Two large bales, containing toys, the soldiers' comforts Military Hospiaprons, 'ankles and numerous articles of clothing, were packed Monday evening by the Women's Auxiliary of St. Matthew's Church. One is to be sent J. Greenaway treasurer. Towards the Matthew's Church. One is to be sent J. Greenaway treasurer. Toward to the Indians at Muncey, and the necessary amount the Gore of De other to Gordon School, Saskatche- Chapter, I. O. D. E., has sent in \$15.

DAY NURSERY GIFTS. The Day Nursery board gratefully by the Red Cross. acknowledge the following contribu-

rs., Erskine, Princess avenue les; Miss Mortimore, \$2; Adelaide et Baptist Sunday School, \$5 and ery shower; Hale Street Mothers' Club, grocery shower; Mrs. B. Hayman, candles; Mrs. C. C. Irwin, King street, \$5; King Solomon Lodge, \$10; Empress Avenue Mothers' Club, grocery shower; Rowat's grocery store, cakes and oookie retainers; Mrs. King, Colborne street, candy and oranges; Mrs. A. B. Kennedy, Ilderton, apples and potatoes; Miss Woonton, \$5; a friend from Detroit, \$10; C. G. I. T. of Dun-Centre Methodist Church, grocery shower and 50 cents; Ward and Jenny Smith, 596 Elias street, preserved fruit; Jeffrey, The Ridgeway, \$4 and telly: Knox Presbyterian Sunday School, shower and \$6; Trinity Chap-E. S. \$10 for Christmas cheer; K. and M. Moore, Piccadilly street, \$8; St. John the Evangelist Church, grocery shower; Mrs. Leach, Princess avenue, chicken broth.

MEN WRITE PIE RECIPES.

The social evening held by the May Queen Rebekah Lodge in their rooms Monday evening proved a most enjoy-able affair. In the early part of the evening an interesting program iven, consisting of readings by Mrs. ckert and Mrs. Glintz, a solo by Miss Rapson, and cornet selections by Mr Bentley. Much merriment was created by a contest, in which all the men took part, the object being to write the best pie recipe. The prize went to Mr. T. R Miller. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, o'clock Saturday, December 17, at after which dainty refreshments were Adelaide Street Baptist Parsonage, The success of the social was chiefly to the convener, Miss Mc-ster. Mr. Chapman acted as chairman during the evening.

150 MORE FOR HOSPITAL. The Ladies' Aid and other organiza-tions of Dundas Centre Methodist ings the sum paid up to date on the

AIDS SHELTER AND HOME.

make donations for the small boys Mrs. Watters, Belgrave avenue, convener of a committee to look after vol untary offerings of clothing or toys. shower for the Protestant Orphans' Home on Thursday at the Noble & Rich shop, 237 Queen's avenue, Mesdames

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The presents will be distributed on Thursday in connection with the Christmas dinner and the treats provided

The W. M. S. of Knox Presbyterian Church held their closing meeting of 1921 Monday evening, Dec. 19. The president. Mrs. McEvoy, was in the chair. The various officers reported a very successful year. The financial report showed receipts for the year of

over \$500.

Considerable interest was shown in the work at Copper Cliff, a well-filled bale valued at \$65 having been sent there in November.

The following are the officers for the coming year: Honorary presidents, Mrs. Nichol, Mrs. Morris; president, Mrs. McEvoy; first vice-president, Mrs. Mrs. Macpherson; third vice-president, Mrs. Stevenson; fourth vice-president, Ollerhead; fifth vice-president, Mrs. Smith; secretaries, Mrs. Chalmers Mrs. Fitzsimmons: Messenger and secretary, Mrs. Robertson; home help-ers, Mrs. McKay; literature and librarian, Miss Anderson; supplies, Mrs. Reid; assistant supplies, Mrs. Phillips; strangers' secretary, Miss Perkins; treasurers, Mrs. Pickles and Mrs. Alexander; pianists, Miss Mac pherson and Miss Dewar.

THE DISIU

MATTIS-CUMMINGS. A quiet wedding took place at 3:80

when Winnifred Mabel, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cummings was married to Mr. Charles Mattis of S Thomas. Miss Mildred Rackham this city was bridesmaid, and Mr. Percy Taylor of St. Thomas acted as best man. Immediately after the cere-Church some time ago pledged the gum of \$1,000 to endow a cot in the Rev. G. A. Leichliter, the bridal party war Memorial Children's Hospital. This week \$150 of this amount has been parents, where a dainty wedding supparents, and to the secretary of the hospital per was served. The young couple will be at home to their many friends at Aristmas season donation, which 7 Adelaide street, this city.

