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Thousands of women in Europe have paid \$50 for a consultation with Dr. Hugo and got the same remedy. Considering the benefit they received from it, it was worth \$50, but it costs women now only 50c. for six dozen tablets—enough for an extended treatment.

It is a compound remedy containing all the tonics and attractives that any woman can need, no matter what her condition. For women suffering from a run-down condition, or any weakness peculiar to her sex, it is now acknowledged to be beyond doubt or question the best remedy available to-day. It makes healthy women.

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### The A.M.S. Opening

distances to be present. The sweet strains of the Brockville Orchestra formed a pleasing prelude to the entrance of Mr. and Mrs. Borden and party, who received a hearty welcome.

Mr. Joseph Thompson, Chairman of the A. M. S. Board, presided over the gathering with conspicuous ability, and in his opening remarks, after welcoming the distinguished guests and audience, he gave a brief, interesting review of the educational institution that was being formally opened on that occasion. With him on the platform as guests were Judge McDonald, Judge Reynolds, A. E. and Mrs. Donovan, D. Derbyshire, M.P., R. L. Borden, K.C., M.P., and Mrs. Borden, Hon. Geo. P. Graham, M.P.P., J. R. Dargavell, M.P.P., and Miss Dargavell, Dr. Kinney, I.P.S., H. Stewart, mayor of Brockville, Rev. W. and Mrs. Rillance, Inspector and Mrs. Johnston, Rev. I. N. and Mrs. Beckstedt, Rev. L. M. and Mrs. Weeks, G. F. and Mrs. Donnelly, James Ross, Rev. R. B. and Miss Patterson, Philip and Mrs. Halladay, the Messrs. Preston, Co. Secretary Richardson, Co. Treasurer Jelly, W. Beatty, ex-M.P.P., Rev. S. J. and Mrs. Hughes, Wm. Miller, John Culbert, ex-M.P., A. T. Wilgess, Inspector Connolly, Wm. Stafford, John Bowser.

Brief, bright, witty addresses were given by Messrs. Derbyshire, Dargavell, Taylor, Graham, Stewart, Connolly, Judge McDonald and Judge Reynolds, all extending greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Borden and felicitating the people of Athens on the enterprise they had displayed along educational lines.

Dr. Kinney I.P.S., then read to Mr. Borden an address of welcome in which pertinent references were made to the past, present and future educational policy of the Dominion. As he finished reading, Miss Irene Earl, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Earl, presented to Mrs. Borden a beautiful bouquet, which was gracefully acknowledged with an expression of thanks and a kiss.

Mr. Borden was greeted with a storm of applause, and during his eloquent address—one of the finest ever heard in Athens—he held the close attention of the large audience, frequently evoking their audible endorsement by reference to the new national spirit that is pervading all Canada. Of Athens, before coming here, he had heard much, and in comparing it with ancient Athens, he hoped that here as there, Education and Patriotism would continue to be fully exemplified. He was not afraid of the Delta triple-linkers are noted for their hospitality and this occasion proved no exception to the rule. Following the feast of good things Mr. R. J. Green was elected chairman, Mr. G. F. Donnelly, toast master, and an hour was spent very pleasantly in social converse and in listening to brief, entertaining addresses. This very pleasant evening closed with singing of Auld Lang-syne, which was done in a manner that would have delighted the heart of that veteran banqueter, Bro. Wilkinson.

#### Opera House, Brockville Monday, Jan. 29th

"His Highness the Bey," which enjoyed a run of five months in the La Salle Theatre, is one of the greatest successes that have been produced in Chicago in ten years. The comedy was only removed temporarily to admit of the fulfilment of previous contracts, but to all appearances, from a box office standpoint, it could have enjoyed prosperity at the La Salle for another season. The comedy is the work of F. R. Adams and W. M. Hough and the music is by Joseph E. Howard, famous composer of popular songs. No ambitious efforts have been attempted by Mr. Howard, the music throughout being of the kind that lingers in the memory of the hearer and he finds himself, involuntarily, whistling it as he leaves the play house. "Julie Dooley," "Orange Blossom Land" and a score of others scattered throughout the two acts are of the type that dare the hearer not to whistle them. The ensemble numbers are of more martial swing while numerous melodious ballads and duets make the opera one of the most beautiful of the decade.

