# PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

# Women At Home and Abroad

CENTRAL DEPOT FOR CAST-OFF CLOTHING.

It has been suggested by the Chesley Avenue Mothers' Club that there b established in the city a central depot for cast-off clothing so that social workers might always be able to put their hands on garments when they are needed. The suggestion is an exceedingly practical one. The social worker often finds individuals and families in dire need of clothing, yet she is unable to stretch her hand into somebody's attic and take what she needs. The person who owns the attic and clothing might be quite delighted to have it put to some use, it is true, yet the worker does not know this and must do her best advertising the

case until she finds what she needs. An officer of the Children's Aid in the city was visiting a home one day where the mother and small children seemed very scantily clothed. He heard a cry coming from a basket nearby and, lifting the lid, discovered an entirely naked baby lying there. Have you no clothes for the baby?" he asked. yes," responded the mother, "but I have just washed the baby and now I am washing its clothes." How many women in the city hoard up baby clothes when they no longer need them? Wouldn't they consider it a sin if they knew of that mother who had only one set of rags, for they weren't more, to wrap her baby

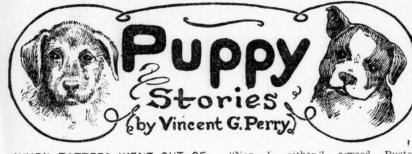
central depot would have made it possible for the Children's Aid officer to find changes of clothing for that baby almost immediately. Wouldn't it be

THE PASSING OF THE MILITARY

HOSPITAL IN LONDON. With the departure of the nursing sisters, Johnston and Elliott, who left Wolseley Barracks Hospital on Saturday and the transfer of the remaining casual patients to the permanent force medical ward, the military hospital has come to an end in London. Neary two weeks ago the last two military patients were transferred to Toronto, and with their going the nursing sisters' duty came to

Throughout the war years and up until the present time Wolseley Barracks Hospital has been the scene of many pleasant and many sad times. There was the passing of those whom even the test medical care could not save, and there McMurchie, secretary of the Canadian were seasons of pain for the ones who later made a recovery. But in contrast Mission Board, will also be present and to this there were the happy parties and treats provided by various local soci- speak. eties through the Red Cross visiting committee; there was the sympathetic care of the nursing sisters and doctors and there were the welcome calls of the Red Cross visitor. The members of the Red Cross were looked upon as delightful pals by the men, and their weekly entertainments as affairs to look forward to

with intense interest. Now, however, the work of the Red Cross visitor has come to an end with the departure of the nursing sister and patient, and it is with a feeling of sadness that one thinks of the Wolseley Barracks Hospital as an institution of the



HIS CLASS.

Part III. Darkey and Buster, the Boston Terrier (we beg their pardon, Mr. Roselawn the Younger and Mr. Roselawn the Older), were benched ready for the beat," bragged Darkye.

"Don't be too sure of that," said a voice from the name his family knew him by, was the name his family knew him by looking every bit as conceited as ever, rier. Tips was a veteran show doc. for he had won a great number of prizes let had been benched among the Boslately, and was very proud of himself. It is own bench was decorated Latin word for light, lux. Many femin-

There is Kernal Kusmer grinning at you from behind his stall. He's a very of its evolution. homely bulldog. I wonder if he thinks

him three times already."

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## **500 DELEGATES WILL GATHER IN STRATFORD** FOR ONTARIO W. M. S.

Presbyterian Women of Province To Meet and Discuss Forward Movement.

