

Of Interest to Women

Athletics for Women

An open class in the gymnastic work of the Women's Athletic Association in connection with University and Victoria Colleges was held in the Varsity gymnasium.

The affair was under the auspices of the Faculty of Toronto University, and the galleries were crowded with students and their friends.

The No-Call Mission.

Of the thirty-nine millions of France's population, thirty-eight millions are nominally Roman Catholics, but according to the confessions of the priests, only about four millions can be said to be following their teachings.

Mrs. Chas. Stark thus summed up conditions in France as affecting the No-Call Mission, at the annual meeting yesterday.

New officers are as follows: President, Mrs. C. T. Stark; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Wm. Hamilton; recording secretary, Mrs. Easton; treasurer, Miss Cavin; executive, Messrs. Edward Blake, Howard, Cowan, Carry, Copp, W. Hamilton, C. T. Stark, Land, Jas. Campbell, C. C. Dalton, Beatty, H. E. Eaton, Elias Rogers, Robt. McAll, Rossar, Buchan, Ralph, Gibson, Bradshaw, H. L. Stark, Geo. Caldwell, W. B. Short, G. M. Wrong, Jas. Barber, and Miss Cavin and Miss Kate Burritt.

Personal

An extremely interesting evening is promised for to-night, when the W. A. A. C. present in Massey Hall the two plays, "Detroit" and "The Money Spinner," by Pinero. Both are under the direction of Mr. Douglas A. Paterson, who has assembled one of the strongest local casts that has ever played in Toronto.

World Pattern Department



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ment of home industries and handicraft. The casts for both plays include Miss Evelyn Bliss, Mr. E. E. Pigott, Mr. Douglas Paterson, Miss Brenda Smellie, Miss Margaret Shepherd, Miss Laura Hughes, Mr. Dignam, Mrs. H. C. Osborne, Miss Gwendolene Canfield, Mr. Ernest Paterson, Mr. W. P. Woods and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coplan (nee Miss Becky Davis) are back in town again. Mrs. Coplan will receive with her mother, Mrs. Bernard Davis, 1220 Yonge-street, on Sunday, March 29, and the following week.

Mrs. John M. Millar, 72 Woodlawn-avenue, will not receive this afternoon, nor again this season.

A. W. Corley of Meaford was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Amos are leaving early in April to spend the summer in England.

Mrs. W. Mackenzie and Miss Katie Mackenzie intend sailing for England early next month.

Mrs. Maud Kirkpatrick and Miss Gertrude Kirkpatrick are leaving on Monday to spend a month at Niagara Falls, N.Y.

Mrs. Thomas A. Currie, 38 Roxborough-west, will receive to-day for the last time this season.

Mrs. Bernard Hughes, 6 Grace-street, will receive to-day for the last time this season.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. McGill Walmer-road, have returned after spending the winter in the south. Mrs. McGill will receive to-day, and not again this season.

Mrs. W. Alexander Clarke, Avenue-road, will receive to-day for the last time this season. Mrs. Morley Currie will receive with her mother.

Mrs. George W. Parsons of 43 Howland-avenue will not receive again this season.

Mrs. Herbert J. Howe, 116 Roxborough-street west, will receive for the last time this season this afternoon.

Mrs. Frederick B. Robins will receive to-day for the last time, at 39 Lowther-avenue.

Mrs. D. M. McLennan, 64 Trandy-avenue, will receive to-day and not again this season.

Mrs. C. Shore will receive to-day at 425 Bloor-street, for the last time this season.

Mrs. Mason and the Misses Mason, 7 Admiral-road, will receive to-day for the last time this season.

Mrs. William L. Tindal, 39 St. Mary-street, will receive to-day and not again this season.

Mrs. George B. Shaw, 82 Kendal-avenue will receive this afternoon, and not again this season.

Mrs. J. MacLeod, 13 Poplar Plains-avenue, will not receive to-day, but on Friday, April 3, for the last time this season.

Mrs. M. C. Mowry of 652 Euclid-avenue, will not receive to-day, but on Friday, April 3, for the last time this season.

