

Of Interest to Women

PRINCESS PAT HAS A SON London, Dec. 23.—Lady Ramsay, formerly Princess Patricia of Connaught, gave birth to a son Sunday.

PROUDLOCKE-PARKE A quiet wedding was solemnized at Knox Church, Winnipeg, Wednesday, when Rev. R. S. Laidlaw performed the ceremony which united Isabelle M., youngest daughter of Mrs. R. Parke, of this city, in marriage to Thomas H. Proudlocke, of Winnipeg.

KERR-FENWICK The marriage of Daisy Greta Fenwick, of Brandon, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. Birnies, of Winnipeg, to John C., youngest son of Mrs. R. Kerr, 258 Twelfth street, took place Wednesday at Knox Church, Winnipeg.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED Mr. and Mrs. Clinton G. Bennet announce the engagement of their sister, Ethel Ferguson, to Mr. Claude T. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Evans, 404 Lorne avenue. The wedding to take place December 27th.

WATSON-WALKER A wedding of interest to Brandon people took place recently in Sceptre, Sask., when Miss Annie Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Walker, formerly of Brandon, was united in marriage to Mr. Evans G. Watson, also of Sceptre, Sask. Rev. F. Gervais performed the ceremony, which took place in the Presbyterian Church at Sceptre.

The bride, who is well known in Brandon, looked charming in a navy blue serge suit, the coat opening over a dainty blouse of white georgette. A black plush hat, the upper brim of which was cloth of gold, trimmed with ostrich, completed her costume. Her corsage bouquet was of pink roses and carnations.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a delicious wedding breakfast was served. The house was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and carnations for the occasion.

TROTTER-MOORING The First Methodist Church was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon at 3:30, when Louise Georgina, only daughter of Mr. J. Moorings, Crawford Block, was united in marriage with Beauchamp Wilbert, only son, of Mr. and Mrs. B. Trotter, Sixth street. Rev. J. H. Churchill officiated.

The bride entered the church, leaning on the arm of her father, to the strains of the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin," played by Mr. R. C. Macdonnell. The bride was becomingly attired in a tailored suit of navy blue serge trimmed with tucks and buttons, the coat opening over a dainty shell pink georgette corsage blouse. Her hat was a Chinese saïer with a flowing veil bound with fringe and trimmed with a silver ornament. She carried a shower bouquet of red roses and a black and white kid bag embroidered in white and silver beads, which completed a chic costume.

The newly-married couple left on the 4:20 train for Winnipeg and Southern points and on their return will reside at Suite 4 Curran Block.

Mr. and Mrs. Trotter were the recipients of many beautiful gifts among them being a silver casserole from the employees of the Canadian Gas and Electric Co., and a silver chocolate service from the staff of Trotter & Trotter.

WOMEN EMPLOYES London, Dec. 23.—Although many British banks and business houses have decided to retain large numbers of women employees, because of their efficiency, women are being dismissed by employers, wherever men can be obtained to fill their places.

often followed an attempt to discharge his women employees that this business man says his life became miserable.

CHRISTIE "ROSE BALL" SOCIAL EVENT OF SEASON

Hundreds Enjoyed Grand Function at the Prince Edward Hotel

Probably the outstanding social event of the Winter took place at the Prince Edward Hotel Thursday night when Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Christie, 404 Thirteenth street, gave a ball in honor of their debutante daughter, Miss Helen Christie, one of Brandon's most popular young girls.

The spacious dining room, drawing room, vice regal suite and several rooms were requisitioned for this event which was such a success. Many were the delighted explanations of the guests over the decorations, particularly in the dining room where dancing commenced at nine o'clock, and with the exception of the intermission for supper, continued until four o'clock this morning.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a delicious wedding breakfast was served. The house was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums and carnations for the occasion.

