

WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

Personals

Dr. A. Scott of this city spent Christmas at his old home in Peterboro.

Miss Connie Masoret is spending the holidays in Ottawa, the guest of Miss Dorothy Foster.

Mrs. George Gibbons and children of Toronto, formerly of London, are leaving early in January for California.

Miss Geraldine Chapman of Hamilton is a week-end visitor with Miss Margaret Millman, Grosvenor street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Travers of Detroit are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnston, Colborne street.

Miss Neta Carson of Toronto is spending the vacation with her grandparents, Mrs. W. J. Carson, Prospect avenue.

Mr. Ross Wilson of Cornell University is a guest for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. White, Dundas street.

Miss Constance Baker, who is attending Bishop Strachan's school, Toronto, is a guest with Mrs. Steele, Richmond street.

Miss Gertrude Hayden of Toronto is spending the holiday season with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Kennedy, Hyman street.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Buchner have returned to Toronto after spending Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Buchner.

Mr. W. R. Lackie of Chicago, accompanied by his son William, is a holiday visitor in town, the guest of his mother, Mrs. John Lackie.

Mr. Oswald Hord of Western University is spending the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hord, Komoka.

Miss Kathleen Hord and Miss Cathie Denham are spending the Christmas vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hord, Komoka.

Miss Louise Kennedy of Calgary, who is attending the Toronto Academy of Music, is spending the holidays with Dr. S. M. Kennedy and Mrs. Kennedy.

Mr. Cliff T. Salton of Detroit and Mr. Fred P. Salton of New York spent Christmas with their parents, Rev. S. Salton and Mrs. Salton, Elmwood avenue.

Mr. John W. Blackwell of Oshawa and Mr. Arthur E. Blackwell of Hamilton are holiday guests with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Blackwell.

Dr. Roy C. Kingswood of Harper Hospital, Detroit, taking a post-graduate course, is spending the week-end here with his parents, 283 Peckens avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott of Chicago are holiday visitors in town, spending Christmas with Mr. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Elliott, Elmwood avenue.

Miss Mirle Tane of Stratford is spending the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Leslie Irwin, Dundas street, covering for the Hermitage Club hall, evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Birely, accompanied by their son, Mr. Harry Birely, are spending New Year's with their daughter, Mrs. K. C. Greene, on avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnston, Chatham, are spending the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Johnston, Chatham, and Mr. Johnston, Chatham, and Mrs. Johnston, Chatham.

A charming holiday visitor in the city is Miss Edith Donna Cowan of Toronto, who is the guest of Miss Kennedy, Hyman street, coming up for the Knights of Columbus and Hermitage Club dances.

A. McMillan of Granum, Alta., graduate of the Western University Medical College, is paying a holiday visit to this city, staying with his sister, Mrs. Robert McMillan, 817 Kensington avenue.

A delightful supper party was given Thursday evening by the girls of the staff of the London Newspaper Subscribers' Service at Wong's cafe, covered for the evening. Following the supper a theatre party was held.

Miss Mary Rowell, daughter of Hon. Wm. W. Rowell and Mrs. Rowell of Toronto, and a niece of Mrs. Gordon Wright of this city, is to be a debutante this winter. Mrs. Rowell is giving a coming-out tea for her daughter on Jan. 6.

Miss Margaret Durdin and Miss Thelma Bailey were the hostesses on Wednesday evening of a dance given at their home, Terrace street, Chelsea, in honor of Miss Glena Down of Japan.

JAPANESE HANGING FERN VASES in Quaint Designs.

WILLOW HALL 410 CLARENCE.

Hair Ornaments? One For Every Hour



BY MARIAN HALE.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—There's an air of reminiscence of the days of Josephine, Eugenie la Pompadour—those women who broke hearts with the placing of a jewel, who stood before their mirrors as an artist before a canvas, and tested the silver leaf, the wisp of tulle or the jewel in their hair.

There is no hour of the day, no gown, no occasion which has not its fitting hair ornament. In the places where smart women gather an unromantic coiffure is rarely seen.

Jeweled combs have led to jeweled bandeaus and wreaths of gold or silver leaves.

The wealth of leaves finished with sparkling buds is one of the favorites of the fair. Worn quite low, as is

Woodstock and Miss Loretta Swan of Walkerville.

A number of bright little entertainments have been given this week in honor of Miss Ruth Williams of El Paso, Texas, who is spending a month's holiday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, Elmwood avenue.

