

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

Let's Talk It Over

What Margaret Saxe and Hears. That action certainly speaks louder than words on the moving picture screen.

That the present vogue for the deep blue with black recalls when Miss Jenny appeared at her own opening in Paris attired in black and brown, one of the buyers is reported to have said, "After all, some very pretty little puppets have been dressed in black and tan."

That a woman's service league, to co-operate with the Great War Veterans' Association, has been organized in Winnipeg.

That if the collarless neck line proves unbecoming, you may embellish it with a becoming contrasting color.

That one's sentiments towards the person who says, "Bought all your Christmas presents yet?" are not those of love to say the least.

That if you want to enjoy a real pleasure take a small child and add one ice cream, especially if the small child is unaccustomed to such treats.

That a costume which fastens slantwise down the front is both attractive and easily donned.

That a schoolgirl never graduates until she has learned to stab a pickle with a hat pin.

That a recent card received read

"Birthday Greetings! Cheer up everybody gets them."

That New York has five lip reading classes in her night schools, attended by many wage earning women, whose deafness has made their work difficult.

That Sara Teasdale (Mrs. R. B. Pinner) has been paid one of the highest honors that a poet in America can achieve. She has been awarded the 500 prize offered by Columbia University for the best book of poetry published during last year.

PERSONAL

C. F. Stowe, who has been for some time manager for F. G. Spencer of the Unique and Lyric Theatres, left last evening for his home in the United States.

Louis Rosenfeld, who was in St. John some time ago in the Famous Players film exchange, has returned to the local office.

G. A. Margetz returned recently from a trip to Halifax and the Sydney.

Miss Mary Shaw, of Berwick, N.S. is the guest for a few days of Dr. and Mrs. I. W. M. Baker.

Miss Etta Willis, of the Petrie Manufacturing Company, Prince William street, returned to her duties yesterday after a severe attack of influenza.

Judge J. H. Barry arrived in the city on the McAdam express last night.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Some things are of that nature as to make One's fancy chuckle, while his heart doth ache.

—John Bunyan.

W. C. T. U. PLAN FOR CHRISTMAS

Matters relating to the celebration of Christmas came up for discussion at the meeting of the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon. The president, Mrs. David Hipwell, presided, and the devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Humphrey.

The Union does much in the way of spreading Christmas cheer and donations were given to several members to carry on this work.

A letter was read from a young lady in Moncton who desired to find a suitable boarding house in St. John, and one of the W. C. T. U. members volunteered to answer this request.

The names of several honorary members who joined at the time when the Dominion President, Mrs. Gordon Wright, was in the city, were handed in. The Union was very glad to receive the following honorary members:

Rev. D. J. MacPherson, Sgt.-Major Morton Olive, Mr. Ewing, and Mr. Gravel.

Mrs. Seymour spoke of the increased work at the Seamen's Institute, and a vote was passed supporting this undertaking in every way.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

ON XMAS VACATION.

Saint Anne's College, at Church Point, near Digby, closed for the Christmas vacation yesterday and many of the students of this institution reached the city on the steamer Empress last evening, en route to their respective homes.

Among the number arriving were Leppard, La Plante, Lionel Soutcy, and Edward Dube, all of Saint Leonard's.

The ladies took in the different shows last evening and apparently were enjoying themselves immensely.

They leave today for their homes, returning in the course of two weeks to resume their studies at their Alma Mater.

PLANNING FOR SOLDIERS RETURN

Reception Committee to Appeal for Funds—Meeting Yesterday.

The question of funds to carry on the work of the Soldiers' Reception Committee was thoroughly discussed at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Powell, Queen Square.

S. Herbert Mayes presided, and stated the fact that about 60,000 soldiers are expected to arrive at this port. It was decided to appoint a committee of four ladies, who will canvass King and Charlotte streets for funds to carry on this work, which has been so deeply appreciated by the arriving soldiers returning to Canada.

They have spoken of the kindly welcome received at St. John all over the Dominion.

Members of the men's committee will canvass the North and South Wharves, and the secretary, R. S. Ritchie, was instructed to send letters asking for financial aid to twenty organizations, including the I. O. O. F., and other patriotic societies, lodges and men's clubs, as well as church organizations.

