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## INSPECTION OF THE LOCAL CADET CORPS

Capt. Robinson Black Expresses Himself as Very Well Pleased With Efficiency of City Units.

Capt. Robinson Black, inspector of the cadet corps, arrived in the city on Wednesday and has been busy inspecting the various corps in and around the city.

On Thursday he visited the Rothery Collegiate School and inspected the corps there. He complimented them on the fact that they had a larger membership than last year and also on the fact that they made such a good showing last year, taking second place with a percentage of 86, only one point below the winners.

Thursday evening he inspected the St. Stephen's church corps and found them in excellent shape. Yesterday morning he visited the new corps at the Tower School, on the West Side, and was much pleased with the progress made by them. The new principal is a qualified cadet instructor, and it is expected that the St. Patrick and La Tour Schools will join with the Tower School in the near future which will make this one of the strongest corps in the province.

Last night he inspected St. Andrew's and St. Mary's corps and was well satisfied with the work they are doing.

Brigadier General McLean expressed great interest in the work of the cadet corps and promised to do all in his power to advance the work of the organization. Capt. Black will leave the first of the week for St. Stephen, Milltown, Woodstock and Fredericton.

## SAYS HOT WATER EACH DAY KEEPS THE DOCTOR AWAY

Drink glass of hot water before breakfast to wash out the poisons.

Life is not merely to live, but to live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermenting gases, all the acids and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatism; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store which will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. R. H. McKendrick will receive for the first time since her marriage, Thursday and Friday afternoons, November 2nd and 3rd, at 96 Mount Pleasant Avenue.

E. E. Burritt of the International Harvester Company has left for Buffalo, N. Y., to attend the funeral of his mother.

Dr. Edward J. Broderick of Union street has returned to the city after two weeks' vacation.

Dr. Thomas Walker was a passenger to the city yesterday on the Montreal train.

A. J. Tingley, chief of the I. C. R. police, arrived in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Rising have returned from a visit to Boston and New York.

Miss Gladys Frink arrived home from Montreal and Toronto at noon yesterday.

J. T. Prescott of Sussex was at the Victoria yesterday.

J. E. McAuley of Lower Millstream was a guest of the Victoria yesterday.

W. B. Maddison of Moncton was at the Royal yesterday.

E. P. Mackay of Bathurst was at the Royal yesterday.

J. A. Morrison, Mrs. Morrison, Luke S. Morrison and Leonard C. Box of Fredericton were at the Royal yesterday.

H. F. Alward of the C. G. R. general staff, at Moncton, was a guest of the Royal yesterday.

R. H. Steeves and E. G. Cross, also of Moncton, were at the Royal yesterday.

H. R. Lawrence of St. George was a guest of the Dufferin yesterday.

## Notable Books by Local Authors

The production from the same household of two especially creditable volumes, is a literary event sufficiently rare to merit more than passing attention. When these volumes include a work of fiction, gripping, compelling, and with a strong, wholesome, human interest strain, and a little book of delightful verse the fact is even more worthy of note.

Among the recent productions of the Copp Clark press of Toronto, is a novel, "The World, the Church, and the Devil," by Rev. John Archibald Morison, of the First Presbyterian church, West St. John, and a volume of verse, "My Soldier Boy," and other poems, by Mrs. John Archibald Morison.

"The World, the Church and the Devil," tells the story of a young Presbyterian minister, Rev. James Muir, from his ordination as pastor of St. Giles all through his various experiences until it leaves him married and settled, the loving and beloved shepherd of a happy, prosperous and sympathetic church flock. The chief character in the story is a very lovable one. A man of warm impulses and catholic sympathy who does not permit the limitations of orthodoxy to blind him to the broader opportunities for real Christian work.

James Muir is neither unorthodox nor sensational, he is simply a wholesome, God-fearing Christian minister, who does his work in the daily life of a typical Scotch community in Canada—and does it as he believes the Master Himself would have it done. Forms and rituals he regards with the respect due to long age and custom, but he allows his ministerial sight to go beyond the husks of form and seeming and get at the kernel of good half concealed in their wrappings.

The author tells his story, and tells it well. He possesses that very rare gift—ability to make his characters human, a gift which, should he care to devote himself to literary effort, should carry him far in the direction of lasting success. Also he shows himself to be an artist in detail, using his pen as the photographer would his camera, presenting much in the story line without the embellishment of complimentary virtues or added vices. Perusal of the story will recall to the reader the Muirs, John MacGregors, W. G. Hales and David Bruce of real life, and one wonders at the fidelity with which the author has fashioned his characters.

But the charm of the story lies as much in the sustained plot as in its character delineations. And there is a logical, well wrought plot, interesting and with a wholesome and eminently satisfactory conclusion—but to tell it would rob the reader of the

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pleasure he will receive from perusal of the book. To sum up, Rev. John Archibald Morison's first venture into the field of fiction is very, very worth while, and it is pleasing to know that the volume has already been enthusiastically received.

