

FOR WOMEN

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Presentation To
Popular President

W. S. Fisher Honored at
Social and Musical Held by
St. John Art Club

The presentation of an address to W. S. Fisher for many years President, was a feature of the social and musical evening held by the St. John Art Club last evening. There was a large attendance of members. Both the interesting speeches and the musical numbers gave much pleasure to those present.

W. F. Burdett, president, was in the chair and read letters of regret at inability to be present from the Lieutenant Governor, Premier Foster, and Hon. Dr. Roberts. In welcoming those present Mr. Burdett spoke of the need for more art and beauty in St. John, and the necessity of having classes for teaching practical art as well as other branches.

W. S. Fisher, Honorary President since 1908, spoke on the future of the Club. Other speakers, who promised to do all in their power to assist the work of the Club, were R. T. Hayes, Commissioner Frink, Commissioner Jones, W. E. Seely and M. V. Paddock. Mr. Paddock moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Dean to whom the Club is indebted for the gift of some fine Japanese vases.

P. N. Woodley in a few well chosen words presented an address to W. S. Fisher. This address is beautifully illuminated, in work of C. H. Flewelling and read in part as follows: "Dear Mr. Fisher—Twelve years ago, November 12th, 1908, the Art Club was formed as successor to the Women's Art Association. You were elected the first president, and have continued to hold that honorable office until this year, when the pressure of public and private business has compelled your retiring from some of the many positions you held."

While we regret that you felt this necessary, we desire to thank you for your long continued interest in the Club, and for endeavoring in every way to hold it together under many difficulties.

Always with the aim of building up an organization that could eventually be merged with one of larger scope—city-wide, controlled and assisted—you have given its work unstinted time and thought, and much of the accumulation of our present property is the result of your labors.

May we trust that you will still be able to give the Club a portion of your time and as you go about in our Canada, and in the cities of our cousins across the border, you will continue to bring us news of what is doing in Art lines?

The first records of the Club lately discovered among old papers contain interesting notes, we find the names of several who are still active members.

At the meeting for organization Mrs. Sime Alward in the chair, Mr. W. Frank Hatheway moved "A new Art Club be formed."

You were elected president; Mrs. Alward, first vice-president; Miss C. O. McGivern, second, and Alexander Watson third. Later Colonel Sturges, William Brodie, Mrs. R. G. Murray, Mrs. Murray MacLaren, Mr. F. E. Holman and Mr. M. V. Paddock are mentioned. Mr. John C. Miles was appointed to the Council.

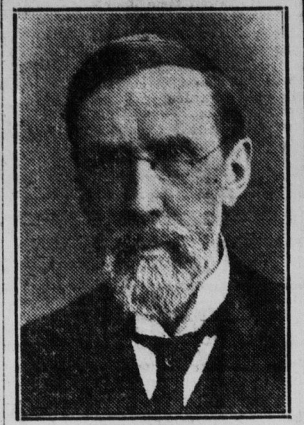
Wishing you, dear Sir, much good health and happiness, we are signing this as your staff of last season.

Signed: Vice-Presidents, W. F. Hatheway, Miss Lillian Hazen and T. H. Estabrook; Treasurer, James E. Seord; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. L. deV. McGivern; Chimpman; Recording Secretary, T. O'Brien; Art Director, M. V. Paddock; Curator, C. H. Flewelling.

Mr. Fisher, in replying, said that he felt he had received much more from the Art Club work than he had given to it. He should greatly prize the address. Mr. Burdett announced the formation of two new classes one for decorative art, the other for portrait painting.

Sir Geo. Foster
Weds At Geneva

Canadian Statesman Marries
Daughter of Late Sir William Allan



Geneva, Dec. 9.—Sir George E. Foster, head of the Canadian delegation to the League of Nations assembly, was married here this morning to Miss Jessie Allan. The ceremony took place at 10.30 o'clock at Holy Trinity Church, and was attended by many of the delegates.

The bride was given away by Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, of the British delegation. Sir George was attended by Hon. N. W. Rowell, and Mr. Payne, of the Canadian delegation.

The bride is a daughter of the late Sir Wm. Allan, who was a personal friend of Sir A. J. Balfour and a well known imperialist. Her family, both on her father and mother's side, have long been identified with political affairs in Britain, and especially Scotland.

Miss Allan was a great traveller, and is well known in Canada. She has done a good deal of writing, and been actively interested in women's movements.

Miss Allan's classes are very large this season.

The Programme

The programme included a piano duet by Miss Minnie Poole and Miss Dorothy Hunt, vocal solos, Mrs. George Lockhart, Miss Audrey Mullin, Leslie Bewick, Miss P. Biederman, and as accompanist, Mrs. T. H. Estabrook and Mrs. W. S. Fisher presided at the supper table. The following committees were in charge of arrangements.

Reception, W. F. Burdett, Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Hatheway; Programme, Mrs. C. H. Flewelling, Miss Miriam Hatheway, Miss Pauline Biederman; Refreshment conveners, Miss C. McGivern, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, assisted by Mrs. Merrill, Mrs. S. Fisher, Mrs. T. H. Estabrook, Mrs. A. P. Barnhill, Mrs. J. Barry, Mrs. Yerxa.

