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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

In Society

The Deutscher Verein (Emil Nerlich, president, and Messrs. J. H. Peters and H. J. Bohme, vice-presidents) will entertain the Mendelssohn Choir and the Theodore Thomas Orchestra of Chicago at the home of the club, corner of Church and Wood-streets, to-night after the concert at Massey Hall. Owing to the lateness of the hour, the entertainment will take the form of a reception and German Komers. The Germans of this city desire in this way to show their appreciation of the valuable services rendered by Dr. A. S. Vogt in placing before their Canadian fellow-citizens the very best of German composers and in stimulating the cultivation of the art of music.

His excellency the governor-general, who has always been a great lover and patron of music, will this year attend two of the Mendelssohn Choir concerts. As he comes to Toronto to attend the congress on Friday, he has arranged his plans so that he will be present at the concert on Thursday and that on Saturday evenings and has thus chosen two programs thoroughly representative of the comprehensive work of Dr. Vogt and his famous band of singers.

Mrs. Withers and the Misses Withers of Rose-avenue will receive on the third Thursday of this month instead of the second Thursday, and on the second Thursday of each month during the season.

Mrs. M. J. O'Connor of 32 Gloucester-street will receive this afternoon, and after on the first and second Tuesdays of the month.

J. M. Sherlock has been engaged as tenor soloist for the Good Friday performance of "Maudslayi" to the Calvary by the Norwood Choral Society, under Mr. H. A. Nicol.

For the "Creation" concert on March 11 the soloists chosen are: Carolinne Hudson, soprano; John Young, tenor, and Frank Croxton, bass.

The Anglican Young People's Association are giving a concert in Guild Hall next Monday evening, the entertainers including Mrs. D. H. Bisset, Miss Eva Cuthbert, Miss Evelyn Davis, Miss Bigwood, W. E. Capps, Donald McGregor, Charles Emery, Ted Parker, Will J. White and E. R. Bowles.

Mrs. Biddell Davis (May Square) will not receive in February, but on the second and third Mondays in March.

Mrs. James Watt and Mrs. Albert Watt will receive at the home of the former, 28 Howard-avenue, on Thursday and on the second Thursday in March, and not again this season.

Mrs. George L. Marks (nee Lindfield) will receive with Mrs. Peyton on Friday and afterwards on the first Friday of each month at 189 St. Patrick-street.

Mrs. J. W. Thompson, 188 Dunn-avenue, will receive on the fourth Friday instead of Thursday, as formerly.

Mrs. James Corcoran of 111 Gore Vale-avenue will not receive to-day, but will receive the second Tuesday of March.

Mrs. H. N. Winter, 34 Walker-avenue, will not receive till the second Tuesday in March.

Mrs. William Davison of 31 West Roxboro-street will receive on Friday, when Mrs. Edward F. Ball of New York will be with her.

Mrs. John A. Northway will receive on Thursday at 133 Farnham-avenue and afterwards on the second Thursday and Friday of each month.

Mrs. Robert Davies and Miss Davies, Chester Park, 24 Tordmorden-road, will receive on Tuesday for the last time this season.

Mrs. J. S. Whyte of Cedar-avenue, Balmly House, will not receive this month owing to illness in the family.

Mrs. James G. Harvey, 26 Oriole-road, will receive for the last time this season on Friday.

Mrs. M. Barber and Miss Barber of 25 Beatrice-street will receive on Thursday afternoon and afterwards on the second Thursdays.

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THIS WEEK AT THE THEATRES

At the Princess.

"The Girl Behind the Counter" furnishes legitimate musical comedy most of the time, with an occasional rise to something like comic opera, and a more occasional plunge into frank burlesque. It has Law Field and Connie Edies of transatlantic fame, plus a competent set of supporting principals, one of the few genuine English operetta ballets in captivity on the North American continent, plus also, if you are not inspired, music, gowns that would make Anna Held envious, and more than the usual gingerliness.

The large audience at the Princess last night showed appreciation, in that many recalls were insisted upon.

Mr. Fields is a new-comer to Toronto, but his reputation as a star of the old Weber-Fields combination preceded him. His coming is a result of the theatrical upheaval of the past year or so. His specialty is to travesty the Teuton, using the customary stage license.

The comedian's fun-making is not touched with vulgarity, and to this and his infectious laugh are probably due his success in an over-worked field.

He is almost outshone by Connie Edies, who as an ex-landlady, with her own aspirations, is very diverting. Her work has the stamp of genuine merit, and with its fine flavor of old London immensely tickled the audience.

Other leading parts are well taken by Pearl Lund, charmingly as Miss Marie Dumont, Lotta Faust, Martin Brown, Denman Maley, Joseph Rattiff, Charles Judels and Vernon Castle.

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At the Majestic.

A western railroad drama, dealing with the career of twin brothers, one of whom is a man of honor and the other a highway robber, is the offering at the Majestic Theatre this week. The two performances yesterday being attended by capacity houses.

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At the Alexandra.

Every lover of the romantic knows Anthony Hope's "Prisoner of Zenda," the pioneer of an imaginative class of novel that has since had many imitators but none surpassing it in charm and interest. The play based upon it by Edward Rose was chosen by James H. Hackett as the first production of his two weeks' engagement at the Royal Alexandra and amply justified the choice, not only by the resources of the excellent company that supports him, but by the play itself.

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CAN COMPEL BELL CO. TO CONNECT WITH OTHERS

Powers of the Railway Board Now Sufficient to Improve Position of Independent Lines.

OTTAWA, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—J. E. Armstrong, who has been interesting himself in the matter of long distance telephone connection between rival companies, has received a letter from D'Arcy Scott, assistant chief of the railway commission, saying that by an order in council issued to-day, the powers of the board under the amendment to the Railway Act of July 20, 1906, are extended with regard to compelling one telephone company to connect with another, and regulating the price to be charged for such a connection.