For those who did not care to dance, card tables were arranged in the Vice-Regal suite and "bridge" was played by many of the guests during the evening.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton McGregor, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. George Hanbury, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beauvoir, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Worsley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Wyck, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McDonald, Judge and Mrs. T. D. Cumberland, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jeffrey, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson, Mrs. A. C. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Willmott, Mr. and Mrs. A. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Colin McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. George McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Robinson, Mayor and Mrs. A. R. McDiarmid, Capt. and Mrs. Doyle, Beulah Man, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rixon, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Clark, Dr. and Mrs. H. O. McDiarmid, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Birnie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. T. Van Someren, Brigadier-General James Kirkcaldy and Mrs. Kirkcaldy, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McGregor, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Edmison, Major and Mrs. Duffus, Mr. and Mrs. George White, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Macdonnell, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. George Neary, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Magee, Dr. and Mrs. S. Doran, Mr. and Mrs. H. Maley, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clement, Mrs. A. E. Swinford, Dr. and Mrs. V. E. Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Buckingham, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hobson, Misses M. and L. White, E. Maley,



Funeral of the late Admiral Lord Charles Boreford, entering St. Paul's Cathedral.

K. Jones, O. Smith, M. Price, M. Bucke, D. Hall, H. Hall, M. Davidson, E. Ferguson, J. and R. Sprome, V. Pascoe, P. Pineo, R. Clarke, E. Smale, R. Colquhoun, O. Burchill, G. Ferrier, V. and E. Burchill, M. Fullard, Mary McDonald, M. Hall, D. and E. Paterson, Whitehead, E. and H. Payne, M. McKenzie, I. Cumming, H. Trotter, G. and L. Gibson, Norah and Bertha Pilling, Sybil Kerr, M. Henderson, A. Laughton, K. Longworth, V. Smith, M. Shewan and D. McDonald.

Messrs. J. Evans, J. Field, P. Bucke, M. Currie, B. Leitch, T. Titchener, Charles, James and John Mitchell, P. Gilles, Winnipeg, Dr. C. P. Templeton, T. Blight, A. Bain, J. Longworth, K. Ferrier of Winnipeg, J. Maley, G. Duncan, C. Duncan, A. McDonald, George and Tom Caldwell, R. Coleman, C. Sampson, L. Davidson, G. Davidson, Winnipeg, L. Shewan, S. Pilling, E. Whitehead, G. Cummins, Winnipeg, J. Beaugler, L. Cuff, R. Unicome, A. Kelly, Dr. H. Gröff, J. D. Kennedy, Fred Ferrier, H. and J. Gibson, L. Price, R. Rankin, Harold Trotter, C. Smith, C. Evans, H. Foster, J. Inglis, H. Henderson, R. Trumbell, Winnipeg, P. Pierson, E. Robinson, R. M. Matheson, W. McGregor, M. Donaldson, H. Hughes, C. Strachan, B. Abery, G. P. Morrow, Lloyd, Morse, H. Hooper, Carberry, and F. Sproule.

LARGE GRAIN ELEVATORS BURNED AT EDMONTON

Edmonton, Dec. 23.—Two large grain elevators on the south side belonging to the Western Canada Flour Mills Company, went up in smoke and flames Monday morning. Fortunately the big flour mill and a third concrete elevator which adjoins the two destroyed, were saved, and the property is not a total loss.

NEW HOME RULE BILL MAY CAUSE A BREAK

London, Dec. 20.—Rumors are rife in inspired quarters that the Premier's outline of his Home Rule intentions on Monday will reveal a scheme much less objectionable to opponents than are the terms of the Cabinet bill which has been shelved.

RESTAURANT KEEPERS IN BERLIN ON STRIKE AGAINST REGULATIONS

Berlin, Dec. 22.—Berlin's strike of restaurant keepers, called Thursday in protest against the Food Minister's new regulations suppressing illicit trading in foodstuffs, not only has spread to all the suburbs, but the hotelkeepers in Breslau, Frankfurt, Dresden and other cities have offered to join. It is regarded as certain that both sides to the controversy will remain obdurate, and that a complete strike of restaurant keepers will result throughout Germany.

SIR JOHN ALCOCK KILLED—FIRST AVIATOR TO MAKE NON-STOP ATLANTIC FLIGHT

Rouen, Dec. 20.—Captain Sir John Alcock, the first aviator to make a non stop airplane flight across the Atlantic, died here Friday afternoon as a result of injuries he received when his plane crashed near Cotterdard, department of Seine-Inférieure, Normandy.