Dragon Quality

'CUSTOM \$5 GRADE'

BOOTS



EVERY woman of taste appreciates the hand finished, custom-made shoe, but few care to pay the extravagant price.

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GHOSTLY DETAILS TOLD TO THE JURY AT DETROIT

Jury Completed in Bowin Case and Woodville, Ont., Boy Will Soon Know His Fate.

DETROIT, Mich., March 26.—(Special.)—Perseveringly endeavoring to bring into the trial of Percy Bowin the fact that Chief of Detectives McDonnell had accepted a pawn ticket for a diamond ring belonging to Mrs. Cornelia Welch from the woman's son, William Post, Attorney Edward H. Kearney, injected a great lot of real excitement into the trial this afternoon.

After three days and a half of effort, the jury had been secured shortly before noon. Assistant Prosecutor Gross had rehearsed to the jury the entire in all its ghastly details, and at the afternoon session Post was called as the first witness. He testified that he had talked with Bowin in the county jail and that Bowin had said that he killed Mrs. Welch for money.

Other witnesses who were called to-day were County Physician William S. Grimes, Coroner's Clerk Clarence Tilton, Patrolmen Devereaux and Dingeman, and Detectives Baker and Emery Brooks. Their testimony related to the finding of the body of Mrs. Welch and the contents of the box in which it was found. Dr. Grimes said that death was due to hemorrhage of the brain, caused by external injury, which ruptured the arteries. He created a mild sensation by saying that in his opinion some person had held his left arm around Mrs. Welch's right hand.

This is the exact manner in which Bowin is said to have confessed to having killed the old woman, and one of the jurors asked Dr. Grimes if he could be certain about this fact. This testimony was later stricken out, however.

O.J.C.'S ROUGE ET NOIR.

Program Book of Meeting Follows Announcement of Stakes.

The announcement of the stakes to be run at the spring meeting of the Ontario Jockey Club is quickly followed by the program book of the meeting in its new familiar color of red and black, forming a girle with beaver on maple leaf, and horseshoe and merry thought surrounding.

The King's Plate and Mint Stakes are the first of the opening day, Saturday, May 23. These, with the Trial Purse, Athol Steeplechase and the Queen's Hotel Cup, \$700 added; Woodstock Plate, for 3-year-olds, with \$200 added; and Woodbine Steeplechase, \$1000 added, and a half mile chase, \$1000 added, will be run on Victoria Day, which falls this year on Sunday, will be kept on May 25, and on this day the Queen's Hotel Cup, \$700 added; Woodstock Plate, for 3-year-olds, with \$200 added; and Woodbine Steeplechase, \$1000 added, and a half mile chase, \$1000 added, will be run on Saturday, June 6, is a veritable plethora of good things, the Verulam Stakes, Waterloo Handicap, Wm. Hendrie Memorial Handicap, and the Railway Steeplechase, bringing the meeting to a close.

A number of pretty photographs taken at the spring meeting of 1907 with a portrait of last year's King's Plate winner, Kelvin, occupying the place of honor, will be sold during the meeting. Entrance money in all races goes to the winner.

The Famous Fishing Streams. The Intercolonial Railway is the fine collection of mounted salmon and trout, and these in connection with some very effective photographic views of the stirring fishing scenes taken on the famous rivers of Quebec and New Brunswick have aroused the enthusiasm of the many anglers who have flocked to the exhibit to gather nightly around the exhibit to narrate past experiences and speculate concerning future operations. The Intercolonial is the only exhibitor of salmon and the really splendid specimens shown are attracting general attention. The Matapedia, Cascapedia and Bonaventure in Quebec, the Restigouche, Nepisiquit and Miramichi in New Brunswick, and the Margaree in Nova Scotia. There are numerous others in all three provinces that annually attract many sportsmen from the west and from the chief American centres. Most of the salmon rivers are at their best during the latter part of June or the first week in July, but some of the visitors last evening were surprised to learn from Mr. Lindsay, who is in charge of the exhibit, that already this season there have been some good catches by American fishermen on some of the streams of the Nova Scotian coast. There the fishing commences quite early, but the salmon do not find their way up the more northern streams until well on in June.

