

Every Woman's Realm

Personal Mention

THE secret of happiness is never to allow your energies to stagnate.

—Adam Clark.

Mr. J. B. Archibald is confined to his home through illness.

Dr. H. A. Yeomans is making satisfactory recovery from his recent illness.

Mrs. Clarence Vermilyea was removed to the hospital today to undergo an operation.

Miss Helen Clarke of Queen's University, spent the week end with her parents, Foster Ave.

Miss Grace Graham, of Belleville, assisted at a delightful tea given by Mrs. Grant, Cluny Avenue, Toronto, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. James Booth, baritone soloist of John Street Presbyterian Choir, sang at a banquet in Stirling last evening.

Mrs. (Rev.) Duke of Toronto, Mrs. Boldrick, of Pickton, are guests of Miss Sprague and Mrs. Gordon Smith, MacDonald Ave.

Mr. Geo. A. Kingston, proprietor of The Herald, Campbellford, was a visitor in the city today.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mercer announce the engagement of their only daughter, Vera Edith Mary, to Stanley Meredith Scott, B.A., elder son of Judge and Mrs. Scott, Perth, Ont. The marriage will take place quietly the second of February.

Rev. Dr. Baker and Mr. H. W. Ackerman representing Albert College and Rev. Wesley Elliott, chairman of Belleville Methodist district, attended the funeral of the late president of the conference, Rev. Chas. H. Coon, at Lindsay on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Storms, of Verona, have returned home after visiting Mrs. Storm's brother, Mr. W. J. Dunham, Bridge St. West.

Mr. Blake Chown, of New York City, is in the city visiting friends.

Mr. Percy Rauson, 292 Charles St., spent the week-end in Toronto with friends.

Messrs. Dalton McCarthy and Frank Deacon were visitors in Cobourg on Saturday.

Mrs. C. G. Young and daughter, Doris, of Trenton, were guests yesterday of their cousin, Mr. F. H. Henry, Charles St.

Mr. T. C. Thompson, of the Wm. Thompson Furniture Co., was attending the furniture convention at Kitchener and Toronto last week.

Miss Edna Holmes, 250 George

QUEEN TO RECEIVE DEGREE AT OXFORD.

London, Jan. 25.—For the first time in history a Queen of England is about to receive an Oxford degree. The university only recently had been given the right to confer degrees on women, and as soon as that was granted the Oxford authorities lost no time in asking Queen Mary to accept the honorary degree of Doctor of Common Law. The ceremony probably will take place about the end of March, when the Queen, accompanied by Princess Mary, will be visiting Oxford to inspect the women's colleges.

Street, leaves tomorrow for Winnipeg, where she will spend a couple of months with her sister, Mrs. Field.

Miss Kathleen Wallis, the noted Canadian sculptress, whose home is near Peterboro, is exhibiting her work at the Peterboro Conservatory of Music.

Miss Vallere Wrightmeyer visited in Cobourg over the week-end with friends.

Capt. W. E. Schuster, President and General Manager of The Schuster Co., Limited, accompanied by Gordon Moffatt, manager of The Union Bank of Canada, left on the last train today for Chicago to attend a conference relating to and acting on the important question of ocean transportation of the members of the various Rotary Clubs of Canada and the United States in connection with their annual convention to be held at Edinboro, Scotland in June.

Another interesting event of the evening was a baptismal service when Rev. Mr. Campbell baptized little Jean Sinclair Sine, and little Howard Woodrow Tucker, niece and nephew of the groom.

PARIS, Jan. 22.—Women bandits are becoming nearly as numerous as their male counterparts in France and a number of them have already been arrested.

The police have just arrested a gang of burglars who have long been wanted by the authorities for housebreaking in the suburbs and discovered that the gang was led by a widow aged 54 and her three sons. Another of the burglars was aided by his sister and two other women formed part of the band.

Many of the robberies were accompanied by particularly brutal assaults.

THREE THINGS These lines were found in a young lady's album:

Three things to admire: Intellectual power, dignity, and gracefulness.

Three things to love: Courage, gentleness and affection.

Three things to hate: Cruelty, arrogance and ingratitude.

Three things to delight in: Frankness, freedom and beauty.

Three things to desire: Health, friends and a cheerful spirit.

Three things to avoid: Idleness, loquacity and flippant jesting.

