

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

DECLARED WOMEN SET MEN GOOD EXAMPLE

Mrs. Pankhurst Appealed for Unity at Big Recruiting Meeting Saturday.

THE ALLIES MUST WIN

Famous Suffragette Asked Citizens to Do Their Utmost to Obtain Victory.

Speaking twice on Saturday afternoon, first in the corridor of the city hall and later at luncheon at the Royal Cafe, Mrs. Pankhurst, the world-renowned suffragette, stated that all internal strife should be forgotten until the war was over. War time was no time to settle internal difficulties, and in this regard women were setting men a good example by dropping all their own troubles and assisting the nation to a victorious ending of the war. It was her opinion that no real man should hold on to an office or remain in civic or private employment when the work could be done by a woman. The duty of the men was to fight and the duty of the women was to come out of their homes and do the work. She stated that every day men all over Britain were being released in order to go to the front and their duties were being carried on by women. The women of Canada were ready and willing to do the same if the men would give them the opportunity; in fact, they would accept peace, and the men she knew would not be a whit behind.

Kaiser Wanted the Earth. Mrs. Pankhurst said the present war was one of the like of which the world had never seen; some said it was started by people who wanted to make money out of it, but that was not the case. It was started by Germany because the Kaiser wanted to rule the whole world, to be the twentieth century Napoleon or Julius Caesar, and to create a German Empire greater than any empire the world had seen. She said if Germany won the business men who were loth to leave their business would see how no business to attend to as German ministers would be appointed to take possession, and the business men would have to obey. She told of the brave soldiers of the little nations who fought gallantly on a mere pittance for their homes and loved ones, told how the Serbs and Belgians were now without either countries or homes until the allies recovered them from the invading Hun. The women of every allied nation would rather die a thousand times than have Germany win, because German victory meant the loss of honor and everything they held dear. Her recruiting address was closed with, "This is a struggle of the whole world, and the world is destroyed if the world will not live any longer, and I appeal to the men and women assembled here today to do their duty and there is no doubt very soon victory will be won and peace secured for the generations that come after."

Do Work of Men. In her address at the Royal Cafe Mrs. Pankhurst stated that Canada was now in the position that British was after nine months of war. She hoped that Canada would soon use the women to the same extent that they were now being used in England. In munition plants today in Britain three women were present to every man, and soon the proportion would be four to one.

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Red Cross Contributions

Brigadier-General James Mason, honorary treasurer of the Canadian Red Cross Society, reports that since the last public acknowledgment the following contributions to the fund of the society have been received, amounting to \$35,304.23:

