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Grateful acknowledgements of the safe arrival of a shipment of bales sent overseas by the London I. O. D. E. has been received from Lady Perley. And the call comes for more. It is for the women of Canada to hear and heed the call. You who read these lines have you been doing all you should? Have you been doing all your work? Is there not something more you can do? Is the rumor true that there are women who do nothing? It is incredible that in this hour of our country's need there should be any who have forgotten their duty. Remember in this war there can be no neutrality. Those who do not help only hinder, and are failing in their loyalty to the Empire. There is something for every woman to do.

Owing to the rooms at Crown Hall being in use last week, the committee were unable to pack, but will be ready for work this week, when the chapter will please send in their contributions.

The convener acknowledges the following: From the Trafalgar Chapter, 24 pillow-cases; Hamilton Gault Chapter, 19 towels; Jersey Canuck Chapter, consignment of candy; Sir John French Chapter, Sebringville, 54 pairs socks.

A letter from Capt. Mary Plummer, P. C. C., has been received, acknowledging the receipt of a box containing 46 pairs of socks and two scarfs, and extending to the donor the sincere thanks of the commission.

The Hamilton Gault Chapter met on Monday afternoon in their room over the Royal Bank to hear their usual monthly report, which were very gratifying, showing a goodly amount of work accomplished. This chapter is composed of young ladies, married and single, who are making pyjamas, knitting socks, hemming towels and helping the cause in many ways. Some of the members visit the central military hospitals weekly, carrying dainties to tempt the appetites of those confined to bed. The husbands of four members are in active service, and give them a personal interest in the welfare of the soldiers. The sum of \$10 was given to the men who have been in service overseas, and the chapter is also the widows of those who have given their lives for their Empire. Although only a very short time in existence, the members find ample scope for their energies. Their special work is that of looking after the families of the returned men, and in this they will need more assistance than the Government officials will be able to provide.

In the handsome souvenir book issued by the Daughters of the Empire of Manitoba there is not only a full account of the magnificent work done by the order in that province, but also many excellent articles on the subject by prominent authors, officers and public men. From among these we extract the following paragraph in a letter written by Gen. H. N. Rutten, D. O. C., which applies as well to London as to Winnipeg: "It will be much to the advantage of the public to know the extent of the great work being undertaken by the I. O. D. E., and will enable the patriotic and charitable citizens who now know little of the society, to assist in its efforts for the general good. If only by its practice in bringing Imperial matters of interest from time to time before the public, your society has just beyond this, and among many other activities helped to most helpful to the world, and in its operation of convalescent homes at the early stage of the war was incalculable benefit to the returned sick and wounded men. Your work was not delegated to others, but undertaken at great personal sacrifice of time and energy by your members personally. I trust that your society may long be able to continue its good work, and that it will be useful, as it has been in the past."

Here or hereafter you shall see it ended. This mighty work to which your souls are set. If from beyond, then with the vision of the future, you shall smile back and never know regret.

More workers are needed at Hyman Hall. Friday is to be a big day, and it is urgently necessary that everyone be present. Please do not miss this day of service, just our boys overseas miss some comfort we might send them.

MAURICE KIDITH,
Press Secretary.



A GOOD STYLE FOR MANY OCCASIONS.

Waist—1961. Skirt—1962. This portrays a white broadcloth frock, touched up with a trimming of soutache braid. The waist is finished in overblouse style, with wide belt portions, holding the fullness at the waistline. The skirt has a tunic cut on smart lines. The sleeve is new, and finished with a deep shaped cuff. The dress is composed of Ladies' Waist Pattern 1961 and Ladies' Skirt Pattern 1962. The waist is cut in seven sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. The skirt is seven sizes: 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist measure. It requires 3/4 yards of 44-inch material for the entire dress in a medium size. The skirt measures about 2 1/2 yards at the foot.

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L. K. C.

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For Chesty Troubles.
Dear Miss Grey,—Have been to your page before, but I am coming again. Here is an old country recipe for children and people troubled with "chesty" troubles. Get from the druggist 5 cents worth of glycerine, 3 cents essence of almonds, 1 gill of lime water, and the smallest quantity you can get of phosphates of lime and soda. Now get a small bottle of cod liver oil, empty into a basin, then add the glycerine, and thoroughly; then add the contents of a can of condensed milk (the best you can get), beat together for a little while, then gradually stir in the whites of two well-beaten eggs. Beat all together again, and when nice and creamy pour into bottles, cork, and keep in a cool place.

Could you please print the words soon for me of a song that goes like this: "Kind, kind and gentle was she, kind was my Mary." A family in England has a gramophone record of this song, but they would like the words to sing to it. Hoping you can get it for me soon and print it for me.

MOTHER OF TWO CHILDREN.
Ans.—Ours were some of our Scotch readers will be able to supply the words, and I shall be glad to print them.

Poor Little Arm.
Dear Miss Grey,—I have another soldier letter for the Mail-Box if you have space to print, so you can send my two letters back together.

1. Will you please send me "Echo's" cure for indigestion? A member of our

family has it, and has tried almost everything.

2. One of my little girls burned her arm on the stove a year ago, and it has never healed. I have used salve from the doctor and drug store, but they have never done it any good. Will some reader please send me in some home treatment for it?

3. Are papers allowed to be sent to soldiers in England and France yet? My bread has been good since I changed my flour, as you advised some time ago. Sincerely, MRS. S. E. B.

Ans.—I do not have any knowledge of "Echo's" cure, but if he will send me the information, I shall gladly mail it to you.

2. And we'll anxiously await the home remedies for that poor burned little arm. I know some of our mothering will want to respond.

3. So far as I can ascertain, one can still mail papers and periodicals to men overseas.

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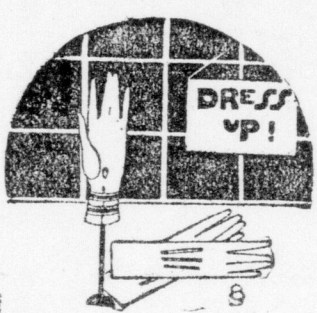
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By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.

The six daily studies for this week constitute the International S. S. Lesson for next Sunday. Read the Bible Story on which this study is based, as you ponder the following questions:

1. Verse 15—What is the reason that the longer men live in sin, the less their chances are of yielding to Christ?

2. Verses 15-16—If it is true, as we verily believe, that Christians when they die go into a conscious state of never-ending bliss, why should their friends, who are left here, need "comfort?"

3. When people are in distress, and their hearts rent with grief, what is the message of the gospel to them?



THE CLOTHES OF WOMEN

[From the Toronto News.]

Men who are reasonable enough in every other respect are sure to be critics of women's clothes. It is a weakness that never can be overcome. The trouble is that they are wont to consider costume in the light of reason. They begin with two false assumptions: first, that women are anxious to be warm; secondly, that they desire to look well. Men may strive for warmth and attractiveness, but it does not follow that women will do likewise. The truth is that a woman

is afraid of being warm, and would rather be fashionable than pleasing.

It may be seen, therefore, how futile is the criticism of a capacious man. His procedure may be outlined as follows: He sees a girl with a bad cold. He perceives that she is wearing a spring coat, weighing, perhaps, three ounces. He sees her straw hat. He notices when she removes her coat that the sleeves of her waist are made of transparent nylon, and that behind its diaphanous nothing but a plump arm is visible. Furthermore, he ascertains that rubbers are never worn with kid shoes. Immediately he turns to that young woman and says: "You have a cold? No wonder! If I went around with a nylon coat, no waistcoat and a straw hat, I should be just as cold."

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