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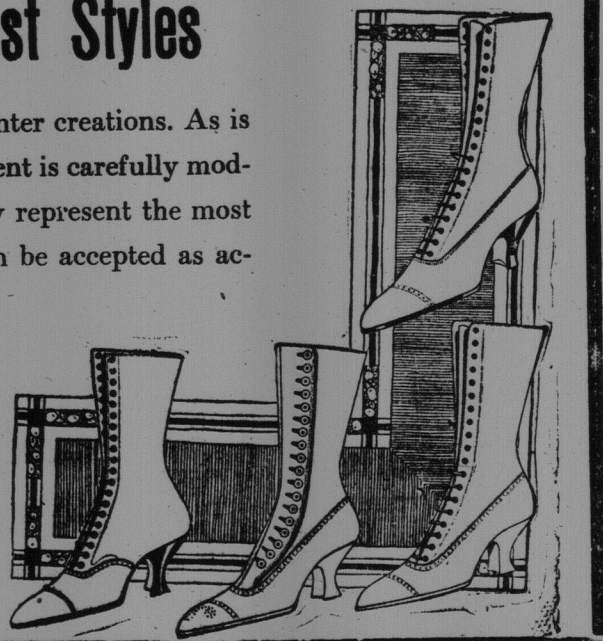
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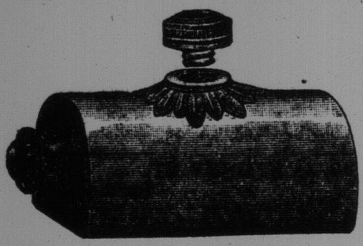


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Only Few Days Left and Long  
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Tonight

With but a few days remaining to the objective, the committees in charge of the Victory Loan are these parts are a bit anxious. They fear that New Brunswick may fail. They are afraid that St. John may go down in history that in so important a matter for the welfare of Canada, a matter almost as important as supplying men when the war was on, the city did not respond. It simply means that it must try to buy, if even for only small amounts, and that those who have bought what they could easily afford, must buy again.

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## THE CHINESE WEDDING

(By Miss See Me Tsung.)

The Chinese wedding, according to the old customs, is a very interesting ceremony. Although each province has some distinct features, yet generally the custom is more or less the same. The description of a wedding given here takes place in well-to-do families and still holds in the interior of China.

A lucky date is selected by the parents of the groom and sent to the parents of the bride before anything can be arranged. If it is agreeable to both sides they begin to make preparations for the special occasion. When the appointed day comes near both families send out the announcements together with the invitation. These invitations are sheets of red paper about five by eight inches in size on which gilt characters are printed. They are in red envelopes of the same size. When the relatives and friends get them they prepare for the bride, such as silver or porcelain dishes and curios, beautiful silks, and gold ornaments. As for the groom, his friends do not give him things like that, but present to him large red satin scrolls four by six feet in size, on the centre of which is a great character meaning "double happiness." These scrolls are used to hang on the walls of the big hall where the marriage ceremony is to be held.

Usually three days before the wedding day the bride's parents invite all of their friends and relations to dinner and at the same time they show the bride's trousseau, ornaments, jewels, and bedding. A bride is supposed to have eight trunks of clothes at least, eight or ten different kinds of fine-lined garments, silk and cotton ones. She must have sufficient clothing of every kind for each season to last three years. Silver dishes, bowls and chop sticks and different kinds of embroideries with other decorative things she always has. Then the beautiful jewel-encrusted rings and earrings are given to her. When the guests have finished seeing the things, a feast is served at which the bride and groom are seated at the head of the table. On the next day the bride's things are carried to the groom's home. The long bright colored procession passing along the street is a pretty sight.

### The Bride's Farewell

The night before the wedding day a farewell dinner is given to the bride at which only the members of her family are present. Before the dinner comes to the end everybody drinks a toast to the bride. The groom's family also invites people to their house and lets them see the beautifully decorated bridal chamber. These guests usually stay for dinner.

On the wedding day there are many guests in both of the homes. They come in the morning and give their hearty greetings. The groom's family sends the bride's things accompanied by a hand to the bride's home. Everything connected with the ceremony has a symbolic and fortunate meaning, so even the hour when the bride leaves her home is carefully selected. The band plays continuously as the bride arrives. By nine o'clock the bride is already dressed in red silk heavily embroidered with gold and silver as well as with rainbow colors. A crown of countless imitation pearls, jade and rubies is on her head and a heavy red silk cloth, ornamented with strings of pearls, hangs over her face. A crown of genuine pearls and jade is used in the wealthier families. The last thing which the bride puts on is the red satin embroidered shoes which have red dots pasted on the bottom. This is done to prevent the bride from taking away any dirt from her old home to the new. Before the bride enters the chair the groom comes to her house to bow to his parents and meets her friends and relatives. After a little while he leaves with her, having seen the bride however. Then the bride comes down from her room attended by four maids. She bids farewell to her ancestors by kneeling before their portraits and near relatives. As soon as she gets into the chair the red papers which are on the bottom of her shoes are torn away. Soon the beautiful screen of the chair is put down and eight men carry the chair away while the different instruments are being played.

