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Medical Dinner.

Invitations have been issued for the annual dinner of the faculty and students of the medical department of the Western University, which will be held in the Tecumseh House on Friday evening, Dec. 8. Full arrangements have been made for a banquet, which will maintain the high mark set by the medical school dinners in previous years.

Dickens' Son Coming.
A very noted lecturer will visit London next February in the person of Alfred Tennyson Dickens, the only surviving son of Charles Dickens. Arrangements will be made so that every student of the Collegiate, Normal school and university will be able to hear his address on "The Life and Work of My Father." His tour in America will mark the observance of the first Dickens centenary.

"The Early Drama" was the subject of a very interesting and comprehensive paper which Miss Georgina Newbury, of the London Conservatory of Music, read at the meeting of the Western University Literary Society, last evening. Miss Newbury also gave an excellent reading of a play well received by a delighted audience. Mr. F. L. Willgoose rendered an excellent solo, "Love Unexpressed," the music of which was composed by Miss Helen Broderick. There was a large attendance.

LONDON WILL CONSIDER SENDING DEPUTATION

City Will Not Let Up Until the Camp Is Brought Back Again.

The question of sending a deputation to Ottawa to urge London's claims for the annual military camp will be considered by the council at its session next Monday night.

Ald. Tancock has sent communications to various bodies, the board of trade, water commissioners, real estate owners, and others, asking their co-operation in bringing such pressure to bear on the Government that the camp will become permanently situated in London. All have agreed to do what they can, and he will move to have a deputation named to go to Ottawa and urge the ministers to restore the camp.

"We are not going to let up until we get the camp," said Ald. Tancock. "It is too good a thing for the city to lose, and we must protect our interests. I will bring the matter up at the council meeting on Monday night."

SABBATH OBSERVANCE

Quebec Branch of Lord's Day Alliance Has Year of Record Progress.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Nov. 23.—A year of record progress was reported this afternoon at the eleventh annual meeting of the Quebec branch of the Lord's Day Alliance, held in the First Baptist Church.

A good deal of time, it was stated, had been spent in arousing public opinion to the importance of the Lord's Day as an asset in national life, by public address, the press and seeking the co-operation of public associations.

"In some instances," said the secretary, "town councils have asked for copies of the Quebec Sunday laws, with the object of enforcing them, and we have, wherever possible, sought the co-operation of these, the police and other constituted authorities, realizing that they, being the representatives of the people, the enforcement of the law comes with better grace through them and is more thorough and permanent, whereas if left entirely to private associations it must necessarily be spasmodic and intermittent. In this respect, we have been singularly fortunate thus far."

The various problems touched upon included Sunday moving picture shows, Sunday baseball, games and automobile races and other matters of interest.

OUT OF BUSINESS.

New York, Nov. 30.—A receiver is to-day in charge of the affairs of the American Standard Publishing Company, which issues the Weekly Standard and Variety Fair, a pictorial record of stage and Broadway gossip. The petition in bankruptcy alleges that the company is insolvent, has removed a large part of its property, and has admitted its inability to pay its debts. The liabilities are \$9,000.

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Music and Drama

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"The Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary," one of those delightfully clean, bright plays, filled with humor of the spontaneous variety, was presented at the Grand Wednesday night before a large audience.

The whole action revolves around Miss May Robson who as Aunt Mary Watkins, played the part of the fiery tempered but shrewd, kind hearted, old country woman in a manner that was most effective. As foster mother to "Jack Watkins," John Storey, she had an opportunity to add a lot of human interest to the sparkling humor with which the piece is replete, and she did so in a manner which will make those who saw the production remember both the play and the play with a great deal of genuine pleasure.

The company with Miss Robson is without exception most capable, and the support the members gave her helps to make the play a success. Lucie Black as the Ancestral Mary, maid, was particularly good, and Paul Decker, E. Ordway, John Rowe, C. C. Gwynne, Paye Cusick, Edith Conrad, Louise Brand and Margaret Boland gave delightful interpretations of their parts.

Tonight Miss Robson will be seen at the Grand in "A Night Out."

"Madame X"

Alexandre Bisson, whose impressive melodrama, "Madame X," continues to create such a furor throughout Europe and America, is one of the very few dramatists of any time who have been able to achieve great success in both serious and lighter fields. For many years M. Bisson stood in the very first rank of French writers of farce and light comedy, his plays being extraordinarily successful at home and in England, Germany, America and other lands. But until he wrote "Madame X" he never even attempted anything more serious than a comedy of manners. In America Henry W. Savage is the producer, and he has staged the play and provided a cast of notable actors in a way quite in keeping with the merits of the work. Produced exactly as at the Lyric Theatre, New York, "Madame X" will appear at the Grand, Saturday, matinee and night.

