

## VALENTINE TEA IS SUCCESSFUL EVENT

King's Daughters Conduct Very Enjoyable Function in St. Andrew's Hall

The King's Daughters added new lustre to their reputation for most successful and enjoyable entertainments when they held their annual Valentine tea and sale yesterday afternoon in St. Andrew's schoolroom, which had been lavishly decorated in red and white colors with Valentine favors. A satisfactory sum was realized.

The serving table in cross-shape was very attractive with its silver service and silver vases with red tulips and paper white narcissi for decoration. They red cupids formed a ring about the central vase. The many small tea tables were centred with vases of red tulips and the sugar bowls, trimmed with red and ornamented with cupids, enhanced the general scheme of decoration.

Mrs. Edith Stevens, president, and Mrs. F. K. McArthur received the guests and Mrs. J. Herbert Crockett was general convener. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. C. H. Peters, Mrs. J. H. Bullock, Mrs. Frank Lively and Mrs. R. E. Plumptre. The doorkeepers and ministering circles and the individual members had charge of the tea, with Miss Gertrude Campbell as convener, assisted by Mrs. W. A. Nicholas and Mrs. Max McCarthy. There was a very efficient committee of replenishers and servers. The apron table was under the supervision of the members of Good Cheer Circle with Mrs. Clinton Brown, Mrs.

## URGES SUPPORT OF NATIONS LEAGUE

Mrs. D. V. White of Saint John Gives Address to Sackville Audience

SACKVILLE, Feb. 11.—A very interesting and instructive lecture on "The League of Nations" was given in Beethovens Hall Tuesday evening by Mrs. Douglas V. White, of Saint John, a graduate of Mount Allison University. The large number of students and townspeople present listened with keen interest as Mrs. White dealt with her subject in a very able manner. The lecturer gave a sketch of the formation of the League, its objects, and the events leading up to the Locarno pact. In concluding, she referred to the horrors and devastation that would ensue if another war were permitted, referring to the statement of Edison, the famous scientist, that London could be destroyed in six hours and New York in three hours by means of latest scientific methods. The lecturer earnestly pleaded for support of the work of the League of Nations in the interests of peace. On motion of Mrs. G. M. Campbell, seconded by Mrs. F. L. West and spoken to by Principal Wigle and Prof. Tweedie, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the lecturer. Mrs. W. G. Watson presided at the meeting, which was held under the auspices of the Oneida-White Circle.

When the barometer rises gradually it indicates settled weather.

## BOYS REHEARSE

The Junior boys of the East End Boys' Club held a rehearsal last night for the entertainment they will present tonight for the pleasure of their parents and friends. The boys will take part in a movie play entitled "The Supreme Sacrifice" and will round out their program with singing, tumbling displays and various other stunts. The Y. M. C. A. members, who are doing splendid work in training for a leaders' corps the older boys of the club, paid their weekly visit to the club rooms last night.

## MONCTON LIBERALS CHOOSE OFFICERS

MONCTON, Feb. 11.—At a meeting of the Liberals of Moncton tonight a local organization was effected. Officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, Senator Hon. C. W. Robinson; president, T. T. Goodwin; first vice-president, P. A. Belliveau; second vice-president, James C. Sherren; secretary, S. L. T. Ryan; treasurer, A. E. McSwiney; executive, Robert McManus, B. P. Myles, R. A. Frechet, John Doherty, O. L. Barbour, C. H. Belliveau, Geo. Milton, Z. G. Bourque, A. F. Tremblay, R. M. Palmer, S. C. Friel, A. T. Doyle, S. T. Lowery, Carl Wolfe, F. E. Dennison, John Coates, Alfred Gagnon and Rufin Arsenault.

## ENJOY OLD DANCES

Ladies' Auxiliary of Loyalist Lodge, B. of R. T. Entertains

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Loyalist Lodge, B. of R. T., under the direction of the president, Mrs. W. A. Tobin, held a well patronized card party and old-fashioned dancing on Wednesday evening in Oddfellows' Hall in West Saint John. There were 18 tables of auction forty-fives. The ladies' prizes were won by Mrs. S. Wilson, Mrs. T. Meahan and Mrs. J. Cunningham. Gentlemen's prizes were won by Fred McMaster, J. Howard and A. Cox. The lucky prize, a clock, was won by Mrs. W. Higgins. Music for the dancing was furnished by Mrs. John Baird and Robert Cox. Charles Coey was the floor manager. Mrs. Samuel Silliphant, Mrs. Henry Morris, Mrs. A. Cox, Mrs. Herbert Robson and Mrs. Charles Coey were the committee in charge and they were assisted by the other ladies of the Auxiliary in serving dainty refreshments.

