

WOMEN'S PAGE

Y.W.C.A. Board
Was In SessionReports Received Yesterday
Most Encouraging—Pencil
Campaign Amounted \$220

The activity of the physical committee which was reported at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Y. W. C. A. board greatly impressed those present. Mrs. Weyman presented this report, which told of the results of the pencil campaign amounting to \$220; of several hikes with supper and games played out of doors; the formation of the Corona Club and their "evening" classes; basketball games; the term's review of Witsand school and other events showing interest and enthusiasm on the part of members. There are thirteen classes at the "evening" under Miss Littlefield's instruction.

Mrs. J. A. McAvity presided at yesterday's meeting. After devotional exercises led by Mrs. Z. Cowan, Mrs. McAvity spoke of a letter received from Lady Faulkner, stating that the Student Volunteer Movement had separated from the Y. W. C. A., and that an organization meeting will be held at Guelph early in January.

Girls' Work Committee.

For the Girls' Work Committee, Mrs. J. D. Hunter told of two clubs organized for the Corona and Woodworth girls. Miss Woods has two active groups, one in Fairville and one at Centenary church. Centenary girls held a tea raising funds to provide Christmas dinners for five families.

Work Among Girls.

Miss Woods read a paper before the Sunday School Teachers' Association and has given talks in many of the churches on work among girls. Mrs. Bartram Smith for the membership committee, gave a splendid report, telling of forty new regular members, fifty-six janitors and two sustaining. Total 106.

Cafeteria Report.

In the cafeteria report Mrs. Lagadin reported that the resignation on account of ill health of Miss Bailey, house assistant, has been reluctantly received. Miss Lily Fraser will act in her place. The Residence Girls' Club has had two interesting meetings. They are raising funds for a gramophone. Meals have been served at the cafeteria as follows:—To the public, 1,841; to the officials, staff and girls 3,419—a total of 5,260.

Christmas Celebration.

The board decided that Christmas will be celebrated at the Transient home, and at the King street "Y" by

LET'S TALK IT OVER

CHRISTMAS GIVING.
In spite of all the advice to "shop early," Christmas week finds many of us with still a lot to do. While all realize it is both wise and kind to do one's purchasing at an early date, it is so hard to grasp the fact that the 25th will soon be here. It is very difficult for most hearts to find as generously inclined the first of December, as they do when holly and greenery trim the stores and people go about the streets parcel-laden.

Regarding Christmas giving, there is another note which is sounded annually and which it seems a necessary. Shall we try this year not to send a mere "present," but to let some personal touch go with the gift? It is so flattering to know that your friend remembers your taste or has planned for your pleasure. Let it not be as a plaint in a recent periodical states—

"It's Christmas Day for some, but December 25th for me."

The needy will, with our city's well-known largeness of heart be well cared for and there is no greater satisfaction than giving to those who might otherwise be neglected, check an extra good dinner, and that decorations shall be provided. New Year's will also be observed in this way.

Miss Millican, financial secretary, stated that the Foster campaign results were \$650, much less than was hoped for.

Traveller's Aid.
In her report of the Traveller's Aid, Mrs. Jamieson stated the work of Miss Holt and her assistant as follows:—Trains met 314; boats, 29; helped at station, 129; taken to Transient Home, 136; employment found for 7.

In the report Mrs. Jamieson told of a French girl who came to the city and was unable to find her relatives. She knew but one word of English and Miss Holt took her in charge. Walking along the street a day or two later with the Traveller's Aid worker, the girl suddenly pointed excitedly towards a car which at that moment stopped, and another French woman ran towards the girl greeting her with joy. Much gratitude was expressed by the relatives for the care taken of the young girl.

Belya-Jamieson
Special to The Standard
Moncton, Dec. 20.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tompkins was the scene of an interesting event on Friday evening when Wallie G. Belya was married to Miss Elizabeth Jamieson, formerly of Dalhousie. The groom formerly resided in St. John and the bride is a well known nurse. Mr. and Mrs. Belya will reside in Moncton.



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WEAKER TONE TO
WHEAT MARKET IN
WINNIPEG AGAINCash Demand Was Poor But
December Premium is Well
Maintained Throughout.

