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Here are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STONE CHURCH W. A.

Beginning at 12 o'clock yesterday the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's (Stone) church was held with a large attendance of members. The session opened with the Holy Communion, followed by an address by Rev. A. L. Flemming on the text, "Ye are My friends. If ye keep My commandments." The beauty of friendship and the privilege of sharing responsibility and friendship with the Master were pointed out in this address.

On adjourning to the schoolroom, after the members' prayer, the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary Miss Edith Skinner. Luncheon was served at 1.30 to all members of the church who attended. The committee in charge of this lunch were Mrs. J. Pope Barnes, Mrs. Edmund Secord and Mrs. Geo. Kimball.

Mrs. Jas. F. Robertson's Bible reading was of deep interest. It was on Women's Work, and spoke of the first convert in Europe, Lydia, the seller of purple, who dispensed hospitality to the apostles. It was thought that her example should be followed and that no one should refuse to entertain delegates to any religious services or conventions.

The president, Mrs. John A. McAvity, made an address, speaking of the readjustment which will have to take place in many of our ideas after the war and its work is over, but that the cause of missions is one of the essentials that has not and will not change.

The treasurer, Mrs. G. Fred Fisher, read a report showing a satisfactory financial condition of the funds in spite of large expenditures during the year.

The Leaflet Secretary, Mrs. Alfred Morrisey ,gave a report of her work. Mrs. Clarence deForest as Dorcas secretary, read a report showing a splendid amount of sewing accomplished. Reports were heard from the "Girls' Association," the junior W. A., the Bible Branch, the Mothers' meeting, all telling of the good work done in these various departments which has included outfits sent to the Northwest and country parishes, knitting done for lepers in the Far East, as well as money sent missionaries.

Miss L. L. Shaw, a returned missionary from Japan, gave a most enjoyable talk on the results obtained in the teaching of Japanese girls now living in Corea. With its quaintly worded facts it was both interesting and touching. This girl wherever she goes finds opportunities to teach others of the Master, whom she serves and loves.

Mrs. A. L. Flemming, for a few moments spoke of missionary work in Baffin's Land, and said that it showed the reality of our Christianity and was the test of our real conviction, the zeal which we displayed in carrying the Gospel to others.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. J. A. McAvity; vice-president, Mrs. Kimball; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley; 3rd vice-president, Miss Murray; secretary, Miss Edith Skinner; treasurer, Mrs. G. Fred Fisher; Leaflet secretary, Mrs. Alfred Morrisey; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Clarence deForest; delegate to annual, Mrs. G. Kuhring.

In the voting of the funds after the pledges had been fulfilled, $15 was voted to Eldon Merritt, for his work among the Esquimo, and $30 more to three appeals sent out by the Diocesian board.

ROYAL STANDARD CHAPTER, I. O. D. E.

A special meeting of the Royal Standard Chapter was held yesterday morning in their rooms on Germain street, the Regent, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, presiding. It was decided to send socks to the Field Ambulance. Reports were heard from the various committees in charge of the production of Pinafore, and plans were discussed for the self-denial day (King Albert's birthday), April 8th, when a city-wide contribution will be asked.

MEATLESS RECIPES

In order that meatless dishes may be a success they must not be a substitute with all the zest left out. They should be perfectly seasoned by one not afraid to use anything and everything that gives flavor—no matter whether one ever heard of the combination before. Good sauces and gravies are a necessity and several vegetables as side dishes.

Curried Haricot Beans

Melt an ounce and a half of butter in a saucepan, add three small onions chopped and one tart apple. Cook slightly for two minutes add one tablespoon of curry powder, the same of curry paste and a dessertspoonful of flour. Stir well and add slowly one cup of water in which the beans have been cooked. Cook till the onion is soft. Rub all through a sieve, add any needed seasoning, the juice of half a lemon and half a tablespoon of cocoanut. Return to the fire add one cup of haricot beans which have been soaked over night and cook till soft, add also two hard-boiled eggs chopped rather coarse. Heat very hot and serve with a border of plain fluffy rice with lemon slices and parsley.

