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HOLD ROYAL BALL BELOW THE GROUND
Subterranean Ballroom of Welbeck Abbey Scene of Fete in Alfonso's Honor.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain, who are guests of the Duke of Portland, will attend a ball to-night, given in their honor, in the famous underground ball-room at Welbeck Abbey, which was excavated by the fifth Duke of Portland, and which has not been used in years. The whole suite of subterranean chambers and the passages communicating with them will be dazzlingly illuminated with electric lights.

The King's Daughters.
 VICKSBURG, Miss., Nov. 20.—The ninth annual conference of the International Order of King's Daughters has adjourned. Bucyrus, Ohio, was selected as the meeting-place next year. The following officers were elected: Mrs. M. C. Smith, president; Mrs. J. W. Smith, vice-president; Mrs. J. W. Smith, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Smith, treasurer.

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Robert J. Reed, Wheeling, W. Va., chairman, and Miss Annie Braun, Toronto, member of the advisory board.

Graduating Nurses.
 The graduating exercises in connection with the Training School of Nurses at the Hospital for Incurable Diseases, Toronto, took place Tuesday evening. There was first a short but much appreciated program rendered by the inspector, E. Rogers, and members of the staff of the institution. Mr. Rogers, inspector, delivered an able address, and Mrs. Rogers presented the diplomas and pins. This is the first class of nurses to graduate in this training school. Those who graduated were: Miss A. McNamara, Miss A. Eakins, Miss C. Cassidy, Miss S. Hodgson, Miss H. Kildea, Miss J. Millard, Miss S. Weil, Miss L. Stevens, Miss M. Carson, Miss M. Elliott and Miss M. Magee.

Furs of the Moment.
 From The New York American.
 Muffs have grown and grown. This year it seems they must at last have reached the limit—in size. And they, too, are built on original lines. Some of the look like nothing so much as if the wearer had hastily picked up a small fur rug from the floor and thrown it across her shoulders. In reality it is probably one or two black lynx skins, laid out quite flat and lined with thin satin—no interlining is allowed. The muff proper is of satin, made separate, and with the skins merely tacked to it at the top, the heads and paws hanging down on one side, the tails and paws on the other.

Sometimes, in the case of small skins half a dozen are used in this way, laid side by side. This is illustrated in the sketch marked "E." Still another variation of this style of muff is seen in the illustration "F." This is of caracul and is ornamented with a big bow of ribbon, centred with a rhinestone ornament. Very large, nearly square muffs of lynx and fox are seen but always adorned with tails. The stuffing of muffs is reduced to the minimum, for neatness of effect is earnestly sought after.

There seems to be hardly anything in the way of laces and colored silk embroideries that cannot find some place on a fur coat. For they are trimmed and trimmed—and yet again trimmed. Little waistcoats of velvet and of softest suede are elaborately embroidered in a tarnished silver and gold thread now so smart. Deep cuts and quite possibly a standing collar inside the fur wrap around one of the arms of the same material, embroidered.

Brading is extensively used on the fur itself, particularly on the smooth, silky furs, such as broadtail and Russian pony skin. Some coats of these furs are literally braided all over with fine silk braid put on in a well-defined pattern. Many of them have the short-waisted lines emphasized in this way.

Buttons of all sizes and designs are used on fur garments. On coats made for motoring wear buttons as big as small butter plates are covered with kidkinis, but on their garments destined for more formal occasions the fastenings are made with buttons quite marvellous in beauty of design. Buttons of gold and silver, some set with semi-precious stones, are not considered too good for these luxurious coats.

Now is all the ornamentation lavished on the outside of fur wraps. The inside comes in for much consideration. With linings of satin and brocade, a strip of silk is often laid down either side of the front to show where the coat lies open. The back of the fur neck piece and the collar are braided on satin, while sometimes ruffles and little ruffles of chiffon line the wide little-luff pieces of the neck and collar.

Chance to Economize.
 While all this sounds very expensive, and luxurious, the woman of slender purse need not despair. Her needs have been most carefully thought of this season.

The very fact of other materials being combined with fur assures her out-of-date coat being done up successfully. Then, too, several kinds of fur may be used together and not look at all out of the way. Say she herself has a set of sealskin quite out of date, and one of Persian lamb ditto. A clever furrier can use strips of the two, alternating for the muff, and trim it with flat rosettes of platted satin. From this he can depend on the hand the sealskin on silk cords. The neck piece may be a combination of the two furs made into one of the still fashionable four-inch wide old fur wraps which look quite as well as the purchased at an expensive furrier's.