## PROMOTE IDEA OF TRAVEL IN CANADA

Railways and Boards of Trade Would Have People Know Dominion

A "get acquainted with Canada" educational scheme is being promoted by the C. P. R., the C. N. R. and the various Maritime Boards of Trade, working in conjunction. The idea is to get the people of the Maritime provinces interested in an excursion to the western coast, going out by one of the country's great railway systems and returning by the other. Railway officials said last night that the idea of the project was not to create traffic for the railways, but to have the people of Canada get to know other parts of the country and to discover for themselves sections which are at present only names to them.

## DANCE INSTEAD OF DRIVE

The Booster Club of Willis No. 70, L. O. U., held a very enjoyable dance at Wednesday evening at the Orange Hall, Fairville. Arrangements have been made for a sleigh drive but owing to the inclemency of the weather the drive did not take place and those who assembled at the hall for the drive enjoyed the dance as a substitute. Music was provided by an orchestra and the ladies of Baxter Lodge assisted in serving refreshments.

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## Social Notes of Interest

Mrs. Andrew Jack and Miss Barbara Jack gave a most enjoyable bridge at their residence, 258 Princess street, yesterday afternoon. Spring flowers were effectively used in the decoration of the drawing room and also centred the tea table. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. George Stoddard and Mrs. Henry Morris.

## Mrs. Harry Redfern Fraser and Miss

Mary Blizard were the joint hostesses at a delightful small bridge at Miss Blizard's residence, 86 Orange street, on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. James Boucher, of London, Ont.

## Mrs. Lloyd A. Drew entertained

very enjoyably at bridge at her residence, 59 Hazen street, last evening. The artistically arranged apartment was decorated for the occasion with spring flowers. The guests included Mrs. J. I. Coll, Mrs. Norman Gregory, Mrs. John Nanson, Mrs. A. J. Riches, Mrs. John Earle, Mrs. Willard Gregory, Mrs. Bradford Gilbert, Miss Alice Rogers, Miss Jean Wilkins and Miss Margaret Wilkins.

## Mrs. John MacKinnon gave a very

enjoyable tea at her residence, 185 Duke street, yesterday afternoon. Tulle and Ophelia roses decorated the drawing room and in the dining room vases of daffodils made an attractive decoration, with yellow candles in a silver candelabrum, which centred the artistically arranged tea table. Mrs. George Stoddard and Mrs. George Ewing presided over the tea and Mrs. Norman Marshall and Miss Portia Mackenzie replenished. Those who assisted with the refreshments were Miss Helen Ewing, Miss Frances Elkin, Miss Gweneth Hodgson and Miss Marie Magee. Mrs. Harold Evans and Mrs. Franklin J. Hodgson conducted the guests to the dining room. Miss Jean Evans assisted the hostess.

## Under the auspices of the Pandemonia

Young Association a very enjoyable dance was held at the Pythian Castle last evening. The decorations were in keeping with St. Valentine's Day and consisted of red hearts and cupid in the ballroom. At supper time the table was centred with silver candelabra with red candles, and red hearts and cupid carried out an effective decoration. Mrs. George Ewing and Miss Marie Magee were convener of the refreshment committee. Bridge was enjoyed in the large room downstairs and was supervised by Dr. Gomer Manning and Mr. J. H. Hamilton. Mr. Frederick Dunham was convener of the dance committee. A five-piece orchestra provided excellent music for the program of 18 dances. Upwards of 400 guests enjoyed the hospitality of the club. Mr. J. Roy Bell, president of the Pandemonia Outing Association, was general convener for the delightful entertainment.

## Miss Dorothy Evans returned yesterday

from Fredericton, where she attended the U. N. B. convention. While in Fredericton Miss Evans was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Wainwright.

## On account of the inclemency of the

weather the tea under the auspices of the girls' branch of the W. A. of Saint John's (Stone) church, which was to have been held yesterday, was postponed until this afternoon.

## Mr. and Mrs. John C. Belyea, of

Rothesay, are being congratulated on the arrival of a little daughter at their home on Wednesday.

## Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Titus are receiving

the congratulations of their many friends on the arrival of a little daughter at the Saint John Infirmary on Tuesday.

## The Junior and Intermediate Mission

Bands of Knox church held a very enjoyable surprise tea on Wednesday afternoon. Dainty lunches in valentine napkins, each containing a surprise, were served. Ross Thompson, Rita Cosman, Mrs. McAfee and Mrs. Andrew Armstrong were winners in the heart and arrow contest and Miss Constance Sheraton and Eric Colwell in the nut contest. A pot of gold, hidden by the Rainbow Circle, was found by Miss Flora French. The proceeds from the tea will be used for missions.

## The Ladies' Society of Knox church

met on Tuesday afternoon for tea and sewing. Tea was served to a large number of members by Mrs. J. F. Clayton, Mrs. Wetmore, Mrs. McLeod and Mrs. H. Crockett.

## Mrs. James McAllister and Mrs. Wallace

Galbraith, of Lorneville, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Herbert Robson, St. James street, West Saint John.

## Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCavour, of

Vancouver, are visiting friends in Lorneville.

## Rev. Peter Jackson, of Lorneville

United church, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freeze in Hampton. Mrs. Jackson is the guest of friends in West Saint John.

## Mrs. Heber Vroom, who has been

spending a week in Toronto attending

## the meeting of the executive of the

National Chapter of the I. O. O. F., is at present in Montreal visiting friends. While in Toronto, Mrs. P. E. Doolittle, Miss Church, Mrs. Selwyn Holmstead, Mrs. Eason, Miss Joan Arnold and Miss Constance Laing entertained for Mrs. Vroom.

## Miss Katherine Higgins entertained

at a delightful tea over the week-end at the Admiral Beatty Hotel in honor of Miss Evelyn Walsh. Those present were Mrs. J. U. Hager, Mrs. Joseph Henneberry, Mrs. William McDonald, Mrs. Robert Murphy, Mrs. N. T. White, Mrs. Jas. Delany, Miss Helen McGuire, Miss Veda Waterbury, Miss Phyllis Layden, Miss Beatrice Knowles, Miss Genevieve Killen, Miss Gertrude Lane, Miss Kathleen Lane, Miss Mabel Burke, Miss Ellen Higgins, Miss Mary Lannen, Miss Ted Murphy, Miss Stella McHugh, Miss Margaret Creary, Miss Josephine Gonnell and Miss Walsh. A very handsome fireside set of brass was presented to the guest of honor.

## AMBASSADOR WILL HAVE 52-ROOM HOME

Mansion in London Given By J. P. Morgan to Be Opened on July 4

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The anniversary of the Declaration of Independence has been chosen for the opening and dedication of the "first little bit of the United States on British soil." On July 4 Ambassador Houghton will occupy and receive in the new home, the property of the American Government, of the American ambassador to the Court of St. James.

## The residence, at 13 and 14 Prince's

Gate, will then appear as a beautiful mansion in one of the most fashionable districts of London. When the property was given to the government for an ambassadorial home by J. Pierpont Morgan there were two buildings, but these have been joined together into one palatial whole, and renovations now in progress should be completed for the July opening.

## The new mansion will have 52 rooms,

Mrs. Houghton will have a delightful suite of bedroom, boudoir and sewing room, while the ambassador will have a special suite with a visitors' receiving room.

## Mercier's Red Hat To Hang In Cathedral

BRUSSELS, Feb. 11.—Cardinal Mercier's red hat is to hang permanently in the choir of the Cathedral of St. Rombaut, at Millen, reviving an ancient custom which lapsed at the time of the French Revolution. Workmen now are chiseling a cross on the stone slabs in the choir to mark the exact spot in the subterranean crypt where the Cardinal lies, and over which the hat will hang.

## A public subscription has been opened

in Malines to erect a statue of the prelate.

## GAVE GOOD PROGRAMME

Under auspices of the Good Cheer Circle of the King's Daughters an enjoyable concert was given for the patients of the Provincial Hospital on Tuesday night. The program was given by Miss Vida Waterbury, Miss Bernice Mooney, John Sears and Harold Gillis, and a vocal duet by Miss Waterbury and Miss Alice G. Ring. Violin solos by Mrs. H. MacMichael, recitations by Nelson Lewis, old-time choruses in which all joined heartily, and piano solos by Mrs. John Sears, composed the program. The audience was most appreciative. Refreshments were served by the Good Cheer Circle and the program was a most successful one.

