

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

INTERESTING NOTES OF FALL FASHIONS

Advance Models Display Charming Colors and Superior Materials.

BLACK IS IN VOGUE

Velvet and Silk Are Combined in Most Exclusive Street Costumes.

Fall fashions must of necessity be woven into a certain degree of dignity and very little "fuss." Times demand it, and the styles themselves seem to require very little introduction. A very marked note of exclusiveness characterizes the models which have been launched to date, and a medium which undoubtedly please seems to have been found.

Quiet colors, elegant materials—elegant in simple weave and exquisite texture—and lines void of all eccentricities are noticeable features of early fall models.

Silk and Cloth Combine. Smartly tailored suits approve of silk and cloth combinations, and advance models from most reliable firms display charming novelty combinations of silk and velvet. Black is again pronounced the acme of good style, with navy blue, several tones of brown and soft hues of green receiving a fair share of popularity.

Princess lines are promised an extensive "running," and in street costumes, at any rate, the extreme voluminous skirt must go. Moderate flare effects will prevail and preference is given to the slightly fitted waist-line, although the best may be adjusted where it best becomes the individual wearer.

Trains Coming In. For evening wear it is intended that trains will be worn, even with the short-skirted dress and dinner creations, when the waltz and court modes will be employed.

Separate coats are particularly stunning, high fur-trimmed military collars, full skirt sections and redingote features making these models particularly practical as well as chic to a degree.

ASSISTING RECRUITS TO PASS THE DOCTOR

Militia Council Grants Permission to Do Dental Work in the Mobilization Camps.

Authority has been granted by the militia council to do mechanical dentistry in the mobilization camps. The work will be done by the Canadian Army Medical Corps and with no expense to the soldiers when it is done in camp.

This removes the last disability of a dental nature, to the recruiting of men for service in the army, as not one man in a hundred will present himself who cannot be made fit by the dental surgeons.

The addition of plate work will be utilized to the fullest extent by the surgeons and their assistants.

COBOURG SOLDIERS LEAVE FOR HALIFAX

COBOURG, Aug. 15.—Last night Cobourg was called upon to say goodbye to her soldier sons and wish them good luck when they departed for the Cobourg heavy battery and the 1st Battalion, The Buffs, who are leaving for the front.

The Citizens' Band, the Salvation Army Band, the mayor and prominent citizens joined in the parade to the depot, where practically all of Cobourg and many from the country had congregated to see the boys off. They were a fine looking band of recruits, and no doubt will bring honor to their town and country.

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Notes of Women's World

A meeting of the Lake Shore branch of the Red Cross will be held tomorrow afternoon, at the residence of Dr. N. H. Beemer, Lake Shore road, Mimico, at 2.30 o'clock.

Those sending newspapers and other reading matter to the men wounded and prisoners, are urged to see that sufficient postage is placed on parcels, as the Red Cross has had considerable trouble in forwarding bundles insufficiently stamped.

As a result of a Red Cross garden party, held Saturday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Williamson, Lake Shore road, Centre Island, the sum of \$150 was realized.

The "first aid to the injured" examinations for Dr. J. B. Brown's class of young women, will be held this evening at 7 o'clock, at the residence of Miss McNab, Dundurn House, 850 West St. Clair avenue. Students may also register for the new classes in first aid and home nursing.

A recruiting meeting of the Women's Home Guard will be held tomorrow afternoon at 850 West St. Clair avenue, when a musical tea will be given. All interested are welcome and will receive further information by phoning Hillcrest 2196.

Already \$192 pairs of socks have been made since the sock fund was started last November. Efforts are being made to reach the 10,000 mark by Nov. 2. Wool will be supplied to out-of-town workers from Mrs. McPhedran's residence, 151 West Bloor street, and those of the city helpers will receive wool from 22 Maitland street, every Wednesday. The fund is being managed by Miss Macdonald and Misses Peattie during Mrs. MacPhedran's absence from town.

The sum of \$100 has been donated to the North Toronto Red Cross Auxiliary by the executive committee of the employees of the Toronto and York Radial Railway Co., Metropolitan division. The fund is the outcome of the fifth annual picnic at Newmarket, held on Monday, July 26, when the attendance was 300.

