

PATRIOTIC COOKS WILL USE ONIONS

People of Toronto and Hamilton Requested to Conserve Surplus Vegetables.

It is now the patriotic duty of every Canadian to eat onions and carrots. The food controller has started a campaign to educate the appetites of Canadians to consume a large quantity of onions and carrots between now and when the new crop comes in.

There seems to be a common impression that the only proper time for planting and setting out is in the fall. In point of fact, the work may be done just as successfully in the spring.

Spring-Planted Iris

By E. I. Farrington. Each spring there are more or less complaints that the wing feathers of chicks of the Mediterranean class grow so fast that the wings droop and the chick loses vitality.

But, after all, is it the rapid growth of the wing feathers which causes the chick to droop? Is it not more reasonable to believe that the body fails to develop as it should? There certainly must be something wrong in the management that produces such forlorn specimens of chickenhood.

SUNFLOWERS AND POLE BEANS.

To do away with the labor of supplying poles for the climbing varieties of beans, plant two or three Mammoth Russian sunflowers in each hill of beans.

Let Us Eat Carrots.

There is a carrot pudding which is finer than any plum pudding. Who will send the Toronto World a recipe for this pudding?

PRETTY HOMEMADE HANDKERCHIEF HINTS

The art, or industry, of handkerchief making long ago passed out of the home. Generally speaking, and took up its abode in the factory.

POPULAR LINKING.

Now, however, with the popular linking for small affairs and the fancy for tiny hemmed, not hemstitched, edges, the work is much simplified.

Simple Adornment.

Probably the simplest form of adornment is one single initial. To make it a trifle more elaborate a monogram, scattered around just above the hem.

ORGANIZATION IS GROWING.

Honorably Discharged Soldiers' Association Has Surplus in Treasury. At the regular meeting of the Honorably Discharged Soldiers' Association in the Central Y.M.C.A. last evening, the chair being taken by Capt. Reashaw, president, the financial statement was submitted, which showed a surplus of \$689.17.

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SCHOOL TEACHERS' CASE COULD NOT BE REOPENED

Board of Education Falls Short of Two-Thirds Majority Required to Discuss Reinstatement.

As far as the board of education is concerned, apparently, the case of Miss Frieda Held, the Carlton School teacher who resigned Jan. 4, as the result of allegations as to her loyalty made by two of her fellow teachers, and at the time of her resignation, under investigation by a committee of the board, has been finally decided.

HOUSEWIVES CROWD SHOPPING DISTRICT

Despite unfavorable weather and shabby streets the crowds in Toronto's shopping district were greater than usual yesterday.

GIFTS WERE ENJOYED

Soldiers in France Appreciate Christmas Presents Sent From Women of Toronto.

BISHOP RODE ON DONKEY.

Difficulties of Traveling in South America is Described.

Parks Appropriations Higher; New Flooring for Buildings

Parks Commissioner Chambers is asking \$12,000 for new flooring in the Exhibition Grounds.

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MISCHA LEVITZKI MAKES A BIG HIT

Russian Pianist Acclaimed as One of Country's Greatest Musicians.

ORCHESTRA'S TRIUMPH

Brilliant Program at Massey Hall Adds to Toronto Symphony's Laurels.

Under the baton of Frank S. Welman the Toronto Symphony Orchestra, assisted by Mischa Levitzki, the Russian pianist, gave an exceptionally brilliant program at Massey Hall last night, adding to their already splendid reputation, and providing the audience with one of the most pleasing performances of the season.

The composition and personnel of the orchestra are now so well known to Toronto audiences that little need be said to commend the program. Their numbers last night were all of a festive character, beginning with Mendelssohn's overture, "Midsummer Night's Dream," the delightful descriptive music with the opening chords resembling elfin calls, and the dainty tripping phrases which gradually increase to a crescendo of tone as if Titania and all her troop were hurrying in response to the alluring call, was played skilfully and with nice attention to light and shade, and proved a most happy introduction to the recital.