THOSE OTHER YEARS

Again we hear the merry Christmas time; Sweetly the bells ring out across the snow Along the city streets and country roads The busy, hurrying people come and go.

The air seems full of good-will and good cheer, And peace and rest brood o'er our land once more. But ah! the jolly din and merry stir Bring memories of happier days of yore!

Those other years when they were with us still; Before the cloud of madness filled the sky; Before the battle-calls rang harsh and shrill; Before we heard their smiling last good-bye.

How memories of their happy childish mirth, Their laughter and their joy the living day, When Christmas season came to crown the earth— Ere duty called them—and they marched away.

ST. PAUL BAKERS RAISE THE PRICE OF BREAD

St. Paul, Dec. 23.—The majority of St. Paul bakers raised the price of bread on Monday. Home-made bread was raised from eleven to twelve cents a pound loaf and from sixteen to eighteen cents a pound and a half loaf.

FIVE KILLED DURING RIOTING IN CAPITAL OF FRENCH INDIA

Bombay, Dec. 19, via London.—Five persons were killed and a number of others wounded today at Pondicherry, capital of the French possessions in India, in connection with a riot in the course of an election held to choose a French deputy. Police officers fired upon the crowd.

BRITISH AND FRENCH NOT ATTEMPTING TO INFLUENCE AMERICANS

Paris, Dec. 19.—It is declared in diplomatic circles that no official steps have been taken by the British or French Governments in getting into touch with the United States political leaders concerning reservations to the Versailles Treaty of Peace.

BODY OF MAN FOUND FROZEN TO DEATH IN BED

Montreal, Que., Dec. 17.—The body of a man who had been frozen to death, was found at the corner of University and St. Catharine streets at seven o'clock Tuesday morning. In the pockets of the clothes papers were found with the name "Alexander Brown, Bank of Montreal," on them.

LORD DALMEY SECURES DIVORCE FROM HIS WIFE ON GROUND OF DESERTION

Edinburgh, Dec. 19.—Albert Edward Primrose, Lord Dalmeay, only surviving son of Lord Roseberry, has secured a divorce from his wife, Dorothy Alice Margaret Augusta Primrose, Lady Dalmeay, daughter of the late Lord George H. Grosvenor. The divorce was secured on the ground of desertion.

CORNWALLIS ROADS TO BE OF THE BEST

Ninety-two Miles of Improved Roads to be Built by Highway Commissioner

If Brandon does not have good roads leading into and from this city it will not be the fault of the Municipality of Cornwallis. A good roads bylaw submitted last Tuesday was passed by the Municipality with a majority of 74 and the final reading will be given it on Saturday by the Councillors and Reeve. The bylaw calls for the building of 92 miles of improved roads under Government inspection within the next three years and that about one-third of this mileage will be undertaken each year.

A resident engineer will be employed on the job for the next three years under the supervision of the Highway Commissioner, and assurance is given that the grading of the roads will be right up to the standard now required. The Municipality will have nothing to do with the work once the bylaw is finally passed except to pay out the money, the entire work being under the control of the Highway Commissioner.

The first work to be undertaken under the bylaw will probably be the grading of the Eighteenth street road South to the limits of the Municipality. This will be welcome news to many it being the intention of the Municipality to make this stretch of road the finest in the Province. Work on grading the road on Victoria avenue West which was not finished last Fall will be completed next Spring. The engineer in charge having until the first of June to finish the work: No real plans have been drawn up for the Municipality for the program of work to be carried out, but this will be discussed at the meeting Saturday afternoon.

NEW FAIR PRICE LIST IN EFFECT AT MITCHELL, S.D.

Mitchell, S.D., Dec. 23.—After two days to get used to the new fair price list Mitchell merchants Monday were selling goods at figures set by the fair list board.

DEATH BEATS OFF CUPID

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—The Rev. Harold F. Hamilton, D.D., son of the late Archbishop Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton, died Saturday after a short illness. Deceased took ill Sunday last, on the eve of his wedding day. He was to have married Miss Margaret West, of Bromley, Kent, England, on Monday. A brother resides in Nelson, B.C.

