Connaught was the honored guest at a delightful dinner party given by Capt. and Mrs. Walter Long last week. The other guests who were present included Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Kingsmill, Mrs. Charles Harriss, Miss Alice Fitzpatrick and Major-General Colin Mackenzie.

The Toronto Skating Club has arranged for a large ball to be held on Friday. April 18, 2t the Arena Gardens, for which the management has contracted for a hardwood maple floor, claimed to be the best dancing floor in Toronto, the area of which is to be 16,000 square feet. The Skating Club committee is arranging for the largest and most popular orchestra in Toronto, and the supper arrangements are being most carefully carried out. All the members are working to make this the finest and most enjoyable dance held in Toronto in many seasons. A committee will pass on all applications for invitations, which should be accompanied by a remittance of \$3 each, and made in writing to Mr. A. A. Burrowes, secretary-treasurer, 120 Bedford road.

The Misses Gibson and party from Government House attended the concert in Massey Hall given by the Canada Academy Orchestra, assisted by Godowsky.

Mrs. Sheard gave a small dance on Wednesday evening for her sons. Mrs. Frank B. Johnston is leaving for Atlantic City.

Mme. Innes-Taylor and Miss Grace Smith gave a most successful recital in the Conservatory of Music Hall last night, the hall being filled to the doors with a most appreciative audience. Mme. Innes-Taylor looked her loveliest in a gown of delicate pale green with silver embroidery mounted on maize satin with bandeau of silver and pearls in her fair hair, and received bouquets of violets, roses, sweet peas and lilies. Miss Grace Smith was in perverance blue mounted on pale yellow, and received pink roses, and Mrs. Gerald Banton wore white charmeuse and also received roses. A few of those noticed were: Mrs. H. D. Warren, Mss Warren, Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray Knowles, Sir Edmund and Lady Walker, Miss Dorothy Walker, Mrs. and Miss Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Miss Saunders, Miss Best, Mr. Reginald Geary, Mrs. Rutter, Miss Fitzgibbon, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Matthews, Mr. Matthews, Miss Matthews, Mrs. Harrison, Miss Gillies, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Harrison, Miss Gillies, Mrs. and Mrs. P. Ellis, Mrs. and Miss Wilkes, Mr. and Mrs. Rae, Mrs. Kelly, Rev. J. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pepail, Mr. and Mrs. Grain, Mr. Stuart Strathy, Miss Mary Strathy, Mr. and Mrs. Manchee and many others.

Buffalo Jones is giving the first of a eries of three lectures in Massey Hall this evening.

The Chamberlain Chapter, I.O.D.E. is giving a charity bridge of 100 tables at the Metropolitan this afternoon, when Miss Hattle Williams will en-der a program during the tea hour.

Mr. Garnet Hughes is in Ottawa from Victoria, B.C. He was met at Toronto by his father, the Hon. Samuei Hughes, and Miss Eileen Hughes, who returned from Welland, where they spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. B. Malcolm Green, Mrs. Hughes has now almost recovered from the recent attack of throat trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Parker have returned from Ormond Beach, Fig. Mr. B. Clemow spent Easter in Ottawa with his mother, Mrs. W. B. Northrup.

Miss Gladys Foy spent Easter in Berlin.

Mrs. C. Stewart Grafton is giving a

Mr. Mackenzie, Admiral road, and Miss Eleanor Mackenzie return today from New York and Atlantic City.

Mr. W. Rogerson and Mr. C. R. Harris are at the Vanderbilt, New York. Mrs. A. Wellington Burke of Huntley street spent Easter in London, and Miss Constance Burke in Philadelphia.

Aura Lee Club will hold their last Cinderella dance of the season in the clubhouse this evening. Tickets may be obtained at the clubhouse on the evening of the dance. T. Lyle Blozg, chairman social committee.

The annual business meeting of the Women's Canadian Club will be held in the Guild Hall, 21 McGill street, on in the Guild Hall, 21 McGill street, on Monday, March 31, at a quarter past four o'clock. There will be a discussion of the Factories' Act and other bills now before the legislature affecting the welfare of women and children. Matters will be presented by Mrs. Leathes, followed by other speakers.

