

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT OF THE TORONTO WORLD

SOCIETY

The marriage took place on Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Davis, Poplar Plains road, of her youngest daughter, Josephine Potter, to Mr. Richard Eillard Carden Chadwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Chadwick, Howland avenue. The ceremony which took place at 3 o'clock, was conducted by the Rev. C. C. Shields and the Rev. Dr. T. Thomas. An orchestra was in attendance and the house was decorated with palms, ferns, roses and marguerites, the bow window, where the ceremony took place, being banked with the same flowers. The bride was given away by her brother, Dr. Herbert Piersol, and was looking very pretty in her wedding gown of white satin with bodice of real lace, Juliet cap and veil of tulle with orange blossoms, shower bouquet of lilies of the valley, her present from the groom being a pendant of diamonds and aquamarines. She was attended by her sister, Florence, wearing mauve chamoisee, a black hat with mauve feathers, bouquet of mauve sweet peas and lilies; her present from the bridegroom was a silver card case; his present to the best man and ushers being scarlet pins. Mr. Howard Harris was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Leslie Wilson, Mr. Douglas Campbell. The bride's mother was wearing a black satin gown with orchids, and the groom's mother was handsome in black chamoisee with black plumed hat; his sister, Miss Louise Chadwick, being in green silk gown with cream guipure and tulle hat with flowers. Among those from out of town were Dr. and Mrs. Potter, Philadelphia, the latter wearing silver medallion; Mr. J. Potter and Mrs. Potter, Philadelphia, Mrs. Potter in black chamoisee and lace; Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick left for a wedding trip to the States, and on their return will reside at the Chestnutfield, Montreal, the bride traveling in a black and white shepherd's plaid tulle-trimmed, with touches of violet, violet straw hat with flat mauve feathers and American Beauty. Among the relations present were: Mr. E. M. Chadwick, father of the groom; Mr. Brian Chadwick, Col. and Mrs. Vaux Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. Eade Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. George Chadwick, Dr. and Mrs. Poplar, Mrs. Hall, Hastings; Mr. and Mrs. Willie Chadwick, Miss Alice Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. George Brookhail.

Among the hostesses entertaining delegates to the twentieth annual meeting of the National Council of Women of Canada in Montreal, are: Mrs. Leonard, Lady Drummond, Lady Van Horne, Mrs. Geo. Drummond, Mrs. McCall, Miss Kerry, Madame Fortier, Mrs. Burland, Mrs. C. H. Cahan and Mrs. G. A. Kohl.

Mr. E. R. Wood is in Montreal, also Mr. W. K. George.

Among those coming to town for the Skating Club ball tomorrow evening are: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Southam, Hamilton, and Miss Dorothy Wilkes, Bramford.

Mr. Gordon Campbell arrived from Jamaica yesterday morning.

The fifteenth closing concert of the Women's Musical Club of Toronto took place on Saturday afternoon in the Conservatory of Music hall, which was filled with a large audience, including Lady Gibson and a party from Government House. Those taking part were: Miss Ada Twyly, Miss Jessie Allen, Mrs. A. G. C. Proctor, Mr. Ernest J. Selts, Miss Margaret George, Miss Mary Morley, Mr. Frank E. Blachford, Mrs. Denison Dana, Miss H. Ethel Shepherd and Miss Lisa Garden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gehlin, Beverley street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Ethel, to Mr. E. J. McKinnon, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKinnon, Shaw street. The marriage will take place this month.

Mr. Havens, New York, and Mr. G. Doherty, Buffalo, are spending the week-end at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Kent are in southern California for a visit.

Mrs. Prince and Miss Ross, Madison avenue, have returned from Nassau, where they have been spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George McMurrich are expected home tomorrow from the south.

Mrs. A. R. Boswell spent a few days in Cobourg last week.

Dr. Charles O'Reilly has sailed by the R.M.S. Canada, en route to Toronto. His visit to Ireland was cut short on account of the illness of his son, Dr. Bredney O'Reilly.

