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At the annual meeting of the Daughters of Scotland last night in Temple Building, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Swanson; vice-president, Mrs. Jackson, past president; chaplain, Miss Mutch; secretary, Miss Stewart; hon. secretary, Miss Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. Cameron; trustees, Mrs. Loder, Mrs. McCorkindale, Mrs. Wilson.

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STUDENT'S THEATRE NIGHT

Keep Good Order at Royal—Universities Friendly.

Just for a change the students were quiet at the Royal Alexandra last evening. They evidently learned a lesson from the manner in which they were turned down by the Princess authorities a few weeks ago. To say the least, they acted as tho their mothers were looking on. A few missiles shied at those before the foot-lights and an occasional shower of finely torn paper with a good hearty yeel thrown in once in a while comprised the extras of the evening so far as the college men were concerned.

In the course of short address between acts, President Falconer referred in happy terms to the pleasant relations between the University of Toronto and the sister universities of the Dominion, citing as an instance the action of the Varsity meds. yesterday in giving the McGill yell.

BIG RAILWAY PLANS FOR B. C.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 14.—(Can. Press).—Premier Richard McBride announced to-day that his government was considering an extensive railway policy, which would be embodied in legislation more important than any during the last twelve years. The premier declined to go into details, but declared that the proposals had recently attracted to Victoria some of the largest railway and contracting firms on the continent. The project of building a line north and south thru the centre of British Columbia from Fort George to Vacouver is under consideration.

Took Tin Teapot, Say Police.

Despite the fact that Stanley Warburton, 37 Sprucehill-road, is possessed of a bank account amounting to $5000, it is alleged that when he went to do a plumbing job at H. F. McIntosh's office in Toronto-street, he stole a tin teapot. For theft of this he was arrested on a warrant yesterday.

BORDEN'S BUSY WEEK.

OTTAWA, Dec. 14—(Special)—Premier Borden's return to Ottawa on Saturday will be followed by a week of hard work. The intention is to rush the work of preparation for the reopening of the house in January. Probably the first thing to be done will be the appointment of the promised tariff commission and the commission which is to study the needs of agriculture with a view to co-operation between the Dominion and the provinces.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Gibson, Government House, has issued invitations to a dance, from nine to one o'clock, on Thursday, Dec. 28th.

An exceedingly nice dance took place last night in the Metropolitan, the hosts being some of the old boys of St. Alban's School. About one hundred and fifty guests were present. The orchestra and floor were all that the most fastidious could desire, and the rooms looked very pretty arranged with palms and the school colors of dark blue, yellow and white. The committee who so well arranged the dance were the Messrs. L. E. Amsden, W. Brandham, R. Nevitt, W. Anderson, G. Stewart, and W. Amsden. The patronesses present were: Mrs. Matthews, wearing a handsome black satin and jet gown; Mrs. Doherty, green satin tunic of lace and black ninon; Mrs. Charles McNaughton, white satin and pearls; Mrs. Stewart, primrose satin and amethysts; Mrs. Brandham, deep rose satin, veiled with white and green. A few of the other gowns noticed were: Miss Hope Kammerer, ini white satin and gold, with pearl bandeau, bouquet of pink roses; Miss Amsden, pale blue satin and crystal; Miss Dinnick, white satin, with overdress of green and crystal; Miss Macpherson, mauve chiffon and porcelain beads, over satin of the same shade; Miss Woodbridge, pink and blue satin, with little cap to match; Miss Allen, in black with gold trimming; Miss Boyd, white satin and pale blue tunic; Mrs. Elmer Smith, pink and real lace; Miss Carrick, pink with lace; Mrs. Corlette, in pale green; Miss Doherty, pink satin and lace; Mrs. Goodman, in black with pink roses; Miss Freeman, rose satin and corsage, bouquet of roses; Miss Gaynor, pale blue satin and crystal; Mrs. Ralph Peck, real lace over white satin; Miss Thoms, yellow satin veiled with black and gold, with bandeau of gold with diamonds and osprey; Miss Johnston, in pink satin and lace; Mrs. McLeod, white satin, with overdress of fringe and silk net, with sash of black satin.

Miss Helen Cassels, who has been visiting Miss Madeleine Cassels in Ottawa, for some time, has returned home.

The Hon. James Lougheed and Mrs. Lougheed, who were in town last week for a few days, left for the west on Sunday night to spend Christmas at home. They will return in January, and spend a week with Mrs. Arnold Ivey, on their way to Ottawa.

The marriage is announced for January 17, in St. Leo's church, Westmount, of Miss Leonore McGillis, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Douglas McGillis, Western-avenue, to Mr. Henry C. Cook, Wallingford, Vermont, son of the late Mr. George Cook and Mrs. Cook, Hamilton.

Miss Evelyn Riddick, who has been visiting Miss Fawnie Brophy and Miss Edna Mountain, Ottawa, has returned home.