Mr. W. B. Northrup, M.P., has return-

The ladies of the Lambton Golf and Country Club will hold their annual meeting at the club house Saturday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock. The C. P. R. train leaving Toronto at 2.45 stops at the club crossing. Afternoon tea will be served after the meeting.

The "Hoo Wants to No" Club is holding a dance at the Masonic Temple, College street, on the evening of Monday, March 31. A large attendance is anticipated and a pleasant evening is looked forward to by all interested.

Receptions Today.



WITH PLUME AND FEATHER. The upper hat is of fancy cham colored straw, with band and pagne-colored straw, with band and upper brim facing of volvet. Three small brilliant pink roses are sewed close to the velvet, and a plume shading from deep brown to champagne and lighter, trims the back.

The other hat is a black and white-affair with a question mark feather held upright by loops and buttons of black satin.

Mrs. J. M. Robertson, 314 Indian road, and not again. Mrs. H. G. Buckland and Miss Buckland, 494 Palmerston Boulevard, for the last time this season, Mrs. J. D. Marshall of Winnipeg, with them.

Receptions.

Mrs. Edward Job Jameson, not to-day nor again. Mrs. Finlay Spencer. Dunn avenue, for last time. Miss Spencer with her. Mrs. H. C. Wilson, Sunnyside avenue, not today nor again. Mrs. William Fischer, 39 Kendal avenue, from 4 until 6, and not again.

Labor People Deny Being Unanimous With the Manufacturers re Workmen's Compensation Act.

Representatives to the Trades and abor Congress have issued a statement in which they deny the manifesto of the manufacturers, in which it was stated that with regard to the new Workman's Compensation Act -both manufacturers and labor men were agreed on all questions except that reating to the scales of compensation. In part, the statement says:

pensation would be a gross error, as the commissioner well knows.

"The manufacturers have thru their representatives fought for contributions from workmen to the accident und, a wholly untenable position in tought themselves."

The secretary of the Toronto Senior trice street, would be in Toronto of playgrounds will be opened April 1 the Evangelia Settlement.

The secretary of the Toronto Senior trice street, would be a gross cror, as the Evangelia Settlement. "To imply that there was unanimity Mrs. S. F. Kilgore has returned from Chicago and is visiting Mrs. Boeckh, St. George street.

fund, a wholly untenable position in face of the evidence of experts they brought themselves. After recognizing that the position was untenable, the representatives commenced to fight for a waiting period of long duration which proved just as untenable before the commission by the evidence submitted.

Invitations have been issued for St. Hilda's Commandery and AuxiMary Knight of St. John's fourth euchre and dance of the season, to be held Wednesday evening. April 9, in the Royal Canadian parlors

The regular monthly meeting of the Canadian Folk-Lore Society will be held, this evening, at 8 o'clock in the studio of the Margaret Eaton School of Literature and Expression. The president, W. F. Waugh, will lead a discussion of "Folk Medicine," to which members are requested to contribute instances of popular remedies. All who are interested in folk-lore are invited to attend.

The Beavers have issued invitations for the third assembly to be held. In the Aura Lee Club parlors on Wednesday evening, April 2, at 8.20 o'clock.

There is no tea on the market which does not show the dealer from

There is no tea on the market which does not show the dealer from one to five cents per pound more pro-fit than "Salada" does, but not a single one can equal it in the teacup. You may order "Salada," but be sure that you get it, for it is imitated closely in outward character.

NO RECEPTION TO DUKE.

LONDON official reception to Park, for the last time, Mrs.

Kingsmill, I Oriole Gardens,
Kingsmill, I Oriole Gardens,
Liverpool or London, on arrival. The
day, Mrs. Alexander Davidson,
duke himself desires this, being at

"Bon Ton Girls" at the Gayety new house. Mrs. A. Nightengale and home merely on leave,



The Value of Play. It is vastly easier to cram facts ino a boy's head, than it is to interest him in a subject. And unless he is interested in what he studies, his ed-ucation is in a sense, a failure. The

Children exercise their imaginations in their play. They live the life suggested by the toy; and they tend to ecome like that which they constant-

Toys appeal to the boy; and thus thru the emotions, direct his thoughts, and thru his thoughts, his education But not only in this way do they educate him. They form the connecting link between his little world and the big world of reality. He learns of animals from his menagerie, and of countries from his soldiers and books. He likes to make things, to help his sister furnish her doll's house—tho he seldom has much use for the dolls. But you can see how these things show him his relation to a wider

If we were not such busy, busy mothers, we would not dare miss the wonderful joy that comes from perfect understanding between mother and child—the understanding that comes from playing together which simply means loving and character-building together.

