

# WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

## WAR ROMANCE BROKEN BY DEATH

Young Scotch Piper Attracted  
To Gladys Comber At "Y"  
Hut Concert.

A sad "next step" in a sweet young romance begun in war-time, in London, was the death from appendicitis of Mrs. Donald McKellar, known in the city and far and wide as Miss Gladys Comber, gifted young entertainer.

Beginning to study Scotch dancing with Mrs. Alice Henderson when only ten years old, Miss Gladys, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Comber and the late Robert Comber of this city, quickly revealed exceptional talent, winning in a few years more than fifty concert medals. In addition, she was London's first girl piper, and it was her success with the pipes that suggested to Mrs. Henderson the idea of a juvenile pipe band. It was her playing of the instruments from the Land of the Heather that first attracted to her the young man who subsequently became her husband.

One evening during the war, Mrs. Henderson, as was her custom from time to time, took a party of her clever and versatile pupils to give a concert for the soldiers in the Y. M. C. A. hut. Along with them went Miss Gladys Comber, "one of the sweetest girls that ever lived," according to the sorrowing friends, who yesterday commented on her untimely death.

In the audience was a young Scotsman, a member of the Pipe Band of the A. M. C. himself a champion piper and holder of the junior medal for Scotland. Delighted with the playing of Miss Gladys, and impressed with her winsome personality, he asked for an introduction after the concert, and, with the acquaintance began that night, a friendship developed which resulted in romance and marriage when the clever girl was only nineteen.

In the past few years, the champion girl piper and Scotch dancer of Canada had been successfully appearing in vaudeville with her husband from coast to coast and as recently as last January she delighted London friends when they presented their act, "Donald and Donald," at a local theatre.

The death of Mrs. McKellar is the first break in the ranks of Edinburgh Castle Camp, Daughters of Scotland, and the floral tribute sent to the home of the grieving mother from which the funeral takes place, was a broken circle.

The loss of Mrs. McKellar was foremost in the minds of all the members of the D. O. S. at a meeting held Tuesday evening in Ulster Hall, and touching tribute to her was paid by the chief, Mrs. James Hendry. A resolution of sympathy was forwarded to the bereaved family, and decision made to attend in a body if the funeral was public.

As grand chaplain of the Sons of Scotland, Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae is conducting the funeral service.

## VICTORIA HOME ELEVATOR HUNDRED DOLLARS ON WAY

Miss Emery Starts Fund to Promote  
Happiness of Suffering  
Shut-Ins.

Members of the Women's Christian Association are rejoicing today in the fact that publicity given to the great need of an elevator at the Victoria Home has already brought most satisfactory results. A check was received Tuesday for \$100 from Miss Emery, as the first subscription towards a convenience which will add immeasurably to the pleasure of the suffering shut-in patients. While installation of the elevator would cost in the neighborhood of \$2,500, it is felt that a splendid start has been made, and that it might yet be possible for the upstairs patients to get a glimpse of the gardens in their autumn glory, if not their summer beauty, and perhaps even a drive before the bitter winter days set in.

A few days ago a visitor commented to a bed-ridden woman on the loveliness of the grounds and surroundings of the home at the present time. "I don't suppose I will ever see them," she said hopelessly. "I don't expect ever to be outdoors again till I am carried away for the last time."

For just such helpless patients as this one the elevator would make possible excursions from the narrow bounds of their own rooms to the outdoor world.

Who'll be the next to "lend a hand" in building that elevator?

## Graduate Nurses Offer Scholarship

The Graduate Nurses' Association of Ontario is this year offering a scholarship for the university public health courses, open to a graduate from a hospital training school outside of Toronto.

Graduation from a standard hospital is necessary in order to be eligible for the scholarship, and a provision attached is that the nurse receiving the benefit shall devote herself for a period to rural public health nursing. She may take her course either in the University of Toronto or the Western University.

Notices with regard to this have been received in London this week by affiliated alumnae associations.

For Fascinating Eyes  
make the use of MURINE  
a daily habit. This refreshing  
eye lotion soon makes eyes clear,  
radiant, beautiful, harmless.  
Enjoyable. Sold by all druggists.

TRY A MEAL AT THE NEW, CLEAN  
**Lascelles Cafe**  
Dundas, Near Wellington, 12V

## I. O. O. E.'s Policy Has Always Been To Honor in Death Ex-Service Men

The action of the Dominion government in extending to August 31, 1922, co-operation and assistance in the burial of ex-service men who die from wounds or sickness contracted in the war is one which should meet with the hearty approval of the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, according to Mrs. F. J. Greenaway of this city, one of the Dominion councillors of the order, who has had the privilege of attending the last three annual conventions in Calgary, Toronto and in Vancouver.

