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BAPTIST S. S. ASSOCIATION HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

At Jarvis street Baptist Church tonight the annual meeting of the Toronto Baptist Sunday School Association will be held.

Plane Repairing. Only experienced men are capable of properly repairing and overhauling pianos.

TIDINGS REACH PARENTS.

A cable reading "Quite safe" was received yesterday by Prof. and Mrs. Vandermussen of Surrey Place, regarding their son, Lieut. W. H. Vandermussen, who is at the front.



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Other People's Children.

I know you are not concerned directly with the bringing up of other people's children; yet I venture to talk about them in this, your column.

As a taxpayer and a citizen you have an interest in every child in the city, and as a parent you are intimately concerned with the training of your children's associates.

Now that does not mean that you are to torment poor Jack with comments or bombard him with questions concerning his new chum.

MINISTERS RETURN.

Hon. W. H. Hearst, Premier of Ontario, and Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, returned yesterday from a week's tour of Northern Ontario.

YEAR OLD BOY DEAD OF FRACTURED SKULL

Special to The Toronto World. KINGSTON, Ont., April 26.—Russell George Williams, the one-year-old son of Arthur Williams, had his skull fractured by a fall from his high chair and died today.

CONDOLENCE MESSAGE TO COL. RYERSON.

The following message of condolence was cabled last night to Col. George Sterling Ryerson, following the death of his son, Capt. George C. Ryerson, at Langemark: "President Macquenn officers and members, U.E.L. Association, express deepest sympathy."

EXCELLENT WORK IN PHOTOGRAPHS

Toronto Camera Club's Annual Exhibition Contains Very Fine Examples

MEDALS ARE AWARDED

Picture Sent in From New York Was Given First Prize.

The twelfth salon and twenty-fourth annual exhibition of the Toronto Camera Club, which opened yesterday at the club's rooms, 2 Gould street, reveals an extremely interesting and widely diversified range of photographic art studies, which as a whole exemplify the steady advance the camera is making as a medium of artistic expression.

The prize picture is a scene in the Wasatch Mountains, by Gordon Shields of the Camera Craftmen, New York, awarded the gold medal in the landscape class.

Eight of the thirteen medals have been awarded to Toronto artists, four of whom are also credited with "honorable mention." One of the best of the Toronto pictures and winner of a bronze medal, is "Reflections," by J. H. Ames.

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SAFETY FIRST DEPARTMENT.

A Safety First department was opened by the Grand Trunk Railway at the Union Station yesterday. Geo. Bradshaw, safety engineer, will direct the department.

Notes of Women's World

Prof. Coleman's pictures, exhibited in the Y. M. C. A. building of the university, brought \$100 to the fund of the University Base Hospital, and in deference to the many who are still anxious to see the collection, it is probable that arrangements may be made for a month or longer in the Art Museum or Public Library.

A shower of tobacco, taffy, chocolate and other sweets was held yesterday by the Lord Nelson Chapter, I.O.B.E., for the benefit of the soldiers in the trenches of the Belgian front.

Under the auspices of the Franco-British Aid Society of Toronto, Stephen Leacock, the humorous lecturer, will make a tour thru western Ontario, the proceeds of which will go to the relief of the Belgians in Brittany.

The Lakeshore branch of the Red Cross will meet at 315 E. W. Eaton st., 150 Farnham avenue, on Wednesday afternoon at 2.

The Nursing Division, St. John's Ambulance Brigade, meets tonight at 8 o'clock in St. Luke's parish house.

St. George's Chapter, I.O.D.E., meets today at 2:15 at 259 Sherbourne street for special work.

Dr. Sunder-Singh, the East Indian lecturer, will address an open meeting of the Sir Henry Pellett Chapter at Columbus Hall this afternoon at four o'clock.

The Gonalikes Club meets this afternoon at the soldiers at the home of Mrs. J. Blandin, 45 Foxbar road.

Mrs. Forsythe Grant will be the hostess at the Women's Press Club this afternoon, when Mrs. C. H. J. Snider, who is leaving shortly with her husband for England, will be the guest of honor.

A strong appeal is sent out by the Women's League, 555 Bloor street, for summer clothing for the women and girls who are prevented from taking situations for lack of the necessary presentable garments.

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PEACE CONFERENCE DOOMED TO FAIL

Women Delegates Cannot Reach Hague for Various Reasons.

THE HAGUE (via London), April 26.—Difficulties on all sides have been encountered in the attempt to bring the International Women's Congress, which is scheduled to gather at The Hague, to a successful conclusion.

The steamer Noerm, which was due yesterday with the American delegates, has not arrived.

The Swiss authorities have refused to grant permits to the chief German delegates, and the British delegation, after having been cut by the British Government to one-third of the original number, has been unable to cross the channel owing to the lack of shipping facilities.

The Swiss delegates telegraphed to come, "We have been prevented from coming." They give no explanation, but it is assumed that Germany has declined to allow them to pass. The French women from the outset have declined to participate.

LECTURE ON BOYS' WORK. Taylor Statten, National Council Boys' Work secretary, Y.M.C.A., is giving tonight the second lecture in his series of four lectures on the new systematic method of boy development, by the Canadian standard efficiency tests.

