

ARRANGE BANQUET FOR HOSPITAL DAY

Victoria Women's Auxiliary Concludes Successful Winter Quarter.

Further plans for the hospital day dinner were made at this week's meeting of the Victoria Hospital auxiliary board over which Mrs. F. J. Greenaway presided. This dinner, at which the Victoria Hospital graduates of the Victoria Hospital auxiliary board will be guests of honor, is being held as part of the hospital day festivities on May 12, and to it will be invited members of the hospital trust, associate members and heads of various city organizations. It is being arranged under the auspices of the Victoria Hospital auxiliary board, with Mrs. John Rose as convener of a committee, which includes the members of the nursing-in-training committee of the auxiliary. It will be held in the Smallman & Ingram dining-room with about 40 or 50 present.

Is Excellent Work.
Quarterly reports, showing that the auxiliary is carrying on an excellent work in connection with the hospital, featured this meeting. The treasurer's statement showed a balance of \$262.12 in the treasury. This amount, however, largely held in trust for the hospital fund, scholarship fund, library and social service fund. So that further funds are needed.
Mrs. T. C. Benson, convener of the flower committee, made an appeal to Londoners for flowers. The committee, she pointed out, would soon be yielding an abundance of blooms which might be shared with the hospital patients. A telephone message to her at 3263 would bring someone to call for donations of flowers. Mrs. Benson reported that a fine array of potted plants had been placed in the hospital wards at Easter time, each plant decked with lavender and yellow, the Easter colors.

Many Linen Supplies.
That the linen supplies at the hospital were being well kept up, was the statement made by Mrs. J. H. Sutherland in her report. Special mention was made of the splendid work of the True Kindred Conclave. From January 12 to date, this organization had made 2,388 large pads, 7,008 compresses and three large clothes baskets of swabs.

The social committee, convened by Mrs. Frank White and Mrs. Angus Graham, reported the successful Easter concert and regular services in the hospital wards, in which the clergy of the city and the students of Huron College have their share.
Mrs. H. A. Winnett of the library and visiting committee reported that during the last quarter, 195 magazines had been received and distributed; 279 books exchanged and 79 volumes received. Among the donors of the books were Mr. Campbell, Mrs. (Dr.) Drake, Mrs. White, mothers' club.

The Fog

It stole in on us like a footpad. Somewhere out of the sea and air. Heavy with rifting Polaris. And the seven stars. It left our eyes untouched. But took our sight. And then, silently, it drew the sun from our throats. And the sun bent from our ash-blades. With occult engineering. Had tangled up. The four threads of the compass. And fouled the snarl around our dory.

—E. J. PRATT.

W. C. T. U. HEARS TALK ON CHILDREN'S WORK

Miss Cannell Addresses Members on "Loyal Temperance Legions."

The work of the loyal temperance legions, carried on during the past year, was brought before the meeting of the central W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon in an interesting fashion by Miss Cannell. Mythology, fairy tales and fiction are used to teach temperance truths, and the speaker pointed out that the little children respond quickly to such instruction.

Mrs. H. W. Paddell presided over the meeting, Mrs. R. M. Berry taking the devotional period. Plans were made to hold the next meeting at the Empress avenue Methodist church on the evening of May 12. The members accepted an invitation from the London South W. C. T. U. to attend a concert, to be held by that organization shortly.

EXETER

Exeter, April 28.—Rev. Dr. Larkin of Seaford exchanged pulpits with Rev. J. Foote on Sunday and preached two able sermons, morning and evening.
Rev. N. J. Clarry, B.A., of Sarnia, and Rev. W. E. Donnelly exchanged pulpits on Sunday.
The I. O. O. F. marched to Main street Methodist church Sunday evening and listened to an able sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. F. E. Clydesdale.

Critical Times in Woman's Life



Mrs. James Muir, Anten Mills, Ont., writes:

"I suffered from nervousness and despondency, and at 65 lost all control of my limbs, so that for two years I was unable to walk. The doctors thought I would never be better at my age, but I read of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and bought and used a dozen boxes. In a short time I was able to walk again. I am now 79 years old and have enjoyed good health for the past fourteen years, thanks to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."

IN woman's life there are periods of excessive nervous strain. If she can safely pass these times the chances are good for happiness and long life.
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Rest and the persistent use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the most rational and most effective treatment for the building up of the nervous system. Many thousands of women willingly verify this statement.

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PERSONALS

Mrs. Tisdale of Brantford spent the week-end with friends in the city.
Mr. Bert Lewis and Mr. Bill Tear, of Woodstock, spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Dickson Glass, Wolfe street, is visiting Mrs. McNally in Milwaukee.