WEDDING BELLS

PEARSON—PHILLIPS. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Phillips, Park's Line, Hungerford, was the scene of a pretty event on Monday, Jan. 17th, when their eldest daughter, Lottie Gladys, was united in marriage to Leonard James Pearson of Guelph. The ceremony was conducted in the presence of immediate relatives only by Rev. W. R. Merrick, pastor of Thomsburg circuit. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson will reside in Guelph. Mrs. Pearson was a member of The Ontario staff for some years.

TUCKER—WOOLF

A quiet, but pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Emma Woolf, Hillier, on Wednesday evening, December 29, when her daughter, Miss Vera Woolf, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Tucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Tucker, Lake Shore, Wellington. Rev. G. Campbell, of Coneseon, officiated in the presence of immediate relatives. At the appointed time the bride and groom entered the room and took their places under an arch of evergreens with Christmas bells. The bride was very becomingly attired in cream satin. After Mr. and Mrs. Tucker had received the congratulations of the assembled guests the company retired to the dining room where a sumptuous dinner was served. The bride was the recipient of several beautiful and useful presents. The happy couple left the following morning for a short honeymoon. The bride was becomingly attired in taupe coat with hat to match and coon furs. On their return they will reside at their home on the Lake Shore.

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WHAT SHALL I DO?

Answered by VIRGINIA PAGE.

SILEX! Q.—Dear Miss Page: Is it proper to wink at a boy if he did not wink at you? We are two girls 14 years old.—Mary and Ann.

A.—Don't you dare wink at any boy, whether he winks at you or not—or you can't be friends of mine! Winking is very silly when you are only 14, Mary and Ann. And when you are older than that, it is common and disgusting.

SHE OUGHT TO LOVE HIM.

Q.—Dear Miss Page, I have been going with a man for the last four months. My parents thought he was serious and told me to ask him because my time and his is too precious to be wasted. He was serious at times but I thought he was just kidding me. New Year's Eve he proposed to me, but it was so sudden that I couldn't say anything. He gave me two weeks to think it over and just as soon as I decide he will get me a diamond ring. I like him pretty well, but don't show it. Shall I accept his proposal and surprise them or shall I do what they told me to do before I go any further?—Eager.

A.—It seems to me that if the young man has proposed to you, he has answered your parents' question without your asking it. He seems to be serious enough, don't you think, since he has asked you to marry him? As to his intentions and promises for the future, not you but your father can best find those out when the young man goes to him to ask for your hand.

Shall you accept the proposal and surprise them? Well, you certainly ought not to accept it just for the sake of surprising anyone—even the young man! No one on earth can tell you, little girl, whether you want to become this man's wife—only your own heart knows. But, if you only "like him pretty well," I'd think it over very carefully before I accepted that diamond ring and promised to be his wife. I would want to like him a lot more than that before I would want to marry him. Write me again if I can help you, but send me a stamped and self-addressed envelope for a personal letter.

FOR TRENTON

A party of forty-two men left Belleville this morning for Trenton to unload coal for the Canadian National Railway.

COUNTESS OF MINTO IN BRIDAL DRESS.



From a picture taken after the wedding at the Beardmore home in Montreal. The dress was of ivory satin.

BLACK IN VOGUE AT BIG WEDDING

FROM Florida comes news of the amazing vogue of black that is sharing first place with gray. This same tendency was noted at the big wedding in Montreal last week. So smart were the feminine guests thereat that it might have been a mannequin parade. For there is no occasion which makes a woman don her best, even though she be not the bride, as does a wedding.

Not only were the gowns and hats notable at the Minto-Cook wedding, but surely only a Russian court of pre-war days could have equalled the superb furs of Madame and Mademoiselle Montreal. Sables were positively common, and chinchilla, mole and Kolinsky rivalled them in beauty.

Perhaps that is why so many women, even the debutante class, had chosen black for their gown. For with such furs a frock is but a background.

Black velvet vied with satin crepe or duvetya as a favored material. Stately dowagers wore it in a train with rare lace and old jewels, but one up-to-the-second debutante had dared to have hers, with the latest full skirt in which just below the hips was inserted a band of the modish royal blue.

