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Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's

WINGHAM .- The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the council chamber Thursday, April 25, at 3 p.m. It was decided at the March meeting to have a pillowslip and towel shower this month for Red Cross purposes.

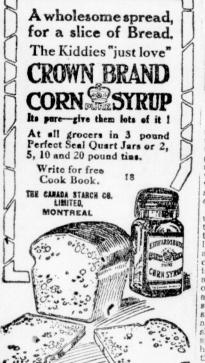
EXETER .- A meeting of the Associated Kin was held in the town hall on Monday, April 22, for the purpose of on Monday, April 22, for the purpose of decorating mothers who have lost sons in the war. Mothers who have soldier sons were guests of the evening, and Mrs. Gordon Wright of London gave an address. Mr. Wright was also present. A large painting, "A Shout of Victory," from a snapshot of the battlefields, was on exhibition.

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The society has sent away for January, 68 pairs socks and 2 sweaters; for February, 18 pairs socks, 1 sweater and a quantity of old cotton; for March, \$1 pairs socks and 20 boxes of maple sugar were sent overseas, valued at \$50; also \$30 was given into Hyman Hall for our Canadian boys who were taken prisoners in Germany.

The executive of the society wishes to express its thanks to all those who have kindly and generously aided it both by their work and money, and especially Wilfred Lethbridge for the excellent

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

turned from Detroit and will reside in Miss Midwinter is the guest of her Mrs. H. A. Boomer has returned from aunt, Mrs. A. E. Tutt. Chesley avenue.

A pretty wedding was solemnized in St. Michaels Church on Monday morning, when Miss Lillian Irene Delaney was united in marriage to John Joseph Pocock, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pocock, Rev. Father Hanlon officiated. The bride looked charming in a suit of gray taffeta with corsage of Ophelia roses and wore a black Milan hat. Miss Irene Pocock, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid and looked pretty in a navy blue silk suit and hat to match, Henry Delanev assisted the groom. After a dadnty wedding luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Pocock left for a wedding trip to Detroit and Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bernard have re
is a brother of the bride.

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A very quiet wedding was solemnized on Monday evening at the Baptist parsonage when Miss Gladys Cassie MacDonald was united in marriage to Edward Smith of Marley Place, Rev. Walker officiated, Miss Lillian Miles acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Norman Smith, brother of the groom, was best man. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold wrist watch, to the bridesmaid a rope of pearls and to the best man a pearl tiepim. After the ceremony the bridal party partook of a dainty luncheon, after which the young couple left for a wedding trip to Toronto and points east. On their return they will reside in this city.

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Jimmy Coon MEET'S AN OLD FRIEND.

STAFFA.—The Red Cross Society purpose packing parcels for the boys overseas on Thursday, April 25. Therefore a maple sugar shower is asked for Anyone wishing to contribute such for this worthy cause would please bring or send to the Red Cross rooms on the above date. It is requested that all sether that it is requested that all sewing be in by that time, as this is the last shipment for the year. The annual meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the hall on Wednesday, May I.

TAITS CORNERS.—The executive of Taits Corners Red Cross Society wishes to announce that for the first three months of the year they have collected the sum of \$302.25\$, detailed as follows: January meeting at Mrs. James Lethbridge's, collection, \$15.85\$; February meeting at Mrs. George Coad's, collection, \$25.70\$; party level work of the sweet sings and party held at Corners Red Cross Society wishes to announce that for the Grat three months of the year they have collected with sum of \$302.25\$, detailed as follows: January meeting at Mrs. George Coad's, collection, \$25.70\$; party level work of the contribute such for the first three months of the year they have collected with the sum of \$302.25\$, detailed as follows: January meeting at Mrs. George Coad's, collection, \$25.70\$; party level work of the provided and party held at Cross Social and party held at Cr

er, and Father gives lessons; and he has an awfully big class in his Singing "Well, Redvest," said Jimmy Coon, to tell me all the news about Mirror and, for I haven't heard a word since eft foot and said: "Now, let me think."

h, your Mother has six little chilren, and every one is the image of , and every one is the image of Jimmy, and Sammy Muskrat has

BACKYARD GARDEN HINTS

CULTIVATION.