The sum of \$55 was raised in the interest of the Red Cross last Saturday afternoon, when the York Chapter, I. O. O. F., held its patriotic garden party.

Five hundred children from the Talmud-Torah Nursery and Orphanage, Simcoe street, are to be the guests of Lol Solman at Hanlan's this afternoon. Autos to convey the children to the wharf will be furnished by Hyslop Bros. and the manager of the City Dairy. Ice cream, milk, biscuits, candy and toys for prizes, in huge quantities, have been donated by generous city firms. Bread, butter and large quantities of fruit are also being provided by interested friends. Twenty young girls from the Zionist Club will help entertain the youngsters.

AVIATORS QUALIFY FOR LAND MACHINE TRAINING

Students Finish Hydroplane Courses and Graduate to Biplanes.

In tests just held at the Island Aviation School for graduation to the land machines at Long Branch, the following seven students were successful: J. Avid, C. B. Sprout, C. S. G. Campbell, of Toronto; M. M. Mowat, Campbellton, N.B.; V. P. Cronyn, London; D. Cushing, Montreal; A. Kidner, Calgary. The following seven students, who have been on the waiting list, will commence training at the Island: G. Duke, C. V. Bassette, L. Richards, L. M. McNaughton, I. H. Keens, F. C. Armstrong and J. D. Scott.

Pilot S. McDorman of New York arrives in Toronto tomorrow and will have charge of an additional flying class.

Reports of time spent in flying during the past week have just been compiled. They show that Pilot G. G. Leaf, with the flying boat Maple Leaf, made 38 flights. Pilot Victor Vernon with the flyer Betty V. made 62 flights. Pilot T. Macaulay with the Canada "up-in-the-air" for a total of 3875 minutes.

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CATHOLIC PRELATE HONORED IN DEATH

Requiem Mass for Late Mgr. McCann Celebrated at St. Michael's.

MANY FOLLOW BIER

Vast Concourse of People Paid Last Tribute to Respect to Dead.

Honors unlimited, and mourning universal, featured the funeral obsequies of the late Right Rev. Monsignor J. J. McCann, V.G., which took place yesterday morning, witnessed by one of the largest congregations that ever filled the great spaces of St. Michael's Cathedral.

Altho the mass of requiem was scheduled to begin at 11 o'clock it may be said that the ceremonies commenced on the afternoon previously, when the body of the dead prelate was borne from the parochial house on McDonnell square into St. Mary's Church, where for more than a score of years Monsignor McCann had ministered as pastor. A guard of honor of the Knights of St. John, the members of St. Mary's Literary and Athletic Societies and the young men of St. Francis Club escorted the remains, which were then laid in state at the side of the altar, where they remained until late at night, people from all parts of the city visited the church to take a last look at the figure now still in the majesty of death, and it is estimated that 30,000 passed the catafalque on which the purple casket, surrounded by lighted tapers, rested.

Cathedral Services. At 10.30 yesterday morning the removal from St. Mary's to the Cathedral took place. Mounted police led the procession, in which were representatives from the Knights of Columbus, Holy Name Society, St. Vincent de Paul, Separate School Board, St. Mary's and St. Francis Literary and Athletic Societies and other parish organizations. At the cathedral, which was surrounded by a large waiting concourse, the remains were received by Right Rev. Mgr. Whelan. The casket was placed before the altar, where it remained, surrounded by a guard of the uniformed Knights of St. John, during the mass and closing ceremonies.

The scene at the cathedral was most impressive. The floor, colored of the great stained glass window behind the high altar were all subdued by the mourning veil which hung before it, and the outstretched arms of the white cross at the summit told of the faith in which the one now no more had lived and died. Tall tapers burned before the shadowed gold of the altar and about the bier, and from other parts arranged themselves in the tiered seats, and during the mass the sanctuary was rich with the black and gold vestments of the officiating ecclesiastics and the crimson and purple of the assisting monsignors.