Butter Bean Sausages

Soak one-half pound of butter beans over night and cook till soft. Drain and mash fine. Chop small onion fine and fry lightly in one tablespoon of butter. Add this to the beans with two cups of bread crumbs, one dessertspoon of chopped parsley, salt and pepper and just enough milk to moisten slightly. Form into small sausages, roll in crumbs, egg and again in crumbs and fry in enough hot fat to float.

Savory Rice

Cook three ounces of rice in milk in the double boiler till tender. Add salt and pepper. Put a layer of rice in a buttered dish. Pour over this some stewed tomatoes nicely seasoned and not too watery. Cover with rice. Sprinkle grater cheese on top and heat through in the oven, browning the cheese nicely. Serve from the dish.

Savory Pie

Boil one pound of onions until tender to chop fine. Make a crust of one-half pound of flour, one-fourth pound of lard, one-half teaspoon of baking powder, a pinch of salt and one-half cup of cold water. Line a deep plate with half the paste, spread with the onion seasoned with salt, pepper and dry powdered sage. Cover with the paste and bake.

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SWEATERS OF PAISLEY

One of the newest sport coats which goes by the name of sweater, for we have thought of nothing else that is better, is made of a Paisley shawl with a high, wrapped collar of brown velvet and pockets and hem faced with brown velvet. The loose sash knotted at the side is of Paisley, finished with deep fringe.

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Tip to the movie man—Don't you think a picture of a whole trainload of coal coming into the city would be of gripping interest?—Ottawa Journal Press.

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KNITTING SOCKS

During February, 332 pairs of socks were knitted in the knitting room of the Patriotic League and Employment is thus provided for elderly women who are otherwise unemployable. Socks had been ordered for the 168th, the 208th and the Bantams, as well as for the Belgian soldiers, and 109 for the Toronto Red Cross. Amputation socks were also made on order.—Toronto Daily News.

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HINTS AND HELPS

Keep nickel, silver ornaments and mounts bright by rubbing with a woollen cloth saturated in spirits of ammonia.

To remove grease from wall paper, rub the spot with a piece of flannel dampened with alcohol.

When setting bread sponge omit putting in salt until light and ready to knead. The salt partly kills the yeast, germs and this retards fermentation.

A thick slice of onion laid on top of a roast of beef and cooked with it, gives a fine flavor to meat and gravy.

With paint treated with varnish so that it may be easily washed, is both sanitary and pretty for the kitchen.

To stop nosebleed, sit up straight; never lie down or lay cold clothes on the nape of the neck and on the brow.

A tin cup of vinegar set on the ack of the stove and kept boiling while cabbage and onions are cooking will prevent the smell from going through the house.

To remove mildew, soak the clothes in chloride of lime water.

White stains on furniture made by alcohol can be removed by rubbing them lightly with spirits of camphor.

After doing kitchen work, rub the hands with salt for a few minutes and then rinse with tepid water. This will smooth them so that one may embroider or sew without difficulty.

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Lady Jellicoe's Fund

In acknowledging on 17th January, 1917, the sums of $528.97 and $3,000 generously sent through Mr. Justice Hodgins to Lady Jellicoe by the New Westminster Local Council of Women, and by the Vancouver Women's Auxiliary to Missions for Sailors, Lady Jellicoe says: "Those who benefit by my fund very warmly appreciate the splendid way in which Canada has come forward to help them in their trouble."—Montreal Gazette.

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WISDOM

When I have ceased to break my wings
Against the faultiness of things,
And learned that compromises wait
Behind each hardly opened gate,
When I can look Life in the eyes
Grown calm and very coldly wise,
Life will have given me the Truth,
And taken in exchange—my youth.

—Sara Teasdale in Harper's Magazine.

Says Se Suffered For Many Years

Then Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured her Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Felix Ascah Found No Relief in Doctors or Hospital Treatment, but Dodd's Kidney Pills Brought a Speedy Cure.

Haldimand, Gaspe Co., Que., March 12th, (Special).—Mrs. Felix Ascah is telling her numerous friends here that her complete recovery from kidney disease from which she suffered for years is due to the splendid work of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"My trouble started from a strain," Mrs. Ascah says. "I suffered for years. I was attended by a doctor and was also treated at a hospital. I suffered from stiffness in the joints, I had a bitter taste, especially in the morning, and at times was subject to sever headaches. I had a pressure and often a sharp pain at the top of my head and my skin itched and burned at night.