Invitations have been issued by the Toronto College of Music for a recital of ensemble music to be held in the Greek theatre of the Margaret Eaton

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Mrs. M. L. Davies, 143 Crescent road, formerly of Bay City, Mich. Mrs. A. A. Mulholland, 38 Edgar avenue. Mrs. Richard W. Teskey, 209 Sunny-side avenue, next Tuesday, nor again. Mrs. O. B. Sheppard, Mrs. McWilliams and Mrs. Charles Palmer, not again.

The pupils of Riverdale Dancing Academy will hold a pink ball this evening in the Royal Canadian Assembly Parlors, 131 Broadview avenue.

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The Daily Hint From Paris



A RUSSIAN SUIT.

Dresses like this promise to take the place of heavier coats as soon as the weather permits. The material is of soft serge in green, with a vest and cuffs of tan colored rep. A heavy black silk cord and tassels arranged cleverly about the closing form the only trimming.

School of Literature and Expression, North street, on Thursday evening, April 17. The program will be given by Marion Porter, A. T. Coll. M. pianist, and Olive Lloyd Casey, A. T. Coll. M. soprano (pupils of Dr. F. H. Torrington), assisted by Roland Roberts, violinist, and F. S. Watson, cellist.

Mr. C. H. Ritchie, K.C., and Mrs. Ritchie, with the Misses Beatrice and Marjorie Ritchie, have left for Atlantic City.

Mr. Pet Boulbelle left last week for New Orleans.

Under the auspices of the ladies' board of the Western Hospital a dramatic entertainment will be given at Knights of Columbus hall on Friday evening, May 2.

Miss Ethelwyn Mowat of Kingston is staying with Mrs. Herbert Mowat.

Miss Frances Payne of Colborne is the guest of her sister Mrs. W. Lavey of Hampton Court, Avenue road.

Mrs. Egerton Ryerson, her children and Miss Newitt, left on Thursday for Japan, staying for a few days in Brandon, en route, and sailing from Vancouver on the 16th inst.

Mrs. G. T. Somers is in Montreal.

Miss Maud Hirschfelder is at the Selby Hotel, Sherbourne street.

Mr. J. B. Neale arrives from England today.

The annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held on Saturday, April 26, at 2.45 p.m., in the Y.W. A. Hall, 21 McGill street. The business before the meeting will be presented at 3 o'clock punctually. Mr. Hearst, minister of mines and forests, will address the club on "The Resources of Our North Lands." His lecture will commence at 4.30.

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The days of complicated food formulas for babies foods are over. Any person with common sense enough to sterilize and measure, can modify ordinary milk so that it is suitable for the baby. Once it was a great temptation to use a prepared food that required only the adding of water or a little boiling, but now it is just as easy to modify milk, and so much better for the baby that few mothers hesitate about a choice of food. Plain whole cow's milk mixed with water and sugar answers all the requirements of a good food for seven or eight months, then barley or oatmeal gruels may be used instead of water. Plain milk mixed with water is easier to digest than cream or top milks, and nourishes just as well. The curd of cow's milk is very difficult for a baby to digest, and the fat or cream must also be changed. So we add water to the milk to make the curd and fat more digestible. Sugar is added for its nutritional value and for its laxative action.

Sometimes it is necessary to add lime water or bicarbonate of soda to overcome the acidity of the milk. The things to be considered then, in making up the food formula for the average healthy baby, are the amount of milk, the amount of sugar and the amount of water to be added to make up the necessary quantity.

The total quantity of food needed in twenty-four hours is determined by the age, and to a certain extent the size of the child. The amount of milk and sugar is determined by the weight of the child. The amount of milk necessary to make a proper gain in weight is twice the number of ounces of milk that the baby weighs in pounds. If a seven pound baby requires fourteen ounces of milk. Supposing he can take three ounces of food at every one of his ten meals—every two hours from 6 in the morning until 10 at night, and one meal at 2 a.m., makes ten feedings in twenty-four hours—that makes thirty ounces of food altogether. We know that fourteen ounces of this is milk, so add sixteen ounces of water to make up the thirty, and also one ounce of sugar of milk. If the baby cannot digest this amount of sugar, add a proper ounce of milk for the one sugar left out.

