WOMEN and THE HOME

JOLLY TIME HELD AT SPRINGBANK

W. C. T. U. Mothers' Club Enjoy Picnic-Good Sports Program.

The annual picnic of the W. C. T. U. Mothers' club was held at Spring bank park on Thursday. All voted a very enjoyable time. Supper was served by the committee at a table set with plenty of eatables.

The winners of the races were: Ladies' race-Mrs. Pietrow, Mrs. Gardener, Mrs. Wilson. Ladies' race -Mrs. Gillett Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Bullock. Ladies' time race-Mrs. Bullock, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Gosling, Mrs. Gardener. Fat ladies' race-Mrs Harvey, Mrs. Mudge. Girls, 8 to 10 -Doris Green. Boys, 8 to 10-W. 6 to 8-R. Davis, R. Hare. Boys' boot and shoe race—B. Hare, J. Bates, W. Wilson. Girls' boot and shoe race—D. Green. Boys, 4 to 6—L. Green, L. Pietronio, H. Able. Girls, 4 to 6—J. Wright, L. Gar-dener, Boys' and girls' race—M. Boys' and girls' race-M

Mothers Honor Soldier Dead

Will Place Flowers On School Monument.

An impressive little ceremony will take place in the grounds of the Sim-coe street school on Sunday, Decora-tion, Day, when the Simcoe Street Mothers' club will place flowers and flags on the monument to the soldier dead of the school.

Rev. George Watts, of the Wellington Street United church, will have harge of the service

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Social and Personal

Mrs. Herbert McColl, Stanley street, spending a short time in Chatham. Mrs. Murray Armstrong leaves next Saturday for Wiarton on a fish-

Miss Mary Meredith goes to To-The Ryerson Mothers' club is arranging to hold a garden party in the Monday to be a guest with Mrs. F. A. Reid.

Mrs. E. V. Abell and her daughter, Miss Leone Abell, Askin street, are spending a few days in Windsor. Mr. Guy Merritt of Toronto, is

spending the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Heaslip, Windsor avenue. The choir of Knox church enjoyed a jolly time at Springbank last night, when the members held their annual

Miss Magdalen Webster of this city was a recent guest in Windsor, acting as bridesmaid at the Lefler—Armes

Miss Maude Pavey of Montreal, sis ter of Mr. Stewart Pavey, this city, has taken a cottage at Port Stanley for the summer.

Mr. Ross Taylor, of Toronto, is the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Taylor, Princess avenue.

Miss Gertrude Pelton is holidaying with her cousin, Mr. James A. Condrick, LL.M., of Washington, D. C., and are leaving shortly to spend a month also at Love Point, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dickinson, Pall Mall street, are leaving in a few cooks for their summer cottage at Ahmik Lake, Parry Sound. Mrs. Wilfred Mara and her two

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Mr. Fred J. Browne, Emery street and his niece, Miss Helena Humeston, left Thursday on a motor trip through the United States to Manitoba, where they will send some time with relatives at Snowflake.

Mrs. J. J. Allen and Miss Muriel Allen of Regina were recent guests with Mrs. James Ross, Hayman

Court, motoring through to Montreal

garden of Mrs. George Peters' home Sherwood avenue, some time nex

Palmer McCormick returns to town next week to spend the summer with his mother, Mrs. T. P. McCormick,

Talbot street, after completing a year

Mrs. Bickham and her daughter

Miss Muriel Bickham, of Wortley road, have left for Port Stanley, where they have taken a cottage for

Dr. Walter M. Sage, of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, is a guest with his parents,

Archdeacon and Mrs. Sage, at St. George's rectory.

Mr. J. Hawkins, Huron street.

Mr. J. Mortimore and daughter, Miss Una Mortimore, who recently graduated from the Toronto general

Masters Peter and Jim Shuttle-worth, young sons of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Shuttleworth, Colborne street,

Mrs. Murray Armstrong, Mrs. George Bonney and Miss R. E. Walker leave next Saturday on a

motor trip to Toronto and Whitby and will be gone about ten days.

at Camp Ahmik, Algonquin Park.

at Appleby.

avenue, some time next

Miss Florence McConkey and her niece, Miss Nora McConkey, are in St. Marys today, guests with Mrs. Richardson, owing to the death of Mr. Richardson on Thursday after-

join her for the week-ends and his

Mrs Murray Clake and young son Robert, of Calgary, Alta.. are ex-pected in town early next week on an extended visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, Maitland street north.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bell and daughter, Miss Dorothy Bell, will spend the week-end in Sarnia, going there to meet their daughter, Mrs. Murray clarke, who is arriving by ooat from Port Arthur.

