

## WOMAN: As She Appears for the Public Eye in the News of the Day

Methodist W. M. S.

There were 110 delegates present when the roll was called yesterday afternoon at the fifteenth annual meeting of the Toronto Conference Branch of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, at Elm street church. Mrs. J. B. Wilton presided at the afternoon session and Rev. William Briggs conducted the opening exercises.

Mrs. Briggs, in the report of the supply committee, showed that \$7000 had been spent on clothing, bedding and other necessities sent out to institutions and hospitals on Ontario westward. Mrs. J. B. Wilton, the president, went over the mission field, showing what had been done and pointing out what still remained to be accomplished. Several returned missionaries were introduced, among whom were: Mrs. Hartwell, China; Mrs. Cox, Japan; and Mrs. Dr. Kiborne, from China.

Rev. Prof. Wallace gave a short religious address before the sacramental service.

During the evening session the treasurer read her report showing net receipts as \$16,552, an increase of \$87 over last year.

Mrs. W. Briggs, the corresponding secretary, gave the delegates an idea of the strength of the movement. There are this year 117 auxiliaries, an increase of nine; 4073 annual members, an increase of 169; 538 life members, an increase of 85; 572, in the cradle roll, an increase of 308, and 197 associate members.

The official paper, The Outlook, has now 1563 subscribers.

Rev. W. R. Emerson, a returned missionary from Japan, gave an interesting address on the work in that country.

Rev. George Mitchell, assistant pastor at Elm Street, presided at the evening session.

The conference goes on to-day and Thursday.

### Daughters of England.

ST. CATHARINES, May 26.—(Special.)—The Grand Lodge of Daughters and Maids of England, in session for the past few days, elected the following officers: President, John W. Bates; Vice-President, Mrs. E. A. Burt; Secretary, Mrs. G. C. Cross; Treasurer, F. H. Revell; Auditors, Mrs. E. Wood, Mrs. E. Myles and J. Shone, all of Toronto; Trustees, Miss Cooper (Oshawa), Mrs. Nuttall (Peterboro), Mrs. Fidler (Toronto); delegates to Quebec Province, Mrs. E. Wood; alternate, P. H. Revell.

Peterboro was chosen for the convention in 1910.

### Evelyn Desists.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The action brought by Mrs. Evelyn Thaw to annul her marriage to Harry K. Thaw was discontinued to-day at the request of Mrs. Thaw's counsel.

Accompanying his request for a discontinuance of the suit of Mrs. Thaw, Daniel O'Reilly said that Mrs. Evelyn Thaw thought she had a right to some financial recompense for the sacrifice she had made in Thaw's behalf.

Mrs. O'Reilly said that some step of that kind might be taken, but he would not indicate what form the movement would take.

### Carrie Nation Again.

PITTSBURGH, May 26.—Alleged to have scolded four men and embarrassed them in public, Carrie Nation was arrested this afternoon charged with disorderly conduct.

She will be given a hearing to-morrow.

Mrs. Nation was released on a \$3000 bond for her appearance at Central Station in the morning.

Referring to her arrest, she said: "I have been arrested 33 times and I have paid my last fine. I will spend time in jail before I will pay any more fines."

### Coming Events.

The last meeting of the season of the Toronto McCall Auxiliary will be held to-morrow (Thursday), at three o'clock at the residence of Mrs. W. C. Matthews, 8 Chestnut Park-road, instead of at Mrs. Howitt's, as previously arranged.

### A Prize Winner at 94.

INGERSOLL, May 26.—(Special.)—The prize for the oldest Scotch lady on the grounds at yesterday's celebration was won by Mrs. James Murdoch of this town. Mrs. Murdoch is 94 years of age, and comparatively hale and hearty. She was driven to the park, but is still able to move about the house unassisted.

### Personal.

The following ladies and gentlemen have the honor to bid to dine with His Excellency Earl Grey: His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady and Miss Clark, the Hon. Sir William and Lady Mulock, the Hon. L. and Mrs. Melvin-Jones and Miss Melvin-Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Oiler, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Seagrave, the Hon. J. F. and Mrs. Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, Dr. and Mrs. Falconer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nordheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Walker, the Hon.

Brussels, May 26.—The official returns of the elections in a number of the provinces show that the government majority in the chamber had been reduced from 12 to 8, but in the senate it was increased from 14 to 18. The Socialists gained five seats.

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## SUBMIT TWO BYLAWS SEA WALL IS DEFERRED

Council's Busy Afternoon—Will Purchase Lumber by Tender at a Loss—Parks Appointments.

The city council yesterday adopted unanimously and without discussion the recommendation that bylaws to provide \$2,400,000 for a trunk sewer and sewage disposal plant and \$760,000 for a water filtration plant, be submitted to the ratepayers on June 27.

Ald. Sanderson wanted a bylaw for the park fund for the building of the sea wall from Indian-road to the waterfront at the same time. Controller Ward and Ald. Chisholm supported him. It goes back to the works committee.

The proposal to appropriate \$147,000 from the parks fund for the building of the sea wall from Indian-road to the waterfront was shelved for two weeks. Controller Ward said the city solicitor had told him there were some legal flaws in the form of the recommendation.

Ald. McBride, speaking as a lumber dealer, declared that owing to the slump in the price of lumber the city could save money by purchasing its supplies in the open market. Lumber values had declined about 20 per cent., which was not reflected in the tenders submitted, which showed a reduction of about eight per cent. The mayor, also a lumberman, contended that it would be fair to the tenders to change this year, the city's own opinion was that all civic supplies should be bought in open market by a special bid.