Arrangements were made as to the methods of conveying the parcels presented to the men over to the West Side, as the larger numbers make it impossible to take them over as in former times.

Other details regarding the work were discussed, and plans made for the increased activity of this faithful committee.

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"THE HOUSE OF MIRTH"

Men, do you believe in buying your wives?

Well see this:—

THE CAST TELLS THE STORY:

Lily Bart—Almost the victim of her rich aunt's social ambitions—Katherine Harris Barrymore.

Lawrence Seldon—Secretly in love with Lily but mixed up professionally—Henry Kolker.

Bertha Trenor-Dorset—An indiscreet wife but jealous of her husband withal—Christine Mayo.

Gertie Parrish—Social worker and friend of Seldon's and a useful one—Lottie Briscoe.

Augustus Trenor-Dorset—A gay old rooster, the storm-centre of the whole story—Joseph Kilgour.

Simon Rosedale—Rich, aggressive and attempted blackmail to gain point—Edward Abeles.

Mrs. Haflon—A nosey landlady who butted in and out of the plot—Margaret Western.

Mrs. Pennington—Resolute old aunt who insisted on Lily marrying position—Nellie Parker-Spaulling.

Percy Gryce—Nice chap but leaves everything to mother's judgment—Hates smoking—Sidney Bracey.

SCENES AMID THE LUXURIES OF ENGLISH LIFE, PROFESSIONAL CIRCLES AND IN THE SLUMS.

OVERSEAS BUDGET

The Great German Debate

Foch, the Peace-maker

Irish Mail Boat Torpedoed

COMEDIES - ORCHESTRA

TRIANGLE CLUB'S NEW QUARTERS

Formally Opened by Brigadier General Macdonell Last Evening—Excellent Addresses and Programme of Music Enjoyed.

The fine new quarters of the Red Triangle Club, on Charlotte St., were formally opened last evening by Brigadier General Macdonnell, during a program of great interest and vigour.

According to the excellent plan to be carried out in future, the entertainment was held in the large hall upstairs, leaving the rooms on the first floor free for the men to enjoy as they please.

The canteen is on the first floor, and the pool tables, as well as other tables for games. All arrangements are made for the pleasure of the men and certainly everything seems homelike and comfortable.

A large audience of soldiers and citizens assembled and listened to the eloquent speeches made, and the splendid selections rendered by the Depot Battalion Band, whose music was heartily applauded.

On the platform were Mayor Hayes, Premier Foster, S. E. Elkin, M.P., A. O. Skinner, President of the Red Triangle Club, and Captain Corry, who is in charge at the new rooms.

After music by the band, Mayor Hayes gave an address of his recent trip, and the good account he had heard in other cities of the fine hospitality extended to soldiers in St. John, N. B. He praised the work accomplished at the Red Triangle committee with A. O. Skinner at the head.

Capt. Corry then welcomed those present, and spoke briefly of the work of the club. A. O. Skinner, in his address, told of the welcome extended to the men at the Red Triangle, and at the port on their arrival in the city and hoped that both efforts would be supported by the citizens of St. John.

In introducing Brigadier General Macdonnell, Mayor Hayes mentioned the many ways in which this officer has assisted during his stay in St. John.

General Macdonnell expressed his pleasure in being present and of his desire to do anything in his power for the boys in khaki, and the city of St. John. He spoke in appreciation of the work of the Red Triangle committee, both of the ladies and gentlemen, saying they had worked early and late to make the soldiers happy and comfortable.

General Macdonnell then formally declared the Red Triangle Rooms open.

Guests were extended for the Ladies' Committee by the Mayor, who said that the ladies could do everything but talk on the platform, and that they had shown how well they could work in the past four years.

In a detailed way Premier Foster described the plans made for the returned men as to food and allotment and the terms upon which farms can be secured. He said he felt the work of public men in Canada had just begun, that they had the responsibility of the development of Canada's resources, and in the working out of the destiny of the nation the services of the returned men would be required. He hoped that some of the returned men would take an interest in public life, if he could give them any advice it would be not to alienate themselves with any individual party, but to support the party which gives good, clean, honest administration.

