

Excellent Work Of Victorian Order

Nurses Have Made Over 8,000 Visits During the Year and Had 1,111 Cases Under Their Care—Annual Meeting Held Yesterday.

Plans for opening a Training Centre for Nurses were discussed at the nineteenth annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses held yesterday afternoon in Trinity Church School-room. Mrs. George F. Smith presided, and Judge Forbes, president, acted as secretary in the absence of W. H. Lugsden.

A very interesting account of the work was given by Miss Murdie, superintendent of nurses. She stated that there are about one hundred and sixty children under the care of the Victorian Order, and in telling of the attendance of the Nurses at the Free Kindergartens said that advice given was well received by the mothers. Much skin disease had been found, which might be blamed upon the cold houses in which people were forced to live, as it was very hard for mothers to bathe children without heat. In the last two weeks no child welfare work had been done, as the nurses' time had been occupied with bedside cases. Many pre-natal visits had been made, and Miss Murdie strongly advocated the formation of a mother's club, as many women were for whom no one was ignorant as to how their children should be cared for. The Well Baby clinic, for which nearly all arrangements have been made, will be a means of teaching mothers, and it has been found that in other places competition among the mothers had resulted, each trying to have their child the best developed and healthiest.

Mrs. G. F. Smith spoke of the many difficulties under which the nurses have been laboring for the past month—lack of cars, storms and many calls, and praised their self-sacrificing, cheerful efforts.

It is hoped to purchase a property for a Nurses' Home, and establish there a Training School for V. O. Nurses. This, she explained, would add to the number of nurses and lessen the expense, as additional nurses would not have to be engaged. An extensive programme of public health work is being mapped out.

W. H. Lugsden, in the secretary-treasurer's report, stated the following facts:

Miss Jones, the faithful superintendent, has been transferred to Edmonton, Alberta, and is succeeded by Miss Murdie. Five nurses are employed in St. John, including East St. John, and one on the West Side, which includes Fairville and Lancaster, to which a second nurse will be added by the first of April. This we are enabled to do by the generous donation of \$500 by the municipality of St. John.

We are also delighted to acknowledge a donation of \$3,500 from the Red Cross Society to pay the salary of a nurse for three years.

After consultations with the Hon. Dr. Roberts, Minister of Health for New Brunswick, the directors resolved to engage more systematically in "Child Welfare Work" and the city is divided into five districts, with a nurse assigned to each. We also have to acknowledge the generosity of the Board of Health in providing the salary of the extra nurse specially engaged in this work. All nurses are appointed by this board and are under their superintendence.

The progressive people of Rothesay have asked for a Victorian nurse, and Miss McNevin has entered on her work with marked success. Mrs. J. Davidson and Mrs. J. McIntyre have been appointed honorary members of the board for this district.

The visit of Mrs. Hanington, superintendent, and Miss Hall, her assistant, and their helpful suggestions was referred to. The opening of the Nurses' Home on Haymarket Square is mentioned, but it is stated that the accommodation is inadequate there. Forty-eight physicians avail themselves of the nurses' services, and thanks were returned to the medical profession for appreciation of the nursing staff.

The financial statement is as follows: Receipts, \$7,989.41; expenditures, \$6,966.53; balance on hand, \$1,022.88.

There were 1,111 cases nursed during the year, and 8,128 visits made by the nurses.

The election of the Board of Directors resulted in the entire Board being re-elected, with the addition of Col. Murray MacLaren and the Regent of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. O. E. The Board is as follows: Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. Dever, Mrs. David McCallan, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. M. B. Edwards, Mrs. Harold Mayes, Mrs. S. Elkin, Miss C. MacLaren, Judge Forbes, Judge Ritchie, Senator Thorne, Senator Daniel, E. L. Rising, L. W. Simms, Canon Armstrong, W. H. Lugsden.

By a standing vote, a resolution of sympathy to Hon. Dr. Roberts in his recent bereavement was passed. Thanks were voted to the Corporation of Trinity Church for the use of the rooms yesterday.

OBITUARY

Elizabeth Campbell.