Mrs. C. Foster and Mrs. William Pope, Smith street, were recent guests in Toronto.

Miss Kathleen Rose, Dufferin avenue, entertained informally at bridge last night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hill, of Woodstock, spent the week-end with friends in the city.

Mr. Alex. Chalmers of Sarnia was a week-end guest with Mr. and Mrs. Willis, Dorinda street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doan of Sarnia motored to Strathroy and this city for the week-end.

Miss Ella Rutledge of Wallaceburg, was a week-end guest with Miss Dorothy Lamb, Eva street.

Mrs. Cleve Hopper of Toronto, is a guest with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wood, Dufferin avenue.

Miss Beatrice McPherson of Forest was the guest of Miss Clara McKindsey of Lambeth for the week-end.

Mrs. Sherwood Fox is entertaining the members of the University Faculty club at her home this afternoon.

Mrs. James Lambie, Princess avenue, has returned home after a business trip of several weeks' duration.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wistow, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Wistow, of this city, were guests in Woodstock on Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Fox has returned to her home in St. Catharines after a pleasant visit with relatives in the city.

Mrs. C. C. Tait has returned to Toronto, after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Crouch, King street.

The Seventh Regiment chapter, I. O. O. F., is entertaining at bridge in the officers' mess at the armories on Friday.

Mrs. W. Bygrove, of this city, has returned from a week's visit with her mother, Mrs. C. Stonehouse, in Petrolia.

Miss Pearl Peacock, of Boston, is a guest with her sister, Mrs. James M. Douglas, and Mr. Douglas, St. James street.

Mrs. George Farnworth, of Philadelphia, is a guest with her cousin, Mrs. J. M. Douglas, and Mr. Douglas, St. James street.

Captain Walter Smith of "Belvedere," South London, recently returned from a two-month trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

Mrs. Ed. Hill of Cleveland, is a guest with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davis, Princess avenue, where she will spend several weeks.

Mr. Harry Balls and Prof. Russell, with a geological survey party from the University of Western Ontario, were in Niagara Falls for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Munroe left the city last night and will visit in Scotland, where they will spend the next three months with friends.

Miss Elsie Mills, who has been visiting with Mrs. F. James, Euclid avenue, is holidaying with friends in Port Stanley before returning to her home in Appin.

Dick Colbert, Will Aitken, Herb Jarvis and Dick Durand, all of this city, motored to Sarnia on Saturday, where they spent the week-end at the Durand cottage, Cornwall.

Mrs. E. King is entertaining the executive of the women's Canadian club at her home on Thursday night of this week, when plans will be made for the annual meeting to take place shortly.

The members of the arts alumni and alumnae, of the University of Western Ontario, are planning to entertain the arts graduating class

WOMEN and THE HOME

Miss Alice Blake-Murtagh, who is considered one of the most beautiful women of Ottawa.

at a dance in Convocation hall on the evening of May 29.

Among the important events of this week will be the gigantic bridge party which is being given in the Winter Garden on Thursday night by the Lions club in aid of the new bandstand for Victoria Park.

Among the Londoners who expect to go to Washington this week to attend the sessions of the international council of women are Mrs. Joseph Marshall, Mrs. R. M. Graham, Mrs. A. B. Greer and Mrs. Yeates.

The final social of the season, in connection with the parties that have been arranged throughout the winter at St. Patrick's hall, is being given this evening in the hall.

Rev. A. A. Burgess, of this city, goes to Petrolia on Saturday, where he will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church there for the anniversary services. Rev. Mr. Rathby, of the Petrolia church, will occupy the pulpit of the Egerton street Baptist church, this city, in the absence of Mr. Burgess.

A number of parties are being arranged this week in honor of Miss Pauline Ward, popular bride-elect. On Monday afternoon, Mrs. William Bartlett, Marie Place, will hostess while Mrs. Ronald Götterli, hostess, will entertain at bridge on Friday.

Mrs. Eric Rechinizer will entertain informally on Thursday afternoon in honor of Miss Ward.

Mrs. William Ward, King street, entertained very informally yesterday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Miss Pauline Ward, who is bride-elect.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warren York, of Ottawa, takes place quietly on Tuesday next, Mrs. Gordon York, officiated at the festive table, while Mrs. Wm. Bartlett cut the ices.

