

THE HOME
THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES
THE PLAYERSHere are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the
Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the
Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

WOMEN'S WORK

Ten young ladies have notified Mrs. G. A. Kuhring of their readiness to answer the call which has come to the St. John Ambulance Brigade through the assistance of Mrs. C. J. C. Copp, to Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, commandant of the voluntary aid detachment of this city. The demand is for those willing to serve as probationers in the military hospitals in England.

Those ready to volunteer are asked to apply by letters to Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, St. John street. Only members of the Voluntary Aid Detachment can be accepted.

Hair Shampooing in Summer.

Scrupulous attention to the care of the hair is even more important in summer than in winter. The hot summer sun burns the hair, making it brittle and the dust clogs the pores of the scalp. Frequent shampooing is essential, but away from city conveniences of hot and cold water faucets, it is not to be shirked. There are numerous good shampoos on the market but the most important part of hair-washing is the rinsing. To do this thoroughly water after water must be poured over the hair until it runs off clear. Ordinary pitchers are very heavy and clumsy to use for this and the whole process may be made much easier by providing an enameled wash basin and pitcher. These are light, clean and non-breakable and will withstand much hard usage.

Got An Answer.

"What do they grow in an electric light plant?" "Bulbs," was the brief reply. "And the crowd agreed that he had been answered according to his folly."

Don't Misuse Your Eyes.

When your eyes are strong and willing to impose upon you, you are unthinkingly, and it is too apt to be when they begin to fail us that we realize our neglect. There is no feature that so determines and colors our first impression of a person as the eyes. And yet while nose and cheeks and lips have their due share of attention and worry,

the eyes, most valuable of all, are sadly neglected and even abused. Here are some hints to help in their care: Don't rub your eyes when waking in the morning. Don't use your eyes a minute after they begin to feel tired. Don't try to finish a page after sunlight has faded. Neither should you attempt to read fine print. Don't read lying down. Don't try to read with book or paper in your lap. Don't read on the train, boat or rocking chair. Don't wear spotted veils.

Cream soups are more nourishing than stock soups.

Mrs. Joseph Ellis of Mace's Bay, a member of the Soldiers' Comforts Association, put a note in a sock, one of a pair which was forwarded to the front. The following letter was received by Mrs. Ellis:

Dear Madam:— I have been given a pair of socks and I have found in the toe of one of them the note which I enclose. It has travelled with me within German shell fire and I enclose it back as a souvenir. The socks arrived safely, and they were welcome with more than thanks. As apart from adding to the comforts of the Canadian soldiers, they know that the folks in God's Country have not forgotten them. I remain yours very faithfully,

S. S. Geoff Scott.

An Interesting Letter Received.

Canadian Siege Battery, Horsham.

To the president, officers and members of the Soldiers' Comforts Association at Mace's Bay:

This is to acknowledge with sincere thankful appreciation the two parcels sent to you and received here.

The contents arrived in good condition. We shared some of the dullest with the boys in our own hut; do believe me it tasted like "Mace's Bay."

The other articles I divided. I can assure you that everything you sent is appreciated in the highest degree by us all.

I must not describe but you may guess what effect was when the word "circulated" "a parcel from home." A cloud of dust and a few Indian war whoops, etc.

In fact you don't imagine what en-

couragement it is to the boys over here to get packages and letters from home. I think if everyone did, there wouldn't be so much of it left to the willing ones.

"Any letters from home?" is always the first question in the morning. I guess it is our counterpart.

A great deal is done here by different organizations as the Soldiers' Comforts, Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. and believe me earnestly it is appreciated. The Red Cross is a wonderful society. The work is immense and much more extensive in proportion here than at home. It has been doubted by some the actual benefit derived, but I say any doubt in this connection should be eliminated absolutely.

Please convey to the officers and members of the D. C. A. of Mace's Bay, the sincere thoughts of the boys and myself, and let us hope that we may represent Mace's Bay in France, and do our share, for I say, we will do it willingly, to crush the enemy that would test the blood of Christian people and wipe them off the earth for the sake of mere glory.

Your obedient servant,
Herman Mawhinney.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Victoria.

