

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

Let's Talk It Over

We certainly are arriving—that is, to say women are (it is hard not to say at last) when we are allowed to have a share in the governing as well as in the work of various institutions and in matters of deep interest to all citizens.

With the appointment of a woman on the Board of Health, and the choice of the board will be a most popular one—with a woman as medical inspector of schools, and with women forming themselves into a society for the assistance of those who order the affairs of the General Public Hospital, the way is opened for appointments on yet other boards. A woman factory inspector is something that has been acknowledged as a needed reform for many years, in order that the interests of the women employees may be looked after from the standpoint of one who realizes what is right and proper for them.

Then for many months it has been intimated by the St. John Branch of the Local Council of Women, a society that does not mean just one little group but a council of twenty-seven affiliated societies with an approximate membership of three thousand, that a woman is needed on the New Brunswick Board of Censors. This has been declared by resolution at different meetings but as yet no action has been taken by the authorities. Where it is acknowledged that at least one-half of the attendants at motion picture theatres are women and children, it seems only fair that out of the four censors one should be able to present a woman's point of view.

It is thought by many that, having shown with what strength and self-sacrifice they can work, positions where there is salary attached should occasionally be granted to women. If payment had been asked for the voluntary work done during the last four years the bill would have run up into enormous sums. No true woman would wish to take a position in a place where a woman's judgment is required it does not appear that a man should be put to serve.

The Standard will be very glad to have some expressions of opinion regarding these matters and will publish letters upon the subject. Such communications should be addressed to:

The Woman's Editor,
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Mothers!

Your little one won't smile if its liver's full of bile. Casarets are things right. When kiddies' tongues turn white. They bring relief and joy. To constipated girl or boy. Children think them dandy—they are mild cathartic candy.



Children gladly take Casarets when cross, feverish, bilious, constipated, because Casarets taste like candy. If your child has a tainted breath, coated tongue or a cold—give Casarets as directed on each 10-cent box. Then don't worry. Casarets work like a charm and can not harm the child's tender little stomach, liver and bowels.

TELLS DYSPEPTICS WHAT TO EAT

Avoid Indigestion, Sour Acid Stomach, Heartburn, Gas On Stomach, Etc.

Indigestion and practically all forms of stomach trouble, say medical authorities, are due nine times out of ten to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach. Chronic "acid stomach" is exceedingly dangerous and sufferers should do either one of two things. Either they can go on a limited and often disagreeable diet, avoiding foods that disagree with them, that irritate the stomach and lead to excess acid secretion or they can eat as they please in reason and make it a practice to counteract the effect of the harmful acid and prevent the formation of gas, sourness or premature fermentation by the use of a little Bismarck's Magnesia at their meals.

There is probably no better, more reliable stomach antacid than Bismarck's Magnesia and it is widely used for this purpose. It has no direct action on the stomach and is not a detergent. But a teaspoonful of the powder or a couple of five grain tablets taken in a little water with the food will neutralize the excess acidity which may be present and prevent its further formation. This moves the whole cause of the trouble and the meal digests naturally and healthfully without need of peppin pills or artificial digestants.

Get a few ounces of Bismarck's Magnesia from any reliable druggist. Ask for either powder or tablets. It never comes as a liquid, milk or citrate and in the bisulphate form is not a laxative. Try this plan and eat what you want at your next meal and see if this isn't the best advice you ever had on "what to eat."

Those feelings of faintness, those weak, "all come" sinking sensations which come over some people from time to time, are warnings that must not go unheeded. They mean an extremely weakened condition of the heart and a disorder of the nervous system. When the system is in this condition there is no time for delay. One fainting spell may be recovered from "will the next." One dizzy spell may pass off, but the next may be more serious. Those who are wise will start taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills before their case becomes deep rooted and perhaps hopeless. They will act directly on the disordered heart and weakened nervous system and restore them to full strength and vigor. Miss Mary McNoy, Algoma Mills, Ont., writes: "I was awfully troubled with fainting and weak spells, and I could never get any doctor's medicines to help me. One day a friend of mine was at the house when I took one of these pills, and she got me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. That was six years ago, and from that day to this I have never had any of those spells. I would not be without your pills for any money, and can highly recommend them to any one."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c. a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

A Simple Way To Remove Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid kerosene from any drug store (this is all "as will need"), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single grain and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

LORD AND LADY ABERDEEN ARE EXONERATED

Executive of National Council of Women Show Evidence That Charges Against the Aberdeens Are Without Foundation.

"At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Council of Women of Canada held in Kingston, January 9th, 1919, conclusive evidence was placed before the members which proved that many statements that have been made public, and which have reflected adversely upon the character and work of Lord and Lady Aberdeen during their sojourn in the United States have been entirely without foundation.

"Their work on behalf of the Women's National Health Association of Ireland was undertaken in the United States at the request of the Lord Mayor of Dublin.

"Certified accounts show that the sum of \$99,257.00 had been remitted by them to treasurers in Ireland and Scotland.

"The District Attorney of New York has stated to the former British Assistant Provost Marshal in New York, that the only reason why Lord Aberdeen was asked by him to suspend the raising of funds in New York for the work of the association during the war was because, in his opinion, all such funds raised should be devoted exclusively to more definite war work, and there was no evidence whatever in any way impugning the honor or integrity of Lord and Lady Aberdeen.

"Only the expenses necessary for the raising of this money were deducted from the contributions, Lord and Lady Aberdeen paying their personal expenses out of their own private funds.