The city was represented by His Worship Mayor Church and Ald. Gibbons, and the religious communities and laity filled the body of the church. The solemn rendered music of the mass of requiem and the music of the organ added solemnity to the occasion.

His Grace Archbishop McNeill was the celebrant, assisted by Right Rev. Mgr. Whelan as assistant priest; Rev. James Walsh, deacon; Rev. H. Gibbons, sub-deacon; Very Rev. Dean Harris and Father Coyle, deacons of honor; Rev. Father Pennington, master of ceremonies. Others in the sanctuary were Right Rev. Mgr. Kidd, Right Rev. Mgr. Casey, Peterboro; Right Rev. Mgr. Aylesworth, London; Right Rev. Mgr. Mahoney, Hamilton; Rev. Father Trayling, rector of the cathedral; Rev. Father Curtin, and about 100 priests of the archdiocese.

The sermon was preached by Rev. G. R. Williams, pastor of St. Joseph's, and an intimate friend of the deceased. The speaker told of the 48 years of the ministry of Mgr. McCann, that he had served in many parishes, was three times rector of St. Michael's, and for 25 years vicar-general of the diocese. Mgr. McCann was a man of good taste, intelligent, strong judgment, a good administrator, and the gentlest of men. The great love that he had for children was, perhaps, the strongest force of his life. "It does not fall to every man to walk with the saints," said Father Williams, "but I can say of him as the angel said of old, 'I know thy faith, thy charity, thy patience, thy resignation and love.' His name will be a benediction as long as there is a page of the history of Toronto in existence. We will lay him away with prayers and benedictions, and may his life be an inspiration to priests and people alike, so that when our times come we may go as he, happy, prepared to resign, and have a share in the crown which I am sure is already his. May he rest in peace."

The interment. The pallbearers were Rev. Fathers Melville Staley, Rev. Father Hayes, Rev. Father O'Leary, Rev. Father Trayling and Rev. Father Murray. At Mgr. McCann's last prayer, the names of the deceased were read by Rev. W. A. McCann, pastor of St. Francis, and nephew of the late monsignor. The lay pallbearers were Messrs. M. Carlon, T. Barr, J. Doyle, J. Carlon, W. O'Hagan, J. J. Smith and C. Harley. The funeral arrangements were in charge of W. K. Murphy. Relatives present were nephews, John McCann of Ottawa and Louis McCann of New York.

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HAVE A WINTER CAMP AT EXHIBITION AGAIN

Number Will Be Twice That of Last Year, College and Hospital in Use.

Toronto will have a winter camp again at the "Ex" grounds, but there will be 10,000 troops as compared with 5000 last year. In addition 5000 overseas men will also be quartered in the old Knox College building and in the old General Hospital on East Gerrard street. It is expected that the troops will come here from Niagara camp about the end of October.

The battalions of active service men which will have headquarters in Toronto this fall will be the 85th, 87th, 88th, 74th, 75th, 76th, 83rd, 84th, 82nd, and the 30th and 31st Batteries of artillery.

Major Campbell and several hundred men of the 85th Battalion have been selected to take part in a military display during the fair.

Many of the men at the Niagara camp are now taking advanced training, such as bayonet charging, hand grenade throwing (and making) and trench work.

ALGONQUIN PARK. Guests at the Highland Inn and the log cabin camps operated by the Grand Trunk Railway System in Algonquin Park are enthusiastic this year over the splendid fishing they have experienced and the excellent service that is being given at this popular resort.

A letter from one of the chief officers of the Grand Trunk Corporation, Detroit, Mich., has been received expressing admiration for the complete equipment of the log cabin camps and the many comforts and conveniences that are offered there.

Those desiring accommodation should write Miss Jean Lindsay, manager of the Highland Inn, and handsome descriptive literature can be had from any Grand Trunk agent. August 31 September are two of the most delightful months of the year in this charming region.

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CANADIANS FILL TOWNS AROUND SHORNCLIFFE

Sir Robert Borden and General Hughes Reviewed Twenty Thousand Men.

