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# STUPENDOUS TASK

Reports at National Council Show Vastness of Work

Delegate, Comments on Annual

Interesting after-glimpses of the recent annual meeting of the National minor matters. icil, has brought honor to her home city in her election to the National vice-Commenting on the convention, Mrs.

"The reports showed a spirit of comprehension of the vastness of the task ort on housing conditions, given by the house shortage in Toronto amount- the notice of him. ed to 10,000; Montreal has a house shortage of 25,000, while Winnipeg reported a shortage of 5,400. Assuredly, in Canada, bad housing is responsible to the hospital. There Forster anshouted. housing conditions prevailed. It was gratefully for his attention and kind-was though. He went out by't theear. Least I think he went—" white slave traffic were brought to the

GIFT TO PRESIDENT.

"Outstanding in interest," Mrs. Wright's letter goes on, "was the presentation made to Mrs. W. E. San-ford, the honored retiring president. This took the form of an exquisite gold pin of the International Council order, net in pearls, emeralds and amethysts. Dr. Augusta Stowe Gullen, provincial president for Ontario, presenting the pin, while the other provincial presi-dents came forward with appreciative tributes to Mrs. Sanford, expressive of their affection and loyalty. Mrs. Sanreplied in most fitting and gracious

Press Club. Miss Doyle aptly in that respect." men's Press Club. Miss Doyle aptly stated that 'every time a Canadian goes into a bookstore and buys a Canadian book he is helping to build up a Canadian literature. Readers are needed before a great book can 'The onus is no longer on me to prove him guilty of that outrage. He has to prove himself innocent."

At Ripon he changed trains. Walking Don't you know, sir."

"Know what? What a

Miss C. E. Carmichael, the new Na- times. Once he raised his eyes from hood she has been a large-hearted, pub-lic-minded citizen," she writes. "At made him start. the outbreak of the war she was elect-King of the Belgians, in recognition of her services for Belgium. She is also an associate member of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, an honor conferred on her in 1911.

IDEAL CONDITIONS. "Perhaps seldom has the National Council foregathered under more au-spicious circumstances," is Mrs. Wright's comment on the setting of the "Our meeting place, the twin ities of Port Arthur and Fort William, weep." I wonder why! Sometimes, of is ideal for a great national gathering, course, it can't be helped. It's an emosituated in the heart of the continent tional safety valve. vaterway, a most strategic center, at so many women weep for no special and at the world's greatest inland which, as Mayor Matthews, of Port Ar- reason at all, or perhaps only for the hur stated, they may interpret the inadequate reason that they are in a East to the West, and the West to the bad temper or can't have their own way. East, that in spirit an essence they may

'Never were kinder or more thought- makes a woman so old as weeping. It ful hostesses," the new vice-president hurts the eyes, makes the nose red, des. "Everything that could be drags down the mouth, makes her look one was done for the delegates, with temporarily old. It's a bad habit, as all the extras of motor rides, boat trips bad as continual tempers over nothing. and delightful luncheons."

Although the national annual meeting concluded this week, Mrs. Wright in "Vanity Fair" must have been a will not return to London immediately, popular type in her day, for the great going on with her husband into North- writer would not have made her his rn Ontario, where they will be guests heroine. But Amelia's continual retireat the country home of their son, Major ment to corners to weep her heart out Ward Wright, at Edgewater, Lake must have been as hard on her comiskaming, and their sons, Douglas plexion as on the tempers of her friends. and John Wright, at Cobalt.

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in the private room of the surgeon- very moment. VICE-PRESIDENT'S

NOTES

Bloom by name—telling his story and giving what details the host asked: He was perfectly frank in the matter, for there was no reason why he should conceal anything from the man who to applicate. He entered the place with adventure. It was true he had a few bruises here and there, but these were others.

story of great accomplishment. The previous day, but the clerk was not quite the old woman. report on housing conditions, given by sure of the sender. She thought it was Mrs. Bundy, of Toronto, was a most a shabby kind of individual who sent it, thorough resume of conditions in dif-so far as her recollection went, but she hand to her ear.