"Pinafore"

This morning at 9 o'clock the box office of the Grand Opera House opened for the regular advance sale for the engagement of "H. M. S. Pinafore," the delightful Gilbert & Sullivan opera, which is to be presented here by a cast of principals of the highest quality, which has probably never been heard in the production of a light musical work. Every member of this carefully selected cast is prominent upon the American stage. DeWolf Hopper, as Dick Deadeye, has long been recognized as the foremost of character comedians in the principal roles, and he is here as Josephine; George Macfarlane, a fine baritone, will be seen as Capt. Corcoran; Eugene Cowles, well known as the principal bass in the famous Bostonians, will sing Bill Bobstay; Wm. T. Carleton will be the Sir Joseph; Viola Gillette, the Little Buttermilk; Arthur Hodge, as Ralph Rackstraw, and Miss Alice Brady as Hebe. The chorus is said to be not only one of the largest ever carried on tour, but one of the best. An orchestra of 22, and a complete scenic production, should round out a really remarkable organization. The engagement is for Monday evening, Dec. 4.

"Graustark"

The mere announcement that "Graustark" is coming should arouse an exceptional interest in all lovers of the theatre, for a rule they are also readers of fiction, and if they have not seen the play, have read the novel. Mr. George Barr McCutcheon, the author, is a product of that great centre of agriculture and literature, Indiana. James Whitcomb Riley, Booth Tarkington, George Ade and General Lew Wallace have all contributed to the state's fame, but no "best sellers" ever came out of Indiana and achieved greater fame and popularity than the works of McCutcheon, and the greatest of these is "Graustark." It has had a larger output than the combined sale of all his other books, and the demand for it still continues. Mr. George D. Baker, who dramatized the novel, realized that the public would wish to see as much of McCutcheon as possible, and therefore kept as closely to the story as the dramatic unities would allow. At the Grand, Tuesday evening, next week, one night only.

DAVIS MAKES STATEMENT

Author Says His Sister (Mrs. Farrar) Will Return to the U. S.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Nov. 30.—Mr. Richard Harding Davis, with his sister, who he married last year, Rev. Fredrick Percival Farrar, whose appointment as chaplain to King George and Queen Alexandra was cancelled last week, is stopping here with friends.

Mr. Davis said today: "My sister and I will return to the United States on Saturday. I am here because she called me to come, I cannot discuss the trouble, but my sister is going home."

I did not know the nature of the trouble, which induced my sister to cable me, until I received a despatch from my brother-in-law. But I took the first steamship. My sister met me at the pier."

TEACHER LEAVING

Mr. J. H. Joyce, of Belmont, Will Go to Bridgeburg.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
Belmont, Nov. 29.—Mr. J. H. Joyce, principal of the Belmont public school, has accepted the principalship of the public school at Bridgeburg, Welling County, at a salary of \$1,000 per year.

Mrs. G. Manning is very ill with erysipelas.

The Canadian Pacific steamer, Lake Manitoba, originally intended to sail from West St. John to Liverpool on Dec. 9, and later cancelled. The steamer Scotland has been chartered to sail from Halifax on Dec. 9. Passengers holding tickets or reservations for the Lake Manitoba should call on agent who issued tickets, and have them changed. W. Fulton, City Passenger Agent, 161 Dundas street, London.

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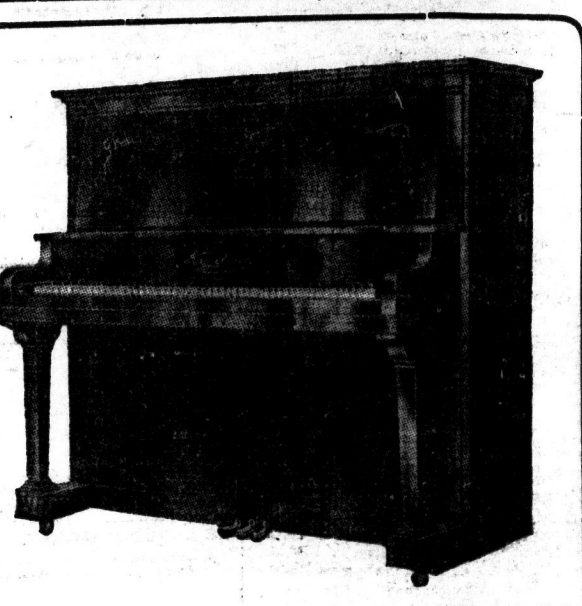
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A few words of welcome given by the president, Mrs. A. E. Wood, and prayer, answered by the pastor, Rev. James B. Th., who has recently returned from the mission, read most expressive chapter of Matthew. The choir, rendered a very beautiful "All Thy Works Shall God," Mr. Chas. F. M. the tenor solo.

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