The plum is a fruit which has been much englected in the Province of Ontario. It is a cheap fruit, and most of the varieties are poor. However, if sood varieties have been planted and see properly cared for they should be very profitable. The backyard gardener who chances to have a plum tree or two should take the best care of them during it has been the see that the bones of our fingers are kept knitting every possible minute or the army will keep ahead of us. especially since it is made up of patriots like the one with the knitting leg. We are in such danger these days of letting our knitting and sewing slacken, If every woman knits one pair of socks less and sews consult of patriots like the one with the knitting leg. We are in such danger these days of letting our knitting and sewing slacken, If every woman knits one pair of socks less and sews one suit of patriots. Let us enough for the hospitals. Let us enough for the hospitals. Let us never lose sight of the fact that this garden the soil. A clover crop is also very with our needles as the men in the trenches with their bayonets.

Pruning is the first operation, and it is to quit out the eross, tangled and broken limbs. A little sunlight should be let in at the top, but not so much as in the case of the but not so much as in the cas

limbs. A little sunlight should be let in at the top, but not so much as in the case of the apple tree, indeed the head is left fairly thick to protect the trunk and main limbs of the tree. Plums are of many varieties and each variety has a tree of a different shape. These shapes range from a low-headed, spreading tree to a narrow, upright tree, and the pruning is done according to the shape of the tree. The low-headed, spreading tree must be thinned out and headed back as far as from one-half to three-quarters of the new wood. This three-quarters of the new wood. This learned what the disciples had been learned to the disciples had been learned what the disciples had been learned the learned the disciples had been learned the disciples had been learned the disciples had been learned the learne

33. 35. How had Jesus the disciples had been

Why was it wrong for the disciples look out for the best possible rosins in Christ's coming kingdom?

Would you say, or not, and why, it it is wrong for a layman or a nister to seek the highest position.

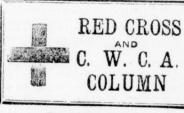


Pte. J. B. McKerracher of Thamesville, who was recently married at Dorking, England, and his bride. Pte. McKerracher expects to return to France shortly, kaving spent ten months in English hospitals as a result of being badly wounded. His younger brother is also serving in France.

To Cook Hominy.

Dear Miss Grey.—I must thank you for the lonelies' addresses you sent me about New Year's. I wrote to each of them, but have received no answer as yet.

or August, clover being one of the best cover crops. Plums do well when manured, but usually the grower does not think it worth while to raise the cost of production by manuring. Commercial fertilizers are rarely used, the expense being greater than the returns in fruit. Plums will do well on heavy, cheap, poor land, and for this reason citizens who have plum trees in their possessions have no excuse for not hav-"Oh, we come 'Down South' every winter," replied Sweet Redvest. "You know, all your family come down here every fall. You know that we are all Musicians, and that cold northern climate is bad for our voices. I take



The Latest Knitter.

"I'm very patriotic," writes a gayly-gallant soldier boy from a hospital bed of Sammy Muskrat with a Mate! Why, sallant soldier boy from a hospital bed in London where he was sent with a ha, ha! That is news indeed,"

Tomorrow—Jimmy Coon Sees Redvest the Robin Again.

The idea of Sammy Muskrat with a Mate! Why, sallant soldier boy from a hospital bed in London where he was sent with a shell-shattered leg. "Why. I'm so patriotic that even the bones of my leg wrathall; Privates D. Wren, F. Kent, the Robin Again.

Well we've thought we was sent with a shell-shattered leg. "Why. I'm so patriotic."

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Winglis, J. T. Herrington, S. Jutsum, J. Woodcock; Lance-Corporal W. G. Wrathall; Privates D. Wren, F. Kent, H. Lamone, J. Heavyside and T. Larwe were doing

This is the week in which we are to e tested. At the front the British line has been subjected to the severest

Surely we shall be worthy of their sacrifice. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week London will show that she is still in the front line of the Red Cro's battle.