"My Soldier Boy," charming. Touching the strings of the harp of poetry lightly, deftly, but with acknowledged power, and producing rhymes of haunting sweetness and melody, Mrs. John Archibald Morison has attained some delightful effects in her volume of poems "My Soldier Boy." The poem from which the volume takes its name is among the most powerful in the collection, and two verses, the third and fourth, deserve to rank with the best productions of the year. They are as follows:

"I give him up to England  
"O England don't you see  
"I love, I love thee, England,  
"My heart I send to thee.

"My brave and true and strongest  
"Pure gold without alloy,  
"O England, England, England,  
"I gave my soldier boy."

Another, "A Soldier's Wife," is sweetly sad, breathing the spirit of patriotic resignation with which so many of Canada's women have been made familiar by the entry of the necessities of war into their own homes. "Somewhere in France" and "God Save Our Empire," are other gems in the collection, and it is not surprising to learn that these have already won high commendation from such qualified and severe critics as the editors of The Bookman in London.

What might be termed seasonal rhymes—"June," "November," "March," "Indian Summer," "Autumn," "Winter," and "Summer," are delightful in their delicacy and artistic treatment. They afford striking evidence that Mrs. Morison has the spirit of the true poet, the lover of nature who finds "tongues in trees, books in the running brooks, sermons in stones, and good in everything," and can fittingly transmit her sentiments to the written page. In fact every production in the book is worthy, and the collection forms one of the daintiest volumes of verse yet produced by a Canadian pen.

Rev. and Mrs. Morison are to be heartily congratulated upon the results of their labors, and it is predicted that the Canadian reading public will not be unwilling to accord novel and verses the recognition that quality distinctly merits.

—A. E. McG.

## GIRLS' CLUB MAKES READY FOR WINTER

Organization Meeting Held Last Evening—Classes and Entertainments Featured in Plans.

The Girls' Club of the Playgrounds Association, 92 Princess street, organized their winter classes last night and the following subjects will be taken up: Physical culture with gymnastics, work, athletic and folk dancing, games, physical drill, etc.

The lectures on first aid which have been in charge of Capt. Alexander E. MacDonald, will be conducted by Sergt. Major Simpson. These classes have been largely attended and have proved very useful.

Arrangements were also made for a class in plain sewing. The classes in school studies, which were carried on so successfully last year, will be taken up later if the necessary teachers can be procured. Several young ladies are desirous of taking these courses and the management would appreciate it very much if some persons would offer their services in this branch of the work.

Instruction in drawing under the direction of Miss B. R. Holt will be given if any of the girls desire to take up such a class.

If any of the girls desire to take up any special course of study the committee would appreciate it very much if they would make the fact known and if at all possible arrangements would be made to form the desired class.

One very important part of the work is the social evenings. These are in charge of Miss Nina R. Benn, convener of the entertainment committee; Miss B. Winona Steeves, convener of the refreshment committee, and Miss Mabel London, convener of the social committee, assisted by the other members of the club.

Other departments of the work are the travellers aid and lodging and employment bureaus. These are conducted with a view to assisting women and girls in every way possible.

All business and employed girls, especially those who are strangers in the city are cordially invited to visit or join the club where they will receive a hearty welcome.

The rooms are open every evening.

## NOVEL IDEAS IN THIS CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT

Young Ladies' Missionary Society of Main Street Baptist Church Had a Birthday Party and a Birthday Cake.

Last night the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the Main Street Baptist church celebrated their tenth birthday with a party to which all members of the congregation were invited. The vestry was well filled and those present spent a very pleasant evening.

The meeting was called to order at ten minutes after eight o'clock and the programme consisted of ten numbers. The Scripture reading was ten verses from the tenth chapter of Romans.

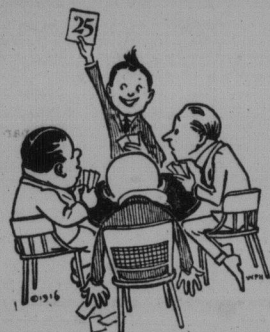
The programme was as follows: Chorus by the Sunday school choir. Solo, Miss Edna Watters. Reading, Miss Almada Mullin. Duet, Mrs. Joseph Thompson and Miss Enid Hutchinson. 10 minute talk on 10 years' progress, Miss Helen Cowan.

Trio, Misses Verna Wilson, Hilda Morrell, Gertrude Hatfield. Missionary exercise, 10 Mission Lights, by 8 girls and 2 boys.

Dissected story in ten parts. After the programme had been completed refreshments were served and they had a birthday cake with ten lighted candles on it.

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