The clause of the act brought into effect by this proclamation says that any company, province, municipality or corporation having authority to operate a telephone system and charge tolls, and which is desirous of having long distance connections with any other company, may appeal to the board, which may order such company to provide for a connection and dictate the terms of compensation, and conditions of use, taking into consideration standards of apparatus. Working agreements between companies shall be approved by the board.

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ST. KITTS NOT DRY YET

Injunction Postpones License Reduction, Claiming Council Heed.

ST. CATHARINES, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—By an injunction served on members of the city council this afternoon, by Ingersoll and Kingston, lawyers, acting for A. T. Martin, the third reading of the liquor license reduction by-law was stayed off for at least another week.

The injunction was granted by County Judge Carman upon affidavits to the effect that the mayor and aldermen are not legally elected, and that voters list upon which the election was held was only filed with the clerk of the peace at 10 o'clock on the day of election.

The injunction came as a great surprise. A report submitted by the executive committee to the effect that the city guarantee interest at 5 per cent. on the bonds of the St. Catharines Municipal Improvement Commission, better known as the Well House, was adopted. Interest is to be guaranteed on \$20,000, which is third of the bond issue to extinguish the present debts of the company, which is now almost insolvent.

Captain A. Makolmson will become industrial commissioner at no salary other than 2 per cent. on any factory brought to the city by him paying \$40,000 wages or under, and 1 per cent. on wages lists over that amount. While the report was adopted without opposition the aldermen reserved the right to bring votes when the by-law and agreement which are to follow are introduced.

NEBRASKA GETS THE FEVER

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HOW MADE MY HAIR GROW

Woman With Marvelously Beautiful Hair Gives Simple Home Prescription Which She Used With Remarkable Results.

I was greatly troubled with dandruff and falling hair. I tried many advertised hair preparations and various prescriptions, but they all signally failed; many of them made my hair greasy, so it was impossible to comb it or to do it properly. I think that many of the things I tried were positively injurious to my hair.

After my long list of failures I finally found a simple prescription, which I used with most remarkable results, and I can unhesitatingly state that it is beyond doubt the most wonderful thing for the hair I have ever seen. Many of my friends have also used it and obtained wonderful effects therefrom.

Apply night and morning; rub thoroughly into the scalp. Go to your drugist and ask for an eight-ounce bottle containing six ounces of bay rum; also one-half dram of menthol crystals, and for a two-ounce bottle of Lavona de Composee. Mix the ingredients yourself at your own home. Add the menthol crystals to the bay rum and then pour Lavona de Composee and add the To-Kalon perfume. Let it stand for one-half hour and it is ready for use.

REINVESTIGATE CHARGES

Bowmanville Council Take Up Complaint of John Maynard.

BOWMANVILLE, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—The investigation into the charges made by John Maynard of ill-treatment when an inmate of the House of Refuge at Oshawa, was today resumed by the council, after the council had heard the counties council report of the investigation by a commission of the body.

An excellent meeting of the council was held to-day, and the council decided to reinvestigate the charges made by John Maynard.

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BAPTIST YOUNG PEOPLE RALLY

Addressed by Rev. Dr. Gilmore on the Value of Study.

Memorial Baptist Church was filled last night at the mid-winter rally of the Baptist Young People's Unions of the Toronto district. President W. H. Moore was chairman.

Eastern-avenue had a large delegation and is the youngest society in the district.

Rev. Dr. Gilmore gave an address on the value of study in the young people's societies. It was only by study that the church could maintain its present position.

The rally was a success in every respect.

NO CASE, SAYS JUDGE

But Will Further Consider Charges Against Ex-Banker Brown.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.—(Special.)—Evidence for the government was concluded to-day at a preliminary investigation in connection with the charges made against W. G. Browne, formerly manager of the Sovereign Bank, on charges of willfully issuing false government bonds.

The judge said that there was no case against Mr. Brown, but he took the matter into consideration.

ASIATIC YAKS FOR CANADA

OTTAWA, Feb. 7.—(Special.)—A herd of six Asiatic yaks is coming to Ottawa from the Yukon Territory.

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HOW MANY MEALS HAVE YOU SAVED?

Do you show your meals do you good, as the saying goes? Have you the product of former good dinners tucked away around your waist line? Do they reproach you? Do they lie heavily on your physical conscience, as it were? Are you anxious to reform?

Well, then, contemplate a period of penance. What do you say to a month of unmodified breakfast food diet—made thin? In a reasonable time they are capable of reducing, possibly any man or woman on this green earth a pound or so daily.

How about your trying this safe and well-endorsed plan if you do not care to exercise or diet? The Marmola Company of Detroit, Mich., or any drugist will give you, for as little as 75c, one large case, so well stocked that just that one case will show you the problem of reducing safely and quickly on three full meals a day has been solved.



THIS COUPON ENTITLES ONE CHILD TO ENTRY FOR A PRIZE IN THE BORDEN'S BABY CONTEST

Paste the Coupon to the back of a CABINET SIZE PHOTO and attach a LABEL cut from the front of a can of BORDEN'S EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK. NO ENTRY FEE OR OTHER CONDITIONS.

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Parents' Address.....
City or Town.....

Address to "Baby Contest Editor" The Toronto Sunday World.

At Shea's.

There is no doubt whatever but that the patrons of Shea's are getting full value for their money this week. In fact, there is little to criticize and much to praise.

The three Hansons put up a very clever piece of comedy and a very clever piece of comedy.

Oscar Lorraine, announced in the bill as the "Lorraine violinist," makes good by his impersonation of an Kubelek, Rigo, the Hungarian gypsy, and the Bull. His technique is admirable, and he plays with verve and abandon.

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