BIG IMPROVEMENT TO POLICE FORCE

Motors and Signal Service Extension Included in Estimates.

As a result of another conference be-ween the police commissioners and the

his salary from the them.

This is as far as the board is prepared to 30, and, if Duncan refuses to accept, his only receirse would be to take the matter to the courts.

This year's estimates are \$745,000, as This year's estimates are \$745,000, as compared with \$647,000 last year. The extra amount will be required owing to the fact that sixty-two men are being added to the force, and it is also planned to take women on the force. added to the force, and it is also planned to take women on the force. A motor ambulance and motor patrol wagon and an extension to the signal service are included in this year's estimates.

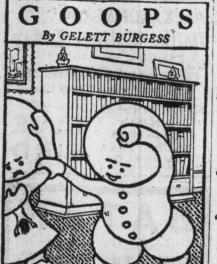
RAISE AGE OF **WORKING CHILD**

Playgrounds Association Will Make Appeal to Legislature for Reform.

Archbishop McNeil and Provost Macklem put thru a motion in the meeting of the executive of the Toronto a laysociation yesterday that the legislature be urged to prohibit the employment in shops of girls under 14 years of age, and to fix a standard eight-hour day for all women employes.



Theatre next week.



Elias E. McGuff Elias Ethelbert McGuff

Oh, he was rude and he was rough! He used to pinch. he used to poke. And called his rudeness

just a joke. What made him plague his playmates so? and didn't know!

Don't Be A Goop!

NOW IN TORONTO

Col. Buffalo Jones Will Tell of His Exciting Experiences.

Col. "Buffalo" Jones. the famous humanitarian hunter, who is to give his lecture illustrated with moving pictures, "Lassoing Wild Animals in Africa," at Massey Hall tonight, arrived in Toronto yesterday. While here he is the guest of J. B. Tyrrell, president of the Canadian Institute, under whose auspices he has come to As a result of another soloners and the tween the police pension commistee, which was held yesterday afternoon, former Inspector Walter Duncan will be given the privilege of drawing \$1333 at the end of five years. This is an advance over the \$1200 offered at last week's meeting of the board, and is made up by his being allowed an additional \$1.90 of his salary from the twenty-fifth to the thirtieth year.

This is as far as the board is pre-



Col. Charles J. (Buffalo) Jones, lectures at Massey Hall tonight and tomorrow night under the auspices

A strong committee was formed to arrange for the plowing of 50 to 100 vacant lots in the centre of the city, the lots to be gardened by children.

Jacob A. Rlis of New York City, social welfare specialist, is to be in Toronto April 21 and 22 to address public meetings. is to be given tonight, tomorrow night with two performances on Saturday, matinee and evening. At the matinee children will be admitted for twenty-five cents.

Philadelphia National line-up is announced as: Luderus, Knabe, Dooin, Lobert, infield; Magee, Paskert and Cravath, outfield; Walsh and Dolan,

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viline.

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The large family size bottle, which spencer late of Richester, was cold. Taylor endeathy believes he has accepted terms with the Montgomeran afford to be without it."

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ROBIN HOOD HERE ALL NEXT WEEK

Princess in Elaborate Revival.