Abnott, Ont. Methodist Church	20.00
Albion Tp. Branch C.R.C.S.	1,932.08
Anonymous	2.00
Boyer, Mrs. R. F., St. Lawrence St.	4.00
N.S. Brown, Mr. G. E., Roseau, Belmonte, Ont. S.S. No. 1	1.00
Bowmanville Girls' Patriotic Club	50.00
Bismarck, Sainsboro, Pat. and Relief Society	400.00
Brookbank, Miss N., Toronto	5.00
Brantford, Ont. Women's Patriotic League	200.00
Blackney, Ont. Young People of Presbyterian Church	44.00
Barrie Branch, C.R.C.S.	3.05
Burke's Falls, S.S. No. 4	57.00
Everton	6.75
Cooksville, Women's Patriotic League	50.00
Cochran, S.S. George, Workers	100.00
Coniston Branch, C.R.C.S.	15.00
Camden East, Red Cross Society	25.00
Cobourg, Ont. Helpers' Presbyterian Church	15.00
Chatham, Ont. Ladies' Patriotic Society	175.00
Chatham, Kent. Co. League	167.00
Durham Red Cross and Patriotic Fund	359.25
Dawson, Can. Yukon Patriotic Fund	38.00
Englehart, Ont. Maple Leaf	25.00
Est. Zorra Cheese Co. Inverness, Ont.	34.00
Fleisherton, Ont. Red Cross	40.00
Haydon, Mr. George, Blackwater, Ont.	5.00
Harrieston, Ont. proceeds of concert, Nicola School	35.00
Hillburgh, Ont. Branch C.R.C.S.	14.00
L.O.D.E. King George Chapter, St. Johns, Que.	2.00
L.O.D.E. Yukon Chapter, White Horse, Y.T.	126.50
L.O.D.E. Sir John Graves Chapter, Simcoe	6.00
L.O.D.E. East Kootenay Chapter, Kamloops, B.C.	4.00
L.O.D.E. Mount Royal Chapter, Montreal	4.00
L.O.D.E. Gen. Joffre Chapter, Edmonton	8.00
L.O.D.E. Queen Anne Chapter, Berlin, Ont.	6.00
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L.O.D.E. Belkirk of Baldoon Chapter, Wallaceburg, Ont.	210.00
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L.O.D.E. Maple Leaf Chapter, Goderich, Ont.	2.00
L.O.D.E. 25th Eln Regiment Chapter, St. Thomas	4.00
Holyrood, Ont. Methodist Church	62.00
Hazel Hill, N.S., Red Cross Auxiliary	30.00
Listowel Society, Leamington, Ont.	32.15
Carrying Place, Ont.	8.00
Malton, Ont. Branch C.R.C.S.	1,000.00
Marjohr, T.P., Rothsay, S.S. No. 7	51.00
Marks, Mrs. and Mrs. Innes, patriotic tea	10.00
Nichols Chemical Co., staff and employees, Sulphide, Ont.	378.53
North Vancouver Branch, C.R.C.S.	25.00
National Service Committee, salary	48.23
Mc and Mrs. Naylor, Waterloo, Ont.	2.00
Mr. Frank Olmsted, Bis-	

March, Ont. 25.00
Priceville, Ont. Red Cross helpers 10.00
Peterboro branch, C.R.C.S. 470.00
Park Hill patriotic fund 300.00
Ruth Paterson, Preston, Ont. 2.40
Porcupine Junction, Ont. Bible Class 4.00
Fort Lambton Patriotic League 50.00
Quebec City branch, C.R.C.S. 33.00
Queen Elizabeth of Belgium Chapter, L.O.D.E., Montreal 52.00
Quebec Provincial branch C.R.C.S. 11.25
Rainy River branch C.R.C.S. 100.00
Richard's Landing, Ont. T. bogan social 2.00
Saugeen, Ont. Red Cross Society 325.00
Masons of the district of St. Francis, Montreal 150.00
Selkirk, Ont. village and lodge 300.00
Mrs. S. Sherraden, Rindell, B.C. Saskatchewan provincial branch, C.R.C.S. 11,000.00
Schumacher, and Timmins branch, C.R.C.S. 200.00
Saugeen, Ont. S.S. No. 2 80.00
St. Catharines, Ont. branch, C.R.C.S. 500.00
Trenton High School 20.00
T. and N. O. Railwaymen's Patriotic Association 570.33
Tottingham, Ont. branch C. R. C. S. 400.00
Tilbury, Ont. Women's Patriotic League 50.00
Toronto branch, C.R.C.S. 1,000.00
Verschoyle Public School 10.00
Vancouver Fire Brigade 22.25
Victoria Red Cross Society 25.00
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Women's Inst., Newboro 64.00
Village and district of Walford 5.00
By sale of supplies 997.47

MRS. PANKHURST AT MASSEY HALL TONIGHT

Mrs. Pankhurst's many admirers who heard her on Saturday at the luncheon are all anxious to hear her again when she speaks in Massey Hall, on Monday night. T. H. the kindness of Col. Wright, the band of the 16th Battalion will play. Mrs. Pankhurst will speak on recruiting before the close of the meeting.

FIRE IN RESTAURANT.

Fire, believed to be due to defective electric wiring, caused \$200 damage to the premises occupied by Thompson's restaurant, 83 Yonge street, on the main floor, and \$1500 damage to the contents of the second floor, occupied by White and O'Hara, yesterday. The fire is said to have originated on the second floor.



