RETIRING PRESIDENT.

faithfulness, earnest interest in all

Gives Farewell Tea After

Meeting.

Harry Watson, expressing the regret

gracefully presented by little Miss

Following the regular business part

of the meeting a social hour was

was presented, including solos by Mrs. A. E. Brown, accompanied by Mrs. James McNaughton, and instru-

mental numbers by Miss Edith

Tea was served at a dainty table

Fashions by Wire

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cockades ornament a great many of the newer garments today, and wide popularity is predicted for them in the spring. Some of the suits are decorated with rows of tiny cockades

in braid, while others fasten at the

CAN'T MISS IT.

Paris, Feb. 20 .- A fetching bit o

jewelry is the newest bracelet shown today, which by reason of a frilly

bow is much more obtrusive than bracelets usually are. The bow is of gauze, several inches wide, and stands out in sprightly fashion hori-

zontally across the wrist. The brace

TRIMMED WITH PATCHES.

smartest spring costumes seen at the advance showing here today was

of dark blue velour. The coat, which had wide, bell-shaped sleeves,

trimmed below the elbow and below

heavy turquoise satin is set slant

AMETHYST RIVALS AMBER. New York, Feb. 20.-Necklaces of

today which may rival those of amber. An exquisite example of the amethyst necklace just exhibited was

made up of graduated jewels, the largest about the size of a robin's

egg. Each jewel was cut with a

almost the brilliancy of a diamond.

core of facets, so that it shone with

Mothers and Their

Children

wise across the front.

the waist with rows or

London, Feb. 20 .- One of the

throat with ribbon rosettes.

let is often of onyx.

Paris, Feb. 20.-Rosettes and

Margaret Rawley.

Brown.

or will be elected at the board

Dr. Howard Taylor Brings Interesting Missionary Story To London.

Boys and girls of London are looking forward to seeing in the flesh this week a real story-book type of hero, Dr. Howard Taylor, who actually was captured by brigands, Chinese brigands at that, and held captive by them just a year ago for 30 days or more, traveling about all that time with a brigand army.

Dr. Taylor, son of the famous founder of the China Inland Mission the late Rev. J. Hudson Taylor, and himself a medical missionary in China, will have much of general missionary information to relate and up-to-date news about China when he addresses a series of three meetings in Talbot Street Baptist Church, Thursday evening and Friday eveno'clock, and Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SIR HENRY NEWBOLT.

Theatre Friday evening under the auspices of the Women's Canadian

Club, the Western University and the

National Council of Education. His subject is "Future of the English Language" He is described by the

Toronto Star as "a preacher who has

something to say, a poet who knows

how to say it, a patriot who under

CLUB NEWS

SEW FOR V. O. N. Mrs. Robert Wray, 169 Briscoe treet, loaned her home Tuesday

given by the Wortley Road Mothers

chat they sewed on layettes for the Victorian Order. Later a dainty sup-per was served by Mrs. Wray, as-sisted by the tea hostess, Mrs.

ECHO CLUB ENTERTAINS.

studies of civics and laws, and also

CLASS HONORS TEACHER.

Church presented him with a teachers' Bible and a gold watch

Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Neil Mun-

STUDY NEIGHBORS.

ENTERTAIN SISTER LODGE.

A number of members of Lady Edith Lodge, L. O. B. A., St. Thomas,

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served during the evening.

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street, loaned her

Charles Quick

community service.

civics and laws.

thing.

The little caravan that accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Howard Taylor last year at this time on their jourtowards Yunaranfu, capital of last province of fifteen which they had visited in forty months of missionary travel, was within twenty miles of their destination when they were startled by the sound of firing and wild shouting.

Mrs. Taylor has written thus describing the adventure:
"It was a terrible moment when they sprang out upon us-a band of some twenty strong, armed to the teeth, and the very embodiment of evening for the regular sewing circle ands. For three years we had been traveling in centers occupied by the China Inland Mission. Though

been very near these marauding bands, we had never even seen a brigand until the day we fell into

"This band of fierce-looking ma--with great black turbans making their heads of 'ferocious size.' broad girdles formidable with cartridges, knives and swordssprang from their ambush and surrounded the two white travelers and their stricken coolies. Chairs were set down and Dr. Taylor approached the leader saying, 'We are your friends; when you are sick or wounded we care for you in our hospital.' The brigand acknowledged all this to Canadian literature. Mrs. Freida be true, but said that he must carry Stephens, the president, will be in off his captives to General P'u in the charge of the review of "Peg and mountains; to let them go would be Love," by Gibbons, a new type of at the cost of his own life. For 38 fiction, and Miss Baldwin, past days Dr. Taylor was carried about president, will lead the discussion of with portions of the brigand army. Rev. F. A. Steven of this city has been for several weeks on a joint missionary-speaking tour with Dr. Taylor in the States, and they arrive here Thursday afternoon. They will dale, when 40 members of the Bible both speak Thursday evening. Dr. Class of the Glendale Methodist Bowley Green, pastor of Talbot Street Church Baptist Church, is giving a Bible teachers reading Friday afternoon. The meetings are being held under the auspices of the China Inland Mission, splendid work done by Mr. Fortner which very much appreciates the was expressed. The presentation was courtesy extended by the pastor and made by Mrs. Oliver Aitken. An officers of Talbot Street Baptist enjoyable program, arranged by Miss