The story tells of the tribulations of a Turkish Bey, whose country is besieged by allied powers and who seeks a substitute to accept his throne and the attentions of the executioner who is expected to visit him. Through a series of adventures a German Band Leader from Kankakee becomes monarch of the land and also leader of a desperate band sworn to assassinate the ruler. American war correspondents, Georgian slave girls, foreign diplomats and ambassadors and a score of comedy characters add to the profusion of fun that prevails. The comedy is magnificently staged and gorgeously costumed in manner typical of the style that has won lasting success for its predecessors.

A special train will be run over the B.W. & N.W. Ry. on the night of the play, time table for which will be given next week.

The board of trustees of that year consisted of Messrs. Joseph Thompson, chairman; James Ross, secretary; G. W. Beach, treasurer; James F. Gordon, W. F. Earl, and G. F. Donnelly. They at once commenced to plan for a new building, and after a careful investigation and consultation with Dr. Kinney, I.P.S., and Architect Dillon of Brockville, the board decided that the erection of the building as it stands to-day would best serve the public interest and meet the requirements of the Education Department.

The contractors were for stone-work, Messrs. Moulton & Eaton; for the brickwork, Messrs. Eaton Bros.; and for the carpenter and metal work, etc., Mr. J. C. Speagle of Westport; heating and ventilation, Messrs. Brown & Semple of Brockville.

The contractors did their work thoroughly and well, and the result is a building that excites the admiration of all who inspect it. The building is 50x50 ft., two storeys with an 8 ft. basement, double stairways, ample cloak rooms above and below, spacious hallway, a teachers' room in the tower, the whole heated by steam. The color scheme of the interior is buff and it presents a very handsome appearance.

In the erection of this fine building, Athens quite lived up to its reputation as an important educational centre, and the people of the village fully appreciate the kindly recognition accorded their enterprise in this regard by Mr. R. L. Borden and the distinguished gentlemen who were with him on the platform on Tuesday evening.

#### A SEPARATOR TEST

A large number of farmers, dairymen, cheesemen and agents assembled at the factory of Mr. Wm. Henderson, Lake Elvida, on Thursday afternoon last to witness a test of merit to be made of the "Alpha De Laval" and "Simplex Link blade" separators.

These rivals for popular favor had before met in similar contests, and the results had been so variously stated that it was thought to be advisable that a final contest should be held. It was probably with this thought in mind that Mr. Geo. R. Johnston, agent for the De Laval, published in the Reporter a challenge in which it was stipulated that "conditions of previous tests should govern."

The challenge was promptly accepted by Mr. A. Rabb, representing the Simplex Link-blade, and the news that a trial was to take place soon became generally known.

Now, we do not know what those stipulated "conditions" were, and during the forenoon it became evident that the rival agents were far from agreeing as to their nature; so that there seemed little prospect of an amicable agreement as to conditions governing test being arranged.

Following an exchange of compliments and a more or less heated historical review of previous tests, Mr. Johnston drew up and signed the following conditions to govern test:—

- (1) Total milk, 8838 lbs., each machine to separate half, taken from one vat.
- (2) Temperature 80 deg.
- (3) At a temperature of 60 deg., each machine to separate 200 lbs. of tainted milk.
- (4) Cream to contain 32 per cent of fat.
- (5) Machines to be flushed with skim milk.
- (6) Samples to be taken from the run of each machine.
- (7) A composite test of all samples together to be made.
- (8) Catalogue speed to govern.

Mr. Rabb declined to sign these conditions, but, with the exception of sections 5 and 7, they were observed by both parties in the contest.

Mr. Wm. Henderson served weighed quantities of milk alternately to the machines. A start was made at 1:05 and the finish was very close, the Link blade completing its half in one hour and 30 minutes and the De Laval in one hour and 33 minutes.

In anticipation of the test, Messrs. Derbyshire & Co. wrote to Mr. Mitchell, superintendent of the Kingston Dairy School, asking him to send a man qualified to accurately determine the character of the work done by the competing machines. Mr. Mitchell responded by sending one of the assistants from the school, Mr. Thos. J. Ellis who made a test and has given out for publication the following signed report:—

Lake Elvida, Jan. 11, 1906.

Result of cream separator contest, held today in Henderson's factory, between the following machines, namely, the Simplex and De Laval, milk at a temperature of 78 degrees F., as follows:—

Per cent of fat in skim milk of Simplex..... 08  
Per cent of fat in cream of Simplex..... 29  
Per cent of fat in skim milk of De Laval..... 12  
Per cent of fat in cream of De Laval..... 32

At the request of the De Laval agent we made a test of the machines separating at a temperature of 60 degrees, and there was so much fat left in the

skim milk of both machines that it was impossible to read it off. Judging by looking at, or as you might say, guessing, the De Laval left more fat in, even at the low temperature.

