

# NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

## CAPE'S LATEST TOUCH IN COSTUME STYLES

Swagger Epaulettes Distinguish  
Jaunty Jackets for After-  
noon Wear.

### WATTEAU INFLUENCE

Other Afternoon Dresses are in  
Soft Gossamer Materials  
and Embroidery.

Capes grace some of the season's very smartest coats, and suit costumes intended for both indoor and outdoor wear. Swagger epaulettes distinguish afternoon jackets, jaunty shoulder capes enhance tailored street models, and long draped, or short straight capes hanging from the shoulders, are exploited on a number of fashion's prettiest indoor frocks. The influence of the Watteau period is keenly felt and generously expressed in a host of exclusive little afternoon dresses developed in soft gossamer materials, brightened with touches of eastern embroidery, and accentuated in all the important lines with trimming bands of ribbon and invisible distenders. Georgette crepe in a wide range of soft pastel colors is featured in this type of costume which combines prettily with either silks or chiffons. One particularly attractive little frock in the simple but effective combination of gray and sun gold introduces a number of excellent features. Made with a novel overskirt, a semi-jacket bodice, and a quaint cape trimming it is the last word in fashion. The four- and-a-half-yard-about-the-hem skirt is in coral satin of very supple quality, distended by means of its fullness and a hem facing of velvet ribbon in the same shade. The overskirt of gray crepe de chine is "double-headed," and a long line of hip-line-the-irregular hem being weighted with long silken tassels. The bodice, out sleeveless, is of the crepe-crepe and under a long line of sleeves and youthful neck frills being in chiffon to match. The cape attached at the shoulder lines is of coral satin embroidered at the rounded edges with coral and silver. To complete this costume is a very high-crowned satin straw hat with murrey wings in silver.

## SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB LISTENED TO ADDRESSES

Mrs. Sidney Small presided at the regular meeting of the Social Science Club, in the Margaret Eaton School, when Commissioner Boyd of the juvenile court, and Miss Brookings, superintendent of the Alexandra Industrial School, spoke on their departments of work. A letter was read which had been received from the officers of the Crown Life Insurance Co., asking that women willing to take positions as life insurance solicitors in order to release men employees for service might apply at their offices.

### NOT USED FOR EXPENSES.

In view of several enquiries from outside places, the Toronto Women's Patriotic League would like it known that not a penny of the money donated for Belgian relief is ever used for expenses, but has been forwarded intact, since the inception of the work in October, 1914.

## Note Your Increase in Weight

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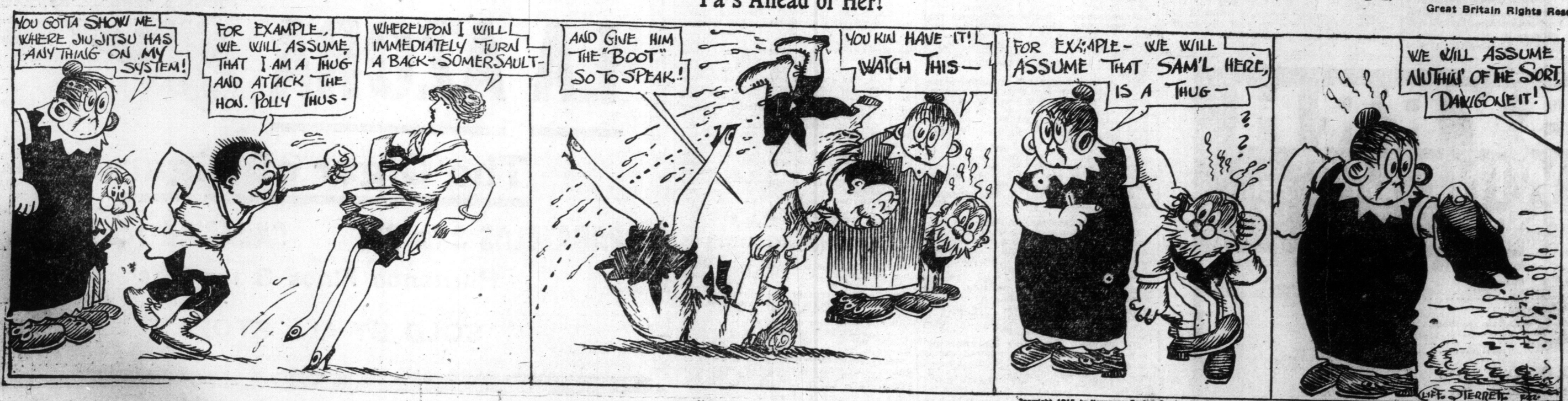
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**Dr. Chase's Nerve Food**