The C. G. I. T. club of the Astin street church held a surprise birthday party at the home of Miss Ella Craig, street, who is one of the club members. Games were greatly enjoyed. Miss Gentry presented an umbrella and a handkerchief shower. Afterwards the hostess served a dainty lunch, bringing the evening to a happy close.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen on their way in Toronto yesterday for the international sessions of the Women in Washington Council of Women in Washington. Lady Aberdeen is the guest

of Miss Carrie Carmichael, president of the Dominion Council of Women. Other distinguished European delegates to the international meeting are also being entertained in Toronto.

Bliss Carmen, noted Canadian poet, spent a few hours in the city this morning, calling on Dean Sherwood Fox of the University of Western Ontario and making a brief visit with the Misses Blackburn. Talbot street.

Another interesting visitor in the city is J. Lewis Milligan of Toronto. That they might meet Mr. Milligan, Mrs. Palmer, who has been a guest with Mr. and Mrs. Willis for some time, was a former Londoner. The evening was spent happily in progressive euchre, following which the many gifts were presented. Mrs. Wm. Newman and Mr. F. G. Staples were successful in carrying off the euchre prizes, while Mrs. George Raymond and Mr. Allan Dundas were awarded the consolation prizes. The guests included Mrs. James Milliken, Mrs. Alex. Wootton, Mrs. Wm. Newman, Mrs. Harold Bond, Mrs. Arthur Linnell, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dundas, Mr. Alex. Lemery, Mrs. Sam Lewis, Miss Ethel Lewis, and Mrs. J. D. Ross and Miss Agnes Gillett.

CHESLEY AVENUE CLUB.
S. F. Lawrason gave his interesting travel talk before the members of the Chesley avenue mothers' club last night, telling of the customs and beauties of Palestine. The program also included an instructive report on the recent home and school federation convention in Toronto, given by Mrs. Harry Huddart. The Easter egg committee reported 15 dozen eggs distributed among needy families of the district.

The club will take part in the service at the Egerton street Baptist church on Mothers' Day. Mrs. L. F. Payne presided over the meeting, at which attractive readings were given by Miss Blossom Burns and delightful vocal numbers by the boy singer, Master Thomas Hoskin.

Dorothy Dix

A Hot Retort to a Snobbish Young Man in Love With His Father's Stenographer.

My dear Miss Dix—Mine is an old battle, that of social position against love. She is dad's stenographer, and she is the only girl I ever cared for. She is the finest, sweetest thing that has ever come into my life, and I crave the spirit of helpful companionship which she would give.
As I am a member of the firm, I see a lot of her in a purely business way, and I have come to dread Sundays when I cannot be near her. Of course, she knows nothing of my feelings for her, and if I told her she might have to leave her position. I cannot bear to have her go out of my life entirely, but I also cannot stand this uncertainty any longer. Won't you advise me?
ALAN.

Answer:
My first piece of advice to you is to take some drastic remedy for your snobbishness. Where did you get that lord-of-the-manoor-and-poor-working-girl stuff?

You seem to think that you are a young prince who could not be expected to condescend to marry a girl who is employed in your father's office, and that just because she works she is miles below you socially. You make me laugh with your silly little pompous, pretentious airs.

DOROTHY DIX.
Dear Miss Dix—I am a woman just past 30, and have been going with a man eleven years. I love him as I could never love another, and he tells me that he loves me, but he has never asked me to marry him. Says he doesn't want to be tied up in marriage.

This man comes to our home about four times a week and has dinner with me, and is insanely jealous if I go out with any one else. He takes me out to places of amusement, and makes me nice presents, but that is all. My mother thinks I should give him up. What do you think?
WORRIED.

Answer:
I think the gentleman is giving a very convincing portrayal of the dog in the manger. He doesn't want you himself badly enough to make the sacrifices that matrimony demands, and yet he doesn't want any other man to have you.

That he is ruining your life, keeping away the suitors who might want you for a wife, and dooming you to a lonely spinsterhood, does not cause him a pang of compunction. As long as he amuses himself, let others suffer if they must.

Look at this matter squarely and see what an unfair deal this man is giving you. He makes of your house a free restaurant, where he comes for home cooking, and where all his little personal tastes are catered to; where he is warmed in winter, cooled in summer, but for whose upkeep he does not have to pay. He finds in you a congenial companion, whom he doesn't have to exert himself to entertain, who will pal around with him as a wife would, but whose clothes he does not have to buy, nor does he have to put up

with her moods and bossing.
DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—I am 27 years old, and have had two years of college. I am in love with a physician, who is a master of his profession, and a great success. He is very handsome, a brilliant conversationalist, a fine moral character—in fact, my ideal, except that he doesn't dance.
Don't you think if I were to marry him that I would be unhappy because of this?
ANNETTE.