Hamilton's out-of-town visitors are numerous this week, in whose honor there is daily much entertaining. At Holmstead, Mrs. Hendrie has a house party of eight guests: Mrs. Hay and Miss Margaret Hay; Miss Braithwaite and Miss Dorothy Braithwaite are of the number, the two young cousins being the raison d' etre of the dance given on Tuesday evening by Mrs. Will Hendrie, Gateside house. Mrs. J. S. Hendrie gave yesterday a buffet luncheon for the out-of-towns" and their friends. Miss Beryl Wood was a tea hostess yesterday, in compliment to the same numbers. Miss Adele Harmon, Toronto, is with Mrs. R. B. Morris.

Their Royal Highnesses the Governor-General and the Duchess of Connaught entertained at a dinner last evening, when the following ladies and gentlemen had the honor of being invited: The Bishop of Montreal and Mrs. Farthing, Sir Thomas and Lady Shaughnessy, Sir Montagu and Lady Allan, Mr. R. B. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hosmer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reford, Dr. and Mrs. Roddick, Dr. Shepherd, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Huntly Drummond and Col. and Mrs. Landry.

On Wednesday night there was a large card party given to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Osborne in their new house, Rosedale-road.

Mr. Alfred Beardmore has postponed his dance until Friday, Jan. 12.

Mrs. S. J. Roy, 334 Palmerston-boulevard, has issued invitations to a not-out tea, on Thursday, Dec. 21.

Miss Geddes gives a tea and dance at McConkey's to-day for her nieces, the Misses Gamble Geddes.

Mrs. Ernest Lazier gives a dance in Hamilton this evening.

Mrs. R. F. Angus, St. George-street, gives a tea to-day.

Mrs. Jess Applegath gives a dance at the Metropolitan this evening for Miss Hilda Applegath.

Mrs. George Dickenson and Miss Macdonald give a dance at St. Margaret's College this evening.

Lady Shaughnessy entertained at a charmingly appointed luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. R. L. Borden. Covers were laid for 14, and the table decorations were arranged with pale pink roses.

Miss Flossie Stephenson, Toronto, who since the drawing room has been the guest of Miss Gladys Beatty in Ottawa, returned home.

Miss Charles, organizing secretary of the Girls' Friendly Society for Canada, arrived in the capital yesterday and will be the guest of Mrs. Walter Cassels, 21 Blackburn-avenue, until Monday. Miss Charles will give an interesting address on Thursday evening in St. George's Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Clarke, Halifax, are in town, on their way to Kincardine to spend Christmas.

Miss Alice Fitzpatrick, Ottawa, is the guest of Mrs. D. Lorne McGibbon in Montreal.

Mrs. Hunfley Drummond, Montreal, is giving a luncheon at the Mount Royal Club on Friday.

Col. and Mrs. Hendrie are in Montreal from Hamilton for the St. Andrew's ball, and are at the Windsor.

Mrs. H. G. Buckland and Miss Doris Buckland have issued invitations to a young people's dance, on the 27th inst., in the Metropolitan.

The Kew Beach Aquatic Association held its second winter dance in the Balmy Beach Club Rooms on Wednesday evening. Among those present were: Mrs. Cromarty, Mrs. Raine, Misses M. Thompson, Irene Johnston, Belle Brodie, Mabel Hurst, M. Davies, Ogle, L. Davies, Chalue, Eva McEachern, Hazel Gordon, F. Brayley, L. Stone, Pearl, McCallum, Anderson, Apted, K. Prest, Montgomery, Marie Conner, Kinselecher, Dickens, Dilley, A. Gingras, Burton, Hayes, Pye, Stapells, Saunders, Cole, Craven, Maude Hurst. The Messrs. Stanley Raine, C. Norman, T. Salter, H. W. Walker, A. B. Gardiner, Jolly, Allan McEachern, W. S. Galloway, J. A. Macauley, A. F. Anderson, Glenn Hawken, G. R. Allan, N. Lukey, G. A. Browne, H. C. Jackson, R. G. Kyle, W. E. Bolton, W. Binnie, L. E. Charles, J. F. Davies, J. Cole, G. Radcliffe, G. Simpson, R. Boynton, Ross, H. Clayton, Harry Johnston, Lou Nurse, Raymond Hewlett and Stuart Verner.

The marriage of Miss V. Ombra Winslow to Mr. D. Barclay Falkner of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Vancouver, was quietly solemnized at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. Harry Doull, 132 Howard Park-avenue, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, Dec. 14, the Rev. Frederick Wilkinson, St. Peter's Church, officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Kitty Connolly and Mr. Sheldon Falkner acted as best man. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Falkner left for Buffalo and the east, before returning to their home in Vancouver.

