

**Hold Fortieth Anniversary**

A pleasant evening was spent on the 13th line on Wednesday, November 19th, when Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McLean celebrated their fortieth anniversary at the former's home. A six o'clock dinner was served to about thirty guests. After dinner the guests gathered in the sitting room while a pleasing address was read. The family of Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson presented them with a pair of leather rockers, whilst the MacLean family presented their mother and father with a handsome couch. The brides and grooms also received many gifts of pyrex, silver, china, linens, a handsome purse, and substantial cheques. Guests were present from Sarnia, Strathroy, Kerwood, Watford, Wyoming and Wanstead.

**\$10,000 CASH PRIZES**

This season the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal are making a remarkable offer to readers. Providing the subscription is received in time each subscriber will have a free opportunity to enter the big Election Contest in which ten thousand dollars will be given. This is a simple contest requiring no special skill or tiresome work. The first prize is five thousand dollars. If that were not enough the Family Herald is also offering to each subscriber who comes in time a large calendar with a beautiful picture in colors, entitled "The Sale of Old Dobbin." There is also available a catalogue of valuable rewards to be given to those who secure new subscriptions. With such wonderful value it is no wonder the Family Herald and Weekly Star is the first choice of Canadians because as an interesting publication it has no competitor.

**Hospital for Sick Children**  
67 COLLEGE ST., TORONTO

Dear Mr. Editor:—  
Your readers have probably had their appetite for statistics satiated during the past few months. Still they will, no doubt, want to know something of the work accomplished by the hospital to which they have so generously contributed in the past. They are shareholders in a Mission of Mercy. Their dividends are not paid in coin of the realm. May I trespass upon your space to outline what those dividends are?

Firstly, the daily average of children occupying cots in the Hospital for Sick Children was 255. The total cared for as in-patients was \$297. That is equivalent to the population of a good-sized Ontario town.

And secondly, the out-patient department. This is a wing of offices given over to consultation and minor operations. On an average there were 190 young callers a day.

That is where the dividends are earned—in the difference made in the lives of thousands of children through the voluntary contributions which render it possible to maintain an institution where pallid cheeks become rosy and twisted limbs are made straight.

If that were not dividend enough, one might try to estimate the enormous salvage of child-life in Ontario which has taken place since "Sick Kids" doctors and "Sick Kids" nurses have been going out through this province equipped with a knowledge of children's diseases, which they could not get except in some such highly specialized and pre-eminently efficient institution as the Hospital for Sick Children.

On this year's service the Hospital expended \$345,126 and finds itself in the hole to the extent of \$124,284. What comes in around Christmas-time keeps the Hospital going. So long as the word "Christmas" retains its original significance could any charity possibly enlist more of the sympathy of your readers or entitle itself to more of their support?

Faithfully yours,  
I. E. ROBERTSON,  
Chairman Appeal Committee

**A MINUTE OF MERCY COSTS FIFTY CENTS**

Teacher (to boy sitting idly in school during writing time): Henry why are you not writing?  
Henry: "I ain't got no pen."  
Teacher: "Where's your grammar?"  
Henry: "She's dead."

Watford, Ontario, Nov. 24th, 1924

As we have bought Mr. Melvin Buchner's milk business we wish to solicit your continued custom.

We are doing all we can to give good service and good clean milk. All our milk is cooled by a modern Lister cooler and all bottles sterilized.

We have had our entire herd placed in the hands of the Federal Government Inspector, who has already made a preliminary tuberculin test and all tubercular animals have been removed.

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W. G. CONNOLLY  
W. C. TOWRISS

**Victims Of Anaemia**

**Need New, Rich Blood to Restore Health and Strength.**

It is an unfortunate fact that nine women out of every ten are victims of bloodlessness in one form or another. The girl in her teens, the wife and mother, the matron of middle age—all know its miseries. To be anaemic means that you are breathless after slight exertion. You feel worn out and depressed. You turn against food and often cannot digest what you do eat. Sleep does not refresh you, and when you get up you feel exhausted and unfit for the day's duties. If neglected anaemia may lead to consumption.

You should act promptly. Make good the fault in your blood by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the most reliable blood enricher ever discovered. These pills purify bad blood, strengthen weak blood, and they make good blood, and as the condition of your blood improves you will regain proper strength, and enjoy life fully as every girl and woman should do. The case of Mrs. Mary Trainor, Perth, Ont., shows the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind. She says:—"I had not been feeling well for some time and had been gradually growing weaker. I found it very hard to do my housework; had severe headaches and was very pale. I took doctor's medicine for some time, but they did me no good. I was growing weaker and used to faint and take dizzy spells. In this condition I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after a time found they were helping me. I continued their use until I found the troubles that afflicted me had gone and I am once more enjoying good health and strength."