Sidelights on the life of the Canadian troops training in England, and regarding the national war register in Great Britain and Ireland, are contained in a letter just received by Rev. Dr. W. J. McKay from Rev. W. F. Price of London, England. The letter says: "I have been spending some weeks on the coast near Shorncliffe, where the Canadian troops are now located. In the evenings the sea-side towns of Folkestone, Hythe and Sandgate are crowded with men wearing the maple leaf badge."

"I was present at a great field day at Sandgate camp. The various events, particularly the tug-of-war between battalions, were strenuously contested. Then I witnessed the review of the Canadian troops by Sir Robert Borden and Major-General Sam Hughes. The evolutions of the twenty thousand or more men made a magnificent spectacle not easily to be forgotten."

Speaking of conditions in Britain the letter says: "For some time the formation of a national register was widely advocated, the object being to enroll the manhood and womanhood of the land for the service of the nation. The roll calls for the names of all there between the ages of 16 and 65."

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G. T. R. EMPLOYEES UNITE TO RAISE WAR FUNDS

Union Station Workers Will Make Regular Contributions to Cause.

An organization, to be known as the Grand Trunk Railway Patriotic Association of Toronto, was formed yesterday by a number of employees of the Grand Trunk at the Union Station. The purpose of the organization is to raise funds for war purposes. H. B. Wittenberger was elected president; George Papall, chairman; W. S. Wilson, vice-chairman; J. A. Murphy, secretary, and J. Gray, treasurer.

It was decided to establish a monthly system of contributions from each employee until the end of the war. The money will be distributed according to the demands of the militia department or the patriotic fund, but it was suggested that a field kitchen or a motor ambulance be the first donation.

From the Toronto office of the Grand Trunk 155 men have gone to the front, and a great deal of money has been subscribed for war purposes already.

GRAND BARBECUE AT GRIMSBY BEACH. The campers at Grimsby Beach have arranged to hold a big picnic and barbecue Wednesday, Aug. 18th—the only event of this kind announced in the vicinity of Toronto this season. It is expected that Toronto people will join their friends at the beach in large numbers, taking the C. S. L. boat at 8.15 a.m. or 2 p.m. and returning at 8 o'clock in the evening. Round trip tickets at 75c may be had at 46 Yonge St. or Yonge St. Wharf.

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CITY WILL FIGHT THE YORK RADIAL

Ontario Railway Board Grants Right to Build Farnham Ave. Terminal.

UNFAIR, SAYS MAYOR

Board Declares Privilege Embodied in Original Franchise.

The York Radial Railway yesterday received power from the Ontario Railway Board to build its new terminal station on Farnham avenue, and gained approval of the plans filed for switching and deviation from the Yonge street line. This decision is given subject to any modifications that may appear proper to be made after hearing the city's objections on engineering grounds.

In the judgment of the railway board decree, "the right claimed by the company is so trifling an amplification of rights long enjoyed without question and so obviously necessary to the proper discharge of its functions that it might well be held to be implied in the grant of the power lawfully exercised by the company for years."

Mayor Church was very much displeased over the judgment and declared that the case will be appealed to the privy council. "Our franchise is too valuable to be handled by a body that is simply the doorman of the Toronto Railway Co.," said the mayor, and declared the present board should be reorganized by the government and the board of control.

The lengthy judgment of the railway board reads in part as follows: "Of the need of such a terminal station for the city of Toronto, the returns of the company show that it carries upwards of 5,000,000 passengers per annum besides transporting considerable freight. At the present time by reason of its tracks terminating in the highway that large volume of business is necessarily transacted upon the highway and the highway the busiest in Toronto, Yonge street. The position, then, is this: the company is lawfully operating its railway on the portion of Yonge street in question; the company owns a parcel of land abutting on that portion of Yonge street upon which admittedly it has the right to erect terminal buildings and tracks; it seeks authority to connect its tracks with its terminal proposed to be erected so that the purposes of its undertaking may be conveniently and effectively carried out, but the city objects on the ground that the company has no right in law, by statute or agreement, to make this connection. Surely, after all these enabling acts and solemn agreements designed to bring into being a legal connection between the company and the city, the city should be held to the denial of a right so vital under the circumstances to the company as to keep the word of promise to our ear and break it to our hope."

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