

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

SECOND SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED BY ONTARIO WOMEN WILL BE NATIONAL IN SCOPE

Door is Wide Open to Suffrage Leagues Thruout Canada, Tho Meagre Minority at First Meeting Desired to Hold Association Within Provincial Bounds—Mrs. L. A. Hamilton President.

Yesterday afternoon at an open meeting held in the studio of the Margaret Eaton School a second national Canadian suffrage society was launched. An unusual amount of interest was manifested in the proceedings. All seats were taken and a number stood during the entire meeting, so attractive did it prove to those in attendance. In addition to a fair-sized general audience, there were present representatives and delegates from the suffrage organizations of Ottawa, London, Montreal and Toronto. The local societies represented were the Equal Franchise League, Beaches Progressive, Junior Suffrage and Teachers' Suffrage. Mrs. Gordon Wright of London was elected to the chair. In her opening remarks, Mrs. Wright said she believed the meeting upon the work of which they were about to begin would be one of great import. She requested those present to ask the blessing of God upon the undertaking. Mrs. Burt of Ottawa was then elected secretary pro tem. The presiding officer called upon Mrs. Brown, secretary of the Equal Franchise League, to make a statement of the reasons that had brought about the meeting. In complying, Mrs. Brown stated that she had just returned from a trip to the west, where she had been attending at the number of women's meetings and had observed that organizers and suffrage literature might be sent them. Toronto in itself was not able to meet the demand, and it was therefore obvious that a Canadian society able to meet all calls was an immediate necessity.

A Dominion-Wide Body.

The following resolution, which had been prepared to place before the meeting, was then read: "Whereas it was considered advisable some time ago to form a suffrage society and such society was duly incorporated, and whereas some of those who subsequently joined the society are not satisfied with the manner in which it is being conducted and have withdrawn or intend to withdraw therefrom; whereas it is considered preferable to form another association rather than take steps which would result in pain and trouble where harmony should exist; whereas the rules of the international society provide that under certain circumstances two societies should be formed instead of one, therefore it is resolved that as the necessity appears to be undoubted, a new national society, open to the whole of Canada, and soliciting the aid of the women of the Dominion be this day formed and the meeting proceed to take immediate steps to give effect to the resolution."

"The Vicious Circle." After the resolution had been read by the secretary, the president asked for discussion. Mrs. Barker, who had the wording "deemed advisable" somewhat vague. To elucidate matters, Mrs. Lang read a statement she had previously written for publication, giving an account of the suffrage organization up to the point where no notice had been sent for the annual meeting to be held on the 24th and 25th of the present month. This was later canceled, but the progressives, as the new organization called themselves, insisted on a meeting being held on the 12th. Here the old national refused to allow anyone but themselves to vote, claiming that they alone had the right to do so. The statement ended with the assertion that "the vicious circle" was then complete and the meeting hopeless.

Why They Withdrew. In response to Mrs. Barker's query as to what societies were affiliated with the pioneer body, Mrs. Brown replied it was impossible to answer as the corresponding secretary of that body, when asked for the same information, had stated that the number of societies was unknown. A letter from Mr. Munis of the Canadian Suffrage was then read. It notified the Equal Franchise that they were regarded as troublesome, their affiliation, which at first had been accepted, had been rescinded. A cheque of \$5, the amount of annual fee, was also returned. A reply from the Equal Franchise, denying the right of the Suffrage to take the action they had, but also stated that the Franchise gave notice of withdrawal. Federal Provincial. At this point, Miss Carruthers enquired if the meeting were local or provincial. Mrs. Wright explained that all who had been convened had the right to vote, and then prepared to

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2 weeks	20 oz.	2 1/2 oz.	2 hrs.	10
3 weeks	25 oz.	3 1/2 oz.	2 hrs.	10
4 months	30 oz.	3 oz.	2 hrs.	10
6 months	40 oz.	3 oz.	2 1/2 hrs.	8
8 months	42 oz.	3 oz.	3 hrs.	6
1 year	48 oz.	3 oz.	3 hrs.	6
1 1/2 years	48 oz.	3 oz.	3 hrs.	6

Getting the Window Boxes Ready. (Continued from Yesterday.) In placing your window boxes made be sure that the boxes are not too deep. A window box full of good soil is a heavy box to lift, and besides being heavy is very inconvenient to manage. Many place their boxes upon the outside window sills, leaving them undisturbed in this position throughout the summer. If it is at all possible to manage your boxes in the following manner you will find it an advantage over the situation: Iron or wooden brackets are fastened just far enough below the level of the sill that the boxes when placed upon these supports are just below the level of the stone or wooden sill. The management of the fashion of placing the boxes should offer no difficulty since the whole thing depends simply upon suitable strong brackets to support the boxes.