"The question of properly honoring in death the men who have served their country is one to which the I. O. O. E. in Canada has given very special attention ever since the organization was effected at the time of the South African war," said Mrs. Greenaway. "One of the things I will report when I tell the London Municipal Chapter about the Vancouver convention is that the memorial to the Canadian heroes in South Africa has at last been completed at Bloemfontein, and that a surplus from the amount required for the monument will be used for the decoration of the graves of the Canadians there."

"At the Calgary convention two years ago there was much gratification over the report that the I. O. O. E. in Manitoba had provided a cemetery for the burial of ex-service men. In Toronto a year ago the order put itself on record as strongly opposed to any ex-service man having unsuitable burial. The question arose from report of some of the delegates of cases that had come to light of former soldiers going to paupers' graves. 'The strong feeling of the order, as represented at the convention, was that measures should be taken to guard against this ever occurring, and also provision made for suitably marking the graves.'

"It was a significant fact that the first ceremony in which the Daughters of Empire from all over Canada participated at the annual convention held in Vancouver this year the end of May and beginning of June was unveiling of the cross of sacrifice in Bonaventure Park Cemetery by the honor the Lieutenant-governor of British Columbia, Hon. Walter C. Nichol, formerly of London. The event took place on Sunday, May 28, the day before the opening of the convention, with Miss Joan Arnold, then president of the order, having a prominent place in the ceremonies, and appearing in a picture subsequently published, standing with the Lieutenant-governor and one or two others in front of the cross of sacrifice."

## St. Paul's Guides Camp At Port Bruce.

A DOZEN St. Paul's Cathedral Girl Guides, with two or three girls from the Sunday school sharing the outing, have gone down to Port Bruce girls' camp for a ten-days' holiday. Several accompanied Miss Gladstone, captain of the company, by radial and train Tuesday afternoon, two or three going down with Mrs. Denny Bright, Lieutenant, who was motivated by her husband, Rev. Denny Bright. Included in the party, in addition to Mrs. Bright and Miss Gladstone, are Edith Rowley, Ida Law, Gladys Lee, Thelma Pace, Hilda Lupton, Agnes Leach, Ruth Westland, Hilda Ellyat, Edith Davis and May Cook.

## CLEARING DECKS FOR LAST DUTIES

The War Memorial Children's Hospital committee is giving attention at present to the engraving of the plates to be placed over endowed cribs, cots and rooms. The majority of the inscriptions for these have been received and an effort is being made to get the remainder as quickly as possible in order that these may be placed and leave time at the last for the inevitable eleventh-hour duties before the formal opening, Sept. 24.

## ADVERTISER PATTERNS



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The pattern is cut in seven sizes—36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48 inches, bust measure. A 38-inch size requires 6 1/2 yards of 40-inch material. The width of the skirt at the foot is about two yards.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 15 cents in silver or stamps. Address all pattern orders to Pattern Department.

Name .....  
Town .....  
Province .....  
Age (if child's or miss's pattern) .....  
Measurement: Bust ..... Waist .....

CAUTION: Be careful to inclose the above illustration, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is sent measure, you need mark only 28, 44 or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When miss's or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "yards." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of application.

## PERSONALS

Mr. E. C. Bowker of Toronto was in town from the week-end.

Master Jack Millman is having a great time in the lake at Bayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Summers and daughter Bethel are holidaying at Port Stanley.

Misses Vosper and Yates of Toronto are visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. W. Bailey, Hamilton road, was a guest for two weeks at the Imperial Hotel, Grand Bend.

The London boys' camp at Bayfield has been broken up and the campers are at home again.

Miss Doris Belton is spending the month of August in Picquet, the guest of Miss Francis Wiser.

Miss Betty D. Thornley has arrived in the city after a visit of some months in Shanghai, China.

A Miss Edith Welsh of Stratford was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Cole, Piccadilly street.

Misses Annie and Lucy Mason of Queen's avenue have returned home after a happy visit in Seaford.

Misses Margaret and Jean Stewart of Seaford are the guests of Mrs. Charles Mason, 723 Queen's avenue.

Miss Graziella Chevigny of Chicago is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. Gilles, Princess avenue.

Mrs. Alex. Taylor and daughter of Colborne street have returned home after a delightful trip to Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jewell, Princess avenue, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. McAllister, Mount Brydges.

Mrs. Cecil Foster, Smith street, and children Hilda and Billy are sailing Friday, Aug. 11, on S. S. Montrose.

Miss Anna Fennell of Detroit is visiting in the home of Mrs. G. Churchill, 4 Carfrae Crescent, for a fortnight.