Miss Loretta Swan, who has been visiting Miss Margaret Durdin, Terrace street, also her grandmother, Mrs. Bishop, Inkerman street, has returned to her home in Walkerville, taking with her Miss Durdin, who will spend New Year's in Walkerville.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Armstrong and daughter of this city joined a holiday house party this week in the home of Mrs. Armstrong's sister, Mrs. Douglas, "Glenhurst" Strathroy. Other guests included Mrs. Robbings, daughter of the hostess, and Professor Robbins of Toronto University, and Miss Douglas of Toronto.

Mrs. R. G. Smythe, who has been nominated president of the Local Council of Women of Toronto for a second term, is well known in London and vicinity. Previous to her marriage she was Miss Agnes Lind of Westminster, and is a sister of Mrs. Jennie Lind, Alexandra Apartments, whom she visited some weeks ago.

Dr. F. A. Saunders of Harvard University, who has been visiting in the home of his brother, Mr. W. E. Saunders, going down to Toronto for the meeting of the American Society for the Advancement of Science, returned Friday to spend the week-end in town. He is accompanied by his son, Mr. Anthony, a student at Harvard, and daughter, Miss Margery.

Miss Eleanor Chantler was the hostess Thursday afternoon of a charming tea given at her home on Stanley street in honor of Miss Betty Brown of Flint Mich. At the tea hour Mrs. Gilbert Ward presided at the tea table, centered with pink carnations, gracefully arranged in a silver basket, on a cluny lace cloth. Miss Chantler received her numerous guests in a smart frock of black velvet.

The choir boys of St. John the Evangelist Church enjoyed a happy time Wednesday, when the ladies of the choir entertained over 25 of them at a theatre party, which was followed later by a supper, served in the Sun-

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

THE ROSEBUDS BLOOM AGAIN.

Well my dear old pal and friends, it's so long since I have written to the Mail-Box I am sure you have all forgotten us. We have just returned from a trip to the lake, and, I assure you, we had a lovely time.

Probably you will think we will be frozen up, but we are house roses, and are still alive and looking well.

Well, I am a little "hello" girl now, and you can imagine how busy I am kept—hardly find time to write. Iona Ford, where have you gone to? I have mourned so much for you. I am nearly wearing black. I had some lovely correspondents, and I would like to hear from them and any others that would care to write. I will try hard and find time to answer all letters I receive.

When Cynthia is not in the paper it is hardly worth while reading it. I always find time to read that page anyway.

I must tell you about our flowers. They were grand this summer. We took several different pictures of them, so if any of your readers ever come to see me I will show them.

I was sorry I was not at home, or I would have loved to make a block for that quilt. We will leave our address with dear old Cynthia for anyone that wishes to write. Your old friends.

THE TWO COUNTRY ROSEBUDS.

It is splendid to have a visit from the Rosebuds this frosty weather. Isn't it? We thought you had forgotten us altogether. I am sorry your greetings did not come in time to appear on our Christmas page, but better late than never.

GERTRUDE BECOME CONFUSED.

Dear Miss Grey—Here I am back again. I saw in the paper where Gertrude had some old boots to give away. Now, if you will excuse me, I'll tell you that was my pen name, and it must be someone else who has written that letter. Now, my dear Mail-Box friend, will you kindly change your pen name to avoid mistakes. If you would do that it would save me a lot of bother.

Will Gertrude No. 2, who has the boots, kindly send in her name and address, as there have been several requests for them? I am sorry that our greetings were too late for the page, as we missed you in the family circle, Miss Original Gertrude.

GREETINGS CAME TOO LATE.

In token of sincere regard and warm remembrance, this comes to wish a very happy Christmas and a glad and bright New Year. God bless The Advertiser Goodfellows.

LILLY FROM LIVERPOOL.

There were a number of greetings came too late, Lilly. I am sorry, as I would have liked to have had all the members of my family present on Christmas morning.

Miss Arthur Brickenden was the hostess Thursday afternoon of a jolly tea-dance for the not-outs given at her home on Dufferin avenue in honor of Mrs. George McCormick's guest, Miss Betty Wilson of Santa Fe.

The rooms were effectively decorated with holly and Christmas wreaths, and in the center of one was a large Christmas tree decked with Christmas favors and bearing well-filled stockings, which were later claimed by the guests. Mrs. Brickenden received the young people in a beaming gown of blue canton crepe, and was assisted by Mrs. Kenneth Green and Miss Wilson, who wore a pretty frock of blue green georgette with French flowers. At the tea hour the guests sat down at small tables and gay with holly. Among the guests were: Misses Katharine Beltz, Shirley Johnston, Kathleen Richardson, Beryl Jewel, Lorna Rumball, Elsie Wood, Margaret Jordan, and Miss Kennedy of Toronto.