Winnipeg, Dec. 20.—The undertone in the wheat market today was moderately weaker and the volume of business was very light. The cash demand was poor and while the December premium was well maintained, the cash premium was narrowing throughout the session, and No. 1 Northern closed 1 cent over No. 2 Northern 2 cents under and No. 1 Northern six cents under. The cash position now has almost reached the point where deliveries will be made on the December contract.

The trade has assumed an attitude of waiting for the result of the recommendation of Congress for the reduction of duty on wheat going into the United States and what effect it will have on prices.

Prices locally which were ranging generally lower throughout the session made a little recovery near the close.

Coarse Grain Dull
Coarse grains continue dull and very little attention is given to these grains. Oats closed 3-3 to 1-2 lower.

TORONTO
Toronto, Dec. 20.—Manitoba oats, No. 2 cw 52 3-8; No. 3 cw 49 1-8; extra No. 1 feed 49 1-8; No. 1 feed 47 1-8; No. 2 feed 44 1-8 all in store Port William. Northern wheat, new crop No. 1 Northern \$1.88 3-8; No. 2 Northern \$1.85 3-8; No. 3 Northern \$1.81 3-8; No. 4 Northern \$1.84 3-8, all in store Port William.

American corn No. 2 yellow \$1.15 nominal, track Toronto; prompt shipment.

Canadian corn feed, nominal. Manitoba barley in store Port William, No. 3 cw 90; No. 4 cw 80; rejects 67; No. 1 feed 67. Barley, Ontario malting, 85 to 90. Ontario wheat, No. 2, \$1.55 to \$1.60, to freight; No. 2 spring \$1.80 to \$1.85, Ontario oats, No. 2 white, nominal 50 to 53, according to freight, outside. No. 1 feed \$1.50 to \$1.55. Buckwheat nominal. Rye, No. 3 \$1.50 to \$1.55. Ontario flour, in bulk bags government standard, prompt shipment, delivered Montreal, nominal \$7.75. Manitoba flour, track Toronto cash prices first patents \$11.10; second patents \$10.60. Millfeed carloads, delivered Montreal, freight, bags included. Bran per ton \$38 to \$40; shorts per ton \$42; feed flour \$2.15 to \$2.60.

Hay, loose, No. 1 per ton \$38 to \$39; baled, track Toronto, \$20 to \$32.

Savannah, Dec. 20.—Turpentine quiet 33 1-2; no sales; receipts, 157; shipments, 163; stock, 16,022. Rosin, quiet; no sales; receipts, 546; shipments, 253; stock, 77,597.

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UNION BANK MAKES
ANNUAL STATEMENT

Special to The Standard.
Winnipeg, Dec. 20.—The balance sheet of Union Bank of Canada for the current year shows quick assets of \$23,293,583 against liabilities to the public of \$161,226,785, or 54.36 per cent, compared with 49.6 per cent last year. Current loans in Canada show a decrease of about \$7,000,000, or about 8.1-2 per cent, in spite of inclusion of a new item in the assets column, viz., \$10,732,755 loans on grain.

LONDON BANK SUSPENDS.

London, Dec. 20.—Parsons Bank, an institution doing business largely with small depositors in the suburbs of London, where it had numerous branches, posted a notice this morning that payments had been suspended. The bank, which had a capital of one million pounds sterling and deposits unofficially estimated at possibly from two million pounds to three million pounds, gave no immediate explanation for its step.

RAW SUGAR PRICES
HIGHER AND FIRMER

New York, Dec. 20.—The raw sugar was firm and higher today on sales of 11,200 bags of Peruvian in port and about to a local refiner at 3 3-4 cts, equal to 5.01 for centrifugal. Refined was quiet at 7.90 to 8.00 for fine granulated, with no increase in the demand. The higher ruling of the spot market led to covering in futures, and together with a little demand from trade sources accounted for a sharp upturn in values. Prices at mid-day were 17 to 35 points net higher.

LONDON OILS

London, Dec. 20.—Calcutta linseed, 233.10s.; linseed oil, 40s.; sperm oil, 240. Petroleum, American refined, 20s. 2 1-4d.; spirits, 2s. 4 1-4d. Turpentine spirits, 100s. Rosin, American strained, 39s.; type "Q" 40s. 6d. Tallow, Australian, 60s., 6d.

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