The Oddnine Club gave a very enjoyable dance in the Aura Lee Club Rooms on Wednesday evening. The patronesses were: Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. Herman Ploss, Mrs. F. Farry and Mrs. T. Clarke. Among those present were: Miss Ethyl Cherry, Miss Anna Reid, Miss Eva Powell, Miss Alice Clarke, Miss Lillian McCaffery, Miss Emily Glatt, Miss Gladys Scrimgeour, Miss Kate Feeney, Miss Flossie Cherry, Miss E. Size, Miss Muriel Maines, Miss C. Fox, Miss Grace Quigley, Miss Nora Wilson, Miss May Cherry, Miss Dot McCaffery, Miss G. Woodward, Miss Ena Robinson (New York), Miss Agnes Doherty, Miss M. Clarke, Miss Etta Simpson, Miss Madeline Scott, Miss Mabel Buffey, Miss Florence Bateman, Miss Dorothy Ellis, Miss C. Maldoon, Miss R. Whiting, Miss Olive Scrimgeour, Miss B. Anderson, Miss E. Kelly, Miss L. Nash, Miss Nina Firlay, Miss Myrtle Ross, Miss B. Walkinshaw, Miss F. McKinley, Miss L. Macdonald, Miss E. Kemp, Miss Ada Swait, Miss L. Potter, Mr. E. Seburn, Mr. W. Sweetman, Mr. W. Henderson, Mr. J. Max Reid, Mr. Nelson Reeve, Mr. E. R. Conlan, Mr. C. Smith, Mr. H. Ploss, Mr. G. Holmes, Mr. C. W. McCreary, Mr. Roy Parke, Mr. Jim Davis, Mr. Norman Taylor, Mr. R. A. Allen, Mr. J. W. Woodhouse, Mr. F. Henderson, Mr. F. Annette, Mr. W. J. Simpson, Mr. D. Rudd, Mr. W. J. Holford, Mr. F. Elliott, Mr. H. Currie, Mr. A. Wilson, Mr. R. G. Maddock, Mr. E. Gordon, Mr. J. Cahill, Mr. W. C. Artindale, Mr. W. Geary, Mr. E. Blackey, Mr. F. Feeney, Mr. G. Taylor, Mr. D. Evans, Mr. K. Nash, Mr. O. Stevenson, Mr. Gordon Tingle, Mr. E. Marvin, Mr. E. Smith, Mr. Jorn Berg, Mr. H. Oliver, Mr. P. Maloney, Mr. E. Gregg, Mr. E. Macorquoddale, Mr. F. Donaldson, Mr. E. R. Switzer, Mr. H. Kissock, Mr. C. Herman, Mr. E. F. McCaffery, Mr. J. R. Cherry.

Receptions.

Mrs. Harry Edwin Styles (nee Cameron), 1070 Bathurst-street, to-day.

Mrs. Sigmund Samuel, not to-day.

Mrs. T. Louis Monahan, 624 Huron-street, to-day, for the last time this year.

Mrs. W. H. Bonnell, 43 Bernard-ave., this afternoon.

Mrs. J. McTamney, Earl-street, will not receive until after the New Year.

Mrs. Clinton M. Woodburn, 29 Starr-avenue, will not receive again until the New Year.

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Boy Scouts Fighting Consumption.

The boy scouts of the country, ever true to their creed, have enlisted in the battle against consumption. Under the direction of their superior officers, they are doing real substantial work in the selling of stamps. Living up to their motto that each scout shall each day do some kindness to another, the boys have resolved that this slogan can be well made effective in the selling of Christmas stamps to help on the great work being done for needy consumptives of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. In fact, the young people everywhere, in public schools, Sabbath schools and thru their many different organizations, are proving themselves a wonderful help in this Christmas stamp campaign. If no one in your town is active in this work—if you want to be active—write the secretary of the National Sanitarium, 347 West King-st., Toronto, and learn all about the possibilities of this little one cent messenger of healing.

Too Easy for Prisoners.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Dr. R. W. Bruce-Smith, inspector of prisons, has filed his report of his inspection of the jail with Sheriff Cameron.

The report states that the amount of work provided for the prisoners is not sufficient, and that there is altogether too much idleness. Gov. Carter explains in this connection that the prisoners who were not at work were either those on remand or those sentenced to serve terms in the Central Prison.

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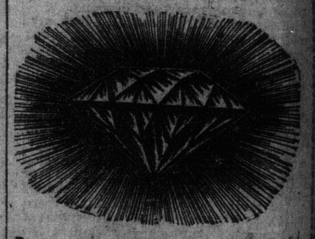
Columbia Conservatory of Music Recital

Chauncey Johnson was the special star of the recital, in Foresters' Hall last night, of pupils of the Columbia Conservatory of Music. He has a resonant and flexible baritone and sang Huhn's "Invictus" with fine appreciation. Roy Webster on the 'cello gave Dunkler's "Reverie" with remarkable tone and feeling for so young a player. Miss Alva Banks on the violin has a good singing tone and showed strength and breadth in her bowing in Bach's air for G string, and Kreisler's "Schon Rosmarin." Ernest H. Dainty gave four Chopin numbers in finished style and took part with Frank Converse Smith and George Bruce in two Haydn trios for piano, violin and 'cello. Miss Edith M. Turnbull and Miss Gretta Doherty on the piano; Edwin Bell, Miss Lillian Grey, a precocious virtuoso; Nelson Dempster, Miss Ruth Coryell and Miss Edith Adamson on the violin, and Miss Muriel Ralston in two songs, all acquitted themselves with credit.

Ottawa Sleeper Discontinued.

The through Ottawa sleeper which has been operated on the Grand Trunk 10.30 p.m. train from Toronto will be discontinued until re-opening of parliament.



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