W J MacDonald, Boston; H L Currie, Partridge Island; A M Johnson, Havelock; T B Bishop, Truro; John Smith, H. Deberry, Wm Doherty, W S O'Neill, Moncton; T R Smith, St. John; W L Coleman, A M LeBlanc, Moncton; Geo E Messer, Hamilton;

Mrs Reading, Fredericton; Mrs T Heron, J H Colcord and wife, Boston; Esther O Storch, Edith Fairchild, Ayer, Mass; Miss Gladwin, Halifax;

A O Kirkpatrick and wife, Waterville, Me; Eng Poetsenau, Ottawa; J C Mosher, Boston, Mass; H A Robinson, St. John; Miss Gertrude Robinson, F H Sudbye and wife, Calais, Me; W A Pith, Moncton; Fred G Cross, Amherst; W H Fisher, Moncton; R V Arnold, St. George; N E Sharpe, Pictou; E Miles, Digby; S Geo S Ennos, Montreal; Sgt Knowles, Valcartier; K S Pickard, Sackville;

Robt Fleming, Debe Jet; Guy Welch, J B Brand, Bristol; H H Lynch, Winnipeg; J Pace, Mcdam; Miss Helen Clark, Miss Edna Walker, Jorgins Mines; R R McLean, Digby, N S; Angus Kerr and wife, Kensington.

Clifton House

Florence E Robertson, Moncton, NB; John G Leonard, St. John, NB; H L Somers, Trenton, NJ; D M Galt and wife, Washington; C J Potherington and friend, St. John; Wilbur F Alton, New York; Oren F Alton, New York; Mrs James Elern and children, Salem, Oregon; Lydia W Marvin, St. John; Lilla, C Thompson, Chicago, Ill; Miss D W Thompson, Chicago, Ill; Miss May J Rogers, Chicago, Ill; J K Kaffma, Rev E D Webber and wife, Haverhill, Mass; Mr and Mrs J M Swanston, Chicago, Ill; Dr. Agnes Fraser, Lawrence, Mass; R R Fraser, Moncton, NB; S Franklin and wife, New York; Charles O Bates, Athol, Mass; C A Porter, Fredericton; Mrs McCarthy, Miss Adams, Woodstock; James J Taylor, Fredericton; James Eldon, Salem, Oregon; Auger, Montreal; E Ade Roasting and wife, Montreal.

Dufferin

W S McCart, Eastport; Mrs A Hall, New Haven; Ida Robinson, Chester, N. S.; Mr. and Mrs. C A Hesley, Marchester; J D O'Neil, Sussex; H. J. Menden, Boston; Mass; F C Hinkley, Eastport; Billy Green, Portland; D F LeBlanc, Portland; Chas Adams, Mrs. Chas Adams, Mrs. Phyllis Adams, J. H. Adams, Montreal; Fred Buxton, Hamilton; Ellis, Montague; A I Vincom, Charlottetown; C Dennison, New York City; L E Hubley, Halifax; A Temesary, Halifax; M McLean and wife, North Sydney; M Archibald, Halifax; T Carliness, Halifax; J J Urquhart, Springhill, NS; H McSwaney, Springhill, NS.

Park.

A G Lockhart, Fairville; N D Dunlop, Lynn; A J Bellevue, Bellevue Cove; H Culligan, Campbellton; Wm Farquharson, Fredericton; E Richards, Bangor; T L Fleming, D S Giddens, Truro; K Carpenter, L G Morgan, Sgt P Shaw, Partridge Island; W W Mason, Welsford; Fred Smith, Partridge Island; M L Smith, Sussex; A L Atkinson, Chatham; C E Power, J P Keating, Halifax; S Lawrence, James D Rogers, Boston; John Melendyke, wife and child, Brownville Jet; G W Hopper, Truro; Ellis A Schnable, Philadelphia; E C Corbett, H. C. L. Morrison, Salem; Harry Stein, Halifax; W R Stockton, Sussex; Byron Porter, Fredericton; W E Spilke, Andover; Dennis Nadeau, Baker Brook; R Kelly, St. John; H J Coleman, J C Condon, Halifax.

Lancaster Red Cross.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Lancaster Red Cross will be given by Lieut. Col. Anglin in the Palace Baptist church this (Monday) evening.

Miss Carrie Seeds, daughter of Samuel Seeds, of 30 Mecklenburg street, has recovered sufficiently from an operation in the General Public Hospital to be removed to her home, and it is expected that she will be around again shortly.

Uncle Dick's
Corner.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

Not What She Meant.
John's father kept a store, and the little fellow often brought candies to school to divide with the other children.

One morning the teacher noticed a strong smell of peppermint, and began to investigate in order to stop eating during school hours. Unable to detect the culprit, she bent over small John and whispered:

"John, have you any candies?"

"No, ma'am," he replied.

"Have any of the other boys any?"

"No, ma'am."

As she turned away, he touched her hand and said:

"I'll bring you some at noon."

ANDROCOLOUS AND THE LION.

Once there was a man named Androcolous going through the woods he saw a lion coming toward him, at first he thought he would be killed, but on approaching the lion, he saw that it was lame, and when it came up to him it raised its foot in his hands he found it to be all hot and swollen, and he began to pick at it with his finger and found there was a briar in it. On taking it out the lion showed his thanks by wagging his tail and licking the hands of Androcolous.