GIRLS COMPLETE LABOR OF LOVE

The "Good Cheer Club" an organi-Children's Shelter, appointing zation of busy businessgirls is happy over the fact that its objective set two years ago has been achieved. \$1,000 decided to hold a fruit to endow a cot in the War Memorial Children's Hospital. Engaged in their business activities all day long, the Manness and E. Elliott to take members of the club have managed in their spare hours to raise \$500 a

ear by bazaars and other means.

The task has been doubly a labor bution of \$50 to the War Memorial the organizer of the club, who died during the influenza epidemic three years ago, Miss Bessie Aitken. The 1. O. D. E. REMEMBERS SOLDIERS. tablet over the cot will be inscribed men in memory of Miss Aitken.

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Dear Miss Grey,—I read in your Mail-Box column where Zeta would like to correspond with some of

As she is the same age as I am, would like to write to her, for I don't get many letters, either.
Inclosed find a self-addressed,
stamped envelope for Zeta's name and address. SNOW QUEEN. Zeta's name is not on our family list, Snow Queen, but if she sends it in I shall forward it to you.

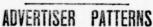
are all the Mail-Box readers? Nearly all the names are new

I must not stay long, so farewall to all. BABE.

It is splendid the way the old friends you write and tell us more

WILL THEY BE DISAPPOINTED? Dear Miss Grey,—I see where so many are asking for help from Mall-Box. I was wondering if any one had a doll's carriage or other toys they could give for Christmas. We will pay postage on them. There are five of us, three girls and two boys, and costs quite a bit to get us all something for Christmas, My little sister, aged 3 years, does so want a doll's carriage, and we can't afford to get her one. Trusting someone wil see my letter in time for Christmas, and wishing you a merry Christmas, Please find stamps

WINDOW-PANE If any readers have dolls or toys to spare I am sure they will send for your address and forward them to you, Win-





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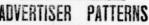
the readers.

Dear Cynthla,-Just a line or two to the Mall-Box with my Christmas

to me. It has been quite a while since I last wrote to the Mall-Box. I have a little daughter 161/2 weeks old now and doing fine.

are turning up in time to send their greetings. Welcome back, Babe. Won't I am sure she must be a

for the children's hospital fund. My address is with Miss Grey.





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LAST WORD IN SLEEVES

Christmas vacation at her home in Allsa Craig

Mrs. E. S. Little will be the hostess of a dinner party at the Kennels

epending the holidays in town with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Grant. Mr. Murray Walsh of Ottawa will

Miss Lottle Vining of Toronto Is

Miss Hazel Haskett, Whitby College, is spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Haskett, Wharncliffe road.

spend Christmas in London the guest

of Col. W. G. Coles and Mrs. Coles,

Miss M. Phillippo of Detroit is spending Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Phillippo, Ridout street, bringing with her as her guest, Miss Campbell.

Miss Jean MacLaren, who is attending Bishop Strachan's School, Toronto, will spend part of the Christmas vacawith her cousin, Miss Farleigh

Hungerford.

Miss Margaret Flood has returned from a six months' visit in Nokomis Sask., and will spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Flood, 400 Rectory street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCann of Dorchester, left Monday evening to spend the winter in Pasadena, Cal-They purpose returning home y way of the Canadian West.

Dr. F. R. Miller of the Western University Medical Faculty will attend the neeting of the American Physiolog University, Haven, during Christmas week is giving a paper before the convention

Hobbs, who have been away from the city several months in Toronto, Atlantic City, Baltimore and other points, eturned home last week. Miss Hobbs is making a satisfactory recovery after fancies we are borrowing from Eu-

Mrs. Hugh McCreery, who sang at Patricia Theatre Monday evening, returned on Tuesday to her home in Toronto. Her father, Mr. A. Talbet, loved the straight soft line of it in goes down to Toronto this week to be skirts, but it has been many a day them into a loose band at the wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ashplant, who has of Sherbrooke, Que. The tea table, been abroad for several months, trav- attractive with Richmond roses, grace-eling in Italy, France, Belgium and fully arranged, and tall unshaded the British Isles, is expected hmoe in candles, was presided over by Mrs. A. time for Christmas, accompanied by E. Chapman. Among those present her traveling companions, who will be were Misses Lillian Johnson, Dorothy guests, Miss Genevieve Back, Dorothy Silverwood, Laprestre, Miss Nan Schroeder of New Sharpe, Emma Buchner, Mildred Rob-york. jorie Fergusson, Belle Fetterley, Reta

Invitations have been issued for the Thomas, Leona Murphy, Cleota first annual ball to be given by the Barnett, Margaret Braunton, Margaret Knights of Columbus Dec 28 in St. Phillippo and Miss M. Campbell. Krights of Columbus Dec 28 in St. Peter's Hall. Among those lending their patronage are: Lieut.-Col. Claude Brown and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Callaghan, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Killingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forristal, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Secret back of it. The flowers in real-ty. Hefflon, Mr. and Mrs. John Givins, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. McDonagh and Mr. Frank Smith. Mr. Frank Smith.