S. E. Elkin, M.P., was the next speaker, and the keynote of his address was the individual responsibility of each person towards the reconstruction and re-organization of the country. He said that the sooner the country helped the affairs of the country to tranquillity the sooner Canada could take her place as a great nation. That there must be nothing in the way of a turmoil or socialism but that men made to settle down but as quietly as possible, realizing that the greatest good for the greatest number meant the greatest good for the individual.

R. W. Wigmore, M.P., who was to have spoken, was unable to be present.

Rev. Canon Armstrong, Rev. G. P. Dawson, Rev. J. A. McKelvie, and Rev. S. P. Poché, representing their respective churches, wished the Red Triangle Club all prosperity, and offered their services in hearty co-operation with its work.

Among the delightful music rendered by the Band under Bandmaster Perkins, were two solos, one on the trombone by Private Buckle, the other a saxophone solo by Pte. Leeb.

After the singing of the National Anthem the audience were invited to adjourn to the canteen, where members of the Canteen Committee, with Mrs. Leonard Tilley at the head, served refreshments.

Here's a Ready List of Suggestions

A few brief suggestions to help dispel the gift-making problem—every one of which is decidedly practical.

MEN	CHILDREN
Street Shoes	School Shoes
Storm Shoes	Slippers
Military Boots	Overalls
Slippers	Hockey Boots
Robes	Rubber Boots
Felt Boots	Gum Rubbers
Dress Shoes, etc.	Leggings, etc.

WOMEN	BABY
Dress Pumps	Soft Sole Boots
Southern Slippers	Soft Moccasins
Felt Slippers	Felt Slippers
Julians	Felt Boots
Silk Hosiery	Nature Shaped Shoes
Dancing Pumps	Rubbers (White or Black)
Rubbers (Tan, White, Grey and Black, etc.)	

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PRICE OF POSTERS HAS GONE UP

Exchange Managers Held Meeting Yesterday and Discussed the Advanced Cost.

A meeting of the Exchange Managers' Association was held on Monday afternoon and an adjourned discussion was held yesterday afternoon. The chief matter under discussion was the new rates for advertising matter being put into effect all over Canada.

There is so little call for lobby posters and large sheets of pictures in the Maritime Provinces in comparison with Upper Canada that a protest has been made by the exhibitors when asked to pay more than formerly for the advertising which is for sale with every picture.

In other cities much is made of lobby advertising and unique displays are made in the front of theatres. In the Motion Picture magazines much space is given to ideas for attracting attention to the special features of productions, and the advertising cuts and pictures which are available with the film are largely used.

The St. John branch of the Exchange Managers' Association discussed the matter thoroughly in an endeavor to meet the exhibitor of this territory, and a letter will be addressed to the Exhibitors' League of the Maritime Provinces regarding the matter.

MEETING WITH SUCCESS.

The drive for new members for the Y.M.C.A. is meeting with pronounced success. This week's drive is for business men of the city, and over 100 joined on Monday last. Equally the same number joined yesterday.

The Y.M.C.A. is for the betterment of the young men of the city, physically and morally, and is deserving of that success now crowning the work of the soliciting committees. A drive is now proposed for senior members.

John O'Hagan, on the board of directors of this institution, made an excellent speech last evening in the rooms of the I. L. & B. Society at their respective churches, wished the Red Triangle Club all prosperity, and offered their services in hearty co-operation with its work.

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GRANTED HIS DISCHARGE.

Sergeant Robinson, former recruiting officer of the Canadian Engineers Local Depot, under Captain Currie has been granted his discharge from further military service. It is learned that the popular officer will accept the offer of a position with a Montreal firm, which has a branch in this

city. Sergeant Robinson before signing up for military service held a mercantile position, which gives him the necessary qualifications to accept the duties now being offered him.

ON THE WAR PATH.

Sub-Inspectors McAdams and Garnett are still on the war path, and ran foul of a merry one this morning at 12.30 on Charlotte street. At the time of his arrest he was not only drunk, but had the forbidden potent in his possession. He appears in court this morning to answer the double charge.

CONDUCTING OFFICER.

Captain McKay, of Ottawa, is in the city, relative to military business. His mission east. It is learned, is as conducting officer to the men of his military district, reaching the city today on the Melita. While in the city he is a guest at the Royal.

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