## SOCIAL

Her

Leisure

"Let it serve for table talk." -Shakespear, Merchant of Venice

On Thursday Mrs. E. Daw of First street, will give a "talent" tea 3.30 to 6 o'clock, in aid of St. Mary's

G. M. Jackson, president of the a's Branch of the Manitoba Mis- viewers. Society, will address a public at the Victoria Avenue Methrch on April 7 at 8 p.m. Good be provided by the choir, and everybody is welcome.

A small tea was given yesterday by ho lor of Mrs. J. W. G. Watson, who is California leaving today for an extended visit to the east. Tea was poured by Mrs. William Mrs. Douglas, Mrs. Harcourt, Mrs. J. S. Matheson, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. J. W. Fleming and Mrs. I. A. Robinson,

A very successful social was held last again this season. evening under the auspices of the G. I. A. of the B. of L. E. at the Oddfellows Hall, it being the first anniversary of the not receive tomorrow. organization. Cards and games made an enjoyable entertainment for the first hour, after which an interesting program Constance Watson left this afternoon was enjoyed by all present. The spelling for the east, and will probably be away contest and the initiation into the Ladies' for three months. Mrs. Watson will be Whistling Society created much laughter. spending Easter at Toronto, meeting A very acceptable lunch was then served, her son who is at college there, and later followed by two dances, the evening will be at Montreal and other points. coming to a close about one o'clock.

hostess last evening at a delightful card > party when seven tables were set for > 'Five hundred," The prizes were borne > off by Mr. McKilican and Mrs. W. H. & King. Among those present were Mr. 4 and Mrs. Cunliffe, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. & and mild. Colquhoun, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mc-Donald, Dr. and Mrs. Pickard, Dr. and & Mrs. Edmison, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth & Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. 4 

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. Doig, Dr. and Mrs. Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes. Dainty refreshments brought a poleasant evening to

### PERSONAL

"Tis nice to see one's name in print." -Byron, English Bards and Scotch Re-

The draw for the automobile will take place at Graham Hall tonight. Secure our tickets now. Dancing 8 to 12.

Saturday from a two months' holiday, Mrs. A. R. Irwin, Fourteenth street, in most of which was spent in southern Mrs. F. L. Irwin, of the Stanley Park

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dales returned on

not again this season.

Mrs. A. T. Cornell, Lorne avenue, will

Mrs. J. W. G. Watson and Miss

### THE WEATHER

The weather throughout the prairie provinces has been cloudy

Western Provinces-Northerly winds colder with light local snowfalls.

Annual Meeting Will be Held On Twentieth Instant at Y.M.C.A

The quarterly meeting of the Brandon lisiting Nurses Association was held in the Board room of the Y.M.C.A., yesterafternoon at 3.30 when there was a very good attendance. Nurse Campbell reported making 356 visits since taking over the duties on March 5, which figure shows at a glance how many demands there are for the work.

ous committees, and the treasurer reported a bank balance in hand. A full and complete statement will be presented east. 1ea was poured by Mis. William Apartments, will receive tomorrow, but at the yearly meeting which will be held in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium on the 20th street, will not receive tomorrow, nor large numbers. The election of the dir- Hotel. ectorate amd the advisory board will also take place at that meeting.

Annual Event Was Highly Successful and Hall Filled To Capacity

The Loyal Edward Lodge of the I. O. O. F., Manchester Unity, celebrated their annual at home last evening in Fraternal Hall in their usual successful manner. To a crowded house where standing room was hardly obtainable the following artists were highly appreciated and frequently encored: Piano selection, Mrs. Hannent; song, Bro. C.

Plum; mimic, I. Pue song, Mro, B. Hansell; mandlolin duet, Messers Carter and Standing; song, Mr. Potts, song, T. Have Many Calls Fitton; song, W. Dorsett; recitation, W. Rawson; song, Bro. J. Woetton; song, L. Oakenfoid; song, G. Clement.

At the conclusion of the concert the committee, assisted by the ladies' lodge, served refreshments and the floor afterwards being cleared a short dance program oncluded a most enjoyable evening's

Splendid reports were given by the vari- Morning Session Tomorrow ls Put Back Half an

The morning session of the Daughters inst., when it is hoped that the subscribers of the Empire meets tomorrow at 10.30 Mrs. A. B. Rankin, 231 Sixteenth will show their interest by attending in (not 10 o'clock) at the Prince Edward

The following delegates will be here for the meetings and reception tomorrow:
Mrs. F. F. Murray, Mrs. B. G. Grierson,
Mrs. D. G. McKay, Mrs. H. A. Hender son, Mrs. D. McKenty, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Coombs, Mrs. J. Munn, Miss Roberts, Miss Inman from Winnipeg; Mrs. Howden, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Fallis, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Norman from Neepawa. Mrs. Garland, provincial vicepresident, from Portage; Mrs. Eugene Widmeyer from Dauphin; Mrs. Clinghan, Mrs. Brockie, Mrs. Mullins, Mrs. Elliott, from Virden; Mrs. Fenwick, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Dent, Mrs. Allison, Mrs. Batley, from Wawanesa; Mrs. Wenman, Mrs. Sherran, Mrs. Liston, Mrs. Heatherington, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Zeigler from Souris.

The Program The program for the morning session

will be as follows: Mrs. J. J. Garland of Portage, first vice-president, will be in the chair. (1) Registration of delegates.

Calling meeting to order. Lords Prayer in unison.

Miss Ednah Hall will sing at the recep-

Active Opposition to Premier Asquith, Being Formed in East Fife

London, April 1.-Militant suffragettes repared today for an active campaign against Premier Asquith in East Fife, where Asquith will seek endorsement of his Home Rule policy.