She looked up at him, wonderingly, are Miss Whittaker, Miss Sadie Hardy, clutching her bundle and putting her bundle and bundle and putting her bundle and putting ferent cities. Mrs. Bundy stated that had been busy at the time and took lit-

"One can't notice everyone who comes

"But don't forget to let me know how white slave traffic were brought to the notice of the Council last year.

"Infant mortality is always lessened through careful town planning, Mrs. Bundy stated," and added that Sas-katchewan has one of the best town planning acts in the world.

"But don't forget to let me know how you get on," was the latter's parting words. "I am mightly interested in the word have told me, and if ever I what you have told me, and if ever I had been to be Hughes. It entered the for me. I was indebted to you for your papers on medical things when I went jumped for the seat, the nearest one when the plat-form. made in toxicology. I have kept a slide he entered. He resolved that he would of your blood and intend to work out go along the train at the next stopping some sort of basis. I'll let you know place and have a look. the result.'

"Thanks, and I intend to do the same. best weapon we can use."
"I will observe strict secrecy."

the station to inquire about his trains case, nothing more could be done. bacy to Four Winds.

sculptor, and Miss Lucy sident of the Canadian Woess Club. Miss Doyle aptly in that respect."

vious night. At any rate, if it was not Hughes' voice which had broken into the butler on the steps.

As Forster stepped out he butler on the steps.

"Tell your mistress I wish

emerge."

up and down the platform he passed close to the refreshment bar several sident. "From her early girl- the ground and looked casually at the

utbreak of the war she was elect- A face he knew well was watching the presidency of the New Glas- him over the stained portion of the wingow Red Cross Society, a post she held dow. The lower features were hidden continuously until the end of the war, by the opaque portion of the glass, but and in 1921 was awarded a medal by the in the eyes and upper features he recognized the face of Will Hughes, the man

Beauty Chats

The old poem says that "Women must

BEST BY

**EVERY TEST** 

Bloom by name-telling his story and In an instant the head was with- the Wellington street residence courts had probably saved his life. The swift to apologize. He entered the place with surgery had arrested the work of the poison, and beyond a sore neck and a few bruises was little the worse of his adventure. It was true he had a few or neck and a few bruises was little the worse of his adventure. It was true he had a few or neck and a few

given in a letter received in town yesterday, from Bloom and they made their way to Coulden. Bloom had a morning off duty and had become interested in the sadelegate from the London Local adventure and offered morning land. Hughes was not present. adventure, and offered many valuable Where had the man gone? There was suggestions. Forster, however, did not led into the waiting-room. He rushed Florence Hurley, Carmen Farrow, Gertirely to the adventure and the suspi-cions he had as regards the death of woman sat there with a big bundle on Gladys Harvey, H. Glavin, M. Burgess,

"I'm a bit deaf, sir," she mumbled. "What dost say?" "Did you see a gentleman pass here just now?" Forster

for several thousand deaths each year, nounced that he must return to Four and a large proportion of deaths among winds as soon as possible, and he took children might be prevented if better leave of the surgeon after thanking him was though. He went out by't door was though. He went out by't door the surgeon and kinds. Forster did not wait for more. He

to Bart's-especially the researches you to him. The train was moving when

But just then he heard a commotion on the platform. Porters were shout-In the meantime, however, silence is the ing. He pushed his head out of the window. The figure he had taken for Hughes had leaped from the train as i Forster walked back to Leeds. He was gathering speed. Forster ground made some purchases—a new hat and collar and tie—and posted Bloom's cap with the crowd. Was it Hughes? He back to the surgeon. Then he went to was too far away to be certain. In any

He had not long to wait, and as he lay afternoon, having telephoned from the "The luncheon speeches." the London delegate reported, "were all of a very fine order. Outstanding were those from Miss Loring, the young those from Miss Loring, the young the station of the situation. He was sure his ears had not played him false on the sloping bank by the roadside the present the way up to the house.

As Forster stepped out he was met by

"Miss Barron, sir. She ain't here.

"Know what? What are you talking "Miss Barron has been missing since last night, sir," stammered the butler.

"Missing!"