Church in granting the use of the Lillian Hourd, was presented, in-building for the occasion. "SONG OF LOVE."

At last we have been able to secure records of "Song of Love" from "Blossom Time." Come in and hear "Blossom Time." Come in and hear it, or telephone your order. Gerhard Heintzman, Limited, 222 Dundas St., was in charge of Harley Jenner at the heir sewing. The topic for the meeting, "Our cumseh avenue yesterday afternoon, the members enjoying a chat over their sewing. Delicious afternoon teal."

PRINCESS COMES HOME,

The return to America of the Prin- erary vice-president. cess Anastasia, formerly Mrs. Wm.
B. Leeds, of New York, with her husband. Prince Andrew of Greece, exiled by the revolutionary government, has affected the immediate forment, has affected the immediate forment.

dian author, and a former Londoner. McCrea gave a fine paper on "Immiwith Mrs. Stringer, has been sharing grants from Southeastern Europe."

The palatial home of Mrs. Leeds in FATER ALONG. New Jersey this past winter with another talented and successful Canadian and her family, Gena Branscombe, the composer, otherwise Mrs. Cavell Lodge, No. 285, for an initi-

The arrival of Princess Anastasia with her husband, her son, William B. Leeds, jun., and his bride, the Princess Xenia, will mean vacating diddets, included by the worthy mistress, Mrs. C. W. Cross. The candidates included. B. Leeus, jun., and me of the control of the contro the Leeds home by the Canadians Jackson, Mrs. Swan and Mr. Carter. who have humorously commented it Refreshments were served at the took all they could make on art to close of the business, and a social keep the place in coal. Mr. Tenny hour enjoyed. has been covering the distance of SECOND A twenty miles into New York daily for business. Mrs. Tenny is a former Picton, Ontario, girl, and a cousin of Mrs. J. B. McKillop, this city. A number of Londoners have delightful recollections of meeting her during



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indigestion - properly balanced in health-giving given by Mrs. F. R. Thornton, and Mrs. I. H. McDonald, who attended the short courses in Knox College, Toronto, gave a talk on that part of the work qualities - and can be served in a variety of BLOSSOM ON BEACHES. Palm Beach, Feb. 20.-The gingham bathing suit which came in for

such admiration last season, has given place today to the bathing suit of cretonne. Even if the swimming costume is of silk, however, the pattern is usually the large, scrawly, wallpaper design which is a cretonne characteristic.

BIG FAMILY REUNION MARKS ANNIVERSARY

Sixty-Four Descendants Living For Gervais Golden Wedding Celebration.

Special to The Advertiser. Chatham, Ont., Feb. 20—The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Stanislas Gervais, of Pain Court, was celebrated at the 10 o'clock high mass on Sunday, Feb. 11, with the Rev. Father Emery officiating. Mr. Gervais was born at Pain

Court, Dover Township, 74 years ago, and lived there all his life. He is very well known, having been assessor of the township for 28 years, and secretary trustee of School Section No. 1, Dover, for 42 years. He was also postmaster for a number of years, and is still a member of the church choir he joined 54 years ago. Sixteen children were born to this union, twelve of whom are living, eminent English writer and educa-tionist, who speaks in the Majestic besides two adopted children. There

PERSONALS

are 48 grandchildren and four great-

grandchildren in the family. The an-

niversary was marked by a family

departments of the work and excep-tional capability for some years. Her meeting at Lenmore this afternoon. stands that people are the principal Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McEvoy are spending a few days in Toronto. mick, Col. A. M. Smith, Miss Sterling

Miss Anna Redmond, Viking, Alta., is visiting her cousin, Miss Kelly, John street. Mrs. Reganey of Kingston is the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. Regan, Wortley Road.

Miss Bessie McCamus was called Clinton yesterday owing to the

tables of bridge at her home in the Ardagh Apartments Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gunn left last night for New York, from where they will sail for England, later going on the Mediterranean trip.