Suffragettes believe that Asquith alone stands between them and their votes. The suffragettes already in Fife are rganizing the opposition. The police are taking every precaution to prevent If the higher moral tendencies have the the destruction of property.

Much of the bitter ness had disappeared of the difficulty. when the House of Commons took up the discussion on the Home Rule bill today, and rumors of a possi le compromise are

NERVOUS WOMEN

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A case has just come to our attention from St. Augustine, Fla. Mrs. W. M. Mamocy had suffered for two years from nervous prostration and indigestion. She had no appetite and was miserable. After trying different medicines and advertised and tried it. Her appetite returned, nervousness disappeared and the was soon strong and well as ever. Weakness may be caused by a run-

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# What is Newest in Millinery.



A quaint piquancy is the millinery order of the day, and the picturesque Watteau Hat, the close fitting Turban and the jaunty little Sailor carry all before them. And admirably suited are these enchanting new shapes to the carrying out of fashion's new law, which decrees that the nape of the neck shall be shown, and that the hat shall take a forward tilt-in other words, the law of high coiffure.

## Fabrics for the New

Today marks another high mark in the flow of new fabries for Spring. The chief attraction lies in the gorgeous, entrancing variety of colors and patterns. Silk and Wool in endless combinations; delicate colored textures, and heavy suitings; sparkling rose and cerise, and gorgeous purples; blacks, tans and blues in a countless range of new shades.

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even in the sugar bowl.

### SIDE-ISSUES

ssue." -Shakespeare, King Henry VIII. ENT seems running its course

very quickly, and of those who are supposed to observe the season (5) Response—Mrs. J. H. Howden of developing. The beautiful practice in theory drops so often to the common-(7) Place of next meeting, correspond-invigorating to have one's head in the etc., and questions. Luncheon clouds in daily life it is necessary for the feet to be on terra firma. The world goes on, and delightfully forgets

the forty days before Easter. Perhaps a humble suggestion may be made that it is very beneficial to observe Lent in a little more positive manner. It is said that a favorite, and, it may be added, a cheap way, is to avoid a superabundance of sugar in the daily breakfast cup. Little self-denials are and the forces which it generates may be good in strengthening the will power. and it does a great deal more good to haps, which led Montesquiem to say

the community to refrain from spreading with fine sarcasm, "When God endowed a scandalous circumstance while chatting over the tea cups than to economize with intend to guarantee them." sugar. It is not to be inferred that restrictions are unnecessary, but the things of omission are often a less test >>>>>>>>> than the good deeds of commission. It was a good point made the other >

night by a speaker in the city when he referred to people asking questions as to whether it was right for them to go to dances, or thestres, or to play eards and so on. They knew whether it was right in the kitchen, and a sleeping porch are strong black coffee. or wrong to do such things; it might be part of the natural right of the farm home. right for some, and wrong for others. benefit of the doubt that is the solution

If the everyday folks faced their veryday duties, and tried to give generally the square deal they are so anxious to have themselves they will find much food for Lenten selfdenial. Suppose the omission of sugar in the coffee should be wilfull because it is such and such a season; it is just as necessary to have the sweetness transferred to the personality, which is observed, and has its effects on others, as it is to confine it to the limits of the sugar bowl. More-

over it often requires a greater effort. There are no limits practically to the Lenten selfdenials which are acts of doctors without benefit she saw Vinol Christian mortification; the only point it that it is easier to do the small negative than the larger positive.

There is plenty of time still to practise these good points which will include lown condition, mal-assimilation of food, charity to one's neighbor. Our city would progress wonderfully in its highest qualities if the many opportunities for self-discipline were taken hold of by to every person who needs strength, individuals during the next twelve days. If there is a little honorable debt which fron tonic without oil, as it is the is owing: pay it. A book has been most efficient strength creator we have borrowed so long that the rightful owner despairs of its return, or forgets who has it; it can be returned tonight. There is sometimes one who is sick or ailing, selfdenial can triumph by a sympathetic

Why lengthen the list? Be negative,

something. Remember someone showed USES FOR COFFEE kindness, and do not treat it with crit-

and don't pass on that scandal; perhaps \*\* "Now while it is hot, I'll put it to the by Easter Sunday there may be an Did you ever count the manifold uses egg, if only of the bantam variety, that you could make of a cup of coffee? There are the unnumerable desserts for which it is the foundation.

Take it, add a little hot water and sugar and cream if you like, then stiffen with gelatine. When it is hard mince some marshmallows with it and ough it may be cream to the common ough it may be with marshmallows whip is delicious.

It is the foundation from which we rise Make tapioca in the usual way, using above the common level. It is that which coffee, with or without cream, instead is common to the race. Save in a limited sense, it is not a gift or an in- of cream or water, reserving the whites heritance—it is a creation—a develop—of the eggs, and allow it to harden in ment. It is the effect of a combination individual molds. Beat the whites of of the instincts, of the general reason the eggs stiff, and when molds are ready with the results of the general experience. to serve cover with a whipped white of We may miss it; we may come to responsible years without it. Life is complex, eggs and a maraschino cherry in the centre.

Coffee is a splendid cleanser for black healthful or morbid. It was this, per-silk and black hair ribbons. Equal parts of coffee and cold water or equal human beings with brains, He did not be used for the latter and stiff black silks intend to guarantee them." Coffee removes grease from black silk without making it shiny.

Coffee is good as dye. Any one who desires to color her white curtains ecru ♦ or to add a deeper tinge to curtains of that shade can do so by adding coffee 

When the ink in the ink well or bot-A fireless cooker, a septic tank, water the gers thick it should be diluted with

It should be remembered in making coffee that it is better to plan to have Norway has more females employed none left, but when it is left think twice before you throw it out.



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