BLUE BIRD" RETURNS

'The Heart Breakers" at the Grand is Fine Musical Comedy.

well as to the regula theatregoers. This splendid organization will first make itself known with an elaborate rev'val of "Robin Hood." which has not been heard here in several years. not been heard here in several years. The number of mail orders already received at the box office attest the interest that is being taken in the coming of the company, and the tickets for the engagement will be placed on sale this morning. "Robin Hood" has become a classic in its way, and this is largely because its merry book has been so admirably welded to its tuneful score. To properly produce his fui score. To properly produce his opera, Reginald de Koven has organized what is doubtless the best singing organization now before the public. It contains no less than six grand opera

yesterday when the advance sale of Maeterlinck's lovely pantomine-spectacle opened. "The Blue Bird" was one of the best enjoyed attractions of last season. With its gorgeous scenes, clever "trick" illusions, company of 100, clever "trick" illusions, company of 100, and delightful musical and dance features, it made a deep impression and packed the big playhouse for two weeks of crowded business. Many requests have been made for its return, particularly by the young folks who are eager to see little Tyltyl and Mytyl, and the grotesque "Animals" and "Things" and fairyland creatures again. There will be no diminution in the size of the spectacle or the quality of the players this time. In fact, the original company of 100 adult and juvenile actors will return here. Besides its spectacular and dramatic beauties, "The Blue Bird" presents a sunny, optimistic philosophy which has commended it to many thousands of cultivated theatregoers. It is, therefore,

"The Heart Breakers."

"The Heart Breakers," the much discussed musical comedy that Mort H. Singer will present at the Grand next week, will serve to introduce a new recruit in the ranks of stardom, namely George Damerel, last seen as the Prince in "The Merry Widow." Mr. Damerel is well known to the amusement loving public of the country, but this will be the first time that he will be seen in a comedy role that fits him like a glove. Among those who have helped to make this latest of musical comedies a big hit, are Miss Myrtle Vail, the latest find of Manager Singer, a young lady whom he saw in Europe on his last visit. A more than interesting love story has been woven around a group of wealthy young men, who having banded themselves together for their mutual protection against the wiles of all girls who are flirts, find themselves in a quandary, as their leader, who is known as a contheir leader, who is known as a confirmed woman-hater, has finally lost his heart to the one girl whom they have been stung by. Complications follow each other in rapid succession, but like all musical comedies, everything finally is straightened out and all ends well. Manager Singer has sent out a large and a capable acting company to support Mr. Damerel, and the chorus, both male and female, have been chosen with great care.

Lulu Glaser Coming to Shee's Lulu Glaser Coming to Shea's.

Heading the list of attractions a Shea's next week is the name of Lul-Glaser. No greater favorite has ever appeared on the musical comedy stage than Miss Glaser, and her advent in vaudeville is another proof of the high standard attained by this form of theatrical attraction. For her vaude-ville tour Miss Glaser is supported by Thomas B. Richards, and is presenting "First Love," a playlet with music staged by Lester Brown.

The special extra attractions for the week are Thomas A. Edison's latest and marvelous invention, the kinetophone. Will Rawls and Ella von Kaufman in a one-act comedy called "Willing: Worker."

"Willing Worker."
Other features included in next week's bill are Tom Dingle and the Esmeralda Sişters Harry Linton and Anita Lawrence, Redford and Winchester, Brown and Newman, and the Gee-Jays.

and they are considered the two fun-miest comedians on the stage today. Countess Hedwig von Mueller, that charming and versatile actress, is also with the show, and besides wearing her many beautiful gowns and jeweis, will render a number of catchy melodies, which Ted Snider and Irving Berlin, world renowned song writers, have sprinkled thruout the performance. A carload of special scenery is carried by the company, and last, but not least carload of special scenery is carried by the company, and last, but not least, the chorus is composed of the most beautiful girls seen in years, who have been under the careful training of Julian Alford.

De Koven Opera Company at

The coming of the De Koven Opera Company to the Princess Theatre next week will appeal to music lovers as stars, a chorus of forty that excels in tooks as well as in singing, and an orchestra of thirty musicans.

"Blue Bird" Seats.

"The Blue Bird for Happiness" was the slogan of large crowds of ticket purchasers at the Alexandra Theatre

tivated theatregoers. It is, therefore

"Gay Masqeraders."
The "Gay Masqueraders" will be at the Gayety next week. Geo. B. Scanlon and Mark Adams have been assigned to the two leading comedy parts, and they are considered the two fundiest comedians on the street that

ian A.Mord.

