

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

PLAYS, PICTURES AND MUSIC

"QUINNEYS" NEXT WEEK. It was only a few weeks ago that Horace Annesley Vachell's successful comedy of antiquities and love, "The Quinneys," or "The Antique Shop," with its all-English company of players from that celebrated British play-house, the Haymarket, was first introduced to Toronto theatregoers.

"THE WINNING OF BARBARA WORTH." In "The Winning of Barbara Worth," the dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's widely read novel, which will be presented at the Grand Opera House next week at popular prices, the winning of a new and untrammelled west by the sons of the older established families is re-narrated. The fascinating story on which the play is founded is full of symbolism. Barbara Worth, the untrammelled west embodied in woman, and Willard Holmes is the old polished, traditional East.

GEORGE NASH. George Nash, the well known character comedian, will make his initial vaudeville appearance in Toronto as the headline attraction of the bill at the Grand Opera House next week. Nash, who has been appearing in the Grand Opera House since the late Hoffman playlet, "The Un-expected," the special feature of the bill will be Nina Payne and her great troupe of two clever musical comedy favorites, in new and attractive songs and dances. Dolly Connolly is a chic singing comedian who, with Percy Wench, has a pleasing singing and dancing melange. Yvette Rugel and Janine Dooley are a sprightly pair, who sing and dance with a charming and an inimitable Irishman, and his capable company, have an amusing sketch which he calls "A Friendly Call." Holmes and Eubank are a selected repertoire of old and new songs, while the Novello's gymnastic aerial artist, have a thrilling offering. Moriola's Swiss Canine will give a great treat for the children, and with the kinetograph with many new features complete the bill.

"THE HIPPODROME NOTICE." "Little Hipp," the world's greatest Lilliputian elephant, and Napoleon, the clever chimpanzee, will provide a host of fun for the kiddies as the headline attraction of a bright bill at the Hippodrome next week. Mme. Sarah Bernhardt will make her first Hippodrome appearance on the screen next week.

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW. Druggist Says Ladies Are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmothers made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive use only this old-time recipe. Nowadays we get this famous mixture by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. Besides, it makes the dandruff stop, scalp itching and falling hair. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Weyth's Sage and Sulphur is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre, and gives it an appearance of abundance.

PAUL WELLS' RECITAL. An event of importance on the local musical calendar will be the Paul Wells piano recital at Forster's Hall next Monday evening, Feb. 21. Mr. Wells, who had played both in the States and in Europe before coming to Toronto, has in a very short while become known over a large part of Canada. Last year, in making the examining trips to cities between here and the Pacific Coast for the Toronto Conservatory, his playing in these cities attracted so much attention that his pupils now represent every part of the Dominion. Quite a number of people from other points in Ontario will come to Toronto on Monday for the recital. Tickets on sale at Nordheimers'. HAVE CLUB ROOM NOW. A club room has been rented and equipped by Union Jack Chapter, I.O. O.F.E., for the pleasure of the 127th, stationed at Mimico.

when she will be featured in the gripping, dramatic playlet, "Joanne Dore." "Munitions," a stirring sketch on a most vital subject, will be presented by Lillian Ethel Norris and company as the special extra attraction of the bill. Rhoda and Crampton, in "From Grand Opera To Ragtime," have a melody offering that is said to be exceptionally good; Daniels and Walters, clever aerial artists; Mazie Rowland, singing comedienne, and Patricia's Russian dancers in a series of whirlwind Russian Folk dances complete the bill.

LOEW'S YONGE ST. THEATRE. One of the finest and most entertaining vaudeville shows of the season has been booked into Loew's Yonge Street Theatre the coming week. The bill consists of three headline attractions. The big feature will be the celebrated New York favorites, Courtney Sisters, Florence and Fay, in brilliant revue of syncopated melodies, offering all latest song successes; another big headline in a class by itself is "Ships That Pass in the Night," enacted by a cast of six players, under the leadership of Miss Lillian Dilworth and John Ward. Another prominent performer on this bill will be the ravishing nut comedian, Neil McKinley, a laughmaker of unusual ability. Among other features will be the original novelty "At the Road House," presented by the little chauffer, Dawson, Lannigan and Covert, in song and smiles, and others.