"Neither from the doctor nor at the hospital did I get any permanent relief. Then I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and two boxes did me so much good I feel like recommending them to everyone who has kidney trouble."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. Cured kidneys strain all the impurities, all the seeds of disease, out of the blood. That makes good health all over the body. That's why those cured are so enthusiastic in regard to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mary S. Rose's Feeding the Family

That is is quite possible to live on 25 cents a day, provided you know how—this is the fact which the experiment of the New York Police Diet Squad has demonstrated. Under the direction of Mary S. Rose, of Teachers College, menus have been prepared which with an expenditure of 25 cents a day, have provided sufficient nourishment for the "rookies" undergoing the test. In fact some of them have increased in weight under Mrs. Rose's management.

This is all very well say the skeptics, but how can it be made of general application? Unless one knows food values one cannot prepare the meals from the standpoint of the scientist as does Mrs. Rose. The answer is simple—what she has done for the police squad she has done for all who are interested in her book, Feeding the Family. This volume rests upon exactly the same principles as those put into effect in the New York demonstration. Moreover, it has been written for the use of the woman of the home, who has no technical knowledge of the relative values of the different foods. Published only a few weeks ago it makes available the results of Mrs. Rose's latest study and investigation.

A SOLDIER MYSTIC'S VISION

The time has not yet come in which any complete survey can be made of the religious psychology evolved out of the conflict now raging. Contributions are being made to it of every diverse character, as in the late Donald Hankey's book, "A Student in Arms," and in the intimate revelations of letters and diaries, says the London Telegraph.

On the one hand is the mysticism that could lead Lance-Corporal Sedding to write from the trenches, before he went into action and died from wounds he received, of the vision of the "Wings of Peace."

For as in love they enfold me, I will look up and behold their shining glory, arched in a vault of dusky gold, gleaming with rainbow hues. Gold for sovereignty and power, and all the wondrous graces, Charity and Love, that color thy divinity—so shall I rest in peace.

Others have made the simple return to memories of childhood, like that Lancashire private who confessed that since he had been in hospital he had every night repeated the prayer of boyish days:

Now I lay me down to sleep,
I pray the Lord my soul to keep,
And if I die before I wake,
I pray the Lord my soul to take.

Between those extremes of thought every phrase that faith can accept has found expression.

"Yes, she tells her mother everything."

"Well, I thought that the old lady was degenerating rapidly."—Life.

CURTAIN FLASHES

It was just about eight years ago that Kathlyn Williams ,now starring under the Morosco-Pallas brand of the Paramount Company, first tried her hand at motion pictures and she received her schooling under the past-master, David W. Griffith. Associated with her in those early picture days were Henry B. Walthall, Mary Pickford, Arthur Johnson and Billy Quirk. Poor Johnson is dead, but all the others are still very much to the fore.

Cleo Madison has made an eleventh-hour change in her arrangements and will appear in one feature at least with Louis Jacobs, who is at present with the L-Ko Company at Hollywood. Whether under the L-Ko banner or with an entirely separate company is not announced.

IMPERIAL.

"The Common Law."

"The Common Law", the super production screened at the Imperial yesterday proved quite a sensation in motion picture circles. Every seat was filled at the evening performance and many comments were heard on the beauty of the settings and the excellence of the acting. Nearly every one present had read the novel by Robert W. Chambers and were much interested to see what sort of a motion picture it would make. This is the first

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage---Favorites and What They Say and Do.

Chambers novel to be picturized and the first play in which Clara Kimball Young starred for the Selznick Company. The story of the model, Valerie West, with her strange ideas about marriage and her unconventionality, is full of situations which needed careful direction. The direction is almost faultless, the beauty of the settings can hardly be over-emphasized. Mr. Capellani has the tact to leave something to the intelligence of the audience, hence we are spared so many repeats and cut-backs, such as so often spoil many otherwise good pictures.

So with the characterization of the persons in the story. Their restrained acting conveys more than any writings and facial contortions could possibly indicate. Miss Young looks very handsome and wears some most becoming costumes. Both she and Conway Teale, who is Louis Neville, the artist, bring a refinement to their work which carries off some otherwise delicate situations.