## Polly and Her Pals

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## FLOWERS EXPLOITED IN NEW SPRING CHAPEAUX

Hats for the Balmy Days Are  
Charming Creations With  
French Touch.

### MAUVE FAVORED COLOR

Another Captivating Headpiece  
Built on Narrow White  
Straw Braid Brim.

Quite captivating are the new spring chapeaux. Just a bunch of flowers, just a yard of ribbon straw braid or polished satin it would seem, and there before one's eyes a charming new headpiece for balmy spring days. But it is the prevalent French touch so deft and so unmistakable that really provides the captivating qualities which distinguish the little models to be worn as the crowning glories through the next few months. Never have flowers been quite so much the rage as at the present moment, when they constitute whole hats, crowns of hats, brims of hats, or chief hat trimmings. Mauve is one of the season's most favored colors, and combined with a pretty dark shade of blue is one of the very newest fads. In a jaunty little lamp-shade model, intended for immediate wear is this vogue attractively illustrated. The brim is of the blue in polished satin, and it is only a remnant of former brims, the high flare collar which almost obliterated the crown, is also of the satin, while the only other ornamentation is a lattice-work of mauve violets interlaced with silver. Another charming little flower hat is built on a narrow white straw braid brim, supporting a very tall crown of gossamer flowers. Tiny butterfly bows of black velvet are tucked into the side of the crown at irregular intervals. The touch of black velvet ribbon is particularly effective, especially when pasted tones are used.

## ABERDEEN ASSOCIATION CHOSE NEW OFFICERS

Appeal Made for Contributions of  
Literature to Homesteaders.

The following were elected to office at the annual meeting of the Aberdeen Association: President, Mrs. Angus MacMurchy; Vice-presidents, Miss Yarker, Mrs. Robert Darling, Miss Grace Boulton, Miss Louise Matthews; treasurer, Mrs. Stikeman; recording secretary, Mrs. MacLennan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. B. Kenrick; despatcher, Mrs. C. H. Anderson; convener of room committee, Miss Allan.

The association, whose purpose is to supply helpful literature for homesteaders, would be glad of material and financial assistance, magazines or money subscriptions for the purpose of purchasing literature, being most acceptable. Donations of either kind should be addressed to Aberdeen Association, Express Office, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

## LEAP YEAR TRADITIONS AND OLD-TIME COSTUMES

The Features of the "Kettle-  
drum" Held by Daughters  
of the Empire.

Leap Year traditions and old-time costumes were notes in the "Kettle Drum" held in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of Veterans of '46 Chapter, L.O.E. Tables and stalls containing home-made confections and fancy work were laid out in persuasive array, while a glorious silk "crazy quilt," offered alluring opportunity for "chance."

Early in the afternoon 30 men of the 82nd Highland Battalion Band were on hand and offered a fine program of martial and other airs.

In the evening the graceful minuet was danced by Capt. Orr and Lieuts. Brooke, Elwell and Winslow, who had for their partners the Misses Dagmar, Fritz, Robinson, Evangeline Ellis and Osg. Crowned in the picturesque old-time dresses of 1866, since the same period were sung by Mrs. Ewart Wilches accompanied by Master Maxwell Hatch gave some amusing recitations.

The women in charge were Mrs. J. Beck, regent of the chapter; Mrs. T. Osg, convener of entertainment; Mrs. Thomas Claxton received the guests of "home-made"; Mrs. Ratte, table and took the chapter; Miss Wilson, refreshments; Mrs. Redmond, flowers and candles; Miss Code and Miss Horrocks, assisted.