Forster repeated the word dully, as in the butler had struck him. "Missing-since last night?" he re peated. "Tell me about this."

(To Be Continued)

sympathy. Modern sympathy goes out to Becky Sharpe, who may have been



Weeping makes one old.

an adventuress, but who looked the situation in the face and considered what could be done about it, while Amelia sat

A good cry is an excellent thing now and then, as every woman knows, but the less frequent the periods of the "fits of weeping" the more effective. Violent tears are beautifully soothing at the end of a long nervous strain, but frequent weeping irritates the nerves. Your own nervous organism will not take your weeping seriously if you do too

Mrs. H. J.—Hair that continues to split after it has been trimmed will often stop this if the ends of the hair are singed. A simple way to do this is to do the whole head in a number of loose braids and shake each of them until the stray ends are loosened. A lighted taper run down over the ends will singe them.

G. B. L.-A mild astringent, such as a week solution of benzoin or any of the toilet waters will help this oily condition. Mop the nose and the other parts of the face with either of these whenever needed. An oily nose usually comes from eating too much meat or other heating foods, and a generous dieting for a time would end the trouble. Faded Blossom.-There is nothing wrong with your skin except a ten-dency to dryness. If you use a good cream on it every night it will recover.

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#### TENNIS TEA FOR NEW **CLUB AT Y. W. COURTS**

Many Members Registered for Summe Program of Physical Committee. The members of the Girls' Tennis Club, recently organized by the Y. W. In a short time Forster was sitting who was occupying his thoughts at that C. A. physical education committee, spent a happy afternoon yesterday at

the girls by several of the committee As he stood looking around for members, who include Mrs. Sherwood After breakfast he borrowed a cap Hughes he heard the porters outside Fox, Mrs. H. W. Paddell, Mrs. Charles

cions he had as regards the death of light woman sat there with a pig build. Davison, Wilson, M. Beckett, Gladys James Barron. He mentioned Hughes her knee. Forster was nonplussed. How L. Davison, Wilson, M. Beckett, Gladys Baldwin, Edna Boomer, Phyllis Johnhension of the vastness of the task

At Coulden post office they discovered that the telegram had been sent off the through here a moment ago?" he asked Meadows, Beatrice Hutchinson and Mrs. ston, Allie York, Gladys Hynd, Joyce Meadows, Beatrice Hutchinson and Mrs.

### Alomen's News of Vestern Ontario

Rev. H., Mrs. Williams and family were greatly surprised when a large party of their Grove friends visited them recently.

After playing games on the spacious lawn the young people of the church joined their elders inside and a very informal and pleasant evening was spent, during which musical and vocal selecwere greatly enjoyed and enthusiastically received. An orchestra, composed of several of the younger members of the church, rendered pleasing and appropriate music.

To show the great esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Willans are held, and to express their sorrow and regret felt at their departure for the former's new charge at Ripley, the members of the Grove Church presented them with a handsome china tea set. After the presentation Mr. Willans expressed his appreciation of the gift and of the kindness of the Grove members to him and his family during his connection with the church.

TILLSONBURG AT HOME The at home held at the residence of auspices of the W. M. S. of the Metho-"Tell your mistress I wish to see her as soon as possible," said Forster.

But the butler's answer made him gasp with astonishment.

"Miss Barron, sir. She ain't here."

"Miss Barron, sir. She ain't here." inspiring and profitable, and Mrs. Bate gave a report of the branch meeting held recently at Kitchener. During the program Mrs. George Rogers, who is moving to Ridgeway, and who is a very sented with a handsomely bound hymn book. Mrs. Rogers made a brief reply, after which the company of 45 joined hands and sang "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." After the program refreshments were served. As this was mem

> ciety as new members. GROVE W. M. S.

bership day, a goodly number paid dues

and several of the ladies joined the so-

Miss Maylard was a gracious hostess to the members of the Grove W. M. S. at their June meeting, her home being beautifully decorated with roses and peonies for the occasion. The members of the society were intensely interested in an instructive talk on "African Missions" by Miss Copeland, of Lam-beth, who illustrated her talk by reference to a map of that continent After a brief program Mrs. H. Willans was made the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of roses, conveying the ley, where Rev. H. Willans will take up his new ministerial duties. Mrs. Mudge, who is leaving for her former home in England early in July, was presented with a W. M. S. life ertificate, showing the esteem in which she is held by all the members. At the close of the meeting a very en-

joyable social hour was spent the young girls of the church assisting the hostess



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Miss D. C. Reynar, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. W. L. Armitage.