Charles Richman in "The Battle Cry of Peace," Strand Theatre.

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"The Great Pursuit"

One of the greatest constellations of stars ever united in one play, will appear in C. Haddon Chambers' comedy, "The Great Pursuit," at the Strand Theatre this week, and at its premiere tonight. The players appearing in the revival are: Phyllis Nelson-Terry, Marie Temple, Jeanne Eagels, Cynthia Brooke, Bruce McRae, Chas. Cherry, Graham Browne and Montagu Love. "The Great Pursuit" was originally produced at the old Lyceum Theatre in New York in 1890, with an all-star cast, and later was presented in H. P. Belmont and Mrs. Harriet Chambers has rewritten the play entirely, but using the same motive and same characters. In bringing the play up-to-date he gives a demonstration in the difference in the method of treatment in writing plays 25 years ago and the present time. There has been an unusually large advance sale of seats for this engagement and a banner week is anticipated.

"Within the Law"

It is a rare thing nowadays to find a play which has received universal endorsement of dramatic critics everywhere. It is therefore of increased interest to learn that we are to see this week at the Grand Opera House "Within the Law," a play by Bayard Veiller, which has been commended publicly by such eminent thinkers as Woodrow Wilson, Theodore Roosevelt, Dr. C. H. Parkhurst, the Bishop of Wyoming, Mrs. J. P. Belmont and Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch. For the engagement at the Grand Opera House here a splendid cast has been engaged, headed by the talented young American actress, Helen Mar Stewart, who will be seen in the role of Mary Turpin. During the week a scale of popular prices will be given on Wednesday and Saturday.

Shea's Theatre

Headed by Andrew Tombs and Lola Wentworth, B. A. Rolfe's "The Bride Shop," headed at Shea's this week, contains 15 pretty girls in new, syncopated songs and feature dances. Irene and Constance Farber, two of the most popular young women who have ever appeared here, have a refined singing and instrumental performance. Bert Fitzgerald, the original "Daffy Dill," has a host of new, laugh-provoking material. Claude Oliver and George Oip will present their pleasing little playlet of good cheer, "Discontent." Evans and Wilson have an amusing sketch which they call "An Accidental Happening," dealing with the troubles of a young man left in charge of a baby carriage. Jack and Kitty Denisco have an artistic scenic novelty in which they perform some clever gymnastic feats, while the Anchors are novelty comedy entertainers. The thrilling photoplay, "The Dandelion Expedition," showing the adventures of a Canadian troop in action, completes a well-balanced bill.

The Hippodrome

Barney Williams and his clever company of singing and dancing maids will headline the bill at the Hippodrome this week in "An Island Musical Melange," "Sweethearts." New songs, bright comedy and attractive dances make this a most enjoyable bill. In the "Blue Bird" releases, which they call "An Accidental Happening," dealing with the troubles of a young man left in charge of a baby carriage. Jack and Kitty Denisco have an artistic scenic novelty in which they perform some clever gymnastic feats, while the Anchors are novelty comedy entertainers. The thrilling photoplay, "The Dandelion Expedition," showing the adventures of a Canadian troop in action, completes a well-balanced bill.

Loew's Theatre

Aside from the submarine telephone and searchlight that Capt. Sorcho has invented, he is now at work on a new style diving dress that promises to eclipse anything ever seen or heard of in under water work. As diving suits are now arranged, it is necessary to have an air hose thru which the diver secures his supply of air, but in the new diving armor designed by the captain, this will be done away with, the air being contained in an apparatus attached to the suit as the diver goes down. This suit and many other interesting articles pertaining to his calling will be shown at Loew's Theatre, where Capt. Sorcho and his crew of ten men will be the headline attraction for this week, in conjunction with a vaudeville bill of six other acts.