THOS. J. ELLIS,  
Representative of the Kingston Dairy School

Mr. Johnston also made a test of the De Laval skim milk and announced the result to be the same as that given for the Simplex, viz.: 08. He was not permitted to test the Simplex milk.

It was expected that this contest would prove a full and final settlement of all matters in dispute between these rival machine owners, but in the absence of signed articles as to conditions and acceptance of the verdict there is still opportunity for disputations.

#### Biggest on Record

The Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal during December handled over fifty thousand subscriptions, which is more than any other paper in Canada receives in a whole year. It is an enormous figure, the greatest that paper ever reached, but reports say that January will do even better, and from present appearances they fully expect 75,000. The popularity of that great Weekly and the lovely picture that goes with it, "Queen Alexandra, Her Grandchildren and Dogs," are accountable for the increase, but it is said their special premium, "The Farmer's Manual and Veterinary Guide," has also added over 20,000 new subscribers. They are printing another large edition of the book, and our advice to all farmers is to secure a copy before they are all gone. Samples of their picture and book can be seen at this office. Don't miss them.

#### A Grand Trunk Innovation

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Under this system baggage when received from trains at destination will be immediately delivered direct to the Transfer Co., for PROMPT DELIVERY, thus avoiding delays previously occasioned by placing same in baggage room, recording, re-sorting, etc., thus saving time and unnecessary handling.

Further announcement will be made of date this service will be put into effect.

#### Invited Guests

Among the invited guests for the A.M.S. opening, the following were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Borden, Messrs. D. Derbyshire, M.P., J. R. Dargavell, M.P.P., Hon. Geo. P. Graham, M.P.P., John Culbert, ex-M.P., H. Stewart, Mayor of Brockville, A. T. Wilgess, editor Times; by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Inspector Kinney, Inspector Connolly, Mr. J. F. Baker of Kingston; by Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Berney, Messrs. Geo. Taylor, M.P., W. Beatty, ex-M.P.P., W. Richardson, Co. Clerk, R. J. Jelly, Co. Treasurer, W. J. Curle, Supt. B.W. & N.W., ex-mayor, Harrison; by Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Parish, His Honor Judge McDonald; by Rev. R. B. and Miss Patterson, His Honor Judge Reynolds; by Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Kendrick, ex-warden Geo. S. Johnston; by Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Judson, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Holladay.

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Sr. III—Ida Williamson, Wilfred Ralph, \*Orman Nunn, \*Wallace Johnson, \*Gwendoline Green.  
Sr. II—Jennie Bail, Hattie Wilcox.  
Those marked \* were absent for some of the examination papers.  
T. R. WEALEY, Teacher.

#### A Green Old Age

Mr. R. J. Seymour of Toledo was in Athens last week and reported the death of Toledo's two oldest residents, which occurred on Thursday, Jan. 4. Mrs. Wm. Leacock, was taken sick Christmas Day and two days after her sister, Mr. Henry Seymour, was taken sick. Both died within three hours of each other, and there was a double funeral in the Presbyterian church. The late Mrs. Leacock was 98 years of age, while her sister, Mrs. Seymour, was 89 years of age. Mrs. Leacock is survived by one son, Mr. George Leacock, of Frankville. Mrs. Seymour leaves three sons and two daughters. They also leave two sisters, Mrs. Robb and Mrs. Hutton.

#### Sale Register

On Tuesday, Jan. 23, Joel Church will sell by auction at his farm near Frankville all his farm stock, implements, etc. No reserve. Liberal terms. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

On Thursday, January 25, Mr. J. A. Taylor will offer for sale at his premises, two miles north of Plum Hollow P. O., 22 milch cows, two teams, implements, vehicles, etc. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

On Tuesday, Jan. 30, J. W. Hutchison will sell at his premises, Ecott, 28 choice dairy cows, a registered Holstein cow, 2 heifers, 3 brood sows, vehicles, implements, etc. W. I. Mallory, auctioneer.

On Thursday, Feb. 1, Johnson A. Green will sell at his premises, Athens, 38 head of pure bred (reg.) and grade Holstein cattle, drag, sawing machine, vehicles, implements, hay, grain, household furniture, etc. Sale at 1 p.m. A. M. Eaton, auctioneer.

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