In Society. Mrs. E. M. Allen, Mrs. J. Bryce and Mrs. Allen, of 362 Brunswick-avenue, will receive to-day for the last time this season.

Mrs. Johnston and Miss Johnston of 93 Brunswick-avenue will receive to-day for the last time this season.

Mrs. H. J. King of 132 Albany-avenue will not receive to-day, owing to illness, but on the fourth Friday in April.

Duncan McDonald of Montreal, president of the Automobile Club of Canada, arrived in the city yesterday, and will be present at the banquet to-night. Mr. McDonald is president of the Montreal Street Railway and one of the best known notaries in Quebec.

OPEN EVENINGS

FRIDAY BARGAINS At WHITE BROS.

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BIM, THE BUTTON MAN, DEAD

He Made Fortune Out of Button Business.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Meyer R. Binberg, known throughout the country as "Bim the Button Man," died suddenly in the Zebonia apartments in West 110th-street.

Mr. Binberg went to his room and an hour later he was found dead. It is supposed that death was caused by a sudden attack of heart disease. He is survived by a widow, a daughter and six brothers. He was 45 years old. Mr. Binberg was most widely known outside New York thru the conspicuous part he had played in politics as the manufacturer of campaign buttons. In every national convention for 20 years he appeared with a large supply of buttons bearing the photograph of every probable candidate, and it was a saying of his that he always had an extra supply for the winner.

He always told with much satisfaction how he started Mr. Roosevelt on the road to the White House by appearing at Montauk Point in 1888, when the Rough Riders came home with a barrel of buttons proclaiming Mr. Roosevelt as "Our Choice for Governor." Mr. Roosevelt gave him an order for 500,000 buttons, and Mr. Binberg declared this was the starting point of his national career.

As a business man he was very successful in New York, having built seven theatres and promoted many other successful enterprises. His theatres were the Stuyvesant, Astor, Belasco, Colonial, Yorkville and West End.

ASTRONOMERS' YARDSTICK. Star-Gazers' Calculations Based on Distance From Earth to Sun.

The distance separating the earth from the sun is of so much importance in astronomical computations that it is sometimes spoken of as the "astronomer's yard-stick."

An opportunity to increase the accuracy of this fundamental measure will be presented within a few months, when the asteroid Eros, famous for approaching the earth nearer than does any other heavenly body except the moon, will be an opposite to the sun.

The method of observation will be by making photographs showing the position of Eros among the stars, as seen from different parts of the earth. From the comparative displacement of the asteroid in the various photographs, owing to the separation of the points of observation, the distance of Eros can be computed. It is probable that these will be the most accurate measurements of the sun's distance yet made.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brull of Victoria-avenue leave to-day for a two months' visit to England.

SLANDER IN FUNERAL SERMON Allegation of Bereaved Husband Who Has Pastor Arrested.

READING, Pa., March 25.—The Rev. Marvin H. Stettler, one of the best known Lutheran clergymen in Pennsylvania, was arrested on a charge of slander preferred by Jeremiah Werner of Mohrsville. This is the sequel of the funeral of Mrs. Werner, his wife, which took place in St. John's Lutheran Church last Sunday.

The Rev. Mr. Stettler preached the funeral sermon, during which he is said to have referred to Mr. Werner as a man with a heart of stone, showing no signs of grief. Mr. Werner alleges that the pastor followed this up with remarks such as these: "This man knocked his wife down so that she fell to the floor, the week before she was taken ill. He did not furnish her with clothing and shoes fit to go to church. See him as she sits unmoved, with no feeling, in the presence of the body of his helpmate."

Werner is twenty-five years of age and his wife was twenty-three. He said to-day that he wanted the case given the widest publicity, and he feels that he was unjustly abused in the presence of fully five hundred persons.

Mrs. Keachle and Mrs. Moore, 81 Gloucester-street, will receive on Monday, March 30, and not again this season.

