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WOMAN'S AUXILIARY ANNUAL SALE.

A GREAT ARTISTIC AS WELL AS FINANCIAL
SUCCESS.

The Bazaar held in the Windsor Hall, November 24th, by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Homœopathic Hospital proved a great success. Though under the direct patronage of Lady Minto she sent a letter regretting her inability to attend personally. Fine weather induced many to attend, and the hall was crowded both afternoon and evening. Sweet music by the string orchestra of the Victoria Rifles proved a strong attraction.

Facing the door was a pretty triangular booth presided over by the graduate nurses of the Hospital with their helpers. Blue and white were used in decorating the booth, the same color apparent in the nurses' regular costume, which added to the picturesqueness of the occasion. Flowers, toilet articles, medicine cases and sheet music were among their wares for sale.

In the centre of the hall a pretty doll pagoda had a conspicuous place. The pillars and framework were fluffily decorated with bunched up Japanese napkins; a huge Japanese umbrella crowned the

whole while Japanese lanterns lit by electric lights gave a pleasing effect.

Dolls of all sizes and kinds were all sold before the close of the evening, and the handsome sum of \$45.57 handed in by Mrs. Gaunt, who was ably assisted by Misses Nichol, Fisher, Bulmer, Irene McBride and Gladys Stewart.

The semi-circular fancy work table occupied the floor directly in front of the platform. It was prettily decorated in crimson and white with a profusion of most life-like poppies. A busy trade was kept up all day by Mrs. A. D. Patton and the Misses Ames, Baylis, Mathewson, McLachlan, Eannister, Rodden, and Mrs. W. F. Brown. Over one hundred and twelve (\$112.00) was cleared at this table.

A most dainty booth of green and white was attended by Misses Hager, Jeffreys, McCarthy, Mills, Waugh and Robb, who dispensed lemonade to thirsty customers realizing \$14.68.

The opposite corner of the room was taken up by the Palmistry booth, where Misses Badenach and Millar read the lines of the hand for a consideration. And that many appreciated their efforts was evidenced by the amount handed in — \$17.90.

A patriotic table with red, white and blue decorations came next, where Mrs. Sumner and Mrs. Plimsoll, with the Misses Sumner and Plimsoll as assistants, proved that useful articles such as aprons, dusters, holders, etc., are always in demand by selling out their stock before the close of the evening and handing in \$52.36 as the proceeds. Miss Gracie Sumner, following in her mother's footsteps, dispensed of all her stock of small toys to the value of \$1.97.

The parcel table under Mrs. Woodley's management, for the small charge of five cents, carefully and neatly wrapped