At the Star.

"Dante's Daughters" will be the next week's attraction at the Star Theatre. This is strictly an old time burlesque show, put together for laughting purposes only, with a bunch of young and well formed girls, twenty-four all told. of Holmes' Connens, "out croupy colds add considerable to the worry. My hotele family of four all went through the croupy era, but I always had Nerwilline on hand and never felt nervous. I just followed the directions, and I can tell you that nothing I know of is surer to cure croupy colds than Nerwilline.

The only, with a bunch of young and well formed girls, twenty-four all told. The entire company consists of forty-three people, and has a vaudeville bill of seven acts, all entirely new to the natrons of this Fouse including Gladys Sears, J. Theo Murphy. Watson and Bandy, Sam Ward, Harris and Letford, Bertha Rich and the original sensational European novelty, Pauline Robson.



diss Bessle Abott, prima donna soprano, with the DeKoven Opera Company, which will present "Robin Hood" at the Princess next week.

Woman is Accused

Had Large Quantity of Silver When

Arrested at Niagara Falls. Special.)—Amanda West, a Finnish roman, is detained at police head-uarters pending investigation as to woman, is detained at police head-quarters pending investigation as to how she came by 106 pounds of silver ore which she is alleged to have attempted to snuggle across the border. The woman will be arraigned, charged with high grading.

Mrs. West was apprehended by Immigration Inspector Robbins, American police, when she went to the other side on Grand Trunk train No. 10. She carried ore in a suit case, lunch hamper, and had a small part wrapped in her clothing. She was turned over to Chief Mains, Ontario police.

JUDGE SCORED

Judge Morgan expressed his disapproval of the city's practice of dumping sewage into Ashbridge's Bay at the hearing yesterday of the application for a grand jury bill to dudict the city for maintaining a nuisance at the foot of Carlaw avenue. Assistant City Engineer Powell promised that when the dredge was repaired, which work is now going forward, the first job would be to remove the sewage from along the shore.

Imended for a medal. The little one was jostled into the river by a playmate in fun, and was carried down stream into the branches of a tree, where she clung tenaciously. Doherty, attracted by screams from other children, appeared and made a gailant rescue.

The banks of the Grand River were swollen over eight feet here today, but there was no damage, altho the civic authorities kept a close vigil all day.

The Skeeters leave their training amp in Bermuda on Friday.

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ONTARIO WOMAN WANTS DAMAGES

Mrs. H.L. Cameron Files Suits Against Wealthy American Citizens.

SAVANNAH, Ga., March 26. (Special.) -- Mrs. H. L. Cameron, a wealthy woman of Ontario, Canada. who several months ago was ejected from a hotel at Bainbridge, has filed two damage suits in the United States court for the southern district of

Georgia.

The first of these is against J. W. Callahan, a wealthy citizen of Bainbridge, for \$25.000 personal damage, alleged to have been done to her character by statements made by him and by approbious epithets which he used against her.

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Mrs. Cameron also enters suit against Mrs. B. D. Fudge and E. J. Willis, also prominent in Bainbridge, for personal damages in similar amount for having her ejected from the Hotel Bonaire in that place in Max. of last year.

the Hotel Bonaire in that place in May of last year.

Mrs. Cameron was at that time living at Bainbridge. She charges that the two defendants in the last-named case personally caused her to be ejected from the hotel, and that an officer, who was called in handled her with unnecessary roughness. She claims that vite charges had been made? against her by Callahan.

The case will be heard before Judge Emory Speer and promises to be highly sensational, as the defendants in the suits are among the wealthiest and best known people of Bainbridge.

GALLANT RESCUE OF SMALL CHILD

Brantford Man Swam Surging River To Save Girl From Death.

BRANTFORD, March 25.—(Special.)—Austin Doherty rescued an eight-year-old Hebrew girl, Rebecca Hollander, from the torrential currented of the Grand River and will be recom-out mended for a medal. The little one was jostled into the river by a play-

swollen over eight feet here today, but there was no damage, altho the civic authorities kept a close vigil all day. The water came within three feet of the Grand Trunk tracks to Tillson, but receded during the day. tracks to Tillson-

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