The sixth annual meeting of the Presbyterian W. M. S. in Ontario, to open session in Stratford tomorrow, will be the largest of its kind ever held, between 400 and 500 delegates being expected. The ever-growing inter-church spirit has been demonstrated on this occasion, for many of the members of other denominations in Stratford have opened up their homes to the

Presbyterian delegates. Distinguished returned missionaries, including the Rev. Col. Young of Saskatchewan and Mrs. L. D. S. Coxon of India as well as Mrs. D. T. L. Mcof India as well as Mrs. D. T. L. Mc-Kerroll of the home board at Toronto will be speakers. Miss Fraser, editor of the Missionary Messenger, just back from the Federated Women's Missionary Board of North America, and Miss

Movement among the women's organizations of the church, will take a

#### WHAT'S IN A NAME

LUCRETIA. (Copyright, 1920, by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

Though Lucretia was the name born by the notorious daughter of the Borgia it is one of the quaintest and most oldfashioned of names in this country. It is a far cry from ancient Rome to modern New England, but the name has

completed the transition with very few changes to mark the successive stages There are two theories among he can beat you today. You have beaten etymologists in regard to the original source of Lucretia. Some contend that Lucretia is said to signify gain. On the hat to match. On their return, Mr. and other hand, there is much evidence to Mrs. Holland will reside on the groom's

lately, and was very proud of himself.

Buster did not look so conceited. He was the older Roselawn, and was not as successful as he might have been in his younger days, so nearly all the prizes were won by Darkey. "Roselawn Admiration Simplicity Marmaduke" Toronto exhibition when I was in my breed at the prizes were successful as he might have been in the best dog in this show, I'm not the dog that went best in my breed at the Toronto exhibition when I was in my pupply class."

Latin word for light, lux. Many lemining names have been derived from this root and the same word has supplied surnames without number. It is believed, therefore, that the noted old gens Lucretius from which Lucretia is directly descended, was only another of the derivatives of lux. "Lucrece, combing the fleece, under the midnight

Admiration Simplicity Marmaduke" was printed in gold letters over Buster's stall, and "Roselawn Sylvester. King of Princes." was over Darkey's stall. Those were their kennel names, you will remember.

"I am sure I shall get the prize for the best dog in the show," bragged Darkey. "I have beaten every dog here so far. Look at Dimity Rose scowling at me over there. I beat him at the last show, and he hasn't got over it yet. I never did like bull terriers."

Marmaduke" Toronto exhibition when I was in my puppy class."

"Pooh!" sneered Darkey again, but just the same he felt a sinking in his heart, for he knew old Tips was a wise dog and did not say things he did not mean.

I wonder what Darkey and Buster would have said had they known that the handsome collie Tips saw was the dog that had once been the homely little pup Tatters—the pup they had abused so shamefully and had called a common street dog?

(These two conceited doggies get a big surprise in the next Puppy Story.) (Rights Reserved by the Vincent G. Perry Canadian Syndicate.) fuesday is her lucky day, and 6 her ucky number. Perry Canadian Syndicate.)

## Advertiser Patterns Owing to the pattern manufacturers increasing the price of patterns to us all patterns advertised from this date will be



Pattern 3134 cut in six sizes, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure, is illustrated. It will require 71/2 yards of 38-inch material for a medium size. As here shown, caster-colored duvetyn was used, with facings of brown satin. This style is also attractive in taffeta and crepe, serge and satin, or velvet and satin. Braid or embroidery may serve as trimming.
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was united in marriage to Arthur Hol-land, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Hollnad of Brownsville, the Rev. W. A.

Walden officiating. Promptly at 6 o'clock, to the strains of the Lohengrin Wedding March, played by Miss Elizabeth Holland, sister of the groom, the bride entered the dining-room, leaning on the arm of her father and took her place underneath an arch of evergreens banked with flowers. The bride looked charming o'clock on Tuesday, but the board of management, including about 50 members, will meet on Monday at St. Andrew's Church, where a reception will orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses, and she wore the groom's gift, an onyx pendant, set with pearls. Miss Clara Lowrie, sister of the bride, gowned in pink georgette over silk crepe de chine with bead trimmings, acted as bridesmaid, and carried pink roses. Mr. Lloyd Holland, brother of the groom, was best man, and little Clara Minshall, cousin of the bride, made a dainty little flower girl, dressed in a silk frock and carrying the ring in a basket of sweet peas. During the signing of the register, Miss Florence Smith sany very sweetly, "Oh. Promise Me." The groom's gifts to the bridesmaid and solist were pearl necklaces, to the pianist a onyx ring, to the flower girl a gold pendant, and o the best man a signet ring. presents were numerous, including a substantial check from the bride's round? dining-room, where a sumptuous repast green and white. Amid showers of confetti, the happy couple left on a honeymoon trip to Hamilton, Brantford and other eastern points, the bride

### Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Who Wants to Correspond.