Answer:
This is certainly foolish question No. 11,795,851. Of all the objections that I ever heard raised to a man, this is the most idiotic!

Believe me, Annette, a girl who gets a husband whose only fault is that he is not a jazz hound is a lucky woman. For matrimony is not a whirl of gaiety in a gilded cabaret, with the drums and saxophones and all the bells ringing. It is passed in a quiet home, with the alarm clock going off at six-thirty and a day's work before you. And the thing that matters to a woman is what her husband does with his heart and his head, and not with his feet. It will be a lot more important to you than that he catches his step and keeps in the straight and narrow path, than it is whether he knows the last new step.
DOROTHY DIX.

Constipation causes unpleasant breath—get relief with Kellogg's ALL-BRAN

Remember—only ALL-BRAN is wholly effective in driving out constipation.
Back from the intestine, into your body, constipation sends its poisonous poisons to torment you. This venomous backwash can lead to over forty serious diseases. Can wreck your health. Ruin your appearance. Don't neglect it. Pimples, scaly skin, hollow cheeks, circles under the eyes and spots before them, unpleasant breath—these are the warning signs of constipation. Defeat it with Kellogg's ALL-BRAN. Doctors recommend Kellogg's ALL-BRAN! Why? Because they

know that only ALL-BRAN brings sure results. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN has brought relief to thousands when all else has failed. If eaten regularly, it brings permanent relief in the most chronic cases—it is guaranteed to do so or your grocer returns the purchase price. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is ready-to-eat with milk or cream. Eat two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases with every meal. Try the recipe on every package. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is made in London, Canada, and served in leading restaurants. Sold by all grocers.

Get rid of constipation by internal cleanliness

HEADACHES, biliousness, sleepless nights, heaviness, are Nature's warning that intestinal poisons are flooding your system. If this is allowed to continue, you may become a victim of serious organic disease.

Laxatives and cathartics do not overcome constipation, says a noted authority, but by their continued use tend only to aggravate the condition and often lead to permanent injury.

Why Physicians Favour Lubrication
Medical science has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus, Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative and cannot gripe. Like pure water, it is harmless.

Take Nujol regularly and adopt this habit of internal cleanliness. For sale by all druggists.

Insist on Nujol For Internal Cleanliness

TOWELS
THREE-DAY SALE STARTS AT 9 A.M. TOMORROW—BE HERE EARLY.

We have made another big purchase of Towels and are offering them at exceedingly attractive prices for the next three days. Large, Fluffy Bath Towels—Wonderful Linen Towels—we are taking the entire shipment as it came to us from the manufacturer and putting them on sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Look at these prices, then plan to be here.

50c White Crocheted Bedspreads \$1.98
75c Unbleached Sheet, 81 inches wide 59c
\$1.75 Bleached Sheets, hemmed ready for use \$1.19

75c White Turkish Towels, with colored border and Jacquard pattern 55c, FOR \$1
\$2.00 Pure Linen Tablecloths \$1.48
\$3.50 Satin Damask Tablecloths \$2.49

BRING THIS COUPON WITH YOU.
25c PURE LINEN TOWELING FOR 10c
With purchase of \$1.00 or over.

50c Colored Bath Towels, large size, 4 FOR \$1.00
\$7.00 Bordered Tablecloth, each \$3.95
\$1.50 Silver Bleach Table Linen 98c
Table Napkins, full size 6 FOR \$1.00
50c Pure Linen Table Napkins 35c, 3 FOR \$1
White Nainsook, 42 inches wide 35c
3 YARDS FOR \$1.00

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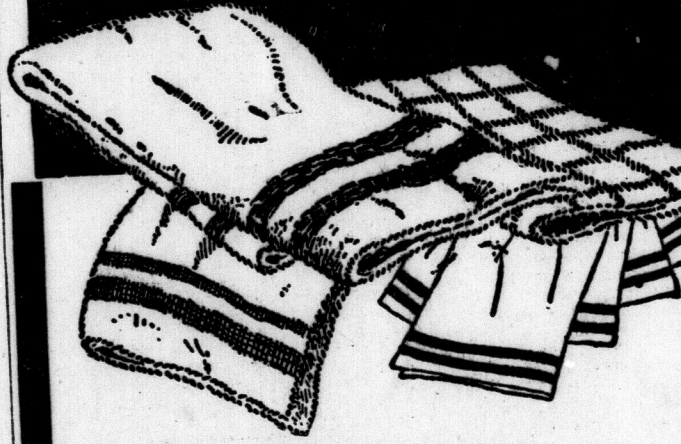
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