As slender and graceful as her bride-daughter did her youthful silver-haired mother look. Mrs. Cook wore one of the many black satin frocks, but it was the plain, straight model adorned with garter and finished with a wide ash girdle. Her broad brimmed black Maline hat had a glycerined ostrich mount. Mrs. F. N. Beardmore, who did not attend the reception slipped in to welcome the bride before the guests arrived. Her straight black duvetya gown was almost a princess model, save that it had two floating side panels topped with seal.

Royal blue trimmed several of the distinctive frocks, and the same note of color was repeated in the hat. Grey chapeaux were worn with others, one of satin had an upturned brim faced with the new fast satin flowers. Still another black satin had a girle of silver flowers.

Many of the most effective toilettes were of brown or blues

MISS WARREN, NOTED PAINTER, PAYS BELLEVILLE RETURN VISIT; PICTURES WIN HIGH PRAISE.

MISS E. M. B. Warren, of London, England, the noted English artist gave a most interesting lecture on "English Cathedrals," at the Women's Canadian Club meeting held in the High School assembly hall last evening.

Miss Warren has visited many cathedrals both in England and on the continent, and has studied extensively their types of architecture. There are four distinct styles of cathedral architecture, she pointed out, the Norman style, the Early English, the Decorated, and the Perpendicular.

The Norman style have round arches and cushion capital. The early English style has the pointed arches, doorways and windows. The decorated style is replete with ornaments and carvings as implied by the name. The perpendicular style also is implied by the name, having straight lines, with full-centred flat arches. Many types of windows were shown by means of lantern slides.

Pictures of the four different types of architecture of cathedrals were shown and described by Miss Warren. Cathedrals showing the Norman architecture are Durham, St. Bartholomew, near Smithfield, of which only the choir is left, College chapel, Christ church, Gloucester Cathedral, Peterborough Cathedral, Temple Cathedral, London, in which the architecture is seen to be passing into the early English style, and Canterbury Cathedral, so well-known in history.

Of the early English style Salisbury Cathedral was shown. This Cathedral was the work of one architect and is most beautiful ex-

ternally. It is the type of the Prince of Peace Church.

Sandstone Cathedral, Wells Cathedral with beautiful carvings and statues, Essex Cathedral, the best example of the decorated architecture, York, whose chief glory was the wonderful stained glass and St. Paul's Cathedral are built in the decorated style.

Miss Warren with illustrated pictures, the most of which she had painted herself, led her audience through Westminster Abbey, showing them the chapels, the tombs of great men, coronation chair and altar, Wolfe's monument and the Jerusalem chamber, where special meetings are held. Henry VI. died in this chamber. Westminster Abbey was the work of five centuries.

Miss Warren has painted the Canadian colors draped around Wolfe's monument. After painting this she found many of the regiments were broken up after reaching England so the flags were not permanent. The permanent colors became her next subject and in two great canvases, Miss Warren has not only included these but the portraits of nearly one hundred generals. Her title for these pictures is "Canada's Tribute," and they are under consideration for purchase by the Canadian government.

Miss Warren, in describing the Cathedrals told many interesting legends connected with them.

There was a very large attendance to hear Miss Warren's lecture. A vote of thanks was moved to Miss Warren for her splendid lecture. Mrs. S. D. Laxier, the president of the Women's Canadian Club presided.

SPANISH "HIRED GIRLS" TO STRIKE: SEEK INCREASE TO \$5.00 PER MONTH

MADRID, Jan. 22.—Canadians accustomed to paying their ordinary "hired girls" \$50 or more a month for general housework will be interested to learn that Spanish domestic are forming a labor organization to enforce a demand for an increase that will bring their wages up to the equivalent of \$5 or even \$10 a month.

Cooks, parlormaid, kitchenmaids,

wet nurses, and general help have united in a movement not only for higher wages but an eight-hour day. This may look ridiculous, but it is serious business for the Spaniards. They are accustomed to paying their hired girls the equivalent normally of about \$4 a month and requiring them to be on duty from early in the morning to late at night, or even until one o'clock the following morning.

GREETINGS FROM PRINCESS MARY

Lady Pellatt, Chief Commissioner of the Girl Guides in Canada, has received the following letter from Miss Dorothy Yorke, Lady-in-waiting to her Royal Highness, Princess Mary.

"Buckingham Palace, 2nd January, 1921.

"My Dear Lady Pellatt,—I am desired by the Princess Mary to write and express to you her Royal Highness' grateful thanks for the beautiful card of Christmas Greetings, which you so kindly sent and she hopes you will tell them how much she appreciates it.