Dear Miss Grey,—Here I am again to thank you for the songs I received. I have copied them and sending them back. I have come fore the famous stocking-foot pattern. I am sending a little bit for the fund. I would like to correspond with either sex about my age (15). If they will write first I will leave my address with Miss Grey.

Will someone exchange flower seeds: I would like to know of anyone's luck in raising cinnamon pinks, How many of the curious have had their character read by handwriting? Mere Man has been fairly true, and I hope Mere Man long remains interested in our Mail-Box corner. He is one who reads our column, but, of course, our other masculine readers would got admit having even a peep in the Box. They don't know what they miss. envelope for the much wanted S. F. P.
Please tell me what day September 5,
I will sign, BROWN-EYES NO. 2.

Ans.—Stocking-foot pattern method.

They don't know what they miss.

Hiawatha of the North, I am writing a letter to you, I did enjoy your letter. I, too, love the open country, and the trails that lead one on and on.
I love finding new paths and couldness.

Dear Miss Grey.—Well, here I come again. It is so much milder outdoors, thought I would drop in for a little visit this afternoon.

I saw in Saturday's paper where Nurse's Sister wanted to know if the song called "There's Music in the Air" had more than two verses. Well we have that song, but it only has two, so I guess that is all there is to it.

So Billie has a sweet tooth, has she? Well, here are some candy recipes for her. I have tried the marshmallows one, and find it pretty good. Hope she and find it pretty good. Hope she

likes them. your geraniums won't flower, Blue, Now, geraniums or for Alice Blue. Now, geraniums, or for that matter, any kind of a house plant, pital fund. I wrote you over a month has to be at a south window, and kept well watered to flower in the winter time. It's the sunshine they need, I think. Try this, Alice Blue, and maybe

Ans.—I wonder if Billie won't send us a sample of that candy. Another dime for the fund; thank you. Your writing

is neat. Call again. Carolletta's Problems.

Dear Miss Grey.—1. What's good for ingrown toenails?

2. Can bow-leggedness be cured?

3. What does it mean to inclose a hairpin in a letter to a lady friend?

4. Is a girl in love who cannot sleep for thinking of her lover?

5. My hair is real fair and wavy. Would it look well bobbed? Would you advise me to have it Castle bobbed or how? Yours.

CAROLETTA.

Ans.—1. Cutting a "V" in the middle of the nail is said to be beneficial, for when the nail grows together it draws away from the side where the trouble lies.

2. This can be cured in early stages.

3. I haven't the slightest inca.

4. Looks rather like it. How's the digestion?

5. I wouldn't have it bobbed here.

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Chark Lily Lover for canned beef recipe. I have about 40 quarts done, and it is fine. Wishing you all good luck.

Ding-DONG.

Ans.—Your donation received. Many thanks. Patterns will be forwarded in due time. You certainly live a long distance to come when you call on the Mail-Box, but you are very welcome.

Likes the Mail-Box.

Dear Miss Grey.—Please send me Katherine's address, for I would like to thank Lily Lover for canned beef recipe. I have about 40 quarts done, and it is fine. Wishing you all good luck.

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Dans — Would it we miss one.

digestion?
5. I wouldn't have it bobbed, because it's just a whim of fashion.
and besides, not knowing what you look like, I am not able to prescribe.

Here's an Invitation.

Dear Cynthia and Boxites,—Did I hear anyone ask if spring is coming?

SOCIAL AND
PERSONAL

Nursing Sister Durkin has just returned to the city after a trip to California. She is the guest of Mrs. Gordon Philip.