George Robinson arrives in town on June 19 to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson, St. James street, after spend-ing the past year at the Appleby school for Boys, Oakville. Out-of-town guests for the Edwards-Gillespie wedding next week will be Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Alexander

of Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. H. S Alexander of Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. R. Ingram of Hamilton.

The members of the Glendale ladies' aid are holding a garden party on the church lawn shortly. At this time the Wilton Grove orchestra will play, and the program will also be made up of other fine features. Mrs. Russell Hart and two young

iving in London early in the week

from Calgary to be guests for some time with Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baker, Byron avenue Ted and Frank Little are arriving in the city next week to spend the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Little, Central avenue. They are coming from Appleby, where they have just completed a

Mrs. J. F. Greenaway, who has been in Ottawa and visiting points east for the past two weeks, is expected back in town today. She will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. Guppy, who will spend a short time

Miss Edith Tapscott, Princess avenue, is leaving today for Ipperwash, where she will spend the summer. She will be joined later by her sister, Mrs. F. A. Steven, Rev. Mr. Steven and Miss Margaret Steven of Princess avenue.

Dr. John McCorvey of Peoria, Ill. who has been making a brief visit with Dr. and Mrs, H. O. Foucar. Central avenue, has gone on to Chatham, where he will spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McCorvey, before returning to Peoria.

Princess Radziwill of Poland, who attended the International Council of Women's in May, is a guest today of the Toronto League of Nations society at a luncheon at the King Edward hotel. While in Toronto, the princess is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Massey.

Little Miss Betty Orr, whose picture appears in the Rotogravure section today, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Orr, Richmond street

Mr. C. L. Woodley and his daughters, Miss Agnes Woodley and Mrs. Albert Scieger, and his son, Mr. Russell Woodley, are motoring from Moose Jaw, and are expected in London today to be guests for some time with Mr. Woodley's mother, Mrs. John Woodley, Brick street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Prendergast, accompanied by Mrs. Corcoran of Duluth and Miss Winnifred Prendergast, are motoring to Goderich for the week-end, and upon their return they will be accompanied by Mrs. James L. Killoran of Goderich, who will spend a few days with them.

Miss Ruth Robinson is to be the nostess of a supper dance on Friday vening next, entertaining for the Edwards-Gillespie bridal party. On Thursday, Miss Eula White is en-tertaining at a bridesmaids luncheon, and on Friday Miss Ruth Kings-mill, Albert street, is giving a buffet luncheon for the bridal party.

Miss Isabel Armstrong, who has been spending the past few days with her brother, Mr. Murray Arms strong, and Mrs. Armstrong Oxfore street, left yesterday to address a rally of Liberal women in Gleucos. She has just returned after a two weeks' holiday at Winona in the Niagara district, and will go on immediately to Ottawa.

Mrs. Emerson Nichols won the driving contest at the Highland Golf club yesterday, with Mrs. E. McLenclub yesterday, with Mrs. E. McLen-nan coming second. Miss Pope and Miss Amy Bartram tied in the ap-proaching and putting. The morn-ing contests were followed by a club luncheon, and then a two-ball foursome in the afternoon, Mrs. William Anderson and Mrs. Cyrus Eddy win-

The beautiful gardens at Birkhill, ome of Mrs. David Cowan, Talbot street, entertained and interesting gathering yesterday at the tea hour. The guests were the members of the The guests were the members of the sanatorium aid society, who met together at the invitation of Mrs. lowan, for the last time this season Tea was served from an attractive table, over which Mrs. George Grange

Honoring Dr. Walter Sage of Brit-Honoring Dr. Walter Sage of British Columbia, who is spending some
time with his parents, Archdeacon
and Mrs. Sage, at St. George's rectory, the women of St. George's
church congregation arranged a delightful congregational social in the
parish hall. Many summer flowers
were used in decorating the hall, and
they made a pretty background for they made a pretty background for the many guests. A delicious buffet supper was served. Mr. F. G. Tur-ville, churchwarden, gave the address of welcome.

Major and Mrs. G. A. Heather of Kitchener sailed this week on the S.S. Montrose for England, where the latter will attend the conference of the British Women's Engineering soiety, of which she is a member o ciety, of which she is a member of the advisory council at Wembley. Major and Mrs. Heather are among those invited to the garden party on June 23, being given by the presidents of Queen Mary's London Needlework guild to meet Princess Mary, Viscountess Lascelles. Mrs. Heather is one of the presidents. one of the presidents.

