now got to take our share in making laws and keeping them. If our country falls now, we women share the full responsibility. We must have some bond which will hold us together, and yet leave us free to develop individually. This bond must be a spiritual bond.

"W. at these thoughts in your mind I would speak to you on the work of the Y. W. C. A. is supposed to contribute a penny a year, so remember of the Y. W. C. A. is supposed to contribute a penny a year, so remember of the year our association being the penny and the presence of the presence of the A. To an association began to launch out with new secretaries and into new branches of work. Last night London was honored for Mrs. William Newkirk of Dover, Kent the first time with the presence of Y. PEOPLE'S UNION

Miss Hilda Steward Tells of Work Overseas and Receives Presentation.

On Monday evening the Talbot Street Baptist Young People's Union gave an informal reception to Miss Hilda Stewart one of the Red Cross nurses

y and into new branches of work. Everything seemed favorable. But the war came, and we had to reef our sails and go along as best we could. Gradually, however, people have been opening up their purses to help us, and now the storm is practically over as far as we are concerned. We have emarged our staff and are in a better position than ever before. "When the sump came in the west, the year before the war, many of our girls were put out of employment. In one city in the west the girls in the Y. W. C. A. gave from \$1 to \$10 a month to tide over the girls who were out of employment, when the war hands and into new branches of work. Everything seemed favorable. But the war came, and we had to reef our sails and go along as best we could. Gradually, however, people have been opening up their purses to help us, and now the storm is practically over emarged our staff and are in a better position than ever before. "When the sump came in the west, the year before the war, many of our girls were put out of employment. In one city in the west the girls in the Y. W. C. A. gave from \$1 to \$10 a month to tide over the girls who were outed. out of employment, when the war Stewart one of the Red Cross nurses Stewart one of the Red Cross nurses of that church who has lately returned from the front, having spent two years in Egypt and France. Miss Stewart gave a very able address of the work of Red Cross nurses in France. She was situated at No. 5 General Hospital at Rouen, and spoke most graphically on the social gaps. to bring the social gaps. to bring the control of the social gaps. The social gaps.

ated at No. 5 General Hospital at Rouen, and spoke most graphically on the splendid work of the doctors and nurses in this hospital. She also remarked on the splendid spirit of the wounded men who came into the hospital from the front. Although this hospital is nearly sixty miles from the front-line trenches, the sound of the big guns could be heard distinctly.

At the close of her address, a presentation was made to Miss Stewart by Mrs. Blingham on behalf of the society, to express their appreciation of the work done by her for the soldiers, and their gratitute for her safe return. Pte. Ernest Tudman was also presented with a church flymnal by Mr N. Mills, on behalf of the society. The meeting closed with refreshments and social intercourse.

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THORNDALE .- The Thorndale Red

was recently married to Russell Mc-Fadden, a young farmer of Turner-IBSEN THE FORMER

Ontario

EMBRO.-The Red

AlLSA CRAIG.—A more general effort than the appeal to the Sunday schools is being made in Allsa Craig on behalf of the Armenian and Syrian sufferers. In addition to the Sunday school offerings, subscription lists are opened in several of the churches, and a committee of citizens will undertake a canvass subsequently, so that as general a response as possible may be secured. It being considered that the terrible conditions which the shows

LADY FALCONER AT

and then we could not work together economically in separate churches.

"Our employment bureaus have brought many girls to the association who would not otherwise have gone near it. And when they have come they have stayed. Our boards are becoming more and more democratic, that is, they are allowing the girl members to have more and more say in the policy of more and more say in the policy of their association. At Elgin House conference our girls' clubs made a resoluference our giris' clubs made a resolu-tion that every time they saw a pic-ture show which was not decent they would complain to the manager of the theatre. Nothing would change our pic-ture shows quicker than an appeal from the women.

"Our traveling aid work helps the im-merants coming into the country. We

Cross committee met on Monday afternoon at Mrs. James Fitzsimons', and packed the monthly bale, which was the largest yet sent. It consisted of 51 pyjama suits, 68 pairs socks, 30 personal belonging bags, 11 trench caps, 5 face cloths, 2 towels, bundle of old linen and 2 butlers.

Our traveling aid work helps the immigrants coming into the country. We have a system of following them up across the continent and if we lose track of them we report to the Government authorities and they take the search up. We are mortgaging the future of our nation if we do not care for the girlhood of our nation. EMBRO.—The Red Cross meeting, which was held in the basement of St. Andrew's Church, Brooksdale, on Friday afternoon, was well attended. The main feature of the meeting was the packing of twelve boxes for their boys overseas. Each box contained one pair of socks, fruit cake, salmon, homemade candles, gum, chocolates, oranges, tobacco, cigarettes, etc. They sent to headquarters 23 suits of pyjamas and 11 pairs of socks.

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WIARTON. — Paterson's Jubilee Singers were in Wiarton opera house on Friday night under the auspices of the Girls' Red Cross Club. It was an exceedingly stormy night, but, nevertheless, the hall was crowded. Over \$95 was realized.