ARRESTED IN COURT.

Theatre Constable is Charged With Committing Perjury.

E. Berry, special constable at a local theatre, was arrested in yesterday afternoon's police court at the direction of Magistrate Kingford. He is charged with perjury.

Berry had been summoned for refusing to pay fare on a street car. Conductor Cochran alleging that he had shown a special constable's badge, declaring that entitled him to free transportation and that he had traveled on it for five months.

Berry declared that the only button he had exhibited was a Builder's Laborers' Union badge. The conductor said it wasn't the same one. Berry also swore he had paid his fare and that the conductor had been "put up to" ask for a second one by some other passenger. He denied that he had ever had trouble before with conductors, but two, Walker and Wilcox, appeared to swear that Berry had worked this constable's badge on them. When Berry denied this he was taken into custody and his case remanded until the 30th.

FLOURISHED WEAPON.

Walter Saxton Sent to Asylum at London.

STRATHROY, March 26.—(Special.) Walter Saxton, a young man about 25 years of age, was arrested by County Constable George C. Wilson last night, for flourishing firearms and threatening to shoot anyone that came near him. Saxton had been showing signs of insanity, and while creating a disturbance at his home was threatened with arrest.

Maddened at this Saxton got hold of a gun and threatened to shoot anyone who would attempt to arrest him. County Constable Wilson took him unaware and arrested him. He was subsequently sent to the London asylum.

A sad feature of the affair is that Saxton's father has been a patient at the London asylum for some years.

Parkdale W.C.T.U. The Parkdale W.C.T.U. will hold their last pastor soiree for this season at the home of Mrs. Routley, 151 Close-avenue, this evening at 8 o'clock. An address by Controller Spence, with vocal selections by Miss Helen Hamilton and others, will constitute an enjoyable program.

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Knowlton Danderine Co., Gentlemen: Your Danderine has made my hair grow over three feet longer than it was when I began its use.

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Merry Widow Sailors 2.25 150 Trimmed Sailors in this popular wide-brim style, trimmed with velvet silk, shaded quills, and wings, in black, navy, champagne, tuscan, tan, etc., etc., just the thing for 2.25 early wear, twenty styles, on sale Friday and Sat. at each.

Black and Colored Dress Hats, 5.00. Three hundred hats at this popular price. 150 each for Friday and Saturday. These are genuine French Straws, in charming colors, embracing the new shades, cerise, Copenhagen, tan, champagne, emerald and helio, trimmed with Persian scarf, silks, fine ribbons, French roses, ostrich mounts, real 7.50 and 8.50 values, for 5.00

Smart Street Hats at 3.90—Fifty Hats for Friday and fifty for Saturday of the smartest styles in street effects, including "Merry Widow," sailors, trimmed with flowers, chiffon, ribbon and fancy pins. All colors and black. Special at 3.90

Fine Chip Flops 69c—A big bargain in English Chip Flops, 6-inch brim, round or square crown, in cardinal, brown, navy, reseda, sky and black. Reg. 1.25, for 69c

Matrons' Turbans 1.49 Hand-made turbans of mohair braids and mohair with sequin combination. Newest shapes, reg. 1.98 and 2.49. Each 1.49

Spring Jackets at 4.50 100 Lovely Spring Jackets and Reefers, for misses and young ladies. They are imported, made of fine chiffon, broadcloth and fancy tweeds in fawn, grey, brown, navy, black, bronze and terra cotta. Regular 6.50 to 10.00 values. Special bargain at 4.50

Light Tweed Coats at 4.98 60 only Light Weight Spring Coats, 3-4 to 7-8 lengths. An opportunity for automobilists. These are fine weaves of imported tweeds in dainty designs. Silk lapels and cuffs. Regular 8.50, 10.00, 12.50 and 15.00 values, for each. 4.98

Silk Waist Bargains A prominent maker of high-class waists has sold our buyer his stock of silk waists. They're simply beautiful, and prices will be absolutely lower than makers' cost. 3.00 for 1.98, 5.00 for 2.98, and 6.50 waists at 3.98

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