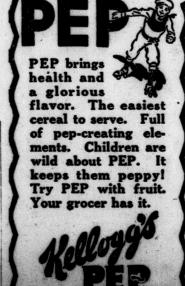
Miss Mattie Young, Elias street was the hostess of a prettily arranged miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Minnie Malone bride-elect. The gifts arranged in a basket, gay with daisies and pink and blue trimming, was carried by a miniature bride and groom, little Betty and Margaret Warner. The Mrs. William Cherry, Wortley road, is leaving about the first of July to spend the summer at Hillcrest Inn, Port Stanley where Mr. Cherry will dewers above a clumy doth over Port Stanley where Mr. Cherry will with flowers above a cluny cloth, ov which hung a large white wedding

The Isabel Hampton chapter, I. O. D. E., is holding a garden tea at the beautiful home of Mrs. John McLeod. 15 Evergreen avenue, on Tuesday af-ternoon. Miss Grace Fairley, super-intendent of the Victoria hospital training school, who is leaving next week for Finland, will be a guest of honor at this function, which is be-ing given in aid of the chapter's milk fund. Thousands of peonics are out in bloom in this lovely garden where tea will be presided over by Mrs. A. E. Miller, Mrs. John Stevely, Mrs. Wm. Prendergast and Mrs. F. R. Clegg. The guests will be received by Mrs. George McNeill, regent of the chapter, and her executive, and during the afternoon the harpers will play.

men's Conservative Association were delightfully entertained at the home of the president, Mrs. James M. Chal-mers, South London, this week, and during a short business session arrangements were made for the picnic to be held later in the month, when the East Middlesex Association and the London Conservative Association will join with the L. W. C. A. Following the business discussion. a number of the men members joined the ladies for an hour of music and dainty refreshments were served. Capt. T. E. Robson sang splendid numbers, with Mrs. Shaw at the plane, who accompanied for Mr. Harry Shaw, who also sang fine

The executive of the London Wo

"The Wells Academy Players." who under the direction of Miss Mar-guerite Fisher so successfully pro-duced the clever little comedy-drama



was the general convener for this event, and had as her assistants Miss Myra Woods and Miss Ella Mercer. The guests included the Misses Ella Mercer. The guests included the Misses Ella Mercer, Myra Woods, Grace Wilson, Sadie Steele, Blanche Lockrey, Ethel Yelt, Phylis Keene, Jeanne Smith, Josephine Weir, Madge Fisher, Margery Pirie, Mary Smith and Miss Lottie Herron, and the Messrs. Robert Barbour, Cecil Mitchelltree, Lyle Whaley, Percy Lethbridge, Charile Colbert, Kenneth Baskette, Charlie Wells, Lenard Gidley, Carlton Wells, Burton Ellaytt.

An interesting musical event, given

An interesting musical event, given this week in McLaughlin hall, Alma College, St. Thomas, was much en-joyed by a number of Londoners and many St. Thomas people. It was given in connection with the commencement activities, and those takmencement activities, and those taking part in the attractive program included Miss Dorcas Roe, pianist; Miss Barbara Hillesheim, reader; Miss Melinda Brown, vocalist; Miss Mary Lu Reeder, pianist; Miss Dora Harrison, reader, and Miss Margaret Benjafield, reader, all pupils of Alma. Choruses by the choral class and a clever little one-act play by three of the students were additional features of the program. Orchestra accomof the program. Orchestra accom-paniment on second plane was played by Thomas Martin of this city, direc-tor of music at Alma college.

One of the most outstanding social events of next week will be the mar-riage of Miss Jessie Gillespie to Mr. Bateman Edwards, which is taking place a week from today in the First Presbyterian church. Miss Gillespie tendants, her sister. Miss Kitty Gillespie, to be the maid of honor. The oridesmaids will be Miss Ruth Rob-nson, Miss Shirley White, Miss Helen Baker, Miss Mary Gillespie, Miss Helen Alexander of New York and Miss Catherine Alexander of Hamil-Miss Catherine Arabata ton. Little Miss Mary Beresford, daughter of Captain and Mrs. Beresford of Toronto, will be the flower girl. The best man will be Mr. Jere girl. The best man will be Mr. Jere Abbott of Dexter, Maine, and the ushers George and Andrew Gillespie, Dr. George Wainwright, Vernon Hale of Hamilton, Arthur Wood of this city and Maitland Belkap of New

Mrs. W. E. Millson entertained at her home on William street this week in honor of Miss Clara Blair, a popular June bride-elect. The guests were members and former members were members and former members of Miss Blair's Sunday school class, of which Mrs. Millson was at one time the leader. During the evening they showered the bride-to-be with numerous miscellaneous gifts, which were placed before her in a large bridal box borne by Master Elly Baker and little Miss Jacqueline Maywell, who were frocked as a Maxwell, who were frocked as a quaint bride and groom. During the Mrs. C. Up supper hour, Mrs. Millson was as- of St. Thou