Miss Winifred Macdonald was the Smart shops are showing exquisitely hostess of a charming tea given at her dainty undergarments in tan. There is home in Princess avenue Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Forest Keene once more

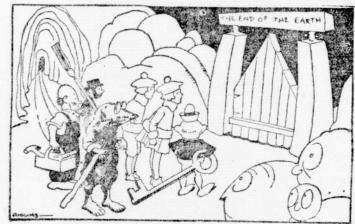
ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS.____

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—You've seen it coming, gradually taking on a little more fullness and a little more ullness until now we have with us a sleeve of some proportions.

ropean peasants-Rumanians, gener-

some proportions.

THE TWISTY WAY



Suddenly they turned a corner and there ahead was a gate. Nancy, Nick, Kip, the mole, the toy- "How, now!" cried the chimney-

maker and the chimney-sweep groped sweep. "If that's the case, I'll never along through the dark passage, sure get back to sweep out the chimneys that they would soon be in Brownieland for Santa Claus.

and that their troubles were over. The "And," sighed the toy-maker, "It will and that their troubles were over. The gnomes, with all their wicked tricks, be as bad as war-times if I don't get

they tramped.
"Oh, goodness!" said poor Nancy.
"Burely we're nearly there. I'm most want to apologize and thank you for

But no sooner had she spoken than suddenly they turned a corner, and there ahead was a gate, not the familiar one to Brownieland, but a three-cornered one with a class street of the continued. (Convergent 1921) cornered one with a sign overhead which said: "The End of the Earth." You may imagine how the Twing felt when they saw over the three-cornered gate in front of them the sign which read, "The End of the Earth."
"Goodness," said Kip the Brownie,
"we'd better not open it. We might
fall off."

at my trade soon."

But Nancy and Nick were thinking of the little Brownle King, Mr. Pim Pim. How disappointed he would be,

"So do I," echoed Nancy. "It smells queer and steamy."

And so it did! It was the steam from the boiling toad-warts that the gnome soreerer had sent into the passage to make it twist out of its proper direction. "Goodness," coughed the chimney-sweep. "I'm used to all sorts of smells, as so many of them come up the kitchen chimneys when I'm sweeping them out But this is different. I don't remember this kind of a smell."

"Oh, well," said the toy-maker, "we'll soon be there now! Just let me get hold of some of the glittery stuff from Pim's mines in Brownieland, and splift, spaff, splrg! I'l have a lot of Christmas toys made in no time."

But the mole wasn't so sure.

"There's something queer," said he, wigging his pointy snout. "I feel dizzy, as if I were turning 'round and 'round."

Wasn't he right, though! The passageway by this time was a thousand miles out of its course and they weren't any.

Wasn't he right, though! The passage-way by this time was a thousand miles out of its course and they weren't any nearer to Brownleland than I am to the sum. he sun.

Well, they tramped and tramped and been sitting, instantly causing such a draft that they all sneezed.

want to apologize and thank you for

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follow a light meal. These vegetable puddings are best suitwhere they should form the principal part of the meal.

pumpkin lend themselves admirably to

Half cup grated raw carrot, 1/2 cup grated raw potato, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup chopped suet, 1/2 cup currants, 1/2 cup raisins, 1 lemon, 11/2 cups flour, teaspoon baking powder, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg, 1/2 tea-

Mix grated vegetables with sugar and add the grated rind and juice of lemon. Work suet creamy with hand and add to first mixture. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, spices and salt, and add cleaned and seeded raisins and currants to dry mixture. Add this to first mixture and beat well. Put in a buttered mold and steam three hours. Serve with Squash Custards.

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cup sugar, 16 cup candled or drained cinnamon, 1/4 teaspoon salt. Wash and scrub carrots, but do not

raisins, 1 teaspoon grated orange rind, slightly salted water to cover till tenraisins, I teaspoon grated orange that, slightly saited water to cover the signal and then rub through a bit incongruous to put vegetables in a Rub the squash through a sieve. Add yolks of eggs well beaten and beat and possible to put vegetables in a Rub the squash through a sieve. Add yolks of eggs well beaten and beat and possible to provide the provided that the provided rumbs. eggs well beaten, sugar, raisins and milk. Mix well and add seasoning. Pour into buttered custard cups and pour into buttered custard cups and carrot pulp. Beat whites of eggs and carrot pulp. Beat whites of eggs and carrot pulp. bake in a moderate oven for 40 minutes. with a vegetable contains great food value, and should soft bread crumbs, ½ cup butter, ½ Pour into a buttered mold and steam

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