Tuesday, Feb. 27, the Echo Club of the Y. W. C. A. is holding a mu-sicale at Lenmore, the King street Y. W. C. A., for which exceptionally Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Cook of Port Rowan are spending a few days in town, guests of their son, Mr. Roy Cook, 23 Partridge street. proceeds will be a contribution to Mrs. George Holson, Wilton Grove,

Holding an informal supper meeting this evening at Lenmore, the Girls' Canadian Club will continue studies of civies and laws are supper meeting the several days in London, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maine, Byron avenue.

Owing to the illness of Mr. A. D. tation to Mrs. G. A. Leichliter of a Jordan, the recital of the Woman's handsome madeira set and a silver Music Club, to have been given Thursday under his convenership, has entation was made by Mrs. E. Reid, been postponed. Miss Frances Nickawa, the talent-

ed young Cree entertainer, and her adopted aunt, Miss Riley, were guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Maine, Byron liter. The basket of flowers was A happy event was held at the avenue, during their visit to London. home of Mr. F. J. Fortner, Glen-Mr. and Mrs. C. E. German, Miss Handley and Mrs. (Dr.) Kennedy, left Wednesday for Marlette, Mich., where they will spend several days the of the meeting a social hour was guests of Mrs. German's brothers, enjoyed, and a charming program the Messrs. Handley. The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Bro-

Foresters' Hall in London East, Tuesday evening, Feb. 27. The conveners in charge are Mrs. B. Bray, Mrs. J. Richardson and Mrs. Cove. Dainty refreshments were Mrs. David Harvey Nichol entertained the members of the Sir George Ross Chapter, I. O. D. E., at their weekly meeting in her home in Te-The topic for the meeting, "Our

of Railway

arranging a euchre, to be held in the

interesting meeting this week of the was served by the hostess, a former Charing Cross Epworth League. A Bible reading, "The effect of deed by Mr. London from Stratford at 2:20 o'clock Character," was presented by Mr. London from Stratford at 2:20 o'clock CANADIANS HOUSE HUNT on character, was presented by the home of his host and hostess direction of Miss Mona Corlett, lit- the home of his host while here, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leon-

ment, has affected the immediate for- week, when Miss Margaret Forsyth of the distinguished visitor. tunes of distinguished Canadians in dealt with the topic, "Thanking God an interesting manner."

dealt with the topic, "Thanking God for His Goodness," after which a physical department of the Y. W. C. lively discussion was held. Miss Jean McCrea gave a fine paper on "Immigrants from Southeastern Europe."

ENTERTAIN SISTER LODGE. followed by an amusing program of games, including a number of oldfashioned dances. Later the guests.

numbering over 40, enjoyed a dainty Previous to presenting "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals," before the London Drama League, Monday evening, the members of the cast held a dress rehearsal at the Westminster Hospital, where the performance was most enthusiastically received by four hundred of the patients and the members of the staff. At the close of and fell a little below the hips, was the program the artists were enter-

tained by Major and Mrs. Towers. Club and their friends are looking forward with very genuine pleasure Club and their triends are looking forward with very genuine pleasure to the second artists concert of the season under the club's auspices, the recital to be presented in the Normal School auditorium the evening of Thursday, March 1, by the Toronto String Quartet, assisted by Dr. Ernest McMillan, Toronto, who even nest McMillan, Toronto, who even succeeded in winning recognition for nest McMillan, Toronto, who even succeeded in winning recognition for his genius from the Germans when he was interned in Germany during he was interned in Germany during of the was interned in Germany during the was interned he was interned in Germany during the period of the war. Dr. McMillan is a son of Rev. Dr. Alexander McMillan, secretary of Church Praise of Barklie.

An interesting wedding of and a nephew of Mrs. D. H. Porter, week will be the marriage of Miss Annie Forman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Forman, 87 William street, and Mr. H. Shabsove of Petrolea, which is taking place Tuesday, February 27, at the Masonic Temple. of prayer, uniting with the Methodist W. M. S. in the Methodist Church. Mrs. H. Irvine, president of the Methodist W. M. S., presided. Mrs. Walter Oliver, president of the Pres-Miss Foreman's bridesmaids will be her sister, Miss Esther Foreman, and Miss Rose Barratt; and Mr. Reuben Tenebaum of Toronto will act as best man. Among the showers arbyterian Auxiliary, led in the read-ing of the different parts of the pro-gram. Mesdames Irvine, Chambers, ranged in Miss Foreman's honor was

gram. Mesdames Irvine, Chambers, the linen shower given by Miss Rose Dunlop and W. Armstrong offered prayer. Rev. I. H. McDonald gave a much-appreciated address.