The groom's home is easily distinguished by the decorations at the great entrance. An arbor of red and green silk artistically designed is formed outside of the door. Six or eight large red lanterns add to the beauty of the scene. Guests are arriving all the time and being announced by the orchestra that is seated just inside the first entrance. Crossing an open space the guests pass through a beautifully decorated doorway into the main hall which is also nicely arranged. On the walls the chairs and tables have the most exquisitely embroidered red satin covers. This hall is full of well-dressed, merry men, women and children. All are expecting and waiting for the arrival of the bride. When the continuous music of the bridal band approaches they crowd on both sides of the room, leaving a big empty space in the middle for the bride.

Soon the gorgeous chair appears and is stopped at the entrance of the hall. Usually the bride is kept in the chair for one hour or more, for it is believed that the longer she is kept there the better temper she will have. Afterwards the big red candles are lighted. The first thing for the bride and groom to do is to bow to each other. There is a saying that whoever kneels first will be under the control of the other so neither of them wants to do it first. This causes

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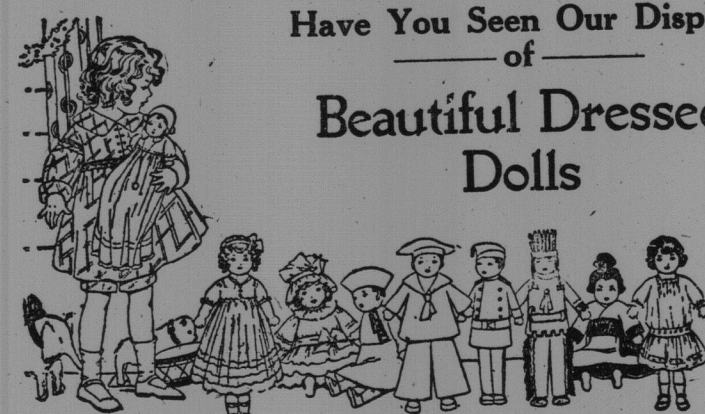
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(Neckwear Section—Annex)



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## CHAPTERS TO JOIN IN -BIG ENTERTAINMENT

The municipal chapter of the I. O. D. E. held a special meeting in the Government rooms yesterday afternoon in order to make full and complete arrangements for the grand entertainment which will be staged early in December in order to raise at least \$2,000 as the contribution of all the chapters of the city and Rothery towards the I. O. D. E. education memorial. The regent Mrs. Hugh Mackay, president and there was a large attendance of members all being most interested and enthusiastic in preparing to undertake their allotted parts of the work.

All of the ten chapters in the city and Rothery will take part in the entertainment which, it was decided, should be called the Daughters of the Empire Follies. The chapters that will supply performers are the Royal Standard, the Duke of Rothery, the Loyalist, the Valentines, the Brunswick, the deMonts, the Royal Arms and the Seven Seas. The general convener for the entertainment will be Mrs. Cortland Robinson. All matters concerning the programmes

will be in charge of the Windsor chapter and the ushering will be in charge of the Lady Roberts chapter. Mrs. T. H. Carter, regent of the Royal Arms chapter, will have charge of the tickets, Mrs. Heber Vroom of the advertising and Miss Ford of the music. The Brunswick chapter will conduct a candy booth in the lobby of the Imperial theatre, where the entertainment will be held. It was decided that an evening performance and a matinee for the following day should be arranged for.

Several resolutions were received by the municipal chapter from the primary chapters. All were resolutions of protest against the destruction of the court house. The secretary was asked to forward them to the mayor and commissioners. The chapters which sent in these resolutions were the deMonts, Valentines, Windsor, Duke of Rothery and Seven Seas.

Miss Doris Barbour read a paper on the life of Eugene Field before the members of the Young People's Society of Centenary church last evening. Readings were also given by Misses Laura Baxter, Elizabeth Good, Alice McCavour and Mary Marney and Arnold Young sang a solo. The entertainment was in connection with the church anniversary.

## IN HONOR OF SOLDIERS.

The local chapter of the Royal Arcanum last night entertained its soldier members. Regent Wm. A. Coleman presided. Horace A. Porter, grand regent for the maritime provinces, presented an engraved address of appreciation to the following members who fought in the war:—Robert E. Anderson, J. Allan Selfridge, Wm. McAllister, James L. McAvity, A. E. Loggie, Percy M. Rising, Harry Sellen, Charles F. Garnett, George V. Vincent, J. A. Harrison, John R. Miller and W. Kenneth Clewson. An enjoyable musical programme included instrumental selections by Messrs Gray and Mulbray. Luncheon was served.

## PRINCE VISITS WOUNDED SOLDIER AT HIS HOME

The Prince of Wales left Canada yesterday for the United States. His last act before going being one of kindly interest in a returned soldier. He paid a visit to the home of Capt. L. K. Askwith, M. C. Ottawa, who was wounded in 1916 and who took ill recently from the wound. A Washington despatch says that the prince, if he so desires, may see President Wilson in the sick-room at the White House during his visit to tea with Mrs. Wilson.

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