The Ladies'

Magazine

the up-to-date, high-class, illustrated woman's paper of Canada—just out for February—most interesting number vet published—nearly 100 illustrations, mostly of Canadian

women. Contents-"The Feminine Personnel of the New Parliament," with portraits of Lady Laurier and members' wives; "A People Quaintly Happy, in Quiet Homes," a sketch of the home life of the Doukhobors; "The Month's Weddings," illustrations of bride and groom, always interesting; "Stylish Clothes for Little Folks," and "Just Before the Spring Fashions," artistically illustrated; "Daughters of the Empire;" Miss Scovil's Talks on Home Nurs-

ing; History of Kindergarten in Canada; Health and Beauty; Short Stories, etc. Three large artistic drawings by the most popular artist in America and The Ladies' Magazine for one year for One Dollar.



The usual meeting of the Women's Musical Club was held on Thursday, and the program of the day was drawn up with especial reference to the Empire's bereavement. The program which was prepared by Mrs. Sanford Evans and Miss Constance Boulton, was white, bordered with purple, and bore at the head the words "In Memoriam," and just below this the letters "V.R.I." in purple. The selections were Beethoven's Sonata, op. 7, Largo, which was exquisitely interpreted by the distinguished young pianist, Miss Florence Marshall. Miss Hilds Boulton contributed a violin solo, the Largo from Xerxes, by riolin solo, the Large from Xerxes, by favorites. Handel; Miss Louise Craig sang with much feeling, "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," from the Mess'ah, and Mr. David Ross' group of songs from Tennyson's "In Ros Memoriam," composed by Liza Lehmann, was much appreciated.

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sisters than among the husbands, fathers, brothers and sons of the land? asks an American "observer." No one could wish it to be so, but events seem to be tending that way. According to William T. Harris, National Commissioner of Education

Miss Thomas—the criticisms and nents of reviewers who seem to be seen to be tending that way. According to William T. Härris, National Commissioner of Education, statistics of all the states show an immense majority of girls over boys in the Public High Schools. In 1899 he says the North Central Division, which ingludes Ohio, Indiana, Hincis, Michigan, Wiscousia, Minnesota, Icwa, Missouri, North and South Dakota, Nebruska and Kansas, graduated 10,457 boys and 16,507 girls. And in some sections of not much more, then half the female attendance. These proportions do not hold good in the grammar grades. There the sexes are represented about equally, and in some piaces the boys predominate. But as soon as what is called higher education is entered upon, the girls greatly outnumber themen. Mrs. Alice Freeman Palmer recently declared: "To-day only three state universities in the nation exclude women, and these are Virginia, Georgia and Louislana. This change in the status of women has brought a state of things so that to-day more girls than young men are preparing for college, and before many years the young women will outnumber the men in the colleges and universities." Stanton University, as everyone knows, limited the number of its women students were becoming more numerous than the men. This is very interesting and one would like to know how this condition of affairs 'n the States compares, proportionately, of course, with ours in Canada.

70 FAMILIES HOMELESS.

London Has Not Heard.

London, Feb. 1.—The Foreign Office officials know nothing of any difficulty in King Menelik's territory. But it is not unlikely, they think, that certain malcontent chiefs may have taken advantage of King Menelik's absence from the capital to foment an insurrection. Fire in New York Caused Great

Loss-One Man is Reported Missing.

KING EDWARD'S REPLY

to Which He Has Been Appoint-

struction wrought by the confiagration W. A. H. Findlay, secretary of the Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands, has been appointed secretary of the Crown Lands Department, a position made vacant by the promotion of Thomas Gibson. which destroyed nearly a whole block of buildings at Thirty-first-street and Firstthe huge factory of the William Wicke

the huge factory of the William Wicke Company, nothing but a pile of smoking debris remained. Other property destroyed was the six-storey factory buildings, Nos. 404, 406 and 408 East Thirty-second-street; the five-storey tenements at 546 and 548 First-avenue; the five-storey tenement 402 East Thirty-first-street; Jackson's iron foundry, extending from 402 East Thirty-first-street to the river, and a two-storey brick building on Thirty-first-street, occupled by the Switt Dressed Beef Company. The property partially destroyed included the tenements at 550 and 552 First-avenue, About 70 families were rendered homeless by the burning of the tenements. Bockhout's lumber yard on the north side of Thirtieth-street, between First-avenue and the river, was still burning fercely at 7 o'clock this morning, but the firemen with three powerful streams from an engine were able to keep the flames from a engine were able to keep the flames from extending further at that point. SHE PATIENTLY **BORE DISGRACE** 

A Sad Letter From a Lady Whose Husband Was Dissipated.

How She Cured Him With a Secret



The regular meeting and installation of officers of Council No. 214 of C.O.C.F. was held at Dingman's Hall last night. The officers for the coming year, are: Mrs. Melbourne, past councillor; J. Virgin, chief councillor; J. Virgin, chief councillor; J. Virgin, chief councillor; J. Virgin, chief councillor; Mrs. Cale, recorder; Alfred Membery, assistant recorder; Miss Dayaer, marshal: Miss Hunt, warden; w. Wiles, goard; R. Bythell, sentry.

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