At the regular February meeting of the Kintore Presbyterian W. M. S., a letter received this week by Rev. At the regular February meeting of the Kintore Presbyterian W. M. S., a splendid report of the annual meeting of the London Presbyterial was given by Mrs. F. R. Thornton, and Mrs. I. H. McDonald, who attended the short courses in Knox College, and Mrs. Davis, who left several was part of the short courses in Knox College. and Mrs. Davis, who left several weeks ago for China to prepare for weeks ago for China to prepare for missionary work there, made the journey by rail from Shanghai to Chinkiang in five hours. When, as a child of 5 or 6, Mrs. Davis was in China before with her parents, the trip took eighteen hours by boat.

Little Marie is evidently a born missionary. In any case, she has been making up most readily to the Japanese and Chinese already met, not revealing a trace of shyness with them, though she is not yet a year them, though she is not yet a year

TINSMITH SHOP BURNED.

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, Feb. 21—Fire yesterday caused damage of \$1,500 to the tinsmithing shop of MacKenzie, Milne & Cormick entertained the cast and various members of the league at a delightful supper party at their home in Dufferin avenue. The guests were from a heater which had not been turned out when the works closed Monday.

Special to The Advertiser.

Following the performance of "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals," presented by the London Drama League, Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George McCormick entertained the cast and various members of the league at a delightful supper party at their home ing her own spelling blocks. She first cut out the letters that spelled her name, and then she learned to form other words.

Mrs. F. B. Ware, Mrs. Frank McCor
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Night. Among the questions which the members of the Y. W. C. A. Federation of Girls' Clubs are considering this week in preparation for their supper meeting, Thursday evening, and discussion of "Service in the Community a Civic Responsibility," in connection with the building of the service code, are the following: 1 Does your good-will stop with those congenial to you?

2 How much goes out to people of

Civic Responsibility

your community?

3 How much contribution do you make towards raising the standard of life in your community?

4 What is an armchair citizen?

5 Can a home rightly administered be a real community asset? 6 Is there any relation between the welfare of the home and the welfare of the community? Mrs. C. B. King today lays down the duties of the office of president of Should we have organization in our community for social work? the London Young Women's Christian Association, which she has filled with

8. Do you know of any deep-rooted social sins in your community?

9 Who should deal with these, individuals or organizations?

10 Can the clubs of the federation be agents of social reform?

11 What is the value of social indignation, or is there such a thing?

12 Can the affairs of the com munity be organized according to the

Mr. And Mrs. Kenneth Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Sims, Mr. Stan-ley Meredith, Dr. and Mrs. David Ar-nott, Mrs. Emerson Nichols, Mrs. George Perry, Mr. Vincent Perry, and Miss Bertha Smith, supervisor of child welfare nursing, is giving the address of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brickenden and Mrs. Gordon Hutchinson. KNOX CHURCH DEBATERS SCORE FOR CITY OR TOWN

An interesting debate was held at the regular meeting of the Young People's Society of Knox Church Monday evening, which was one of the series of inter-church debates takin place. The contesting sides were composed of members from Chelsea Green Presbyterian Church, including Misse Verna Brazier and Adelaide Baptist Ladies' Aid Peggy Smith, Chelsea Green, who took the affirmative side, and Misses Evelyn Greer and Evelyn Haylock of Knox Church, who were on the negative side. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, that it is possible A happy feature of the regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Adefor a rural church to have a greater influence for good in a community laide Street Baptist Church, held Tuesday afternoon, was the presenthan the town or city church. The judges were Mr. E. A. Miller, Mr. Dolan and Mr. Beemer, who decided in favor of the negative side

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entation was made by Mrs. E. Reid, and an address was read by Mrs. of Miss Ella Waddell. THE ETERNAL QUESTION

you look as happy as a lord!

Fred-I feel like the lord of crea-Tea was served at a dainty table done in yellow and blue and bright with spring flowers, and presided over by Mrs. D. H. Gillies and Mrs. McIntyre. Mrs. W. Maynard presided over the meeting, and Mrs. J. C. McNeil was tea convener. An inspiring Bible lesson was given by Mrs. Leichliter, who also led in prayer.

from the way you to three or four nights.

Davis 7 Alice-It's such a relief! The last could hardly stand it!

Alice-Oh, that was only nervous-Fred-That's just it, nervousness, Now when I start to stutter I just

that cures it. Alice—You've been stuttering aw-fully the last few evenings—what's been making you so nervous?
Fred-I've been trying to screw

portant question. I've been afraid of Fred-That's all past now-I'll tell your answer!
Alice-Well, ask me now-since -b-be m-m-m-m-

-YES! Yes? Fred-My-my-my-Alice —Your-your-your-your-your-what? For heaven's sake! Fred-My-my-my-I'm n-n-n-not

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Fred-And you won't be my-my my-my-? Company

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