

PROBLET MEDICINE WELL KNOWN WOMEN

GLADLY TESTIFY FOR "FRUIT-A-TIVES"

One reason why "Fruit-a-tives" is winning a welcome in the hearts and homes of thousands from coast to coast, is because so many of the leading citizens of Canada have spoken so strongly in favor of this wonderful fruit medicine. In every province—in every city—in every hamlet—throughout the three million, seven hundred square miles of the Dominion, there are many who owe their health and some who owe their lives to the marvellous virtues of "Fruit-a-tives".

HOLIDAY SURPRISES FOR FATHER



THE JANITOR'S SURPRISE. THE HASHHOUSE SURPRISE. THE NEIGHBOR'S SURPRISE. LITTLE WILLIE'S SURPRISE. MOTHER'S SURPRISE. AND IN THE MEANTIME.

\$1,500,000 GRANT FOR COLUMBIA

Donor Who Withholds Gives Money To Affiliate Presbyterian Hospital With University Medical School.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 23.—In behalf of a donor who withholds his name, Geo. L. Rivers, chairman of the board of directors of Columbia University and Robert W. DeForest, president of the Presbyterian hospital, announced tonight that \$1,500,000 had been pledged for the construction of a new hospital building on the campus of the university.

GOLDEN WEDDING ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Family Reunion at Home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wetmore at Clifton, Kings Co., on Monday.

In no place in the province will Christmas be more happily celebrated than in the old homestead of Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Wetmore, at Clifton, Kings county, where, on Monday, there will be an interesting family reunion the occasion being the celebration of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore.

\$5,000 CONTRIBUTED TO CHINESE FAMINE

American Red Cross Society Cables This Amount For Immediate Use—More Will Be Needed.

Washington, Dec. 23.—For the relief of the famine-stricken people of China, acting Secretary of State Huntington Wilson today cabled \$5,000 to the American Red Cross society. Disbursement of the money will be left entirely in the hands of the minister and the question of further contributions will depend upon the development of the situation which at present is serious.

MEDAL WINNERS RECEIVE AWARDS

Closing Exercises at the High School Largely Attended—Prominent Citizens Make Presentations

The city schools closed yesterday for the Christmas vacation, and in all the buildings pleasing and appropriate exercises were carried out. In the high school the exercises were largely attended. The programme was outlined yesterday, was carried out and the medals and prizes won by the pupils were presented.

CONNAUGHT MAY NOT COME

Semi-Official Hint Received at Ottawa That King Cannot Spare Royal Uncle from Court—On Return Journey

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—It is reported here that the Duke of Connaught cannot come to Canada as governor general in succession to Earl Grey because King George wishes to have his help in England to represent him at functions, the Prince of Wales being too young.

SALVATIONISTS NEED \$200 FOR CHRISTMAS

Hope to Get This Sum in Pots and Subscriptions Today to Carry Out Full Amount of Relief Work Planned.

The Salvation Army inaugurated some days ago its campaign for funds to provide the poor with a good Christmas dinner. Appeals were made to many prominent citizens and the Army contribution pots which have done like duty in previous years, were placed in position at a number of the principal corners of the city with an invitation to passersby to help along the Army Christmas dinner to the poor.

HOLD EXERCISES AT KINDERGARTEN CLOSING

Large Attendance of Parents and Others Interested at All Three Schools Yesterday—Distribution of Gifts.

The free kindergartens closed yesterday for the Christmas vacation and pleasing exercises were conducted. At the Alma street school, in St. Mary's school building, under the direction of Miss D. Belle Miller and Miss Hazel R. Seelye, about 54 children carried out a pleasing programme in the presence of a large number of parents and other visitors.

FINE PROGRAMME ARRANGED FOR SMOKER

Best of Talent Will Furnish Entertainment at Gathering of Commercial Travellers on Wednesday Evening.

A special committee met last evening to arrange the programme for the commercial travellers' smoker next Wednesday evening in Keith's Assembly rooms.

GIVE DECISION IN SALVATION ARMY CASE

Original Organization Founded by William Booth Found to Have Exclusive Right to Name in New York.

New York, Dec. 23.—Exclusive right to the use of the name "Salvation Army" so far as the State of New York is concerned was given to the Salvation Army in the United States, the organization founded by Wm. Booth in 1850, in a decision handed down today in the appellate division of the supreme court.

CHURCH SERVICES

Exmouth St. Methodist Church. Class meetings Sunday morning at 9.30. Preaching service at 11 a.m. Rev. Mr. Tanner. Sunday School and Bible classes at 7 p.m. Pastor Rev. W. W. Brewer. Service of Song at close of regular evening service. A special programme of Christmas music has been prepared by the choir in which a large number of scholars of the Sunday school are taking an important part.

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday services—11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Minister, Rev. C. R. Flanders, D.D., morning and evening. The choir will render music in keeping with the day, and will be assisted by the young people's choir. A special programme of the service of song for the day has been prepared and distributed in the pews. The Sunday School will commence at 2.30 p.m. The evening service will chiefly consist of a series of songs. Friends of the congregation and strangers cordially invited. At the Centenary Marsh Bridge Mission, 8.30 p.m., Rev. G. M. Campbell, D.D., will give an address, a detachment of Boy Scouts from Centenary church will sing Christmas carols. All are invited.

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Main Street Baptist Church. Organ voluntary, Miss Ruth Flanders. Anthems—"The Joyful Morn is Breaking," (P. A. Schaecker); "And Thou Bethlehem" (J. E. Trowbridge); "All Hail Thee Day of Gladness" (Wm. R. Spence); "There Dwell in Old Judea," Carol (Wm. H. Griggs). Solos: "Babe of Bethlehem," (First Christmas Morn" (Newton) Miss Nellie Wil-

Advertisement for Dykeman's, a store full of attractions for late shoppers. Features include French Kid Gloves, Ladies' Belts, Neckwear, Handkerchiefs, and Trunk Boxes. Located at 59 Charlotte Street.

Large advertisement for Labatt's beer, featuring Ale and Stout, London Lager, Comet Beer, and Premier Beer. Includes contact information for John Labatt, London, Canada.

Vertical advertisements on the right edge of the page, including 'POTTS' and 'The Glo'.