"Lady Aberdeen had never sent a letter from a woman of an enemy country to this or any other National Council during the war; but on the contrary she had written to warn those to whom a letter had been sent by the president of the Austrian Council through an officer of a neutral council that they must take no action upon it.

"When Lady Aberdeen was to speak in a theatre on behalf of the Liberty Loan she refused to do so upon finding that she was to appear in the same stage with Evelyn Nesbit Thaw.

"The British Assistant Provost Marshal states that Lord and Lady Aberdeen left the United States for Great Britain entirely of their own volition. They were the honored guests at many important functions up to the time of their departure.

"Both Lord and Lady Aberdeen have done a great deal to promote a better feeling between the United States and Great Britain by their many public speeches on behalf of the Allies.

"This information was given to the Executive Committee in letters and telegrams from the office of the British Assistant Provost Marshal, from J. J. Curran, Barrister, etc., New York, from Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, and also, in person, by Mr. Charles R. Kearney, Chairman of the American Auxiliary of the Women's National Health Association of Ireland."

This information is supported by a letter from the present British Assistant Provost Marshal, Lieut.-Col. N. A.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Our doubts are traitors, and make us lose the good we oft might win, by fearing to attempt. —Shakespeare.

Thwaites, written to Sir John Gibson, formerly Lieut.-Governor of Ontario. (Signed) H. S. SANFORD, President.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, Jan. 22.—Sergeant Lloyd Taylor, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Taylor, arrived on the Olympic Friday. Sergeant Taylor received a hearty welcome from his many friends. He has been serving in France for a couple of years and has a younger brother, Austin, who is now in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Trites and daughter, Ellen, of Moncton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Trites on Saturday.

Misses Helen Wheaton and Hazel Gallagher spent the week-end with Mrs. Trueman Wheaton.

Mr. Clifford Holman is working as day operator at Humphries.

Miss Marion O'Brien is visiting Miss Bessie Gunning of Moncton.

The many friends of Mrs. Richard Steeves, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, will be glad to hear she is much improved.

Mr. Lloyd Dayton was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Sherwood and daughter, Muriel, of Canada, who have been spending the winter with relatives here, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Howard Flewelling and Mr. Ike Smith of Cambridge, Mass., arrived here last week on account of the illness of their sisters, Mrs. Charles Taylor and Miss Eliza Smith. School opened on Monday after being closed several weeks on account of influenza.

Mrs. N. A. MacNeill and Mrs. R. A. Brown spent Friday with friends at Boundary Creek.

Pie W. Allen Henry, son of Mrs. B. Henry, arrived from overseas on Saturday and was warmly welcomed. His twin brother, Willard, returned several weeks ago. Mrs. Henry's eldest son, Lieut. Stewart Henry, is still in a convalescent home in England.

Mrs. Abner Alward and Mrs. L. W. Irons and son, Theodore, are visiting relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. N. B. Sharpe entertained in honor of Mrs. Gloria MacNeill on Wednesday afternoon. After an enjoyable time spent with music and games refreshments were served. Among those present were Misses Gloria, Vivian and Louise MacNeill, Jeanne and Marion Brown, Eleanor Taylor, Pauline Armstrong, Margaret Price, Edna Mackay and Eleanor Sharpe.

HILLSBORO.

Hillsboro, N.B., Jan. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor have returned to Halifax, after having been the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Steeves.

George Downey has returned from Fredericton. Steeves, of Weldon spent Sunday with Mrs. Orris Dawson. Bruce P. Hay, of Chipman, was the guest of friends here last week.

The Young Women's Class of the First Baptist Church held a business meeting at the home of Miss Ina Steeves, on Tuesday evening.

William-Baker has returned from Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson have gone to Florida to reside.

Mrs. Martha Hawkes has gone to Woburn, Mass.

Mrs. J. Barle Steeves has returned to Pettitodice.

Harry Connor, of Moosejaw, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Connor.

Mrs. Ida Godsoe and daughter, Muriel, have gone to Bangor.

The W. M. A. S. of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. William Robinson, on Thursday, and made her a presentation in appreciation of her faithful and valued services.

Mrs. Flora McLatchey has returned from Hopewell Hill.

Mrs. Harris Steeves has returned from Bangor, where she was the guest of her brother, Rev. Steeves, of that place.

Miss Lavita Connor is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Peck, at Wolfville, N.S.

The Annual Business Meeting of the First Hillsboro Baptist Church, was held on Thursday evening, Jan. 19. The meeting was largely attended, and a fine spirit was manifested. Reports from committees of all departments were given, and were in fine shape, and showed progress during the year. Treasurer J. L. Peck stated the best financial report in years, about \$460 had been paid on the debt against the church property and \$140 on repairs for the parsonage, the combined denominational offering exceeded that of any other previous year, amounting to about \$700, \$200 increase on pastor's salary, which was voted last summer, was made permanent at this meeting. All departments of the church and Sunday school closed with substantial supplies in the treasury.

The annual business meeting of the Valley Baptist Church was held on Thursday evening, Jan. 9. Considering that the church was closed ten weeks for influenza and repairs, the report of the year's work was very satisfactory, only having indebted \$69.

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Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Maloney of North Head, are guests of relatives here.

Mr. Harry Frawley of Point Lepreau is here in charge of the livery at Hotel Victoria during the illness of his grandfather, Mr. M. E. Frawley.

Miss Helena Burgess, of Grand Falls, is in the city, the guest of the Misses Logan.

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