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Here are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT.

On Christmas Giving.
"What is this for?" said a lady in a shop as she picked a much be-ribboned article. "I don't know, madam," answered the clerk rather helplessly. "Just a Christmas present I guess."
Fortunately the days of "Just Christmas presents" are almost past and in January now we are not busy putting away a lot of useless gifts which we do not know what else to do with. But we still see people busy with bits of ribbon and linen making pretty trifles which seem to others rather futile in times like these.
Surely in the year of war our gifts ought to be governed by two rules, say three—that we will give only really useful things, and that those gifts will take second place and will be bought only after we have sent our parcels to the fighting men, and thirdly that we will shop early so as to buy to the best advantage and save the nerves of those who have to wait upon us in the stores.
This early shopping advice is both practical and humane, for you get the choice of the goods, and both customer and those who serve have more patience so that the transaction is made with good feelings all round.
And as to rule two, if you send all your heart should prompt you to send to the men who have offered their lives for your freedom and safety there won't be many pennies left for Mary's necklace and Tom's fancy cigar case. Give Tom and Mary the money if you have it and suggest that the Serbians need hospitals, the Belgians are still hungry, our boys are prisoners in Germany needing food and the Red Cross and Soldiers' comfort can spend any amount of money for the relief of soldiers. Also that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

Bluebird Tea at Trinity Church Schoolhouse.

The bluebird stands for happiness and the members of the Trinity church Young Women's Guild and their guests should have felt a glow of that happiness which seems to be rather a rare bird and hard to catch in these times. The occasion and the place where this bird of felicity was to be found was the tea and sale held by the Young Women's Guild of Trinity church yesterday afternoon from three till seven. The lower rooms of the schoolhouse were used and long tea tables were set for the many patrons. A substantial tea was served, waited upon by the young ladies of the guild. There were also an apron table, a fancy table where many of the articles bore the bluebird decoration and a candy booth where the emblem of happiness was much in evidence. Blue and white tissue paper served to carry out still further the color scheme and many hours must have been spent in preparation for the entertainment.

The ladies presiding at the tea tables were: Mrs. Herbert McLeod and Mrs. Fred de Forest.
Those in charge of the refreshments were: Misses George Patton, Frances Godfrey, Grace Robertson, Hazel Smith, Lou Howard, Edna Jarvis, Bruce and members of the guild. Miss Winifred Smith was at the door. In charge of the other tables were: Fancy table—Miss Dorothy Robson, Miss Elsie Millidge. Candy table—Miss Lottie Dodge, Miss Roberta Holder. Apron table—Miss Northrup, Miss Georgina Teed.

Women's Institute, Grand Harbor.

An exceptionally busy season has somewhat interfered with meetings during the summer and fall, but on Monday, 20th inst., a most interesting meeting was held with the president, Mrs. Lorimer, in the chair. The report of the soldiers' relief committee showed that a generous Christmas box had been sent to each of our own boys at the front, the contents, boneless fish, crackers, cake, fancy candies, nuts, socks, handkerchiefs, cigars, tobacco, etc., being nearly all donated by members.

The report of the delegates to convention, Miss Ida Dakin, was read and was most interesting and contained many helpful hints which may be used later.
A suggestion that the branch organize a contest to obtain new members was unanimously adopted and the leaders, Mrs. C. A. Newton and Miss Ida Dakin, chose their sides in the manner of the old time spelling match. This contest has been enthusiastically entered upon and has produced much amusement and every woman and girl will surely not lack for invitations to join the branch. The losing side will be obliged to give an evening's entertainment.

It was decided to hold a quilting at Miss Grace Newton's on Wednesday and sewing and knitting will be provided for the next night of meeting. Members are requested to respond to roll call with a joke, and a reading is also to be given.
As funds are getting short it was decided to hold a musicale and Miss Ida Dakin, Miss Grace Newton and Mrs. Grant Dakin, with the president and secretary, were appointed a committee to make arrangements for it. The next meeting will be Monday, Dec. 11th.

RED CROSS HELP.

Don't letters like this make you want to help? It is just one of many such grateful letters which the Red Cross receives:
From County of London War Hospital:
September 6th, 1916.