It was agreed to accept the tenders.

The board of control's recommendation that the proposal to establish motor boats, with life-saving crews, in Toronto and Humber Bays, be referred back to the property committee, was sent back to the controllers.

The recommendation of the parks committee to apply for legislation to spend a mill on the dollar for the next three or five years, on acquiring parks and playgrounds, goes back to the committee.

Ald. McBride objected to appointing a park superintendent at \$35 a week, asserting that "too many high priced officials" were introduced into the department, and he also protested against the departmental office staff being increased without council approval. The appointments were, however, ratified.

Postponement was given the third reading of a bylaw to extend Woodlawn-avenue.

Ald. Lytle gave notice that he will introduce a bill to amend the bylaws granting the use of city water to certain persons residing outside the limits of the city.

Endorsement was given an application to the railway commission for a separation of railway and highway grades along the Eglinton street bridge, providing \$50,000 for a grant to the Free Hospital for Consumptives was passed.

A VERY POPULAR STEAMER.

The Turbine Steamer Company, having carried nearly 7500 people, the steamer Turbulin filled her third round trip and half from Toronto to Hamilton, 280 miles, on time each trip. She made her record trip leaving Toronto at 2.00 p.m., arriving in Hamilton at 3.50 p.m., exactly an hour and 50 minutes on the trip from wharf to wharf. With the three expert turbine engineers aboard this fast steamer, the results are promised this year. They feel confident that they can break her record by five minutes, as they have the turbines and half from Toronto to Hamilton, 280 miles, on time each trip.

On Saturday, the steamer's inaugural day, the pleasant features were the giving away of 400 carnations to the Hamilton excursionists en route to Toronto and the fine music of the Klitz's Orchestra. The excursionists expressed their hearty appreciation of the arrangements made by the company for their enjoyment on their first trip of the season to Toronto.

The new buffet aboard the steamer, run by the Kerrigan Bros., caterers, is a great success.

The Turbulin will make one round trip daily, except on Saturdays and Sundays, during the month of June, leaving Hamilton at 9.15 a.m., returning leave Toronto at 5.30 p.m.; Saturday leaving Toronto at 2.30 a.m., returning leave Hamilton at 10 a.m. and 5.30 p.m., and has been chartered for many moonlight excursions both out of Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wickert of Berkeley-street announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Clara Neal Wickert, to Mr. L. H. Washington, Winnipeg. The ceremony will take place in the middle of June.

Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. George F. R. Harris to the marriage of their daughter, Marion Rachel, to Mr. Ralph Wyatt Hoskins on Tuesday, June 16, in St. Luke's church, Winnipeg, and afterwards at 117 Stradbroke-place, Port Rouge.

Mrs. Timothy Eaton sails from England on June 3, en route for Canada.

Mrs. Goldwin Smith and Miss Zaidie Boulton return at the end of the week from Clifton Springs. Mrs. Arkie is staying at the Grange during Mrs. Goldwin Smith's absence.

Chief Justice Falconbridge, Oliver Adams and H. D. P. Armstrong have left for a fishing trip.

Mr. Grey, attorney-general of Bermuda, who has been the guest of their excellencies at Rideau Hall, is at the Queen's.

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NEW HOSPITAL "FALSE ALARM"

Denial of Story That 'Twirl Cost \$200,000.

The report that estimates for the new General Hospital have been submitted and that they call for an expenditure of \$2,000,000, or about \$800,000 more than had been estimated upon, is not a correct one, according to a prominent member of the building committee.

"While plans have been prepared, no tenders have been called for yet, and no estimates have been given," he said last night, adding "that architect Dealing had not as yet made any report on the cost. There was no reason to believe that the present plans would cost more than \$1,200,000 to carry out, but if they did, they would simply be trimmed down to suit the amount available."

It is believed that the impression that the appropriation would be insufficient had its origin in the fact that when a general sketch plan, embodying the suggestions of a number of the members, was submitted some months ago, Chairman M. J. Haney estimated off-hand that it would cost \$2,000,000 to carry out the building operations at that scale. Since then the plans have undergone considerable modification.

Donalds Maple Syrup, only eighty odd bottles left, at Fifty Cents a bottle, to close out. At Michie's.

The "Lake of Bays" Country. A handsome brochure, artistically illustrated, has been issued by the Grand Trunk passenger department, telling of the beauties of the Lake of Bays district, in the "Highlands of Canada." This new brochure is the new hotel—the Wawa-at Norway Point. The hotel itself has a page illustration reflecting the summer glories of woodland and water, with a brood of seven wild geese soaring skyward before the tower. The concise description embodies the story of a charming resort.

The very pretty duo tone photo engravings show the beauties of the new fairland, far more effectively than words can do. A copy can be obtained free on application to J. D. McDonald, Union Station, Toronto, Ont.

Mr. Bergerson Denies. OTTAWA, May 26.—(Special.)—An echo of the Ross rifle storm of Friday last was heard to-day when Mr. Bergerson denied Col. St. Hughes' statement that Col. Bergerson had told him that Col. Worthington had represented the Ross rifle to be financially interested in the Ross rifle contract.

Meter Tests Stopped. The testing of gas meters has been temporarily discontinued, owing to the absence from the city of Inspector Higman, but will probably be renewed to-morrow.

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W. N. SHAYER, W.M.

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