Problems of Village Life. England is turning her attention to the removal of the evils which deeply ingrained into the life of that older land have already made their appearance in Ontario. One of the latest landowners in the Home Counties Series deals with rural depopulation. Mr. Bennett's summing up of the conditions which have driven the strong leavers from the crowded streets, and his indication of a curative policy will be of interest to many in Toronto who have studied the free breakfast question. Mr. Bennett's preliminary sketch is not so much a book as a series of English rural history closes with the statement that by the end of the nineteenth century the laborer had "generally relapsed into apathy and hopelessness." The serf, deprived of any real opportunity of securing an independent livelihood, looking ahead to a long, hard life and pauperism to finish up with, had no privilege denied to his forefathers. He could leave the land. He is doing so: "Silently, without consultation, and without murmuring, he rises up and goes. And it is this which in the course of time will bring salvation to him from the farmer and the landowner and his class. The agricultural laborer is indispensable: the nation cannot prosper without him. And this the landowner is aware of, and is threatened results. Englishmen are beginning to regard with vague and undefined dread the peril of the rural exodus."

Book Review

HOME FOR DELINQUENT GIRLS. HALIFAX, March 24.—The many interested in the problem presented to the department of dependent and neglected children and to other workers by the number of delinquent girls in the institution to receive them, on the one hand, and the lack of an other will receive with gratification the news that a farm of 250 acres within the limits of the Town of Truro has been purchased by the committee, and it will be opened as a maritime home for delinquent girls about July 1. The house is a large one of fourteen rooms, and will be used while the other buildings are in process of erection.

CROWDS CLUSTER TO SEE GREEN WIG

Miss Gould Introduces Fashion in Toronto and Excites Much Wonder. EFFECT WAS PLEASING Both Men and Women Stared Discreetly and Indiscreetly at Headwear.

Men and women who were down town on business yesterday morning were given a chance to judge of the effects of a green wig worn by an attractive young woman, when Miss Gould, who is headliner at the Theatre, appeared with this striking piece of headwear. The vast majority of men were too modest or discreet to stare openly at the apparition till it had passed them, but many women, with the open fearlessness of their sex in dealing with matters in which their sex are concerned, openly advanced in front of Miss Gould and almost blocked her path, till they were able to take in all the points of the innovation. Most of them admitted that the green wig was not so startling after all, and that some could say such expressions as "For the Lord's sake look!" and "Give me a chance to get closer to it!" The histrionic training of Miss Gould added to her remarks of street urgings, at funny remarks of street urgings. One police officer allowed his gaze to wander away from the direction of the traffic to catch a glimpse of the green wig and then the traffic was allowed to take care of itself for a time till he was able to recover from his amazement. Another police officer was seized with uncontrollable fits of laughter at the sight of the green headwear. Miss Gould went shopping in several stores and drew upon her the admiration of many saleswomen, who foresaw new lines of business which their departments if the new fashion took hold of the elite.

Alive to New Trade. One downtown shop took occasion to display several colored wigs in the window in an effort to get in on the flood tide of any new business which might happen to flow from the first appearance of the gaudy wig on Toronto streets. But the belief was general that there would be no rush for these wigs till time was had for consultations between husbands and wives. "At any rate," remarked a young man, "she is far from enough to be for one moment deceived that the hair she was wearing was her own." Miss Gould confided to her friends who accompanied her on a fashion pilgrimage that underneath the wig she had brown hair and could discard the wig at any time. At noon, when she went down street to dine at the King Edward Hotel, a crowd of men followed at a discreet distance, but their remarks were subdued so as not to embarrass the young woman. At the hotel she and a party of five, were the guests of Harry S. True of Loew's Theatre at dinner. Miss Gould put in a strenuous day in the afternoon and evening, appearing at four performances.

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The porcelain pie board is not needed if one has the porcelain table, but it is quickly cleaned and most convenient when washed with the heavy wooden boards we find in the majority of kitchens. This can be replaced by a porcelain rolling pin that seems always cool to the touch, as rolling pins should be if the pastry is to be kept cool in the making. Besides these there is a porcelain saw cutter somewhat like the wooden ones, but without any cracks or corners to hold dust or particles of food on it. The fine, sharp steel knife turns back so it can be sharpened or polished without danger of cutting a finger. These are the most important of the very new things, but there is a tableful of little things that the housewife delights to own and the hired help refuses to learn the uses of.

MRS. HULET DEAD. CORNWALL, March 24.—Mrs. Hulet, relict of the late David Hulet, formerly of Cornwall, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Judge R. B. Carman, at St. Catharines, Ont. yesterday, where she has resided since the removal of his Honor Judge Carman, from Cornwall, a number of years ago. The remains will be brought to Cornwall for interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, on Wednesday morning.

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