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## Widow of Milan Attorney Is

Mussolini's Chief Lieutenant

By THOMAS B. MORGAN

United Press Staff Correspondent  
ROME, Feb. 11.—Recognized as the generator of the spiritual motive force of fascism, Margherita Sarfatti, widow of a Milan attorney and mother of a war-fallen warrior of the coveted gold medal, can count herself as the chief lieutenant of Prime Minister Benito Mussolini.

"I am the minister without portfolio," she told the United Press correspondent.

It was Signora Sarfatti, who stood at the side of Mussolini, when the Fascist movement was born. Even before that she had been an active collaborator of the Dictator of Italy in the days before Mussolini had given much thought to his plans for seizing power. She had been a Socialist with him and from her profound culture he imbibed deeply of the philosophy of the great masters.

In those days, she provided a welcome complement to his tireless brain. He had a thorough grounding of economic and social science and had read extensively in the original German the works of the German thinkers of the nineteenth century. Signora Sarfatti speaks and writes in four languages, namely, Italian, French, English and German. Mussolini also is well grounded in languages, speaking French and Italian and reading with great ease, English, German and Russian, all of which have been self-taught.

Eleanora Sarfatti is a Lombard blonde and displays a vivacity unusual in one whose passion is culture. She is profoundly devoted to all forms of art.



"Isn't that just like a man!"

"I wish Jack wouldn't think his Wanda was a wizard. I don't mind his bringing two strange men home to dinner but, gracious goodness! there's absolutely nothing in the house and no time to do any shopping. I simply can't conjure a dinner out of the air."

Wanda's first move was a survey of the pantry—her second was a careful conning of the Oxo Cook Book.

At 6:30 three hungry men were called to dinner. A clear consommé in cups (which Wanda prepared with four Oxo Cubes, boiling water and a dash of paprika) was followed by a rousing Meat Pie (crisp, crumbly crust and the remains of Sunday's roast beef, with all its fresh flavour cunningly restored by the addition of Oxo Cubes).

Instead of the usual boiled vegetables, Wanda served Oxo Croquettes (Boiled rice, flavoured with a minced onion,

a little sage, salt and pepper and strengthened by two Oxo Cubes; mixed well, shaped into croquettes, rolled in bread crumbs and fried to a golden brown).

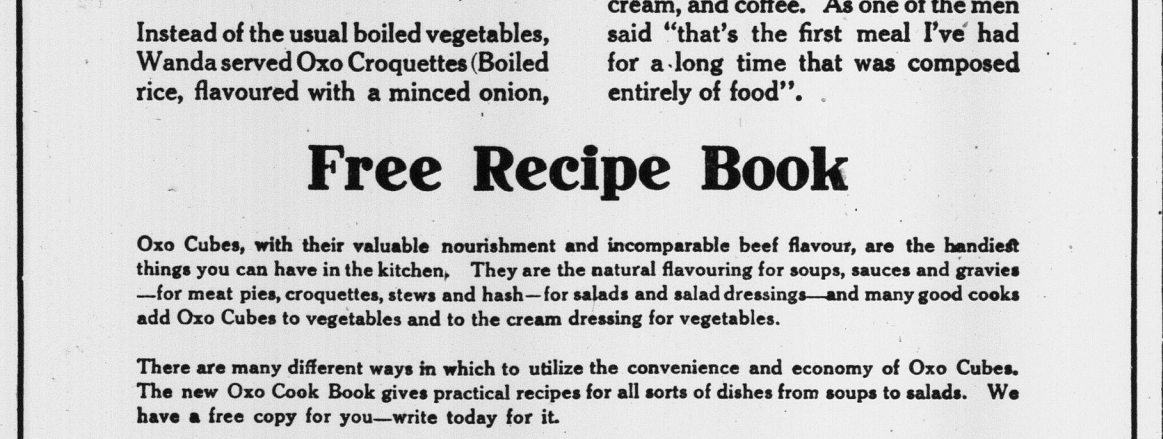
Then came a green salad (with an Oxo Cube added to the French Dressing); deep apple pie with whipped cream, and coffee. As one of the men said "that's the first meal I've had for a long time that was composed entirely of food".

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