Your taste  
for good tea will prove to you

# Rednose Tea "is good tea"

## ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Forty-Two Wounded Heroes  
Were Royally Received Yes-  
terday Morning.

### Ovation For Sgt. Bruno

Helped to Capture Enemy Patrol  
and Won Distinguished  
Conduct Medal.

A large crowd of relatives and friends, the bugle band of the 124th Battalion and the brass band of the 95th Battalion, took part in the reception to the 42 returned wounded soldiers who arrived at the North Toronto Station yesterday. The welcome accorded the soldier-heroes was a particularly enthusiastic one.

A large reception committee, including W. K. George, G. I. Riddell, W. D. Macpherson, M.L.A., Geo. Warwick, G. Brown, A. P. Satter, Wm. Stone, Dr. Doodittle, and Thos. Lee helped the men to the private special street car which was waiting to take them to the Military Hospital on College street.

Most of the men are in class one, which means they will shortly be given their discharge papers. Sgt. Joseph Bruno, Denison ave. Sgt. W. Daley, 2 Bond street. Sgt. George Gustaf, 46 Maher avenue.

Sgt. Walter Jones, 33 River st. Driver Henry Dixon, 28 Brant st. Sgt. George Gustaf, 46 Maher avenue. Sgt. Wm. Arams, 270 Bartlett ave. Pte. John J. Barlow, 11 Gresham avenue. Pte. Douglas Berwick, 12 Spruce street. Pte. Wm. West, 758 Queen west. Pte. Geo. Becon, 163 1/2 Jarvis street. Lance-Corpl. John Cook, 120 Mutual street. Pte. John Dennis, 79 Leuty avenue. Pte. John R. Jenkins, 399 William street. Pte. Geo. E. Martin. Pte. James Murphy. Pte. J. J. Plaster, 106 Pembroke st. Driver Henry Richardson.

## Baby Afflicted With Eczema Dr. Chase's Ointment Cured

The Family Doctor Tried in Vain to Heal the Sores—  
Another Tribute to This Great Healing Ointment.

It may be interesting to note that Dr. Chase's Ointment was originally compounded to cure a case of eczema on a child. The disease had spread almost over the entire body and defied all the regular treatments for such troubles. The doctor was perplexed, but finally hit on the ointment, which worked like a charm, healing up the nasty sores and leaving the skin soft and smooth.

There was a good many years ago, and since then many thousands of cases of eczema, both in children and adults, have been cured, until today Dr. Chase's Ointment is recognized as the standard cure for itching skin diseases.

Mrs. Geo. McNair, River Charles, N.B., writes as follows: "We use Dr. Chase's Ointment in our home, and would not wish for anything better for cuts, burns and bruises. A few years ago a friend of mine, whose

baby was terribly afflicted with eczema, had her child treated by their own family physician, but the little one got no better. They tried several remedies, but they all proved useless in this case. Upon the advice of a neighbor, they got Dr. Chase's Ointment, and before the first box was used the child was completely cured. I can also recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to suffering friends, who I know will be glad to learn of something to relieve their nervous trouble. You have my permission to use this letter for the benefit of others."

No soothing and healing is Dr. Chase's Ointment—that relief from itching and burning comes almost as soon as the ointment is applied. The sores are cleaned by the action of this treatment, and the process of healing is soon begun. By persistent use of the ointment cure is effected, 50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

## MOVABLE HOUSES FOR THE PEOPLE OF FRANCE

Arrangements Being Made for  
Shipment Thru the Secours  
National.

### HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Society Will Endeavor to Send  
Relief of Every Kind to Suffering French.

Sir Glenholme Falconbridge presided yesterday afternoon at the annual meeting of the "Secours National." Reports showed that the estimated value of relief Red Cross and other supplies, together with 12 motor cars and one portable house—sent as an experiment—aggregated in all \$74,011. Sir John Gibson and Col. Denison, moved and seconded the report with words of encouragement to the workers and General Ryerson sketched briefly his experiences during a three-thousand-mile motor tour in France.