COMMERCIAL ALCOHOL DERIVED FROM COKE

Cleveland, Middlebrough, England, Dec. 23.—A local engineer has succeeded in extracting commercial alcohol and its derivatives from coke. It is claimed that if the process, which requires the use of gas, is applied to all the coal carbonized in Great Britain, an estimated yield of 50,000,000 gallons of motor spirits will be obtained annually.

FAMILY FLED FROM FLAMES IN NIGHT ROBBERY ON BITTER COLD NIGHT

St. John, N.B., Dec. 19.—With the mercury 16 below zero, fire gripped a block of wooden buildings here about one o'clock Thursday morning and gave practically the whole city fire department a fight till daylight. Some twelve families lived in the upper part of the buildings and were forced into the bitter night by the flames. Children of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar John son were gotten out just in time. An early estimate places the loss at fifty thousand dollars.

OBITUARY Clifton Neil

The remains of the late Clifton Neil were laid to rest Thursday afternoon in Brandon cemetery following a short service at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. M. Neil, 243 Sixth street. Rev. J. George Miller officiated. Masters Gordon Bertrand, Gerald Hughes, Ernest Smith and Alfred Villers acted as pall bearers.

Charles Edward Windover

The death occurred Saturday evening at the family residence, 305 Princess Avenue, of Mr. Charles Edward Windover, aged fifty-eight years and eight months. The deceased was one of the old timers in the district country employed for some time by the late Henry Nichol until he started farming for himself in the Zion district ten miles Northwest of Brandon. Mr. Windover was predeceased by his wife three years ago. One daughter, Mrs. R. M. Argue of Saskatoon, Sask., and one son, John, on the farm, who is at present in Brandon, are left to mourn his loss.

Mrs. Mary E. Leathers

The death occurred Friday night of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Leathers, beloved wife of Mr. Henry Leathers, 240 Twelfth street. The deceased moved into the city from the district with her husband about a month ago. She was fifty-eight years of age and had been ill for some time.

A. D. Thornton

Brandon friends of the family will be shocked to learn of the death of Mr. A. D. Thornton, which occurred this morning at the home of his son, Mr. W. R. Thornton, 119 Seventeenth street. The late Mr. Thornton would have been 82 years of age had he lived until Christmas Day. The late Mr. Thornton seemed as hale and hearty as ever on Tuesday night but when someone went to call him this morning it was found that he had answered a higher summons to the Great Beyond. Mr. Thornton was born in Wallaceburg, Ont., and came to Brandon eight years ago. His wife predeceased him in 1915 and since that time he has been residing with his son, two daughters, Mrs. E. H. Garrison, Edmonton, Alta., and Mrs. J. Pike of Dexter, Iowa; and four sons, Messrs. Hugh and Elbert Thornton of Brandon district, W. R. Thornton of Sarnia, Ont., are left to mourn his loss.

AIRCRAFT SPOT SCHOOL OF SARDINES AND SEND WORD TO FISHERMEN

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 23.—The aerial fisheries patrol, established here today, was successful in its first effort. Two seaplanes from the naval air station at North Island, within a few minutes after taking off sighted two schools of sardines about fifteen miles North of this city, and a short distance from shore. The news was flashed by radio to a submarine chaser, whose commander soon relayed the message to waiting boats. A few minutes later those boats were speeding to the section named in the dispatch. They reported a good catch.

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SOVIET DELEGATE BLAMES BRITISH

For Breaking Off Negotiations—Leave the Matter to the Army Copenhagen, Dec. 19.—Litvinoff, who, as representative of the Soviet Government, conferred here recently with James O'Grady, British delegate, on the problem of exchanging prisoners of war, said today that the breaking off of negotiations was due to the attitude of the British Government. When asked whether he intended to take further steps relative to peace he replied in the negative.

"We must leave the matter to the army," he declared. "We understood from Premier Lloyd George that he wished us to deal first with Admiral Koltchak and General Denikin. That is what the Bolshevik army is successfully doing."