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# The Woman's Page

## THOUSAND WAACS COMING TO CANADA IN APRIL OF 1920

Imperial Government Will Pay Passage of These Women To Canada

H. B. Willing, secretary of the Imperial Veterans' Association in Winnipeg, was notified recently by the war office that thousands of English, Scotch and Irish girls who served as Waacs during the war will come to Canada in April of 1920. Mr. Willing states that the Imperial government has promised to pay the passage of these women, Waacs, munitionettes, and any others who served in the war for a period of at least six months prior to the cessation of hostilities. They must have definite prospects of a position before the Imperial government will advance their passage, or they must be participants in some land settlement scheme which may be prepared at a later date, and to which the leaders of the Waacs are at present giving their attention.

Mr. Willing himself is of the opinion that thousands of women will take advantage of the offer since he has been informed that women are very anxious to emigrate.

The girls are not the domestic servant type, but have been trained as telegraphers, stenographers, and clerks of various kinds. Unfortunately they are all trained for urban activities, and there is no hope from this source that the great need of rural districts for home help will be alleviated. There is some unemployment in all urban centres in Canada, and just how this large immigration of women will be assimilated is difficult to know, for it is reasonably certain that many will come whose prospects of a position are vague.

This is another of the many schemes to overfill our urban centres, while rural life, that life which has to do with the development of the natural resources of the country, is starved and drained of the necessary human power to insure its development.

## FEDERATION OF CAN. UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUBS

Federation seems to be in the air these days. The latest to consider it is the University Women's Club. At present each large city has its University Women's Club, but each club works independently along its own lines without any of the benefits of co-operation.

A convention was held in Winnipeg last week of representatives from various clubs throughout Canada with the object of forming a national organization which will unite the interests, activities and influence of college women. A union comprising all the college graduates in the Dominion would be a force to be reckoned with which could do big things in a big way. It could also form a link between individual members in different centres so that a member going from one centre to another would be sure of a welcome and a congenial circle of friends in every city.

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## ALEX. TEMPLETON OF CIVIC UNION ENTERS MATRIMONY

The marriage was solemnized in Winnipeg on August 20th, of Mr. Alex. Templeton and Miss Mary E. C. Crook, of Montreal, formerly of Bootle, Lancashire, England. Mr. Templeton has been connected with the assessor's department for the past six years and is a valued member of the executive committee of Civic Service Union No. 52. Mr. and Mrs. Templeton were the recipients of many beautiful gifts including a handsome cut glass water set from friends in the city hall and an electric reading lamp from the assessor and staff of the department.

## GEARY—WASHBURN.

At the home of the bride, on Thursday morning of last week, Mrs. Jerusha Washburn was married to G. Harry Geary, lately returned from overseas, after four years with Canadian Engineers. The bride wore a traveling suit of gray serge, opening over a blouse of figured nixon, with a smart French model turban. The matron of honor was Mrs. May Abram, sister of the groom and the best man was Vernon D. Washburn, son of the bride. Rev. W. H. Irwin performed the ceremony in the presence of only a few immediate friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Geary took the noon train for Vancouver and Victoria and other coast cities.

Mr. Geary before going overseas was President of the Trades and Labor Council, and is now a member of the executive of that body. Mr. and Mrs. Geary will have the best wishes of the trade unionists of the city.

## PAMPHLET ABOUT COUNTRY GIRLS IN CITY EMPLOYMENTS

Entitled "What Shall I Do Now?—How To Work For Canada In Peace"

A pamphlet recently published by the Women's Department of the Canadian Reconstruction Association of Toronto deals with a question which many Women's Clubs and individual women are asking themselves now that war activities have practically ceased. It is entitled "What Shall I do now?—How to work for Canada in peace" and is aimed to help those women who feel that they do not wish to give up altogether that co-operation and effort which our women have put forth so magnificently during the past five years.

Emphasis is placed on the value of the greatest of all work for women, that of taking care of the home and the rearing and caring for children and a system of efficient home help is urged. The future of munition and factory workers is discussed and in the latter industry phases of work appealing to women such as designing and adaptation of designs to commercial uses. Domestic service and the work of farmettes is referred to and business and department store salesmanship opportunities are outlined as well as the need for young women to enter the nursing profession.

In dealing with the question of "Country Girls in City Employments" it says "City employments offer opportunities of work to many country girls. The country girl was a splendid munition worker. Positions in factories, stores, offices, schools, hospitals, and in every other establishment which depends on the work of women are held by numbers of country girls. These are a living link between the town and country. The country girl who is looking for work should write to the Government Employment Bureau for advice. Various other organizations also, such as the Young Women's Christian Association, will advise with regard to training, board and lodging, and the amount required for living expenses.

"There are many country girls who would prefer to stay at home if they could find some way of earning money. They should consider specializing in one of the lines of work for girls which appear under the heading 'Work for the girl at home,' in the list of occupations printed in this pamphlet. Partnership of father, mother, son and daughter in the business of the farm belongs to the new era in agriculture."

The pamphlet offers this advice to those choosing an occupation, "Choose an employment in which you are at an advantage. Necessary occupations ensure steady employment. Food, health, clothing, household management, thrift, teaching, child care, and nursing offer traditional employments to women. The average woman can look to these necessary occupations with a fair certainty of earning an honorable and comfortable livelihood. If you prefer an exceptional occupation and are qualified for it, do not be discouraged by initial failure. This is the age of the woman at work. The oldest and largest employments are constantly showing new and interesting developments in work for women. When the merchant begins a business, he selects commodities to sell for which there is a demand.