"Her Royal Highness is much interested to hear of the spread of the Guide movement throughout Canada and feels sure that it will be of incalculable benefit to all the Canadian girls.

Her Royal Highness will follow its progress with the keenest inter-

est, and sends her heartiest New Year's Greetings to yourself and the Guides.

"Believe me, yours sincerely, (Sgd.) DOROTHY YORKE.

"Lady-in-waiting."

Announcement is made of the appointment of Mrs. Frederick Betts, London, Ont., as provisional commissioner of the Girl Guides for the Province of Ontario. Mr. Betts, who is most enthusiastic concerning Girl Guide work, was intimately associated with their activities in England while doing Red Cross work there. On her return to London, Ont., she organized no less than ten companies of Girl Guides in her home city. There are now 250 local branches of the Girl Guides throughout the province. A meeting of district commissioners and others interested in the movement is to be called shortly in order to complete provincial organization.

CANADIAN GIRLS WHO WED TITLES

Although Miss Marion Cook, of Montreal, is not the first Canadian girl to wear an old-world title, none, perhaps, has entered a family that has played so foremost a part in Imperial affairs or who is nearer the intimate court circle. A Montreal authority gives this list of Canadian women who have married titles:

Audrey Lady Petre, before her marriage to the fourteenth Lord Petre, was Miss Audrey Clark, daughter of the Rev. Dr. William R. Clark, of Toronto. The late Lord de Blaquiere, who died a few months ago, married Miss Lucienne Desbarats, of Montreal. Lady Northcote was the adopted daughter of Lord Mount Stephen, builder of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Lady Barran, wife of Sir John Barran, of Lethley Hall, near Leeds, is the daughter of Mrs. Stevenson Brown, of Montreal, while Lady Glen-Croft, the sister-in-law of Lord Gleanar, was before her wedding Miss Agnes Walker, of Montreal. Lady Aylmer is a Can-

adian girl, as are also Lady Stafford Brunton and the Countess Jacques de Lesseps. The Marchioness of Donegal was Miss Violet Gertrude Twining, daughter of H. St. George Twining, of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

"CANADA" THEME OF FINE ADDRESS

M. W. G. Anderson, on Staff of Queen Alexandra School, Speaks

At the meeting of the Bridge St. Young People's Society last evening a special feature of the programme was a talk on "Canada" by Mr. W. G. Anderson, who is on the teaching staff of Queen Alexandra School. It was a talk full of inspiration to young Canadians and brought home to those present the great possibilities for those who live in "this greatest and youngest of all countries."

Bridge Street Young People's Society now boast of a first class orchestra a fact that is making it one of the liveliest church organizations in the city.

Geo. Baxter was elected mayor of Little Current by acclamation.

January Clearance Sale

WE ARE OFFERING MANY BARGAINS DURING OUR JANUARY SALE

ENGLISH LONGCLOTH
300 yds. Longcloth, fine even weave, reg. 65 and 75c, to clear at49c

PILLOW COTTON
300 yds. Pillow Cotton, 40, 42 and 44 inches wide, regular 75 and 85c, to clear at 59c

SHEETING 90c
150 yards Sheeting, fine bleached in 8-4 and 9-4, regular \$1.25, Sale Price99c

BUNGALOW APRONS
3 doz. only Bungalow Aprons, good large sizes, reg. \$1.50, to clear at98c

CASHMERE HOSE
15 doz. Cashmerette Hose, good heavy quality, sizes, 9 3/4 and 10, regular 75c to clear at59c

ENGLISH FLANNELETTE
500 yds English Flannelette in Pink, Blue and Fawn stripes, reg. 50 and 60c, to clear at 39c

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BANDITS GET \$30,000 TO

(By Canadian Press)

TOLEDO, Jan. 25.—Fugitives entered Daniel's store here today, bound proprietor and customer, and foot, and escaped with a car with jewelry worth over thirty thousand dollars.

BENEFIT ASSAULT AT

The gentlemen cadets of the Military College will, tomorrow end of February or at the beginning of March, put on in the Armory a grand assault. The proceeds will be handed to the G.W.V.A. of Kingston a contribution from the gentlemen of the Royal Military College programme will consist of exhibitions of lance and sword and club swinging, gymnastics, wrestling, field engineering drill, Swedish training, etc., etc. The assault will be announced later through newspapers and posters.