Mrs. Wm. Smythe, of Montreal, is bonor in the course of the afternoon. beth street, city.

Mrs. Robert Reid, South London, leave next week to spend the summer on the Maine coast.

ble Beach, Lake Huron. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, of Wind-W. Reed, Piccadilly street.

Miss Elizabeth Tucker, of Chicago, Joseph Judd, South London.

A number of Simcoe people are Marjorie Reid, Miss Janette Wilson, motoring to town on Wednesday next Mrs. W. H. Kippen and Mrs. Leslie for the Curtis-Simson wedding.

ing at a small luncheon to-day honor of Miss Margaret Simson. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Smith, St. James street, have left to spend the summer showered with ribbons, to which a fas-

Mrs. Llewelyn Purdom is entertain-

at their cottage, Ipperwash Beach. In honor of Miss Helen Reid, of To-

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cowley and family leave this week to spend the summer at their cottage, Ipperwash Beach.

Mrs. W. G. Ruddle and son, William, of Kenmore, N. Y., are guests with the former's mother, Mrs. L. Henstridge, NORTH VALLEY CAMPING Adelaide street. Col. Eric Keid, with Mrs. Reid and their guest, Miss Helen Reid, of To-

at Port Stanley. Rev. J. F. Reycraft, his wife and family arrived in town yesterday and have taken up their residence at

512 Wellington street. Robert Masuret left on Tuesday to spend the summer in Pasadena, California, where he will be the guest of Mrs. Robert Wallace.

Harold, Becher street, leave this week Harold, Becher street, leave this week for Kingsville-on-the-Lake, where they and shadowy, and fragrant of many will spend the summer. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McKone, of Peter-

Mrs. J. A. Jackson and little son

J. H. Chalmers, Ridout street. Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Thorne, Ridout street, are sailing to-day from Montreal

on the S. S. Montcalm to spend the summer in London, England. Miss Marion Waide, 1010 Adelaide treet, and Mrs. Nancy Tuiford, of Dutton, have left via the Great Lakes to

spend the summer in Winnipeg. Mrs. and Mrs. C. W. Nichols and Miss Rugie Nichols, of the St. George apartments, are spending their vacation at the Nepahwin-Gregory, Lake Rosseau

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Macgregor, Waterloo street, return to town to-day, from a brief visit in Toronto, and leave next week with their family for their summer home at Ericau.

Judge and Mrs. Joseph Judd and th latter's sister, Mrs. E. M. Rapley, o South London, will spend a month this summer in Winnipeg, going via the Great Lakes to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Judd.

Miss Hannah Cundiff, of Virginia,

a guest with her sister. Mrs. A. F. Nash and Mr. Nash, Wortley road where she has joined her mother, Mrs. Cundiff, who has been a guest in town for some weeks. Miss Daisy Ratcliffe, of Cheltenham

England, who has been a much-feted guest with Mrs. Gerald Pearson, or William street, leaves to-day Salmon Arm, B. C., where she spend the summer.

Miss Geraldine Glover, who arrives in town this week from Peterboro, to be a guest with her mother, Mrs. ter, in Hayman Court, is entertaining at the tea hour on Monday for Miss Margaret Simson. Mrs. William Beattle and Miss Laura

Beattie sail to-day on the S. S. Montclam, from Montreal, to spend the calm, from Montreal, where they will be guests with the former's father. Robert Heath, "Biddulph Grange," Robert Staffordshire.

Out-of-town guests for the Devine-Gleeson wedding this week included Mr. and Mrs. John Devine, Hamilton Joseph Gleeson and Miss Helen Gleeson, of Toronto, and John McCauley, of Toronto.