BUSINESS MEN'S SERVICE. The Business Men's Prayer Meeting will be held by John A. Paterson on Wednesday of this week. It is held in room 509, Canadian Pacific Building, at 12 o'clock noon.

DENY VISIT TO VATICAN.

ROME (via Paris), April 26.—Both the Vatican and Prince Von Buelow, the German ambassador to Italy, deny tonight the second lecture in his series of four lectures on the new systematic method of boy development, by the Canadian standard efficiency tests.

MEMORIAL SERVICE IS BEING PLANNED

Mayor Church Will Consult the Military Authorities This Morning.

HYDRO ASKS FOR TIME

Commission Wants to Postpone Payment of Its Liabilities.

The Toronto Hydro Commission has asked for more time in which to pay its liabilities to the city. Up to December of last year the hydro received from the city \$6,119,292, and the capital expenditure up to that time was \$5,282,515, leaving a balance of \$836,777. The total liability to the city to Dec. 31 last was \$987,453, made up of interest and debentures, sinking fund instalments and interest on arrears.

That a memorial service be held in Massey Hall next Sunday, is the suggestion of Mayor Church. "The heroic conduct of the Canadians was worthy of the highest traditions of the British army," said the mayor.

The city council motioned out to Cathlamet Pond yesterday, in order that each member could size up for himself the deplorable condition of the pond, and what some conclusion as to what should be done with the matter will be dealt with in council when the estimates are being considered, as what is done will require an added expenditure which will have to be included in the year's expenditure.

A prominent legal firm has written to the property committees, setting out that the present court accommodation in the city hall is far too small, especially in the non-jury courts, and suggesting that court rooms be provided in the new registry office on Elizabeth street. The letter has arrived somewhat late, however, as the registry office building is well under way and cannot now be changed without considerable added expense.

Mayor Church, Mayor Stevenson of London, and T. J. Hannigan, secretary of the Ontario Hydro-Electrical Association, had a conference yesterday afternoon, in reference to the opening of the first municipally owned hydro railway, which will run from London to Fort Stanley. The opening ceremonies will be held in the new registry office on Elizabeth street. The letter has arrived somewhat late, however, as the registry office building is well under way and cannot now be changed without considerable added expense.

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The Parkdale Y. W. C. T. U. will hold a sale of home-made confectionery at the Parkdale Music Store, corner of Queen Street and Close avenue, on Saturday.

METHODIST MINISTERS OPPOSE AN ELECTION

That a general election during the war would be contrary to the best interests of Canada and the empire was the substance of a resolution passed by the Methodist ministers' meeting held yesterday morning. The resolution called upon the government not to hold an election and its tragic consequences, by the Methodist ministers' meeting held yesterday morning.

JOHN BUNNY DEAD. NEW YORK, April 26.—John Bunny, whose antics as a moving picture comedian have made millions laugh, died at his home in Brooklyn today.

GERMANIZING THE BIBLE. Rev. Dr. Hincks of Trinity Methodist Church spoke on "Germanizing the Bible and its tragic consequences," at a meeting yesterday of the Methodists ministers of Toronto.

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If you took care to heel the soil up well around the plants before the frosts set in, and kept them well mulched during the winter, you should have some good bushes now, to start out with. If you did not take these precautions, you will find some wobbly and rather useless specimens on your hands, and these will have to be nursed up well, if bloom is desired this summer.

Plants are just exactly like babies; they've got to be looked after and fed and kept warm, and so on, and if you don't do your duty by them you can't expect to have successful gardens, any more than you can expect to have satisfactory children. You mustn't coddle them to death, but you must help them out all you can.

And I don't really know any personal friends that respond so wonderfully to ordinary care as do these tufted pinks.

Right now you have got to get down on your hands and knees and fix them up around the soil, and make them so brittle, the tops snap off—winter killed! You will find some turned out of the earth, and Mr. Earthworm has been trying to pull that one in after him, bodily—transplanted too late last fall! You will find some that have grown thick and branchy during winter, and just ready to fall apart if you touch the sprawly tuft, not sufficiently

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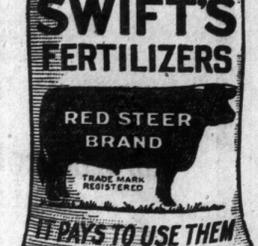
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covered and heeled up last fall! And perhaps you will find some snug and firm in front, already sending up small and stout young spear-like blades!

You will take some looking after to get a successful and new stock, but you have enough to start on. Use up these last ones well, you can see little as possible, and transplant some where else, only being careful to plant them deep and have to stay deep. That is always the trouble with tufted pinks; they do have to stay deep in the soil if they are going to be successful plants. Plant them deep and cultivate well the soil around the roots, every time you go to a minute to spare from the garden, and keep well watered, all the time!

Now those sprawly ones; pull them apart from the central root. You will be able perhaps to make five or six new plants from those wobbly looking bunches, and plant deep in the soil, in about four days the soil will be new, fine with threadlike roots, and if you cultivate constantly, and water constantly, these will bloom almost as soon as those others mentioned above.

As for the others, plant deep all the likely looking shoots, keep well heeled up with fine soil, keep well watered, and the earth firm, and the plants, but not hard—and live in hope! Things may happen. Do not give up hope.

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