Valley Minstrels

Make Decided Hit

The large audience who witnessed the Valley Minstrels perform in St. Paul's Sunday School Room last evening pronounced the entertainment a splendid success from start to finish.

Side splitting jokes and comical antics by the end men, pleasing harmony by quartettes and choruses, accomplished vocalists and clever speechlets were all combined to make the performance one grand success.

The programme was put on under the auspices of the Y. P. A. and directed by A. Dea Gandy. Mrs. H. A. Allison was the accompanist, and Chimpman Ritchie musical director.

While Jack Sutherland proved a worthy liner, the programme was a worthy liner.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR GIRL

By HELEN ROWLAND

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Christmas comes but once a year, and when it comes, it brings a house full of relatives, fourteen calendars, two sets of nutcrackers, four dozen cheap gloves of assorted sizes, indigestion, a headache, a back ache, and that "never again" feeling!

The ideal husband may break all of the Commandments, wear a red necktie, and make only thirty dollars a week; but he never insists on seeing you at breakfast, never enters your boudoir without knocking, never forgets your wedding anniversary, and never kisses you as though it were a "morning chore."

There are times when every married man has been secretly tempted to pose as a bachelor. But, DID you ever meet a bachelor who yearned to pose as a married man?

Men don't propose as carelessly and freely as they used to—perhaps, because in these practical days, there is so much more danger of being accepted.

Character is the real foundation of every brilliant man's success—in some cases, his wife's character.

In the old-fashioned novel, a girl's heart fluttered over eloping with the fascinating villain or marrying the plain but noble hero; nowadays, it merely teeters between marrying a fresh-air fiend with the "sleeping-porch" mania, or an exotic clubman, whose idea of "getting next to nature" consists in sitting under a potted palm and watching the gold-fish.

A woman looks back upon the men who escaped her as wolves in sheep's clothing; but a man looks back on the girls who turned him down as angels in disguise.

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was as follows: Quartette—In the Evening by the Moonlight. Chorus—Bligh and Gay. Introduction—End of the Road. Song—"The Jingle of the Bell on the Cow." Topsy. Solo—"Down Texas Way." Ernest Till. Solo—"Sunrise." Chester Bourne. Solo—"Dreamy Alabama." Miss Greta Love.

Dance—Little Miss Gregory. Song—"Lindy Lou." Tambo. Quartette—Miss Hamm, Messrs. Bourne, Gandy and Till. Chorus by Circle—"Love Nest." "Alice Blue Gown," and "Alma." Song—"The Goin' Back to Dixie." Rastus.

Chorus—Circle: "Oh, It's a Lovely Time." Solo—"Music Box." Miss McConnell. Solo—"I Ain't Sponable." Snowball.

Solo—"Britain Rules the Waves." A. C. Ritchie. Flute—"So Long Go Long." "Good Night Dear Friends." The end men were "Tambo," Leonard Wilson, "Rastus," Robert Cochran, "Bones," Walter Hamm, "Snowball," Henry Evans, "Topsy," Audrey Hunter, "Rosebud," Hazel Peters.

Circle, the Misses Abbinette, Larkins, Wark, Hamm, Love, E. Williams, V. Williams, J. MacCallum, H. McCallum, London, Day, McConnell, Mrs. Woodley, Messrs. Bourne, Gandy, Till, Riley, Betz, Harrington, Stevenson.

KING'S DAUGHTERS. A parlor concert held at the King's Daughters' Guild last evening was splendidly attended. The proceeds are for circle work. An excellent programme was arranged by members of the Good Cheer Circle, whose president is Mrs. G. A. Teed. Home made candy was sold in charge of Mrs. E. A. Sinclair. Those taking part in the programme were: Arnold Young, Mrs. G. K. Shields, J. S. Smith, Miss V. Corbett, Master N. Magnusson, Miss M. Turner, Dr. P. Bonnell, Mrs. H. B. Peck, Misses M. Poole, D. Hunt, Miss Cora Carr, Paul Cross, Miss E. Climo, Miss B. Holder.

Libraries Discouraged. Sunday newspapers are said to have been started between 1780 and 1785. Circulating libraries were first set up in London in 1785, and in Birmingham in 1786. They increased so rapidly that some wise men proposed to tax them.

Montreal Girls
Lose Positions

Marked Increase Lately in
Number of Workless Girls
in Big City.

Montreal, Dec. 9.—A marked increase in the number of unemployed girls and women in the city has been recorded at the majority of employment bureaus during the past month. The Young Women's Christian Association places its increase in November over October at over 50 per cent. influx of applicants for employment is felt in all the department stores, restaurants and offices all over the city. The cause is attributed to the shutting down of many factories and to the placing of others on a short time basis.

Modern Cook Book
For New Brunswick

Volume Published in St. John
of Value and Interest to All
Purchasers.

