## Woman's Realm---the Household, Fashions and Society

The opening meeting of the Toronto skating Club has been postponed, it aving been found necessary to make ome alteration in the pipes of the

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nordheimer are sailing for home on Dec. 15. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blight are set-tled in their new house, 74 Duggan avenue, Deer Park.

Mrs. George Dickson and Miss Macdonald have issued invitations to an at home on Monday evening. Dec. 19, from 8 to 11 o'clock, at St. Margaret's College, 144 East Bloor street.

The marriage takes place today in Peterboro of Miss Irene Mary Perks to Mr. Carlyle B. Baldwin of Toronto.

Mrs. Fred Nicholls jr., Binscarth road, is giving a tea this afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Langmuir is returning from Ottawa on Wednesday. The officers and members of the Alumnae Association of University College are holding a Christmas bazaar in the foyer of convocation hall today and tomorrow, from 3 till 10 colock

Mr. Maurice Bouts leaves for Eng-land on Dec. 7 by SS. Ansonia. Mr. Frank Macdonald and Miss Mar-jory Macdonald gave a dinner dance of thirty people at the Hunt Club on Saturday night.

-Mrs. Albert Gooderham is giving a dance for her young daughter, Miss Marrietta Gooderham, on Jan. 6.

The Toronto Alma Daughters are holding a bazaar at Mrs. Moses' house, 47 Bast Charles street, today from 2 to 7 o'clock.

Mrs. James Bicknell is the tea hostess at the Women's Art Association on Wednesday afternoon, when the program will be given by Mrs. Frank Mackelcan and Mrs. John A. Walker, vocalists: Miss Mary Campbell, planist, and Mr. Boris Farmer, violinist.

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The annual dance of the Harbord Alumnae Association takes place this evening at the Metropolitan Assembly Rooms.

Mrs. John Beverley Robinson (nee Pentacost) held her wedding reception yesterday afternoon at the residence of her mother on Huron street. The charming bride wore her becoming white satin wedding gown and bouquet of melody roses and illies of the valley, her mother being handsome in an imported gown of black and white lace artistically mingled, and a bouquet of pink roses. The polished tea table was covered with a drawn-work cloth and centred with a basket of Killarney roses, surrounded by unshaded candles. The table was in charge of Mrs. Gordon Hylland, assisted by Miss Pentacost, Miss Ethelwyn Gibson and Miss Wynon Carroll. The bride receives again today.

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WITH BEADED TUNIC

This style of evening dress will appeal to those who do not care for the tightly-drawn folds of the draped devening in convocation style of evening dress will appeal to those who do not care for the tightly-drawn folds of the draped devening in exception. They are in equal favor.

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nounce the engagement of their only daughter, Violet, to Mr. J. Hunter Early of Saskatoon, Sask., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Early. Brampton, Ont. The marriage will take place on Dec. 31 at 5 p.m. in the West Presbyterian Church, College street.

The Toronto Girl Guides and St. John Ambulance Brigade are giving an en-tertainment at Massey Hall this even-

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. S. Johnson of 36 full Ray street, Hamilton, have left for a liv six months' stay in Miami, Florida.

The regular meeting of the Junior Suffrage Club will be held tonight at the Suffrage Headquarters, 22 Carlton street, at \$.15 p.m. The meeting will be addressed by Mrs. Denison, president of the Canadian Suffrage Assocation, and Dr. Ella Burt Sharratt.

Receptions Today.

Mrs. George Broughall, 96 St. George street; also next Tuesday for the last time this year. Mrs. Douglas Wright, 56 St. Alban street, also next Tuesday and not again till the new year. Mrs. J. S. Elder (nee Offord). 123 Westminster avenue, 4 to 6 and 8 to 10. Mrs. Norman W. Berkinshaw (nee Shutt), Maplemont, Church street. Mrs. Frederick W. Connell (nee Milne). Alexandra Apartments. Mrs. Ormsby, Ormscliffe, Lake Shore road, last time this seanon. Mrs. James Y. S. Ross, 534 Spadina avenue, and after on the first Tuesday. Mrs. Denison Dean Dang, Miss Farrington with her, and not again this season.