YANKEE DOODLE GIRLS. Next week at the Star Theatre the boards for the week, commencing Monday, will be by one of our local, ingering laugh. The cast is an exceptionally strong one, including Henry P. Nelson, the English eccentric; Fred Reese, the Chauncey Olcott of burlesque; Ed Rantz, Red Feather, and a beauty chorus of twenty girls who can sing and dance well. The musical numbers that they bring to the stage are of the most entertaining shows, and most gorgeous productions of the present season. The bill is headed by the Theatrical Operating Company, always generous in equipment, has been especially lavish this year. The result is that they have a company and production which have won instant and lasting approval wherever they have been seen.

"20th CENTURY MAIDS." When the "20th Century Maids" comes to the Gayety Theatre, starting with matinees Monday, it is promised that patrons of burlesque will be treated to one of the most entertaining shows, and most gorgeous productions of the present season. The bill is headed by the Theatrical Operating Company, always generous in equipment, has been especially lavish this year. The result is that they have a company and production which have won instant and lasting approval wherever they have been seen.

T. M. A. BENEFIT. The thirty-first annual benefit of the Theatrical Mechanical Association will be held in the Royal Alexandra Theatre Friday afternoon, March 3. A special orchestra, augmented by musicians from the various theatres, which will number over 50 pieces, will provide the musical program, under the leadership of James E. Blea, while special acts will be contributed by the various companies and vaudeville attractions playing in the city at that date. The benefit is one which is deserving of a good support by the public. The box office opens Tuesday morning, Feb. 23.

A Most Extraordinary Cure of Epileptic Fits. Mother Had Appealed to Three Doctors in Vain—Cured Four Months Ago by Use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. This letter from Mrs. Noxell is endorsed by Mr. H. J. Mahaffy, druggist, Port Colborne, Ont., as being true and correct. While it reports a most remarkable cure of epileptic fits by use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, it only goes to corroborate similar cures reported by others.

DR. HARLEY SMITH LEAVES. On behalf of the executive staff of the Victorian Order of Nurses, Dr. Harley Smith was presented with a cutlery engraved wrist watch on the eve of his departure for the Ontario Hospital at Otago, England. Dr. Grasset made the presentation. Dr. Smith replied.

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA. Save, Because-- Your duty to your country in this present crisis requires that you economise.

DUCHESS WAS VISITOR TO RED CROSS ROOMS. Surprised and Pleased at Work Being Accomplished by Organization in Toronto.

Among the places visited by the Duchess of Connaught, during her visit to Toronto, was the headquarters of the Red Cross. East King street. As national president of the association, the duchess was naturally much interested in all she saw and heard during her visit.

IN AID OF CANADIANS. The funds of a tea given by the officers of Sir William Osler Chapter I.O.O.F.E. at the home of the Misses Whatmough-Boustead avenue, will be given in aid of the home in London for Canadian soldiers on furlough.

SCANDAL IN AVIATION SERVICE OF U. S. ARMY. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Charges of a scandal in the army aviation service involving defective equipment, favoritism to certain officers and general inefficiency of the aero corps, were laid before the senate military committee today by Senator Robinson of Arkansas, in support of his resolution for a congressional investigation.

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Book Review "BETWEEN THE LINES." By Boyd Cable. Toronto: McClelland, Goodchild and Stewart. \$1.35. A book written at the front and within sound of the German guns, has an immediate appeal for English-speaking readers. "Between the Lines," by Boyd Cable (McClelland, Goodchild and Stewart, Toronto), is such a book, and a personal of it furnishes a series of thrills such as were felt in the early weeks of the war and have recurred but rarely since. One grows hardened reading one account after another, but Mr. Cable revives the first impressions, and presents such clear pictures with such amusing detail and unflinching humor that every the grimness of history becomes a vehicle for comedy. There is a gripping interest in the episodes described as they snap and vigor in the style which makes "Between the Lines" stand out as one of the literary achievements of the war. There is not a paragraph which is not illuminating, and the fourteen chapters are just so many pictures of the war as seen from the experience of a raw battalions for the first time in the trenches, coupled with the pictures of the grimness of history becomes a vehicle for comedy.

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DECLINING BIRTH RATE IS WORRYING GERMANY. Losses Sustained in War Draw Attention to Other Problems. BERLIN, Feb. 18.—The declining birth rate in Germany, which was attracting attention before the war, is receiving more serious consideration at the present time, in view of the losses sustained in the field. This subject was brought up today in the budget committee of the Prussian Diet. A representative of the ministry predicted that unless a radical change should be made, Germany would soon be in the position of France, with deaths exceeding births.

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