## ONTARIO WOMEN CANDIDATES FOR POLITICAL HONOR

Mrs. L. A. Hamilton, Miss Constance Boulton and Mrs. A. M. Huestis Are Candidates

So far, the names of three Toronto women are prominently mentioned as candidates for political honors when the Ontario provincial election is held, as it will probably be before the end of the year. Mrs. L. A. Hamilton, whose name has been mentioned by a number of men and women has expressed herself as willing to stand for candidacy, and there is indication that success would be hers. Mrs. Campbell Melvill, speaking for her to a Toronto paper, stated that she would be neither liberal or conservative, but independent.

Miss Constance Boulton is another name heard often in this connection. She is one of the members of the Ontario Board of Education, and although her candidature has been suggested by many of her friends she has made no positive statement. She has intimated that her sympathies are entirely with the conservative party and although it is as non-partisan members the women are wanted she is not inclined to do so except as a conservative. Mrs. A. M. Huestis, who was for many years president of the Toronto Local Council of Women, is the other.

Mrs. L. A. Hamilton lived for many years in Winnipeg. She has been prominently connected with the National Council of Women, as convener of the committee on agriculture, and is one of the editors of Women's Century, the official organ of the National Council.

## MRS. GEO. BRODIE PRESIDENT U.F.W.O. PLATFORM SPEAKER

Says Men Cannot Win Elections Without Aid of Women Voters

Mrs. George Brodie, president of the United Farm Women of Ontario, is proving one of the ablest platform speakers among women in all of Canada. Recently she addressed a large meeting in Barrie. The meeting comprised representatives from the provincial ridings of Simcoe. In the middle of the harvest season the town theatre was packed to overflowing, which speaks for itself of the interest the movement has in Ontario.

The report, as published in The Farmers' Sun, of Mrs. Brodie's address is as follows: "One thing you men cannot do," was her first statement, "you cannot win elections without the help of women who now have half the voting strength of the country. You think your wives will vote as you do, don't you? We have got you where we want you at last." But there was more than a declaration of power. There was a knowledge of an existing need before that power could be used to the best effect. "Women need legislation," said Mrs. Brodie, "and they need, first of all, education that will enlighten them to the full as to the legislation that is needed. That education can come only through our women's clubs. You say we have the Women's Institute. True, we have had that for years. I was in it for years myself, but I never expressed myself there. All my expression, all my thinking even, was done for me by a department at Toronto. We must have our own organization in which we can do our own thinking and through which we can give expression to the results of that thinking."

"Did you ever stop to think that the people who produce 80 per cent. of the wealth of the country enjoy least, not only of luxury, but of actual comforts? They have the least time for recreation, the least time for education. It is a hard thing to say that farmers are ignorant but if they were not ignorant of the way in which they have been exploited they would not have stood for the exploitation. But we are gaining in education," said Mrs. Brodie. "The daily press, ignorantly and unintentionally it is true, has aided in that education. Before the last election I thought every word in the Globe was true" (and those of tory ancestry shouted in glee), "some of the rest of you before the last election thought every word printed in the Mail and Empire was true." (And in the gale of laughter in which old-time tory and old-time grit joined, the last shredded remains of old-time party prejudice was swept away.) Then the point was made. "The result made by the party press in the last election has caused those who had been led by the party press in the past to ask themselves if they cannot do a little somersaulting too."

Of course there may be differences of opinion. All men cannot look upon matters alike or think alike, but there is room for honest differences of opinion that need not necessarily attack the good faith or honesty of either side.

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## CAN. CONFERENCE ON EDUCATION AT W'PEG POSTPONED

Purpose of Conference to Focus Public Attention On Education

"The ground idea of the conference on education in relation to the quality of our citizenship which was planned for Winnipeg, October 20 to 22, but which has now been postponed until the new year, is that the work of the schools should be featured as the primary concern of the people, says the official announcement of the congress.

The schools should be featured as the primary concern of the people. "The teacher today in Canada has little to remind him—how hard it is not to say 'her'—that he is working under the eye of the nation and for the nation's good. Let us correct that. Let us focus public attention on education, and all this will change—not overnight, but the process must be started some time. Why not now? That the full fruition of this will not come in a day is no reason for being blasé about it and trusting to chance to bring it about. When Germany's leaders set themselves to Prussianize German education and to drill into the mentality of the whole people that the state is supreme and that each individual must regard himself as a cog in a vast machine, they did not trust to chance. They forged a system, and the result was seen when the whole nation responded to the call of its masters and plunged the world into blood and desolation.

"Why not say: What Germany did in a bad way and for bad ends may be at least measurably done in a good way for the good end of evolving a citizenship whose goal shall be altruism, not selfishness; cooperation, not arrogance and aggrandizement? This is the spiritual goal that can be made the operative principle of Canadian citizenship through the medium of the schools. Let this be declared in a national gathering of citizens to be one of the grand functions of the schools, operating under provincial organization and control, but informed by the consciousness of a national purpose."

Grand Rapids is a big and busy manufacturing town, and when the employers invited organized labor to sit with them in council, to endeavor to find a sane way out of whatever difficulties might arise, they are showing a spirit which means closer and more friendly relations. No one expects that the plan will prove effective from the beginning, but it is a start and may develop advantageously for all concerned.

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