Mrs. D. Thomas, Beaconsfield avenue, has returned to London after a pleasant vacation at the Imperial Hotel, Grand Bend.

Miss Anna May Boon, 943 Wellington street, and Miss Alice Bowman of Detroit are holidaying this week at Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Walden and little daughter Anne are remaining at their cottage at Bayfield for the month of August.

Mrs. E. B. Smith, Tuellin, returned home Tuesday evening after spending the week-end with her father, Mr. Adam Brown in Hamilton.

After spending a part of a holiday trip in Digby, Nova Scotia, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. German have gone on to Wolfville and Halifax.

Miss Lucy Greensides of Detroit is spending her holidays in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greensides, 525 Ontario street.

Mrs. Bruce Nash of Montreal has arrived in the city, called here owing to the death of her sister, Mrs. Donald McKellar (Gladys Comber).

Mr. Sidney Martin has returned to the city after a pleasant and healthful holiday, camping with the choir boys of St. John the Evangelist Church at Bayfield.

Mr. David McHarg, car distributor of the London division of the Grand Trunk Railway, has returned from a two-weeks' vacation with his family in the Western provinces.

On their return from a five-weeks' trip to the Pacific coast, Miss Vera A. Evans and Miss Isabel McIvor of Toronto spent a few days in this city, the guests of Mrs. B. E. Hookway, Waterloo street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Westland are leaving on a motor trip to Montreal, and will bring back with them their daughter, Miss Muriel, who has been visiting Miss Beryl Sifton there for the past fortnight.

Ruth Westland, daughter of Mrs. Harmon E. Westland, honorary secretary of the Ontario provincial council of Girl Guides, is spending ten days at Port Bruce, Y. W. C. A. girls' camp, going down Tuesday.

Mrs. Daugherty of the Grey Beauty Shop is in Chicago attending the National Association of Chiropodists' convention at the Drake Hotel, and is also visiting other cities before returning to London.

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Lieut.-Col. C. H. King and Mrs. King, who have been on a holiday motor trip to Quebec, going up the Saguenay, are expected back in the city Saturday evening. They have been staying recently at quaint old Tadoussac.

Mrs. F. M. Letteney and daughter Miss Margaret have returned home after a delightful visit in St. John, New Brunswick, and in Digby, Nova Scotia, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Letteney.

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SACRIFICES FOR S. C. H.  
My Dear Miss Grey,—I see by the Mail-Box that Geranium is asking for my address if I am still in need of baby clothing, which I sure am, or any other clothing which will do for my other children, as I can make over if the things are not just the right size. I would be pleased if she would be so kind as to send me the same, whichever way is most convenient to her. Also Lilac is asking for my address, if you will be so kind as to send, as every little helps at times like these. I received a few things from Wax Plant for which I am very grateful. She said she wished she had more, but it is the same small amounts which help to give comfort, as they all add up in time. That is the way the S. C. H. fund grew. We who are poor put all our mites together and help to make one real gift. I am inclosing my mite, with best wishes to all the Boxites, and many thanks to yourself for your kind and prompt attention. Sincerely, T. I. P.

Phyllis.—Have forwarded your letters to Moss Rose and Thornless Rose. Glad you have help for her. Thank you for mite for hospital.

WANDERER RETURNS.  
Dear Miss Grey,—It is nearly six years since I last visited the cosy corner, but have been reading of the grand work being done by the Boxites, and would like to help a wee bit. Please send me T. I. P.'s address. I have a few small dresses I would like to pass on to her. Wish I had more help to give, but have two small boys of my own.

Would like to have Geranium's address, as I love flowers, and have moved into a home of my own now. So will be able to have some around. I lost most of all mine last winter just after Christmas. Am sending an addressed envelope for addresses, and a plaster to help along with the S. C. H. fund. Will sign a new pen-name. HOPEFUL.

It is nice to have you back among us again, Hopeful, after such a long absence. See that you don't neglect us in this manner again. I know you feel quite comfortable and at home in the corner that has been kept swept and garnished for you all these years, and a new name doesn't change you in the least to your old friends. We forgive the change, since it is such a nice cheery name. Shin-plaster is a nice big lift for the memorial cot fund. Am forwarding your addresses of T. I. P. and Geranium as you requested. T. I. P. just wrote today saying she would be so glad of any clothing she could make over for the children. She never seems to think of herself.

Dear Miss Grey,—Having seen in this morning's paper a kind lady named Lilac would like to give a little girl or boy a home for a little while, I think it would be kind of her. Dear Miss Grey, would you give me her home address and 10:30 o'clock, the young guests arriving promptly, and enjoying every moment with games, music and guessing contests, and a beautiful buffet supper. Those invited included Jean and Gertrude Grover, Ruby Brown, Olga Darling, Ethel Adams, Beulah McDwyer, Lorne Powell, Clarence Dowling, Ernest Sullivan, Tom Harrison and Harold McIntosh.