The theatre pictures and New Year's eve at Rector's give some idea of life in New York or any large city where people take pleasure as a god. The atmosphere of Neville's home with its air of riches, which have always been in the family, and the deep conservatism which usually goes with that financial state, is shown by many suggective touches. Mr. Tearle's experience and training on the stage with Sir Charles Wyndham and Ellen Terry have certainly fitted him to play any part with artistic success.

Paul Capellani who plays the part of Querida is a Frenchman who was on the boards of the Comedie Francaise as leading juvenile for some years.

As Stephanie, deeply and often tearfully in love with Neville, Miss Lilian Cook handles her role skillfully. Julia Stuart, who takes the part of Neville's mother, we saw last week as the widow in "The Travelling Salesman." Edward Kimball, "Mr. Neville," is, I believe, Clara Kimball Young's brother. Edna Hunter, "Rita," was for some years leading woman with Universal. No one will be disappointed in this picture and certainly no expense has been spared in its production.

The Imperial orchestra played special music for the occasion.

The Gaumont world tour, which was included in the programme, took us to Bordeaux, to Greece, where we saw a wonderful monastery, and to river Nive with its swift torrents and rocky gorgos.

LYRIC.

Where Love Is.

William J. Locke's novel, "Where Love Is," has been made into a motion picture, and Ann Murdock plays the heroine. Ann Murdock, of whom one critic has written, "she is the personification of 'pep.'" She is a live wire and all the other little expressions that we find useful as synonyms for the old word "ginger." She has enough vivacity for two more people. She fairly dances when she should walk. Anna Held couldn't make her eyes behave, neither can Ann Murdock her hands and feet. Just the same I think we shall some day see her in a stronger, less conventional story, for in this one the villain is very wicked and the society people almost too heartless for belief.

One feels that the guilty man had no right to be saved and that fact lessens one's sympathy for the good scene of the hero, however, one may admire his self-sacrifice. The artist, Jimmie Padgate, is Henry Stamford. Biglow Cooper plays Morland King.

Miss Murdock wears many pretty clothes and will make a popular appeal. Shirley Mason, as the artist's protege, was very sweet, and Raymond McKee, as her boyish lover, was good. Mabel Trumelle, as the friend of "Norma" (Ann Murdock) was excellent. The photography, especially the out-door scenes, of which there are many, is delightful. A hunting picture is beautifully pictured. A duchess introduced is hardly our idea of royalty, but, anyway, she was a good sort. The ending of the play leaves the audience smiling, so that is all right.

The act at the Lyric is very good. Desrocher and Arenson it is billed, the first named being a Russian, born in Siberia. The first dance, a pastoral dance, attired in rustic costume. Desrocher then plays on a Russian instrument the name of which I'd hate to try to say—Balalaika; (I can spell it you see); selections were given on this including a Russian folk song with a plaintive and haunting melody. "Bright Shines the Moon," is the English translation. Attired in a Quaker-like grey, Miss Arenson gives an original dance called "The Awakening," depicting an innocent girl on her way to church who dances and feels as if she has committed a sin by so doing. She shows vanity, horror, intoxication and remorse. This was very well done. Desrocher gives a typical Cossack dance.

UNIQUE.

The Purple Mask.

The House of Mystery is the name of this instalment, and it was indeed a house of queer construction. I would hate to lean against the wall carelessly in a house like that for you would never know what would happen. Nothing was what it seemed. Pictures moved aside to show peepholes for the gang, the desk held a member of the band, whole sides of walls came down and pieces of floors moved up to let Patsey and her friends in or out and to work to the discomfiture of Kelly. One good surprise is when Kelly and his trusty few find the gang at their council table, surround them, only to find they have even then escaped. There, I didn't tell you after all, did I?

Pathe Weekly for yesterday gave us some pictures of a very interesting Chinese funeral with the mourners carrying huge wreaths, and the coffin borne under a canopy with wonderful curtains and drapings. Even the car on the train which bore the dead man away was decked with roses. Other views of skating at Long Island, the New York stock market, and the inauguration of a Bishop at Manilla.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

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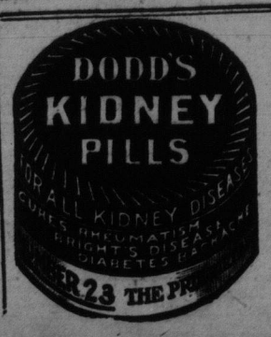
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