Empress Eugenie's Coronation Mantle.
 At the shop of a well-known silk and lace firm here is now being exhibited a mantle which was made for the coronation of the Empress Eugenie—a coronation which never took place. It was worn once only by the empress, at the opening of the Suez Canal in 1869. It is now in the hands of an appointed celebrated artist to design the lace, the sketch being destroyed after the lace was made. The lace, which was made in one piece, was mounted upon velvet, and embroidered in gold and lined with silk.

It took seven persons five years to make it and cost nearly \$50,000. The mantle is still in fairly good preservation, being put in slightly faded, although it lay for twenty-eight years hidden in a small pawnbroker's shop at Athens.

CEMENT IS BLAMED.
 A defect in the cement work, allowing water to be crushed and set into the cause advanced by President Chapman of the Ontario Wind Engine & Pump Company for the collapse of the water tank at the Hees Company factory. An expert will investigate for them.

Good Time to Buy a Piano.
 Heintzman & Co., Limited, 115-117 King-street west, Toronto, are experiencing a great demand for pianos for use in homes. They have no room to keep them up one on top of the other, and for this reason are offering bargains to-day at most ridiculous figures to effect an immediate clearing.

Knox College Students' Missionary Society.
 The 47th public meeting will be held this evening in convocation hall, Rev. D. C. Hosack will preside and these addresses will be given: "Among the Loggers of B. C.," by A. M. Dallas, B.A.; "Home Missions," by Rev. J. G. Shearer, D.D.

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THE BAL FOUDRE.
 The bal poudre given at the King Edward last evening under the auspices of the...

Personal.
 Mrs. George M. Hendry, 127 Balmora-avenue, will be at home Thursdays and Saturdays from 4 to 6 o'clock and third Thursdays of each month.

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Miss Helen Davidson, pale blue chiffon, an overskirt with bands of satin. Miss Florrie Foy turquoise crepe, deep insets of sequined lace. Miss Isabel Ryerson, Paris gown of sequined lace over blue. Miss Della Davies, blue chiffon with white lace. Miss Norma Armstrong, flame yellow chiffon. Mrs. Victor Armstrong, rose crepe, princess style. Miss Evelyn Taylor, the prettiest of the debutantes, in soft spotted chiffon over pink, pink girle and satin folds. Mrs. Cawthra Mulock, rose velvet, empire style, with rose point lace. Miss Errol Nordman, white chiffon with wreaths of small pink roses. Miss Belle Min, dainty as Dresden china in opal crepe with sequin lace. Miss Edna Cooby, white debutante's frock. Mrs. H. C. Osborne, in grey velvet. Mrs. Clayton (England), turquoise brocade satin. Mrs. Norman Seagram, lace over pale blue. Miss Kathleen Murray, pale pink crepe with touches of black.

Some of the gentlemen present were: A. O. Beardmore, Louis S. McMurray, James S. McMurray, Ernest Patterson, Jack Hynes, Louis Gibson, Charles Murray, Stephen Jones, Alan Somerville, Dick Lewis, Dick Chadwick, Hugh McLean, Dr. Alex McKenzie, Percy Rogers, T. C. Irving, Jr., Henry McDonald, Jack Somerville, Arthur Somerville, Jack Palmer, Clement Peier, Alan Case, George Gale, Jack Milne, Douglas Eby.

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WELLAND, Ont., Nov. 20.—(Special)—William Hodgkins, night operator of the G.T.R. at Stevensville, at 11.30 last night unlocked the door in response to a knock. He was confronted by a man with a revolver and ordered to throw up his hands. He was then ordered to produce a package of \$25 bills assigned to the Sterling Bank from the rear office.

He protested the package had not arrived, and the robber, when satisfied, went thru Hodgkins' pockets and got \$21.

Departing, he was joined by a pal, who waited outside. Shortly after midnight when the westbound M.C.R. train had left the station half a mile distant, two men were seen approaching the station when they ran off on the approach of four citizens.

The package, which contained \$2000, arrived this morning for the Sterling Bank. The man who entered the Grand Trunk Station was tall, slim, clean-shaven, had pulled down his cap and turned up his collar. Mr. Hodgkins says he could identify the man.

SHOP DEALERS COMPLAIN.
 They Are Being Taxed to Meet Reduction to Hotelmen.

The liquor shop dealers are by no means pleased with the latest action of the brewers' association. Said one of them yesterday:

The brewers' association have decided to lower the price of ale to the hotelkeepers on the goods handled by the hotelkeepers, but the goods handled by the shopkeepers are increased. The goods handled principally by the shopkeepers are four-gallon kegs and bottled ale, and on the four-gallon kegs the brewers have put an extra 30 over and above their increase of a few weeks ago, while bottled ale is left at the increase made a few weeks ago.

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