WABASH. — The Thorncliffe Red Cross Society held a shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Coulter, concession 6, Chatham Township, in honor of their daughter, Effie, who was recently married to Russell McFadden, a young farmer of Turnernorth.
"In this modern piece of modern realism, known as the 'Doll's House.'
we see children gamboling in the backwe see children gamboling in the background to lay stress on the idea of the child mother. It is one of Ibsen's first great prose plays, and it is apparent that he has not thrown off certain conventions, which were once deemed necessary to a play. He follows almost slavishly, the French structure and manner. Its real dramatic conflict is inward and of the soul rather than outward and of the soul rather than outward and of the hody. Nora, the heroine, is the plaything of her husband's home. She is the occupant of the 'Doll's House.' As the story proceeds, she loses faith in

OF MODERN OPINION ABOUT EUGENICS

Miss Grace Blackburn Speaks On ib-sen at the Women's Cana-dian Club.

sen at the Women's Canadian Club, and a committee of citizens will undertake a canvass subsequently, so that as general a response as possible may be secured. It being considered that the terrible conditions which the above people are passing through cail for a generous measure of support.

While the meeting of the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon brought with is a great disappointment the failure of Rev. Father Finn to appear and speak on the reconstruction of France, it also was the means of pleasantly surprising many women who had not hitherto had the good fortune to hear Miss Grace Blackburn. To those who knew Miss Blackburn gives to the literary who had heard Mrs. Wyatt give to music just that interpretive touch had heard Mrs. Wyatt give to music just that interpretive touch had heard Mrs. Wyatt give to music just that interpretive touch had heard Mrs. Wyatt give to music just that the programment of the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the play is this: Had Nora her make the play is this: Had Nora her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her her her make the play is this: Had Nora her her her her make the play is this: Had Nora her he

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"The Doll's House."

"From the 'Doll's House' was taken
the line. 'After all there's something WOMEN'S MEETINGS

FOR TOMORROW spoken by the little child while of the play. The major part of this drama was written in three months in a lovely Italian seaport. Here in this land of fantastic imaginations Ibsen had a truer vision of things Normalian and a letter grash of character.

A bid Red Cross meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium. Mrs. Plumptre, secretary of the Dominion in the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium in the Y. M. C. A. Audit had a truer vision of things Nor-wegian and a better grasp of character than if he had remained at home. In this play Ibsen has been able to visualize winter and Christmas time beneath the sunny skies of the south, and among the unconscious and sometimes conscienceless beings of the south, to create a being of true

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Lowry, paper, and then dipping in

the Alexandra Mothers' Club, gave knitting bee at her home. The worl done was for the Red Cross, but th Plumptre, secretary of the Dominion Red Cross, who has been recently in the west, will speak on the general work of the Canadian Red Cross, and Capt. Armstrong of the Royal Army Medical Cross on the battlefield.

ALEXANDRA CLUB SAVES

WAX TO MAKE CANDLES

Se. Ch. Co. Western Street Co. A. And corrum. Mrs. It has been the custom for the clul to meet at the school every Monday for sewing, but on account of the constant the composition of the Royal Army Medical cross on the battlefield.

ALEXANDRA CLUB SAVES

WAX TO MAKE CANDLES

at the club and sent to Mr. Copelam of the school who has his Boy Scout make it into trench candles by rolling at the club and sent to mr.

ing enough to lift off the roof of hi

slimy snakes. And it's a wonder that poor little Peter Rabbit didn't die right on the spot with fright. Peter yelled "Bloody murder!" And he jumped ou of bed so fast and high that he struck his head an awful whack on the ceiling of his bedroom. And he was shriekin at every jump, for he thought thos two snakes were coiling around his limbs and body.

Peter was certain he could fe

imbs and body.

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.

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JIMMY COON'S PRANK STUNS PETER RABBIT. Jimmy Coon and Teddy Possum into their mouths to keep from laugh ought to have been spanked hard for almost scaring Peter Rabbit to death. And yet both of these rascals hid behind the hedge of Peter Rabbit's house and watched every movement of poor

Peter yelled: "Bloody murder!"

the occupant of the 'Doll's House.' As the story proceeds, she loses faith in her husband utterly, and feeling that their marriage is no longer real, she leaves him. The great moral issue in the play is this: Had Nora the right to leave her children? Ibsen is the And yet had been and yet here. Rabbit's house and watched every movement of poor little Peter, and had to stuff their hands why, it's poor little Peter Rabbit yell. Why, it's poor little Peter Rabbit yell.

By Cliff Sterrett,

POLLY AND HER PALS .- Punishing Jaws Are Nothing Comp ared With Fleeting Feet. HOW KIN YOU TELL HE'S A FIGHTER, UNK? ALL Y'GOTTA DO IS LOOK AT THEM PUNISHIM JAWS, ME BOY!







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And Jimmy Coon, hooting with whoops of laughter replied: "Why Teddy Possum, don't be foolish! Why Teddy Possum, don't be foolish! Why didn't hurt Peter Rabbit. You know those snakes weren't alive. They were only stuffed skins of Mr. Black Snake and Mr. Green Snake Do you suppost I would be so afraid of old clothes?"

"Where are you going, Jimmy Coon? asked Teddy Possum as he clurg to the coat tails of Jimmy Coon, as he started.

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