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## CHURCH CELEBRATES 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF OPENING

Many Former Members and Pastors  
Attend Reunion at  
Neustadt.

Special to London Advertiser.  
NEUSTADT, Aug. 8.—St. Paul's Evangelical Church, Neustadt, was opened 50 years ago yesterday, and the golden jubilee anniversary was fittingly observed by the members of this congregation.

The celebration took the form of a reunion of the former members of the church, including a number of the former pastors, who preached at either of the three services at 10 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Rev. F. Westerman is the present pastor of the church.

COOK'S CHURCH W. M. S.  
Cook's Church, Caradoc, W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. D. Rae on Friday afternoon, July 28. After the opening exercises and business part of the meeting, Miss Overend of Toronto favored with a solo, and a chapter on Korea, from the study book, was read by Mrs. James Small. Twenty-nine members responded to

## THE ROLL CALL, SIX VISITORS ALSO BEING PRESENT.

Sewing was then done for the bales, and a quilt quilted, after which tea was served by the hostesses.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Pierce, Aug. 30.

## SPEAKS AT CHEAPSIDE

Special to London Advertiser.  
CHEAPSIDE, Aug. 8.—Rev. Harry Stillwell, general secretary of Baptist foreign missions in Ontario and Quebec, who has recently been on a trip to Bolivia, spoke in the Baptist Church on Sunday evening.

Mr. Stillwell told of the people, their religion and customs. He described also the nature of the country and its products.

He was listened to with great interest by quite a large audience, although the weather was very wet outside.

## MARRIED AT STRATFORD.

STRATFORD, Aug. 8.—The marriage took place today of William A. Johns to Ora C. Kaiser.

## DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS

at  
WILLOW HALL  
440 CLARENCE STREET

200 articles that have been selling from \$1.00 up to as high as \$5.00 go on sale Thursday at \$1.00 each. See our window display today. Here are a few of the many other wonderful bargains we have for the big day:

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| 1 only, Glass Lamp, complete, \$15.00, for | \$5.75  |
| 1 only, Glass Lamp, complete, \$12.50, for | \$7.50  |
| 1 only, Copper Tray, \$12.00, for          | \$7.50  |
| 1 only, Copper Tray, \$8.00, for           | \$4.95  |
| 1 only, Brass Tray, \$6.00, for            | \$4.50  |
| 1 pair, Bronzed Candelabra, \$40.00, for   | \$25.00 |
| 1 only, Benares Urn, \$20.00, for          | \$12.50 |
| 1 only, Silver Tea Caddy, \$15.00, for     | \$12.50 |
| 1 only, Silver Tea Caddy, \$12.00, for     | \$9.00  |
| 1 only, Silver Sugar Shaker, \$9.00, for   | \$4.95  |
| 3 only, Lustre Vases, \$7.00, for          | \$4.95  |
| 1 only, China Teapot, \$5.00, for          | \$2.95  |
| 1 only, China Teapot, \$3.00, for          | \$1.95  |
| 1 only, China Teapot, \$4.00, for          | \$2.75  |
| 3 only, China Cake Plates, \$2.50, for     | \$1.95  |
| 1 only, Square Dish, \$4.75, for           | \$2.95  |
| 1 only, Vase, handpainted, \$9.00, for     | \$4.95  |

# Dollar Day Bargains

## At the "Artistic"

Final reductions on all odds and ends remaining from our Spring and Summer Stocks.  
Bargains in Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Blouses, Millinery and Furs.

"Dollar Day" Is a Good  
Day To Buy Your New  
Fall Suit, Coat  
or Dress

Our selection of new autumn merchandise is now most complete, and to encourage early buying we will offer a special discount of 10 per cent on any fall garment sold on Dollar Day.

A deposit will hold any garment until required.

Clearing All That Is Left  
From Our

## SPRING AND SUMMER SUITS

### At a Fraction of Their Original Price

Beautiful Suits made of fine men's wear serges, gabardines and wool poplins, trimmed with braid and embroidery, as well as a few homespun suits in all white or with colored suit coats. There are suits in this lot that sold as high as \$45.00.

Dollar Day, Your Choice \$14.75

## MILLINERY BARGAINS That Will Be Remembered For a Long Time

LOT NUMBER ONE—Clearing dozens of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats that sold regularly up to \$5.00. Dollar Day clearance \$1.00

LOT NUMBER TWO—Clearing Hats that were up to \$8.50. Dollar Day \$2.95

## ARTISTIC LADIES' WEAR CO., 211 Dundas St.