Dear Madam,—I have been in this hospital eight weeks, during this time I and a bunch of us Canadians here, have experienced many kindnesses from Miss M. S., who I believe, acts as representative for the Canadian Red Cross.
As many of us have no kin in England Miss S.—has been kept rather busy in applying us boys with our little wants.

When arriving in hospital, wounded, a man has nothing in the way of a shaving kit, tooth brush, handkerchief, etc. These are in his pack, left in the trenches. All we own at the time is a dirty uniform, some superfluous pieces of iron and a tremendous grin.
Then you see, though all the boys may not write and tell you so, we feel under deep obligations to your society, and when the time comes for us to return again to France, this will certainly help us go cheerfully.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Tonight at the Y.M.C.A., the clerks of W. H. Thorne & Co. and T. McAvity & Sons will be the guests of the association and a splendid programme has been prepared for their entertainment. The social committee and the executive of the Young Ladies' League will act as a reception committee and will meet the guests at the door to welcome them.

There will be five events in the gymnasium in which teams from each house will compete as follows: Basketball, bowling, tug of war, potato race and swimming race; there will also be a bowling contest for the lady members of the two staffs.
On the conclusion of the programme downstairs the party will gather in the lobby where a musical programme will be carried out and refreshments served.

It is understood that the prize to be presented to the winning side in the games is "a thing of beauty" and will be "a joy forever."

A meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was held yesterday afternoon at the association rooms. The meeting was well attended and the reports received of a most encouraging nature. The sum of \$55 was received from the thank offering envelopes.

Last night the regular Tuesday night supper for the older boys was held. Forty-five boys sat down to supper. The speaker was H. O. Bonk, who delivered the second and last talk on sex education.

Three new Bible study groups were formed yesterday which brings the total number up to sixteen.

APOHAQUI

Apoahqui, Nov. 28.—Mrs. George Sharpe of Los Angeles, California, is the guest of the Misses Sarah and Cornelia Sharpe.
Capt. D. T. Alexander of Alma, Alberta Co., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Connely on Monday.

Ralph Pearson spent the week-end with friends in St. John.

A. B. McLeod of Turin, N. S., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harley S. Jones on Wednesday last.

Miss Edna McManus, St. John, was a week-end guest with Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Adair.

Mrs. W. E. Moore, who has been the guest of her parents for a short time, returned on Thursday to her home in Point Wolfe, Albert Co.

A. E. Smye, bridge contractor, of Alma, Alberta Co., spent the week-end at the Apoahqui House.

Mrs. John Manchester and Miss Katharine Manchester spent Sunday in Sussex, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mills.

The Misses Ethel Wright and Vera Wright, Sussex, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wright.

The many friends of Cyrus B. McCready are pleased to know he is recovering from his recent indisposition, having been unable to attend to business for some days.

Mrs. W. S. Fairweather and Mrs. Ralph Freeze and children, Sussex, spent Saturday with Mrs. Geo. H. Seord.

Rutherford Sharkey, Cody's, will spend the winter with his grandmother, Mrs. John Little and is attending the Apoahqui Superior School.

Mrs. Walter Long, Snyder Mountain, was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Alfred Taylor.

Miss Martha McVey, primary teacher, spent the week-end at her home in Passakeag.

Colin King was a week-end guest with his sister, Mrs. Ogilvie.

St. John Man There.

Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector of St. Paul's Anglican church, and family, were residing at Ramsgate, England, where a submarine raid was made a few nights ago. The damage done was slight. It is supposed Rev. Mr. Hooper and family are still at Ramsgate.

OXO CUBES
An OXO Cube in a cup of hot water makes a delicious hot beef drink at the low cost of 2¢ cents while an OXO Cube in a war is splendid for growing children.
A CUBE TO A CUP
This 10c and 25c.

Uncle Dick's Corner.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

Its Hind Legs.
Ethel (as baby brother tries to walk for the first time)
"Mummy, quick, do look! Baby's walking on his hind legs!"

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS.

Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddie who is celebrating his birthday today:
Herbert Gance, Folsom P. O., Millstream.

EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG.

Other Members Her Friends.

281 Rockland street.

Dear Uncle Dick:

I am sending you this week's picture which I have colored. I would like to join the corner and would like to get a prize. I tried the word contest but did not succeed. I have a lot of little friends in the corner, Margaret Hayes, Greta Wetmore and a lot more. I shall have to close. Yours truly,
Margaret Edgar.

Interesting Letter.

Hampton, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:

I was sorry but I didn't get a chance to write you last week. I will write a long letter this time to make up for that. I go to school every day. I am there with about twenty scholars. Two years ago we came to Hampton, before that I had lived on a farm in Lower Norton. I liked the farm all right but I like up here best. There are more girls to play with and a much better school to go to. Down at Lower Norton there were about twenty scholars going to school when I was there, while up here there are over two hundred and seventy-five.

On Wednesday of this week we expect to have an entertainment and supper to raise money for the Belshams.

On Wednesday morning there was a committee appointed to canvass the district and tag people. Another girl and myself have from the school to the station to canvass.

I did not hear whether I had the answer to that puzzle right or not.

This week I tried the coloring contest. I am not an artist but I like coloring very much. I hope the corner will progress as rapidly as it has in the past.

From your niece,
Leah Frost.

Writes For Her Sister.

St. Stephen, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:

I wrote this story down for my sister, Barbara, because she is only five and cannot write. She made up this story and I copied it down for her. It is just exactly as she said it. I am eight years old. I sent you something last winter I don't just know what it was but I got honorable mention. Barbara never sent in anything because she was too young. I think my letter is getting long so I will have to close.

Muriel B. Vessey.

The Visitor.

Prince William street.

He is in love. How he came to fall in love with Miss Pussy I cannot tell, but I am sure he has fully made up his mind to tell her all about it. He has dressed himself in his best and by his look I think he feels sure Pussy will be delighted to have him come and proud to have such a fine beau. Really I hope he may be mistaken for he has no money to do so. The folks inside will be polite and treat him nicely. If he is a real gentleman and true he will no doubt win out in the end.

—By Eileen Davis.

Busy Knitting For Soldiers.

64 Wright street.

Dear Uncle Dick:

I was down to Greta Wetmore's house tonight knitting and she wrote a letter to you. I'm sending two contests. Some girls of our school had a candy sale and made \$10.60. I think it was good because they did not think of it till Friday afternoon.

Well, as it is late I will close.

Your loving niece,
Marjorie Shannon.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage—Favorites and What They Say and Do.

"The Chattel."

I had the pleasure of a view of "The Chattel," and it seemed to me a very wonderful picture. The photograph is almost perfect and it is certainly one of the best words as to directing and production. To see E. H. Southern on the screen is probably the best chance many of us in St. John will have to admire the work of this famous actor, as he is now on what is his farewell tour. He is giving the proceeds of this tour to the Red Cross. Peggy Hyland who plays opposite Mr. Southern is a very beautiful girl and wears many lovely clothes.

Made Stage Debut in 1492.

Warren Cook, who portrays the role of the Earl of Dunstable in Mary Pickford's forthcoming Aircraft production, "The Pride of the Clan," started his career as an actor some twenty years ago in 1492. For the benefit of the statistician who will higgly over the above statement we might add that 1492 was the name of the play in which Mr. Cook made his debut as an actor—not the year.

"Little Mary" Honored By Edison.

Mary Pickford has just received another valuable acquisition to her library, namely "Edison, His Life and Inventions" in two volumes, presented to her by the great inventor and containing his personal autograph.

Pawlowa's New Divertissement Crowned Feature at the Hippodrome.

Charles Dillingham promises something new each week in his dazzling spectacle "The Big Show" at the Hippodrome and this coming week Anna Pawlowa will present a complete change of programme in the eighteen minutes allotted to her on the big bill, which already includes every imaginable style of amusement, from musical comedy and minstrelsy to the gayest sort of ice-skating diversion.