The baby one week old takes from one to one and a half ounces of food every two hours from 6 until 10 and one meal during the night. At two weeks he has ten feedings of two ounces each; at three weeks ten feedings of two and a half ounces each. This formula continues thru the second month.

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A MAN IN THE OPEN

By ROGER POOCK

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"Suppose I've grown," said Billy. "Well, mum, I got a notion to go home. Signed as A. B. in a four-masted barque, Clan Innes, out of Glasgow, for Vancouver, with general cargo. I quit her at Vancouver, made Ashcroft by C. P. R., blind baggage mostly, then hit the road foot. I thought I'd take my departure from the Fifty-Nine."

"The old bush trail?" "Hard going, but then I expected, of course, mother'd be there at the ranch, and you, mum, an' Jesse, of course, and—"

"Jones?" "Dreading his news, I fought for this one little respite before he came to all I feared. If Jesse lived, if he only lived! But at thought of the old ranch life, Billy lapsed to a sheepish grin with one quaint glint of mischief. Then, with the utmost gravity, he asked me if Patsy, my nursemaid, was claimed."

"There's many a little craft dips her colors for one who wants me to stand by, but still—"

"Patsy is free."

"Patsy! Can't help it, I backed my tawp!"

"Proposed?" "Save us, it's time to offer a tow when they're union down, and a danger to navigation. Um, I'm off my course."

"You must have found things changed when you got to the ranch." "Didn't get there. I'd news at Hat Creek, and kept the road main north. Mother wasn't at the ranch any more. She'd poisoned Jesse's bear. Oh, mum, I don't want to hurt."

"Go on, dear lad."

"Mother'd took up with Polly at Spite House."

"It's the Ninety-Nine Mile House. There's a signboard right across the road."

THE NINETY-NINE MILE HOUSE. MRS. JESSE SMITH. HOTEL, STORE, LIVERY.

"The old that to spite Jesse, and they call the place Spite House."

Just then the maid brought in the tea things, so, cowardly as usual, I played possum, delaying 'all the news I had to tell. We gossiped of Captain Taylor's half-bred child, Wee James at school down east, of Fearful George married to that dreadful young person at Eighty Mile House, who scratched herself at meals, so Jesse said. At the Hundred-and-Four, where Hundred Mile Hill casts its tremendous shadow on the lowlands, northward, Pete Mathson and his wife were making new harness for the Star Pack-train. There a shadow fell on our attempt at gossip—why does the conversation always stop at twenty minutes past? Billy began to tell me about Spite House."

Spite House? How right Father Jared was. "Sword versus dragon," he told us, "is heroic; sword versus cockroach is heretics. Don't draw your sword on a cockroach."

This much tried to explain to young O'Flynn, whose Irish blood has a fine sense of humor. But the smile he gave me was one of pity, turning my heart to ice. "Jesse," he said, "made that mistake. That's why I've come six thousand miles to warn you. How-

liday Mother, if I'd only the edification to talk so I'd be understood!"

"I'm going to try another course. See here, mum. You've heard tell of Cachalot whales. They run say eighty tons for full whales—one hundred fifty horse-power, dunno how many knots, full of fight to the last drop of blood. That stands for Jesse."

"And then sperm whales is so contemptuous of the giant squid they uses her for food. She's small alone of a sperm whale, but she's mean as eight python snakes with a devil in the middle. That'll do for Polly."

"Well, last voyage I seen one of them she-nightmares strangle a bull Cachalot, and the eight turned me sick as a dog. Now, d'ye understand what Pol-ly's doing? I told you I hated Jesse. I told you straight to your face why I hated him. And now, mum, I'm only sorry for poor Jesse."

It was then, I think, I began really to be terrified. Never in the old days at the ranch had Billy been off his guard even with me. Now he let me know his very heart. I could not help but trust him, and I was sure his uneasiness which had brought the lad to England.