Broadway Belles

"The Broadway Belles" show, which will appear at the Star this week, is

an entirely new burlesque production that compares with any high-class musical show. It is a real tonic in burlesque, with special numbers—live-wire, up-to-date—comedians and a prize-winning chorus. Joe Wilton, in the title role of Mr. Gabby, in "The Advertising Man," is the author of the book, lyrics and music; Joe Marks, an incomparable comedian, is the principal fun maker. Rose Homley heads the feminine contingent. The balance of the cast includes Frank Mockey, Stella Morrissey, Grace Lyman and Al Harris.

"Battle Cry" at Strand

Some idea of the magnitude of "The Battle Cry of Peace," which will be presented all this week at the Strand Theatre, may be gained from the following facts: In support of the company there were introduced 16,000 National Guardsmen, 800 Union veterans, 5000 horses and 17 aeroplanes, with Zepplins, soaplanes, submarines, dreadnoughts, torpedo boats, and armored motor cars. Of the many factors that make "The Battle Cry of Peace" the most impressive of all war films, the series of thrilling pictures showing the bombardment of New York from land, sea and sky, the Wall Street district in flames, and the dynamiting of public buildings are among the most sensational.

Around the World

Unquestionably the most pretentious and novel burlesque production ever to tour the Columbia Circuit, will be "Around the World," which will be presented at the Strand Theatre. Never has Mr. Marion gathered together such an unusually strong company. Read the following well-known and justly famous names: George Banks, one of the highest salaried stars on the "Big Time," vaudeville world; Barney Fagan, the "Daddy" of all the good old-time comedians; Agnes Buehler, Henrietta Byron, Mlle. Bartolotti, Frank Schand, the famous European dancer; Rosie Mack, Inez Devered, James Delrich, Alf Harrington, The Arion Four and "Stuffy" himself.

Madison Theatre

The attraction for the first three days of the week at the Madison will be the distinguished emotional actress, Pauline Frederick, who in those recent screen successes, "The Eternal City" and "Bella Donna," has shown that she can act with great effectiveness in a picturization of Henry Arthur Jones' intense drama, "Lydia Gilmore." In this famous role, Miss Frederick suggests with infinite strength and pathos, the faithful wife and mother, who suffers indescribable mental agony to shield her husband's name and save his life, after he has proved to be faithless to her and the murderer of the man whose home he had broken.

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\$225 Niagara Falls, Ont., and Return; \$270 Buffalo and Return From Toronto, Saturday, March 18.

The Toronto Bowling Club is running an excursion to Niagara Falls and Buffalo, Saturday, March 18, leaving Toronto at 10 a.m. via Grand Trunk Railway. Do not miss this opportunity of visiting Niagara in winter. It has been well said that those who have viewed Niagara only in summer have but half seen it.

Return fare to Niagara Falls, Ont., \$225, and Buffalo \$270. Tickets are valid returning on all regular trains up to and including Monday, March 20. Secure tickets at city office, northwest corner King and Yonge streets, or Union Station ticket office. 12545



Stella Morrissey, with "Broadway Belles," at the Star Theatre.

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MENDELSSOHN CHOIR MADE TWO THOUSAND

Money is Divided Equally Between Red Cross and Patriotic Funds.

The annual meeting of the executive of the Toronto Mendelssohn Choir was held on Saturday evening. The treasurer reported that notwithstanding large expenses attending the production of the works presented, including outlays in connection with the engagement of the Russian Symphony Orchestra and the quartet of concert artists who assisted, the cost of music, rehearsal hall rentals, programs for the series, general printing, clerical work, advertising, accompanists' honorariums, etc., a substantial surplus resulted from the season's concerts. To the season's expenses must be added the necessarily large outlays in connection with the organization, training, and maintenance of the auxiliary chorus of 250 children who assisted in the "Children's Crusade." The concert yielded a net result of \$2,011, which amount the treasurer was directed to divide equally between the Red Cross and Patriotic Funds. In addition to this sum, voluntary cash contributions of \$38.75, for the funds of the societies named, were received from members of the Children's Auxiliary Choir. Special reference was made in the secretary's report to the fine esprit de

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