Miss Gertrude, Gweno Williams, Alison Buchner, Mary Granger, Clara Carson, and Messrs. Bland McCormick, Jack Masey, Fred Kennedy, Frank Kennedy, Langford McGregor, Jack McGregor, George Vendall, Orem Beltz, Ted Beltz, Bob Masurett, Clarence Wood, Gerald Jordan, George Young, Ed Dignan, Ted Walnwright and S. Granger.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS.

BUSKINS

(By Olive Roberts Barton.)



"May I come in? I want to talk to you about an adventure."

Yes, the little house had begun to move, slowly at first, then faster and faster. The children were almost amazed to speak.

"X-yes, it is an elevator," gasped Nick, finally finding his voice. "There's a bell hanging. Someone wanting to get on likely. What'll I do, Nancy?"

Nancy, who had been looking out of the funny little window at the pink and white topped orchard getting smaller and smaller below them, answered sensibly.

"Why stop it, of course. I s'pose you pull the thingumagum the other way."

So Nick gave the brake a jerk as the little house, or apple-tree elevator as we had better call it now, stopped instantly.

And there stood a fairy. The children knew right away that he was a fairy, although he was dressed more like a pirate, with a colored bandy tied round his head for a hat and high top boots.

They had had enough adventures with fairies in the Fairy Queen's Nin-

ty Hundred and Ninety-Nine Kingdoms to know that the uglier these folk were, the kinder their hearts were.

All except the Gnomes—they were horrid. The stranger's first words showed that the children were right, about his heart anyway, for he called out "Hello, children," in the kindest voice in the world or in the tree in the sky or wherever it was they were.

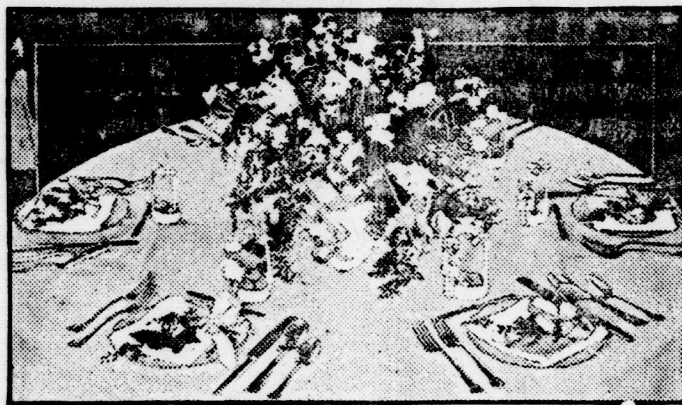
"How do you do," said Nancy and Nick together.

"I'm glad to see that you are more polite than I am," said the little fellow (I always say 'hello' so folks won't be afraid of me. It sounds more friendly).

"I'm buskins in charge of The Land of Up-in-the-Air. The Magical Mushroom is supposed that you were coming. May I come in? I want to talk to you about an adventure."

(To Be Continued.) (Copyright, 1921.)

New Year Table Decorations



Here are some new ideas in decoration for the New Year dinner-table. Get half a dozen cypripediums inscribed or "green orchids" as they are sometimes called.

And three dozen goman hyacinths and a dozen maidenhair ferns. Make your place flowers from the Roman hyacinths and maidenhair ferns, tied with pale green ribbons. Place your centre flowers in a white-

enameled willow basket with a tin cup filled with water concealed within to keep the flowers fresh.

Little boy and girl figures will add to the attractiveness of your bon-bon baskets.

White narcissus can be used instead of hyacinths, but the contrast is better and stronger with hyacinths. The picture shows how the flowers mentioned should be arranged in centerpiece, favors and corsages.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

MARMALADES



So the jelly glasses are filled, fill them up with marmalades. Orange or grapefruit marmalade is delicious with toast and coffee for breakfast or with toast and tea for tea.

While there are excellent marmalades on the market a housekeeper will effect an appreciable saving if she makes her own.

With sugar back to normal prices, marmalade is not expensive to make. A marmalade that is not quite as bitter as an all-orange sweet is made with carrots.

Carrot Marmalade.

One pound carrots, 2 lemons, 1 orange, 4 cups sugar.