A cook book has been published in St. John which will be both of value and interest to all those purchasing it. "The Modern Cook Book for New Brunswick" is the title of this volume, which contains over a hundred pages of recipes contributed by some of the best cooks in the province. It is sent forth under the auspices of several women's organizations. Many of these recipes are signed by the name of the lady contributing them; where initials are only given, the name of the town is also mentioned.

Care has been taken in the way in which recipes are classified, and a valuable time table for cooking, broiling and frying is included in the book. A table of weights and measures will also be found of service. Instructions are clearly given and nothing is left to chance. The unskilled cook will be enabled, from this book, to make many tasty dishes, using the materials mentioned, which are chiefly those found in local markets.

The volume is bound in a serviceable cover, attractively colored. The organizations which are interested in the sale of the book and the institutions which they wish to benefit by the proceeds, are: In St. John, the Women's Hospital Aid, for the new Nurses' Home of the General Public Hospital; in St. Stephen, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the G. W. V. A. for the benefit of the Chipman Memorial Hospital; in Fredericton, the Women's Hospital Aid, for the benefit of Victoria Hospital, and in Moncton, the ladies of L'Assomption Church, in aid of the building fund of the Sacred Heart Academy. In Bathurst, Newcastle, Chatham and Woodstock the book is to be placed on sale for the benefit of the local hospitals.

The Modern Cook Book is published by J. & A. McMillan, and the arrangement of advertising, selection and classification of recipes were carried out by the S. K. Smith Advertising Agency. It reflects credit on all those through whose energy and ability it has come into being.

MRS. CATT PRAISES
ENGLISH WOMEN

Warns Women Against Reactionary Tendencies Which
Are Aftermath of War.

London, Dec. 9.—"Women should beware of the reactionary tendencies that always follow great wars," is the advice of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the International Women's Suffrage Alliance. "America hasn't progressive and conservative parties like England, but both tendencies are present in both parties. There is now a strong movement by the reactionary element for control of the parties, which are self-defeating. They consider they are displaying wise conservatism. I consider the

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THREE DRUNKS

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Fighting Equipment

Commissioner Bullock V.
Install More Protection
Sand Point Sheds.

Commissioner Bullock, in his report on the fire protection for the sheds on the West side, made a number of recommendations for further fire fighting equipment, which will bring the rate insurance down three-quarters of one per cent. Commissioner Frink (who should be some provision for a fire drill so that when occasion to use this equipment every one would know just where to go to. Report was adopted and ordered to Council.

Following is the report and recommendations:— With reference to the report of the Board of Fire Underwriters dated July 10th, re "Fire Protection St. John West Terminals," and subsequently referred to the Committee of Harbors, I beg leave to report:

The report refers to the Government wharves as well as the city wharves and states "The wharves are subject to a single sweeping danger hazard," might I observe that it is no more hazardous than Government property and the wharves very largely depends on the direction of the wind should a fire assume proportions. The only serious fire has occurred in the wharves since the opening of the docks years ago was the destruction of one of the wharves, No. 4. The report sets out that the wharves and wharves are all of wooden construction. While the city properties are some of the Government wharves of concrete construction and work. The report goes on to state "those in authority having first constructed the buildings of inflammable material, have seen it to need protection." This statement is hardly borne out by the facts as it is shown that the following: veritable measures have been installed by the civic authorities since the completion of their premises: fire company, engine house, equipment installed at Blue Road, sprinkler system installed to secure No. 4 shed, stoves for heating, oilies abolished and steam heat installed, five fire hydrants installed, city water distributed throughout premises through 8 in., 6 in., 4 in. and 3 in. pipes, two fire alarm bell two call bells, also the following equipment, in good order and perfectly tested.

3 hose reels with 400 feet hoses attached.

1 chemical engine and reel.

14 stand-pipes connected with foot 3 inches hose, with nozzles attached and located at various points 13 hand chemicals.

30 barrels salt water and 108 pails.

8 watchmen.

The amount of insurance at present carried on West Side property is \$157,000. The premium has been \$1,000. An advance of one per cent in the rate brings the annual premium up to \$7,120. In addition, carry some use and occupancy insurance. While this would doubtless afford to spend more of fire protection than on fire insurance, it is highly probable that a complete sprinkler system can be thought of at the cost of \$160,000. The cost of a motor chemical pumping engine which would entail building a house and furnishing it with two day two night men, would also be a part of the question at present cost of \$17,000 capital expenditure, \$9,000 per year for carrying charges and operation.

In order to get a reduction of on the rate, I would advise that carry out a small bottle of City's Chemicals and install four independent alarm boxes. Five dozen hand chemicals. Six dozen sand buckets. One or two half dozen water cases. Eight dozen fire buckets.

The idea of installing the sprinkler system to give additional protection and the estimate for expenditure of proposed equipment is \$2,800, the estimated saving in the amount of \$900.

Commissioner Thornton was given authority to sell fire horses belonging to the fire department, for which they had no further use, the new apparatus replacing the horses drawn vehicles.

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