The concerto in G minor by Sainl-Saens for the piano and orchestra was the most exciting offering on the program, and will be remembered as having introduced to Toronto one of the most perfect artists that the city has been privileged to hear.

Mischa Levitzki in the great opening chords showed virility and a dominant personality that made itself felt throughout his entire performance. Possessed of a flawless technique and a memory that was put to the severest test and never found lacking, the artist at the same time never permitted the merely mechanical to subordinate the soulful music of his work, every clear, bell-like note sending out a message of true musicianship to the audience.

The concerto, filled with variety of phrasing and contrasts, ended in the complete triumph of the players, and Levitzki was recalled so repeatedly that count was lost in the enthusiasm of the audience and the smiling recognition of the player.

A group for the orchestra, followed composing the "Mock Morris," "Irish Tune From County Derry," and "Shepherd's Hey," by the ever popular Grainger. All the numbers were filled with the spirit of light-hearted dancing and biting, stinging music into which the composer had managed to throw an amount of wonderful orchestration, the spirit of which was finely interpreted. The group for the piano included three Chopin numbers and Liszt's Rhapsodie No. 6, to every requirement of which the artist did justice. In the rhapsodie the player seemed to enter into every mood and caprice of the composer and in the execution of dainty trills, lightning-like runs or marvelous allegro passages, the result was al-

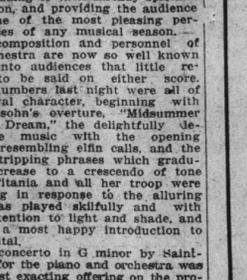
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ways perfection. Recall after recall was given and finding that bowing and smiling did not avail to satisfy his audience responded to the insistent recalls by two additional selections.

The concluding number was in keeping with Mardi Gras being the ever musical "overture" of the "Carnaval," by Dvorak, the joyous moods representing youth and its merriment, the quieter middle section of the composition and the brilliant ending making a grand and satisfying close to a well-selected and most entertaining program.

When Mischa Levitzki appears in Toronto again there should be no vacant seat in Massey Hall, because to miss hearing him is to miss hearing one of the most gifted of Russia's gifted musicians.

SHERBOURNE HOUSE CLUB.

First Anniversary Was Celebrated Yesterday With Distinguished Guests Present.

Sherbourne House Club celebrated the first anniversary of its existence yesterday, and in honor of the event a number of those most interested in its development and in that of the hundreds of girls who form its household were guests at dinner. Among those present were Mrs. and Mrs. H. H. Pudger, the founders and patrons; Sir Robert Falconer and Professor Johnston of Victoria College. After dinner Sir Robert gave one of his happy addresses, taking as his subject the responsibilities of women and their opportunities. The girls of the house provided a charming musical program.

DROPS DEAD IN HOTEL.

James Hyke, 76 Wolsley street, 69 years of age, dropped dead from heart failure in the lavatory of the Royal Canadian Hotel, East Front street, yesterday afternoon.

Hyke, who was on a fruitless search for coal, took ill on the street and ran into the hotel and entered the lavatory. His body was heard to drop on the floor by an employee, who immediately called in Dr. Marling, 193 Carlton street, who pronounced the man dead. The man had been sent out by his wife to try to purchase some coal. The body was removed to the morgue, but an inquest is not likely.

Your Table and Patriotism

The country calls for its citizens who are left at home to manifest their patriotism in a real and practical way. Your table is criterion of your patriotism. Does it reflect economy? The use of more milk and hence less meats and other foodstuffs that must be sent to the boys is your patriotic duty. The Farmers' Dairy milk is a food. It costs less than meat and some other foods, and with bread it makes a well-balanced diet. "More milk and less meat" should be the motto. It's patriotic—and will bring you health and happiness, too. Use it at every meal. Give it to your family at morning, noon and night. The Farmers' Dairy milk is the same price as other milk. Get tickets to-day.



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