For the Prisoners.

Do not forget that it you send enough money to keep your adopted prisoner for a month at a time that you are saving money for him and the Red Cross Society. Adopt as many of these poor boys as you can, and send as much money at one time as you can, only \$2.50 a month will keep a Canadan boy from starvation. Miss Gunn, secretary of prisoners' department Hyman Hall, receives all money for prisoners.

The following men have acknowledged parcels:—Corporals W. Wyeth, Harold Phillips; Privates F. Willis, W. Roberts (two); Lance-Corporal William Hotch-kiss; Privates H. Taliman, W. MoBain, R. B. Witten, H. Booth, A. Holland, P. Reterson, A. G. Roners, Thomas Saviter, J. F. Villeneuve, S. W. Watkins, J. A.

all at the knitting here at home, One Hundred and Eighty-Four Boxes.

And now comes the commanders of Children's Dream," will be presented the forces of greed and selfish-nished as well.

AGAIN TO MEASURE UP

of London? It is-

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

A Two-Fold Object.

Dear Miss Grey,—This is the first time I have ventured to write to your page. I have come to help and be helped. I am sending you a recipe for mountain cake, which I find very delicious for the 5 o'clock tea: 1 cup of sugar, ½ cup milk, 2 eggs, 2 cups flour, 2 teaspoonfuls baking powder, 1 teaspoonful lemon extract.

1. Could any of the pageites give me these readings: "Some Little Bug Will Get You Some Day" and "roolish Questions"? Any other comical readings or recitations will be welcome.

2. What can be applied to pale lips to make them red?

3. My hair is qu'te short. What can do to make it grow?

4. I have been m Form I. for two years, and am 13 years of age. Am I progressing fast enough? I am, by nickname, THE 186TH MASCOT.

Ans.—1. Referred to readers.

2. Perhaps if you could obtain some the the dye "Anne of Avonlea" put on her nose by mistake your lips might attain a most beautiful redness. But I'd rather see you taking a spring tonic (prescribed by the good old family physician). eating a plain, nourishing diet, and enjoying outdoor life to the full. In short, attain good health, and the pale lips will speedily blossom into rubles.

3. It is difficult to sav, but keep the scalp and hair as healthy as possible by regular brushing and shempoos. A tonic of four parts bay rum, one part olive oil and one-haif part quinine, applied once or twice a week, might help the growth.

4. Fast enough in my estimation. A Two-Fold Object.

The Reason Why.

Dear Miss Grey,—Please send this letter on to "Lonely's Sister" from I sent you can. "Slippery."
I sent you some hollyhock and larkspur seeds, but I have not seen my
letter in print yet. Did you get them?
Bye-bye. Please pass this letter along
to "Lonely's Sister." Yours truly,
SLIPPERY.

Ans.—The letter inclosed is remailed most cheerfully. I received your former communication quite safely, and it was withheld only because of very cramped space. I inserted a reply, however (which, evidently, you failed to see), thanking you for the seeds, which were forwarded to a reader. Does this explain matters satisfactorily?



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PATRIOTISM IN LONDON

A mother of the rich in last year's n gown, her child upon her knee, knitting free of charge.

A mother of the rich in last year's gown, her child upon her knee, knitting socks.

A mother of the poor, with sleeves first, he shall be last of all, and servand of all, Mark 9:36.

THE WAY TO BE FIRST IS TO BE WILLING TO BE LAST.

It is a fact that those who serve most wholly forgetful of their own private interests, generally 2-10 be first. Those who serve most wholly forgetful of their own private interests, generally 2-10 be first. Those who serve most wholly forgetful of their purpus golden to the sterilizing of surgical dressablences, the governing principle of which is love to others, is certainly not according to human nature. Human nature, however, is descentate, and therefore selfish, it takes the power of God to change, or reverse, the natural tendency of our selfish natures in order to make us duplicates of Jesus this supernatural change takes place in their natures.

A sashur.