Master Harold Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jackson, Becher street, has returned to town from Birr, where he was a guest with F. W. Cole. Master Jackson delighted the Birr folk with his singing at the Masonic church service last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKay, accom-

panied by the latter's mother, Mrs. M. Davidson, and Miss Edith Neal, motored from Detroit to spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson, Josephine street, and Mr. and Mrs. McKay, at Port Stanley. Out-of-town guests with Mr. and

Mrs. Walter Simson for the Curtis-Simson wedding next week will be Miss Margaret Innes and Mrs. George Curtis, of Simcoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Sivers and son, Shirley, of Toronto. Many Londoners, who were privileged

to hear Lady Twining sing during earlier visits to London, are happy to earlier visits to London, are happy to know that she has promised to sing at the Sunday morning service in St.

Andrew's Church, on July 2. Lady Price \$2.00. Knickerbocker Remedy Co., Twining has come from her home in

guest with her sister, Mrs. Mordin,

Waterloo street.

Miss Margaret Armitage, of the St. James' Church rectory, was hostess re-cently at a delightful lawn party in honor of Miss Mabel Robbins, who leaves shortly to make her home in Col. and Mrs. C. H. Hill leave on England. An album containing snap-July 12 on a motor and boat trip to shots of London, as well as of her various Sunday school and day school friends, was presented to the guest of

Mrs. Eric Reid entertained yesterday at a delightful luncheon at the Hunt Club in honor of her guest, Miss Helen Reid, of Toronto, who wore a graceful white frock and white hat. Mrs. Reid Major and Mrs. T. J. Murphy and welcomed her guests in a white sports will spend the summer at Sau- suit and hat. The luncheon table was especially attractive, with many quaint posies of old-fashioned garden flowers. The guests were Mrs. W. J. Brown, sor, are guests with Mr. and Mrs. G. | Mrs. Chacles Ivey, Mrs. W. B. Mac-Dermott, Mrs. Rex Gale, Mrs. A. V. Becher, Mrs. Geraid Pearson, Miss Ratcliffe (Cheltenham, England), Mrs. S. will be a guest next week with Mrs. V. Cooke, Mrs. Jack Pope, Mrs. George Little, Miss Eula White, Mrs. Russell Beattie, Mrs. Thornley Bowman, Miss

Miss Kathleen Cowan was a tea hour hostess yesterday at "Birkhill," entertaining for the bride-elect, Miss Margaret Simson, who was presented with a huge bouquet of sweet peas, cinating array of gifts were tied. Tea in the garden proved so delightful that the guests Engered on till nearly sunronto, Mrs. Russell - en is enter-taining informally at luncheon to-day. Misses Margaret and Madeline Simson, Kathleen White (who brought her guest, Miss Marion Stoddard, of Honolulu), Marjorie White, Margaret Coleman, Mildred Granger, Kitty White and Lorraine White.

### SITE OF HAPPY HIKERS

ronto, will spend the holiday week-end Group of 'Teen-Age Girls Off at 7.30 a.m For Dip in North Branch. Holiday time did not spell a lazy

group of 'teen-age London girls, who yesterday enjoyed one of the crosscountry hikes arranged by the Y.W.C.A. hysical education committee, with Miss Edith Wynne-Pryce as guide and super-

Seven-thiry found the girls gathere at a North End rendezvous, and the delightful trek to the North Valley began. And what a place the North Valgrowing summer things, with the river dimpling by into an ideal swimming pool a stone's throw farther on. boro, arrive in town to-day to spend Bathing suits were donned and ever one of the 20 odd girls of the party en Bathing suits were donned and every joyed a dip, coming back to land t discover a still further delight in the great pile of shining golden sand, reli

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of a last year playground. Sand cas- Williamson, Helen Cleve, Jean Beemen tles (for 'teen-age is not such a great step from childhood, after all), provided an hour's architectural pursuit, and a baseball game wound up the morning's others. festivities, the girls enjoying a picnic lunch before starting back for town at

1 o'clock. The party included the Misses Audrey Webster, Gertrude Miller, Mima Currie, Ella Mercer, Emma LEFT THE OTHERS. Rowley, Madeline Kirkwood, Margaret turkey.



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