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**KERWOOD**

The Ladies Guild met at the home of Miss Toohill on the 26th of Nov., with a good attendance. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Ed. deGex; 1st vice, Mrs. Geo. Freer; 2nd vice, Mrs. David Wilson; Sec-Treas, Miss Nono Wilson; Pianist, Mrs. B. Bourne. The different committees were then named for the bazaar which will be held on Dec. 12th in the New Hall. Rev. Mr. Dehell then closed the meeting and a dainty lunch was served by Miss Toohill and Mrs. Beer.

The W. M. S. of the Methodist church will meet on Thursday afternoon, Dec 11th at the home of Mrs. J. M. Brunt. A special Christmas program will be given. The time of meeting is two thirty and all the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Manicom, spent Sunday in Sarnia, guests of their son. The Young Men's Club enjoyed a turkey supper at the home of Mr. Deloyd Wright last week. About thirty attended and spent the remainder of the evening in cards and other amusements.

Miss Grace Dowding spent a day with her parents here recently. Miss Jean Sullivan leaves this week for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Richardson and family, of Mt. Brydges, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Johnson recently. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening in the church basement. The pastor would like to see more attend these meetings.

Kerwood Methodist Christmas tree and concert on the evening of Dec. 23rd. A good program will be given, consisting of choruses, recitations, dialogues, drills and motion songs.

The Kerwood Mission Circle will hold a social on Friday evening when all the members are invited. Mr. Olden Chittick has been a patient in Victoria Hospital, London. We are pleased to know he is able to be at home again.

**INWOOD**

Miss Evelyn Walton, of Detroit, is spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Adair of the 6th line.

Mr. S. S. Courtright was out of town Wednesday. Mr. Dan Johnson was married at Marine City on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Bert Atkin has received news from London that her father, Mr. Joseph Brewer, is very ill. Mrs. Jack Johnson returned home from London Hospital on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Yorke is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. John Barrett. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitten and daughter, Muriel, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Bannister over the week end.

Miss Craig, of Petrolia is visiting Mrs. M. E. Taylor.

Mrs. Jack Johnston returned from Detroit Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Eli Carroll and daughter, May, of Aberfeldy and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hands, spent Wednesday evening at R. J. Richardson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, and Mr. and Mrs. Halloran, of North Bay who were attending the funeral of their father, returned home Monday evening.

The Women's Institute met in the Presbyterian Sunday school rooms on Nov. 25, with the President, Mrs. (Dr.) H. McLean in the chair. A good program was given which consisted of instrumentals, community songs, a solo by Miss Hilda Barrett. A well prepared paper on "The Spirit of Christmas." After which lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman returned from their bridal tour on Thursday which was spent in Detroit and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coleman spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents.

George Liddon and Harry Richardson spent the week end at their home here recently.

The Ladies' Guild of the church of the Epiphany met at the home of Mrs. W. A. Graham on Thursday last. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Graham spent Sunday at Mrs. Wm. Chapman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Atchison and daughter, Leah, visited Mrs. Art. White recently.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Jennie Warner has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. George Chapman of London, spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sproule of Oil Springs spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. W. A. Graham.

Mrs. Roy Chapman spent one day last week in St. Thomas.

Mrs. Pearl Hartley, and Miss Annie Elliott, were in St. Thomas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Graham spent Sunday at Mrs. W. A. Graham's.

The Girl's Soft Ball Team held a candy and baking sale at Joe Bishop's store Saturday afternoon which was a huge success.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McLean, spent Sunday in Watford as the guests of Miss Bertha Oakes.

The Ladies' Guild of the church of Epiphany are holding a bazaar and hot supper in Dawson's store, on Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec 6. Supper from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Carl Cliff, of Oshawa is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alex Thompson.

Dr. Jas. McVicar, of Port Huron, and Mr. Vogel, of Sterling, Mich., were visitors at J. P. McVicar's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Burnison have moved to town and are occupying part of Mrs. Riley's house.

Mrs. Lyons, of Toronto is visiting her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Urie.

There passed away at the home of his daughter at North Bay, Mr. Wm. English. The remains were brought to Inwood and were taken to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Orville Lloyd. The funeral services were held from the Anglican church here and were conducted by the rector, Rev. P. H. Streeter. Burial took place at Alvinston cemetery and was conducted by the Masons of which Mr. English was a prominent member. Mr. English spent the greater part of his life in and around Inwood. He was known far and wide as a man of principle. Mr. English had a great many sterling qualities which made for him many friends. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family at this time, who have lost a kind and loving father.

**NAPIER**

Miss Sarah Toohill delightfully entertained the Women's Guild of the Anglican Church, Kerwood, on Wednesday afternoon.

The members of the Women's Institute and their friends met in the Hall on Monday and quilted three quilts for the president, Mrs. Anthony, who lost everything in the burning of their home. Mrs. Anthony wishes to express her thanks for the many kindnesses shown her.

At a recent fire in a Toronto laundry a number of shirts were badly scorched. The customers, however, did not notice anything out of the ordinary.

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