Pte. Lockart, who was paralyzed last summer in a friendly wrestle, and became well known while at the Wolseley Barracks Hospital, leaving the city by means of a carriage, the gift of the Red Cross, has been transferred from the Speedwell Hospital, Guelph, to the College Street Hospital, Toronto.

LIDDON—MERRILL.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Monday, March 15, when Helen Cora, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Merrill of Delaware, was united in marriage to George Richard Liddon, also of Delaware. The happy couple left for points east, and on their return will be at home in Komoka after May 1.

HOLLAND—LOWRIE

"The Maples," the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lowrie, Tillsonburg, was the scene of a very pretty wedding when their daughter, Nellie Gertrude, Wexican Chill Con Carne.

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ter supper dish.

Mexican Chili Con Carne.

Mexican Chili Con Carne. Fry one pound of Hamburg steak in plenty of dripping until well browned. Break meat up well. To one can of cooked tomatoes add meat, three onions sliced, salt, pepper, and one table-spoon of vinegar. Cook slowly until onions are well done, about one and a half hours. Add one pint of cooked dry beans (white or kidney) and one pint of water. Heat ten minutes and serve in howle with soda biscuits in bowls with soda biscuits,
Inclosed find a shinplaster for the
Children's Hospital fund. Please send

Children's Hospital fund. Please send me the stocking-foot pattern.

BLUEBIRD NO. 2.

P.S.—If you would like to try these two dishes, Cynthia, or any reader, let me know and come out some time. Of course, city friends only will make that request, as we farmers just live on D. C.—B. B.

Ans.—My little friend of happiness, we are glad to have you fly into the Mail-Box, with an invitation no come to tea, and of course you'll have Devonshire cream and deep apple pie, and may we have a second piece? Of course I accept the invitation. As there happens to be two Bluebirds in our happens to be two Bluebirds in our Mail-Box, we'll call you No. 2. Is that satisfactory? Thanks for shin-plaster.

### A Sunshine Letter.

Dear Miss Grey,-Sure and it's St Patrick's Day in the mornin'. Has every one caught the spring fever, and The that contagious smile that is goin'

father. After the ceremony the guests, will someone copy me the words of numbering about 70, gathered in the a song; it goes something like this: "As long as the Shamrocks grow green was served by six girl friends of the bride. The table decorations were As long as the Shannon rolls down to

the sea."
Where is Margaret Linley? I think she has a heart of pure gold. I know her beautiful letters are treasured by many. Please Margaret Linley won't you write us one of your letters for traveling in a blue tricotine suit, with

June Rose--you who are lonely because you have no childish laughter within your home, won't you write again and tell us more of your flowers and plants? You see June Rose we are three now, who love flowers, birds and bees, not mentioning butterflies. Can't we make this Mail-Box corner blossom forth in true Easter style all gay and fluffy?

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I will sign, BROWN-EYES NO. 2.
Ans.—Stocking-foot pattern mailed you. Thanks for your donation to fund. As we have another Brown-Eyes, I've changed your name a little. Tuesday.

Drop In Again.

Dear Miss Grey,-Inclosed find 25 think. Try this, Alice Blue, and maybe then they'll flower for you.

Hope I have not stayed too long, and may I come again some time? I am inclosing ten cents for the C. H. fund.

BEPPY.

P. S.—What do you think of my writing, Miss Grey?—B.

Ans.—I wonder if Billie won't send us a sample of that candy. Another dime for the fund; thank you. Your writing thanks for a writing for the fund; thank you. Your writing thanks for a precipe for canning beans. I would like very much to have it. I must have missed that paper. We are so far away that our papers come in bunches, and that our papers come in bunches, and occasionally we miss one. Would like to thank Lily Lover for canned beef recipe. I have about 40 quarts done, and it is fine. Wishing you all good luck.

DING-DONG.

Ans.—Your donation received Many.

Wants S. F. Pattern.

Dear Miss Grey,—Kindly send me the famous S. F. pattern. Am sending 10 cents for the sick children's hospital fund. Yours. Ans.—Stocking foot pattern is foot-

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