Mr. William M. Campbell, who was married a short time ago. The members of the staff went to Port Stanley in a car reserved for their use. Following the dinner short speeches were made by Mr. E. C. James and Mr. C. R. Rowntree, after which Miss R. Rae presented Mr. Campbell with a gift from the firm and Miss G. Parr made the presentation of another gift

a gift from the firm and Miss G. Parr made the presentation of another gift from the staff. A suitable reply was made by the recipient of the gifts. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. C. James, C. R. Rowntree, H. Hartry, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. McGowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Joyce and Master Joyce, William M. Campbell and Miss A. I. Yoeman, guests of honor: and the Misses J. More, L. Richmond, F. Rea, B. O'Brien, R. McPhail, E. Howell, G. Parr, G. Parker, A. Morley and B. Scott and Messrs. J. A. Morley and B. Scott and Messrs. J. D. Crocker, T. W. Cowley, F. Stephen-H. Slade, M. Kennedy and F A delightful miscellaneous shower

was arranged this week for Miss Alice Gardiner, a bride-elect of next week, by Mrs. Leslie L. Hayes at her home on Langarth street. Some 35 girl friends of the guest of honor gath-ered to shower her with useful kitchen articles. The house was charmingly arranged with white streamers and bells and a miniature bride, decked out in veil and orange blossoms, stood among the gifts
Pink and white peonies were also used throughout the rooms. During the party a delightful impromptu the party a delightful impromptu program was given and included readings by Miss Blanche Roberts and a number of ukelele selections, in which she was accompanied by Miss Lorna Kennedy. A dainty supper was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edna Lawson, who cut the ices, and Mrs. Jack Cohen, who was in charge of the punch bowl. Among the guests were the Misses Alice Gardiner, Pauline O'Rourke, Vera Lowe, Lorna Kennedy, Viola Sinclair Eleanor Bamford, Blanche Roberts, Gladys Robertson, May Shaw, Winnifred Robertson, May Shaw, Winnifred Davies, Ethel Davis, Mrs. Neva Liv

Nurses Make 2,202 Visits and Hold 105 Clinics, Caring

The London Child Welfare Associa ion has just completed four months' of successful work carried on under the supervision of Mrs. James Stapleton, acting director of nurses, during the absence of Miss Bertha Smith. Miss Smith, who has been abroad for the past few months, expects to return to London about the middle of July.

Mrs. Stapleton, in a recent report of the work, says that during these four months the work has increased us, and in this way I feel we over any corresponding four months

"In 1924, we held 10 clinics in these four months, with an attendance of 1.627. In 1925, in the same four months, we held 105 clinics, with an attendance of 1.711. The with an attendance of 1,711. The nurses in 1924, in these four months, made 1,870 visits. In 1925, in the same four months, nurses made 2,202 visits. Our attendance at the sick children's clinic at the War Memorial hospital has greatly increased. In 1924, in these four months, clinics held were 16, with an attendance of 122. In 1925, clinics held were 16, with an attendance of 187.

Preventive Work.

"A very great deal of preventive and corrective work is being done through these clinics. The school nurses are sending a great many cases and these are being treated in the early stage, which is good work. Besides doing this work, our nurses have given lectures in child care to the Red Cross society of this city.

of this city.

"I feel there is a great amount of work that could be done if we could have more nurses, but it seems we are unable to get funds to permit us any expansion. We are delighted with the move of the I. O. D. E. to have a nurse to concentrate on the of this city. have a nurse to concentrate Robertson, May Shaw, Winnifred Davies, Ethel Davis, Mrs. Neva Livery ermore, the Misses Mary Cowley, Edna Lawson, Edith Dunn, Laura Sharpe, Winnifred Dunn, Mrs. Cohen, the Misses Grace Calhoun, Mary Breen, Kate Andrews, A. Kumph, Dorothy Lowe, Madeline Noonan and Mrs. C. Upper and Mrs. R. C. Cochrill of St. Thomas. drop the clinics as soon as the child is 18 months to two years; thus

many defects are shown up on the child entering school that might have been corrected had these children been under supervision. We might then be able to send them to school in good physical condition, where they will then be under the medical school inspection and school nurses. Pre-Natal Work.

"Since January the outstanding change in our work has been the taking over of the pre-natal clinics by the Victorian order of nurses. This does not mean that we have lessened our interest in this phase of our work nor have our nurses. of our work, nor have our nurses ceased to give pre-natal instruction where it is needed, but, wishing always to have the greatest good to the greatest number, we feel the Victorian order of nurses the logical organization to carry on this work. organization to carry on this work, as the mothers look upon them as nurses giving maternity service, and they reach the great number needing

"The clinic attendance has increased materially, which shows it has been a wise step. These babies born in the maternity ward at Victory in the material ward at the barned on to

umber of our needy ramilies. "I have also completed the investigation of still-pirth, begun by still and a copy of the results has been sent to each physician in the city. The results show, with proper work, we should be able to

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