Entire cash receipts amounted to \$22,405.01, the subscriptions including \$5,500 from the T. Eaton Company; \$1,500 from the Robert Simpson Company and \$500 from the Singby Manufacturing Company of Brantford.

The report stated that arrangements are being made by the government and timber provinces of the Dominion, to forward several hundred movable houses, and it is likely that the gift will be made to the French people thru the "Secours National."

Mrs. Sidney Small, vice-president, read a letter from a nurse, Miss Irene Manby, who has returned on sick leave after some months in the French hospitals. The letter told a pitiful tale of need and suffering and emphasized the value of the work of "Secours National."

Among other things the letter said: "There were eight of us who were sent to a hospital in a little garrison town in France, ten miles from the firing line. There were eight blocks of barracks and no sanitary conveniences. Before we came there was not a nurse and only one doctor. The place would accommodate 1,000 and we had 1,500. A train came to us directly from the front and when a lot of men were brought in at midnight they lay on the floor until other men died, or were able to get up and give them their beds. Two hundred English soldiers suffering from gas, were brought in one night. Half of them died before we could get them into bed."

The spirit of the meeting was to increase activities if such be possible, to get up relief in every way needed to the suffering French.

## HUNS ARE DETERMINED ON NEW SUB. PROGRAM

Artillery Reported Active on  
Gorizia Bridgehead and Do-  
berdo Plateau.

BERLIN, Feb. 29 (via wireless to Sayville).—Activity by Italian artillery against some parts of the Gorizia bridgehead and on the Doberdo plateau is reported in today's official statement by Austro-Hungarian army Headquarters, received here from Vienna.

Policy Will Positively Be Put  
Into Effect, Starting  
Today.

## GERMAN SUBS. ACTIVE IN MEDITERRANEAN SEA

Tokio Reports Sinking of Five  
Steamers, Three of Them  
British.

TOKIO, Feb. 29.—The Japanese naval authorities have received official word that three British steamers, one French and one Swedish steamer were sunk by German submarines in the Mediterranean on Feb. 23 and Feb. 24. The officials think that this indicates an increased number of submarines operating in the Mediterranean.

There have been numerous announcements recently of the sinking of merchant vessels, presumably by submarines, but the censorship restrictions have been such that no mention has been made of the localities in which the sinkings occurred.

## LITTLE THINGS COUNT

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## The Toronto World's Leap Year Gift to Babies Born February 29th, 1916

There are no entrance fees or restrictions connected with the award other than

1. Only babies born in Ontario are eligible.
2. Babies born between the hours of 12 o'clock midnight, Feb. 28, 1916, and midnight, Feb. 29, 1916.
3. The entry for the award must be made by filling out a coupon which will be published in The World (Daily and Sunday) from Feb. 29 until March 31, inclusive.
4. The date of each child's birth, together with the name, must be vouched for in the place indicated on the coupon by the attending physician.
5. Entries not made on printed coupon will not be considered.

## Leap Year Birthday Silver Mug Coupon

For Silver Mug awarded by The Toronto World for babies born on Feb. 29, 1916.

Name of parents .....

Address of parents .....

Name and sex of baby .....

Date and hour of birth .....

I hereby declare the above facts are correct.

..... attending physician.

Address.....

All coupons must reach The World office by March 31, 1916.

Watch The World and clip the coupon.  
The World invites all Leap Year Babies that were born in 1912, 1908 and 1904, and who were awarded a World Leap Year mug, to send a recent photograph, which will be reproduced in The Sunday World Art Section at an early date.

## GERMAN SUBMARINES SOW MINES OFF DOVER

Creep Up to Coast in Nighttime  
and Discharge Cargoes of  
Explosives.

LONDON, Feb. 29, 6.50 p.m.—That German submarines have been sowing mines off Dover was the belief expressed today by Ralph Foster of Kansas, and other survivors of the Maloja disaster, including some of the officers of the ship. The fact that a number of disasters have occurred in the neighborhood of Dover during the past two Sundays is considered in some quarters in London as possible evidence that German submarines

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