Some years afterwards the man was accused of doing wrong and was sentenced to be torn to pieces by lions.

He was thrown into a cage where there was a lion. The onlookers were amazed to see the lion crouch at his feet and lick the hands of Androcolous. This shows a kindness is never forgotten even by a dumb animal.—Sent by Myrtle Cox, Young's Cove.

EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG.

An interesting letter.

Young's Cove.

Dear Uncle Dick:—

My subject will be on the "Grand Lake." Grand Lake is one of the most beautiful places in New Brunswick. In summer it is ideal for boating and in winter for skating. The lake is thirty miles long and seven wide. In spring there is large raft of lumber taken through the Grand Lake. The R. K. Y. C. comes up through the Grand Lake, some times it stops at White's Cove, other times at Young's Cove. It's shores are excellent for picnics. The Grand Lake is a wonder. It is far to little known by New Brunswickers, and it attracts a great number of tourists. On the north side of the lake at Princess Park it is a great place for large game, such as moose and deer, and at the head of the Grand Lake it is a great place for large game such as moose and deer, and caribou. In the hunting season there is a great number of people that come from different places to get these large game. It is also a great place for small game, such as ducks, geese, partridge, woodcock, etc. I will close with love,

From your niece,

Myrtle Cox.

Sees Standard Daily.

Tidville, N. S.

Dear Uncle Dick:—

Thank you for your beautiful story book. I am glad I got the prize and am trying for another one and hope to win it. I see The Standard every day. Today I am sending you my answer to the contest.

Your nephew,

Donald C. G. Mackay.

Sends Best Wishes.

396 Main St.

Dear Uncle Dick.

I would like very much to join the Children's Corner. I am nine years old and my birthday is on the 14th of October. I have passed into the fifth grade. With best wishes for you and your corner.

I am, your loving niece,

Beatrice F. Corbett.

Heard Lot About Corner.

Welsford, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick.

I have heard so much about the Children's Corner that I think I will join. My sister is your niece and I would like to be your nephew. I am a Boy Scout and belong to the Wolf Patrol 1, Welsford troop. I am eleven years old and am a second class scout and am a corporal of the Wolf Patrol. My birthday is in October. It is the seventh day. I think you know Francis Speight, he belongs to my patrol. I will send you my picture. Well, goodbye.

From your nephew,

Ray Woods.

Saw Name in Corner.

St. Marys.

Dear Uncle Dick.

I saw my name in the Children's Corner again. As I now have a box of crayons I am sending in my picture of the man and the lion colored. As my letter is getting long I will close for now.

From one of your many nephews,

Don. McKenzie.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World
and on the Stage---Favorites and What They
Say and Do.

Attractive Ushers in Attractive Costumes.

The girls who conduct the patrons of "Civilization" to their seats at George M. Cohan's Grand Opera House are exceptionally pretty in the attractive costumes designed especially for the play. They are Chicago girls, moreover, not selected as being prettier than other Chicago girls, but illustrating a fair average of Chicago pulchritude.

Their leader is Miss Victorine McNeill, and her principal assistant is Miss Gertrude Jacobs, says an article in Motography. These two are cosists, living on the North Side, and both have had experience in singing and dancing upon the stage. Ushering is merely a pleasant summer sideline with them.

The "Civilization" girls are also as vivacious as they are pretty. In a body they attended the recent movie ball at the Sherman Hotel, clad in their odd costumes and each wearing a "Civilization" ribbon around her right arm. They were in great demand as dancing partners, and when it was all over a philanthropic and chivalrous admirer took them all to their various homes in his big touring car—so that, as the girls themselves expressed it, they had a perfectly grand time.

A number of theatres the country over have provided their ushers with special costumes, but few have gone to the trouble to create designs so becoming and so appropriate as those for Ince's big war drama.

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INTERESTING CONTESTS
For the Word-Makers and Artists

How would you like a beautiful doll, or a splendid mecano set for the best copy of this picture? It looks much harder than it really is. First make a large square on a big piece of white paper. Divide this square into eight squares on each side, or sixty-four in all. Count the number of squares down from the top to Eleanor's head, and begin to draw the outline. Follow along to the right very carefully, watching where you cross your lines. Sometimes you go to the right, sometimes up, sometimes down.



As mentioned above, I shall award a lovely large doll, or a most useful Meccano set to the kiddie who sends in the best result. The copy must be larger than the original, have the usual coupon attached and reach this office not later than Wednesday, August 16th. ALSO

A splendid watch will be awarded to the boy or girl, not over fifteen who sends in the most words made from the letters in the word "celebration." All attempts with the number of words stated, and a coupon must reach this office not later than August 9th, 1916.

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

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