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A Pittsburg detective agency has sent but a circular offering \$2,500 reward to any person who will furnish positive information as the present whereabouts of Mrs. W. A. Stone (Bertha May Stone). who left her home in Uniontown, Pennsylvania (on Wednesday, Dec. 2, 1908. The supposition is that she was accompanied by or is now with Emery Martin, also of Uniontown. It is thought that Mrs. Stone is mentally unbalanced, and her griefstricken husband, W. A. Stone, earnestly desires that his wife be located and ten-derly cared for until he can be notified.

No Criminal Charge. There is no criminal charge pending against either of the missing parties. The motive of the husband in offering and pledging himself to pay the \$2,500 reward s to quickly locate his missing wife, whom he still loves and cherishes, and whose little children need their mother's eare. It is thought that if he can be located, that Emery Martin can give information as to Mrs. Stone's whereabouts.

The Description. Mrs. Stone is an American woman, years old, about 5 feet 5½ inches tall, and Her eves are of a clear blue, and her hair chestnut brown. She is very fond of amusements, and likes to attend theatres. She generally wears considerable jewelry. Mrs. Stone is well supplied with money, and the circular states that she is very likely to be found

outside of the United States. Emery Stone is a young American 30 weighs 145 pounds. He is of slender very black hair, parted at the right side. During the Spanish war he joined the Forty-first Regiment, and served in the

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Costello, local manager for the Bell port. Mr. Strauch told of many a downfall that had come under his after a severe attack of illness. Mr. Costello arrived here yesterday from his home at London. His many friends for a whole-hearted service on the are pleased to welcome him back to part of the young men in the cause town. R. L. Stratton, who has been which they knew to be just and right, acting manager during the illness of and raid a glowing tribute to the Mr. Costello, has returned home to work of the Y. M. C. A. in caring

The funeral of Mrs. J. W. Eedy was held yesterday afternoon to Mount A POPULAR COUPLE Pleasant Cemetery from the family residence, 344 Grosvenor street. The funeral services were conducted by F. E. Malott. The pall-bearers Marriage of Miss Isabella Neil to Capt. were Messrs. C. F. Eedy, L. Harrison. A. Patterson, E. G. McRoberts, N. Bidyea and V. Westman.

Presentation to Mrs. (Rev.) Holmes by Dorchester Ladies.

to Mrs. (Rev.) Holmes on Wednesday sang during the signing of the register. evening, Dec. 16, at the Methodist parsonage of Dorchester, when the members of the W. M. S. assembled and satin. presented Mrs. Holmes with a life A coronet of lilies of the valley caught Fraser acted for Wm. C. Hastings, and membership certificate in their soci- up her tulle veil, and she wore a pearl W. R. Meredith for the other parties. ety. An excellent address was read necklace, the gift of the groom, and carby Mrs. E. McCann, expressing in warm terms their appreciation of her Miss Gora Neil, attended her as bridesuntiring efforts as president of the maid in an Empire gown of mauve sill

Mrs. Holmes is much esteemed for beaver hat with plumes and gold trimher kindness, sympathy and lovable ming, her bouquet being of mauve ordisposition, as well as for her zeal chids. in the missionary cause, by the ladies of the society mentioned, and by all taken completely by surprise, but re-

wishes of their hostess.

Very Interesting.

"Sing On," (Denza), Miss Myrtle Hunt:

(Liszt), Miss Elsie Hedley; Sonata op. the distribution of the estate among

Frank Cooper's new, up-to-date made as to whether certain grandchilstudio now in "full running order," dren should share in the estate or not. 330B Dundas street, Cooper block, op- in view of previously decided cases. posite the Armories.

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Mr. Francis A. Strauch's Lecture in the Auditor um on

Sueday.

Mr. Francis A. Strauch, of Kalamazoo, Mich., spoke yesterday afternoon in the Auditorium before a crowded audience upon the subject of "The A quiet wedding took place in Lucan Modern Prodigal." The lecture was Hawkshaw, reeve of Lucan. The cere- White Life," and showed how any mony was performed by Rev. B. R. compromise with sin was sure to lead Stevenson, of the Presbyterian Church. downward. Sin was a deadly thing which poisoned all it touched, leaving Sarnia Observer (Saturday): W. J. nothing pure or holy or of good reloosening of the moral fibre. In

and fostering a love of truth and WEDDED IN TORONTO

Porter of the Grenadiers. o'clock, the marriage was quietly solemnized of Isabel, daughter of Mr. John be paid into court. Costs to be paid H. Neil, Carlton street, that city, formerout of the estate. ly of London, to Capt. Charles H. Porter, of the Royal Grenadiers, Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Walter Creswick, of Brighton, brother-in-law of the groom, and Mr. Gurney was at the weekly court here. W. R. Meredith, organ. As the bride entered the church with her father eight of the boy choristers A very pleasant surprise was given rendered a bridal hymn, and they also The bride was attired in a lovely direc-

toire robe of cream crepe de Paris, adorn- Western Trusts Company be substituted with rose point lace and bands of ed as trustees, and ordered the payried a bouquet of bridal roses. Her sister, society since her residence among which she were a string of gold beads, presented by the groom, and large white

The bride's brother, Mr. L. H. Neil, of New Liskeard, and Capt. Adams, of the who have been and are counted among R. Warren being best man. Afterwards a Grenadiers, acted as ushers, Major Darrell her friends. Their kind hostess was reception was held for the immediate relaplied in feeling terms of gratitude and for New York, the bride wearing a taupe directoire costume, with rose-trimmed hat and mink furs. They will reside at

LATE MISS BOOMER

Rev. Mr. Rutledge's Touching Refer ence in the First Methodist Church.

At the morning service in the Firs Methodist Church on Sunday, Rev. Mr. Rutledge referred to the great loss the church had sustained in the sudden death of Miss Boomer. She had filled so large a place in the church life and work, as teacher in the Sunday school, leader of the musical service in the prayer meeting and in many other department of church Following is the programme of the work. She had been so devoted a nelper that her place would be almost impossible to fill. He also voiced the profound sym atory Hall: "In Rank and File," Mrs. Boomer in their bereavement. At the Sunday school, also, the pasto Song," (Ellmenreich), Miss Jennie spoke to the scholars about the life of Weismann; "In Rank and File," their teacher, who last Sunday had been in her place with her class. The influence of her beautiful and useful life would be

an abiding blessing to them. WITH LOCAL CASES

The weekly sitting of the high court

The case of the John Kennedy estate

an action to determine the manner of

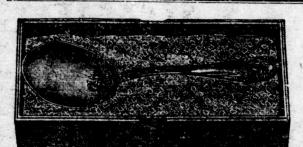
15, (Beethoven), Miss Lilian Leach; the widows and nephews, and for the Bercouse, (Chopin), Miss Kate Wilson. payment into court of certain shares. The court directed that no order be Subject to the opinion of the court,

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