Rexton, N. B., Feb. 15.—The death occurred in the Malden Hospital on February 3rd of Miss Elizabeth S. Campbell, at the age of sixty-eight years. Deceased, who was a nurse, was born at Bass River, Kent Co., and has resided in Boston for about forty years. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. William Marshall, Bass River; Mrs. James Lawson, Main River; Mrs. R. J. Appleby, Dorchester, Mass.; Miss Annie S. Campbell, Dorchester, Mass.; and four brothers, Duncan Campbell, of Fall River, Mass.; James Campbell, North Dakota; John Campbell, North Dakota, and William Campbell, Dorchester, Mass.

The funeral took place on Wednesday to the Presbyterian cemetery at Bass River, where interment was made. Rev. Alexander Craig officiated at the house and grave.

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WEDDINGS

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At St. Thomas' Church, Toronto, on Tuesday, Feb. 17th, the Rev. C. Enor Sharp officiating, the marriage was very quietly solemnized of Miss Frances Verner, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd McMann of this city to Charles Mages of Detroit, Mich. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Lawrence B. C. McMann, was married in a navy blue travelling suit with becoming hat to match and taupe fox fur. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses.

Otto James, organist of the Church of the Redeemer, presided at the organ, and rendered appropriate music during the service. After the ceremony, the bride's party repaired to the home of the bride's brother on Dalton Road where a wedding supper was served; after which the happy couple left for their home in Detroit.

Duffy-Fraser

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Hammond River, Miss Pearl Dorothy Fraser of Nauyasgawauk was united in marriage to John A. Duffy, son of J. Edwin Duffy of the same place. The church was artistically decorated with evergreen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. J. Graham under a beautiful arch. The principals were attended. The bride was becomingly attired in a navy blue travelling suit of crepe de chine, hat to match and carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Duffy left on the evening train for a short honeymoon trip through the State of Maine, and on their return will reside at Nauyasgawauk. The bride is very popular in Hampton, having been employed in the Bank of Nova Scotia there as teller for the last few years. The staff of that institution presented to her a beautiful mahogany serving tray. She received many other beautiful presents from a large circle of friends. Many hearty wishes for much future happiness are expressed.

Canada is the foremost of the family of the British Empire, and, being nearest, the great responsibility rests upon her, not alone to aid and assist in her, but to lead the van in all forms of industrial life; to seize every opportunity to forward the grandeur and stability both of herself and of the Empire.—The Agricultural Gazette for January, 1920.

Another Epidemic OF THE SPANISH INFLUENZA

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Propaganda Started by Baron Von Horst—No Encouragement.

"Daily Express" Correspondent Berlin, Feb. 17.—The "Irish Republic" is making a great effort to secure recognition by the German sister republic, and to this end has placed its interests in the hands of Baron von Horst, who is carrying on a vigorous propaganda.

Von Horst points out the suitability of two oppressed nations, Ireland and Germany, making common cause. He says:

"Germany, by extending a helping hand to Ireland, will make sure of securing a reconciliation with the United States, which also desires to free Ireland. The influence of Ireland in the United States is so great that she could materially help the relations between Germany and America." Notwithstanding the alluring prospect, the German Government declines to have any dealings with the Irish Republic. A Government official, in discussing the matter, said to me:—"Now that peace is ratified we would in no event enter into negotiations with any representative of the so-called Irish Republic, as that would be regarded by England as an unfriendly act. Still more emphatically can it be stated that we regard the Irish Republic's selected representative as more likely to damage than to advance our cause."

Von Horst who has a peculiar career, is of German origin, but lived for some years in America. He was im-

prisoned in England during the war as a danger to public welfare, and when he was eventually released he asserted his intention to get even with England. He now runs the notorious "European Times," which is the successor to the defunct "Continental Times."

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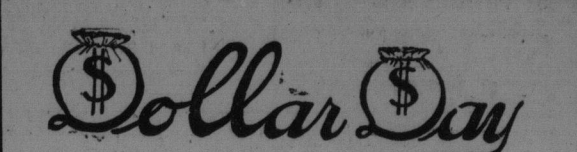
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