Wash and scrape carrots and put through food chopper. Squeeze juice from lemons and put rinds through food chopper. Barely cover each with water and cook until tender. Cut orange in very thin slices and remove seeds.

Combine carrots, lemon rind, orange slices, sugar and lemon juice and add 1 cup of boiling water. Pour into glasses and cover when cold with paraffin.

Marmalade.

One large grapefruit, 1 large orange, 1 large lemon, 7 pints cold water, 5 pounds granulated sugar.

Wash, wipe and dry fruit and cut into quarters. Cut the quarters through the peel and pulp in very thin slices. Add cold water and let stand overnight. In the morning cook until the peel is very tender.

Set aside again until the next morning. Add sugar and cook until the syrup thickens as in the preceding recipe. The seeds should be removed from the fruit when cutting in quarters. This makes twelve large glasses of marmalade.

Orange Marmalade.

Twelve oranges, 6 quarts water, 6 pounds sugar.

If oranges are sweet add 2 lemons. Pare oranges as thin as possible so that very little white remains and cut in shreds.

Put in cold water. Scrape off all the white from the quarters. Cut fruit in thin slices, removing seeds and add to rinds. Let stand overnight.

Add sugar and boil until the mixture jellies when tested on a cold saucer. Pour into jars and cover with paraffin when cold.

Yule-tide Marmalade.

One pound beets, 1 orange, 1 lemon.

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WITH THE BRIDES

WALKER-COFFEY. The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Coffey was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, when their daughter Lois was married to Mr. Harry Walker. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of guests by Rev. Harold Lawson of Rutherford, brother-in-law of the groom. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white satin and carried the bridesmaid, a string of pearls, and a shower bouquet of pink roses. They were unattended.

THOMAS-BOWEN.

A quiet wedding took place at the Talbot Street Baptist Parsonage, London, on Monday, Dec. 28, when Ida Bowen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bowen of London, and Mr. Ernest Thomas of Lambeth were married by Rev. J. S. Roy. Miss Nellie Bowen attended the bride, and Mr. Leonard Bowen acted as groomsmen. The groom's gift to the bride was a beautiful coat, trimmed with fox; to the bridesmaid, a string of pearls, and to the bridesmaid, a string of pearls. After a short honeymoon the happy couple will reside on the groom's farm near Tempo.

BURCH-APPLETON.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at Cronyn Memorial Church on Dec. 21, when Annie M., third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Appleton, was given in marriage to Francis W. Burch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burch, all of this city. Rev. Quintin Warner officiated. The bride looked charming in a gown of silver grey broadened crepe de chine, with coral trimmings, and wore a corsage of Ophelia roses and violets. After the ceremony the bridal party proceeded to the bride's home, where a dainty luncheon was served. Only the immediate relatives were present. The happy couple have taken up their residence at 45 Terrence street, where they will be at home to their friends.

OLIVER-COCHRANE.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday, Dec. 23, at four o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Cochrane, Dutton, when Lillian Saunders Cochrane and Mr. George Edward Oliver were married. Rev. W. Wallace, rector of the Church of the Nativity

officiating. The bride wore a gown of grey tulle, with roses and silver trimmings, and the groom's gift, a necklace of pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white carnations. The bride and groom were unattended. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served and later the happy couple left by the M. C. R. evening train for Detroit and Pontiac, the bride travelling in a suit of brown velvet with fur trimmings and brown hat. On their return they will reside on Vancy street, Dutton.

Among the beautiful wedding gifts was a handsome electric reading lamp from the choir of the Anglican church, of which the bride was a member for a number of years previous to her marriage.

CLUB NEWS

What Women Are Accomplishing in London.

HOSPITAL COMMITTEE MEETS.

Announcements have been sent out of a meeting of the War Memorial Children's Hospital committee, to be held in the Y. W. C. A. King street, Friday, Jan. 6.

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CLEAN-UP SALE

TO-WEELINGS—A counter of ends—crash, cheeks and fancy huck, 1 to 5 yards lengths. Saturday at clearance prices.

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Third Floor.

LADIES' COMBINATIONS (samples), silk and cotton, fine cotton and fleece lined. Saturday to clear at special price, per suit \$1.59

Underwear Department, Main Floor.

WOMEN'S FLANNELLETTE GOWNS (samples, slightly soiled), values up to \$2.50. Saturday's clearing sale price \$1.59

Third Floor.

CHILDREN'S AND BABIES' FLANNELLETTE GOWNS, striped or all white (samples). Saturday price to clear at, each 69c

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