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All new Victrola records for month of December are now on sale at the Victrola Parlors, "Ye Olde Firme," of Heintzman and Co., Ltd., 193, 195, 197 Yonge street, Toronto. If out of town write for lists.

Mrs. C. F. Moore, 17 Isabella street, Wednesday, Mrs. Machell, Bellevue



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WITH BEADED TUNIC

Many people who show careful consideration for the feelings of their grownup friends, often forget that hildren have feelings to be considor reproach; and they are extremely

their children's emotional natures.

failure to understand each individual personality.

Children in such homes are homeless in the saddest sense of the word. Homeless, because misunderstood. You, whose children are perfectly happy in your love and sympathy, can hardly realize that there are homes in which children are supposed to be satisfied with food and clothes, where children never run to father and mother with secrets or difficulties, because to do so would mean being hurried aside, or scolded, or told "not to bother."

ning nim away from his shyness and reticence.

Have mothers complained to you in the presence of the children that "Gertle is so hard on her clothes, she is never fit to be seen." "Gladys is no earthly use around the house, I wish she would stay outdoors out of the way." Every word cuts into the sensitive little soul, and the child grows up feeling that she is not wanted as other children are. Mothers who should be the comforters and confidants of their children may unthinkingly make them very, very wretched. It is so easy by a hasty word or an angry look to hurt a child's feelings that we would all do well to cultivate the grace of thoughtfulness, especially with little children, to make their world as happy as it was intended to be.



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## **CHURCHES TO WORK**

Downtown Anglicans Combine Forces for Aggressive Efforts in Area Where Poor People Live.

## STARTLING CONDITIONS

Rooms and Children Lacking Proper Nourishment in Many Cases.

With the hearty approval of the bishop an association, to be known as "The Downtown Church Workers' Association," has been formed. Mothers' meetings have already been eson Sunday evenings in connection with the services, so that the parents may bring their children, and the children are carefully looked after while the

AMONGST THE POOR

Large Families Found in Single

The Anglican churches, whose parishes lie in the district bounded ov Jarvis street, College street, Crawford street, Yonge street and the waterfront, in the southern and central part of Toronto, have combined their forces and poor of their area.

are carefully looked after while the parents attend service.

A casual insepction of many houses in this district reveals a startling condition of affairs. Large families in single rooms, and the children not receiving the nourishment which is necessary for their wellbeing. The causes for this unhappy condition of affairs are:

(a) Many of these people are just out from England and are unfamiliar with Canadian conditions.

(b) Excessive house rent.

(c) Insufficient wages.

While this is a Church of England association, yet its leading feature is to relieve those who stand in need, and to pass them on to the churches where they belong.

Ladies Assisting.

The Church of England Deaconess and Missionary Training House has kindly placed one of its staff, Miss McCollum, at the head of the association. Ladies from outlying parishes, St. Paul's, the Church of the Redeemer, St. Anne's, have enrolled themselves as members and are now devoting



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Edison Not Father Of Picture Films

Court Decides That His Inventive Genius Showed Only in Camera

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—(Can. Press.) Thos. A. Edison was held nat to have been the inventor of the moving have been the inventor of the moving picture film by the court of appeals of the District of Columbia today, which reversed a decision of a lower court granting an injunction and damages to Edison's assignees against a film company of Chicago. The court hold that moving picture film was neither discovered nor produced by Edison, but by a manufacturer of photographic supplies and that Edison's work in the development of motion pictures lies solely in the camera apparatus.

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CHATHAM. Dec. 2.—On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. James McClure of the River road, Camden, celebrated their 68th wedding day. They are enjoying the best of health.

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