Pawlowa is altering her dances in order to present during the forthcoming holiday season, a series of creations she has made popular and famous. The decision to do this was prompted by hundreds of requests asking her to permit Hippodrome patrons to see these charming solos, for which an admission price of five dollars has always been charged, during her previous New York appearances,—a fact which deprived many of the privilege of enjoying them.

Her interesting "Request Programme" will include the Gavotte Pawlowa danced to Paul Lincke's music, "The Dragon Fly" by Kreislter, and a new number with A. Volinine called "Ole" by Bizet which has never before been seen in America. Other diversissements in which the entire ballet will participate are "Obertass," a Polish dance by Levandovski; the Polka Pizicato by Drey; the Fandango by Massenet; and the Farandole by Bizet. The list presents a rare array of variety and amusement for lovers of the best in dancing and students of the ballet. The orchestra during this diversissement will be conducted by Theodore Stier, Pawlowa's personal conductor.

St. David's Choir Concert.

A very large audience attended the choir concert given at St. David's church last evening and the various popular performers were enthusiastically applauded. It was a most appreciative audience. The girls' quartet.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We eat too much meat, which clogs kidneys, then Back hurts and Bladder bothers you.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

tette was a much enjoyed number,

having a very light, pretty waltz refrain. Mr. E. Clarence Girvan's fine bass was heard to advantage in Will o' the Wisp, and Miss Stamer's solo and the duets were all good. The programme in full was as follows:
Chorus, "Hall Poetry."
Piano duet, Misses Giehrst and Bayard.

Girls' quartette, Misses Climo, Brown, Carmichael, Thomson, "Awake Awake."
Solo chorus, (Katrina), Miss W. Stamer, "Name the Day."

Duet, Miss Blenda S. Thomson and Mr. A. C. Smith, (from the Pirates of Penzance).

Solo, Mr. E. Clarence Girvan, Will o' the Wisp.
Mixed quartette, "Call John," Misses Climo, Thomson; Messrs. Smith, Wood.

Violin solo, Miss Pauline Livingstone.

Sextette, Misses Climo, Thomson; Messrs. Smith, Girvan, Archibald, (from Lucia de Lammermore).

Solo, Miss W. Stamer, At Dawning.

Duet, Miss Ermine Climo and Mr. A. C. Smith, (from the Pirates of Penzance).

Solo and chorus, Mr. F. Punter, (from the Pirates of Penzance).

Pianist, Mrs. Archibald.

God Save the King.

Opera House.

The pictures of the 180th Battalion sports, taken at the Barrack Square, were viewed with much interest by a large audience last night.

Ella Hall, who was last seen in

Bluebird Photoplays in "Little Eva" is so successful as Catarrhones. In Edgarton, will soon reappear in the same series, as star of "We Are French," a play written by Robert Davis, editor of Munsey's Magazine.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

TEA VALUES.

Various people quite ignorant on the subject have for some time past been endeavoring to discredit the trade in all directions, and to make out that the tea drinker is being exploited all round.

As a matter of fact,

the tea drinking public is not paying so much in proportion for its tea now with 1s. per lb. duty as it did when the duty was 8d. Wonderful value can be had at 2s. per lb., and the Government takes one shilling of this, so that with 10d. about lowest for fairly usable tea in Minchington, it does not leave any enormous profit to the distributor after charges for manipulation, &c., have been taken into consideration. It was the 1s. 8d. canister then and the 2s. canister now. The consuming public has suffered far less over its tea than any other commodity in household use, while, as we have before pointed out, competition nowadays is so keen that no distributor can afford to drop the quality. On the contrary, they vie with each other as to which shall put the best tea into the blends. Blending has become a high art and the tea drinking public reaps the benefit. If tea had to be sold from the original packages, as it used to be years ago, nothing like the value could be shown at the money and it would never be twice as high.—From London, England, Grocers' Gazette, Oct. 28, 1916.

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THE GROOM:—"Love? I give you all that a woman can ask, in return I DEMAND that you live as I order."
THE BRIDE:—"Pointing to a famous slave-market scene."—Then, like that, I am your "Chattel!"
THE GROOM:—"You ARE my chattel, for as surely as I paid for that picture, so surely did I pay \$250,000 for you when I saved your father and your name from disgrace."



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