KERMESSE D'ETE ALLURING SIGHT

Women's Art Association Arrange Scene of Loveliness Fitting Spring.

Allurements are many at the attractive Kermesse d'Ete, which is in progress at the quarters of the Women's Art Association, 23 Prince Arthur avenue, and which yesterday afternoon was at its best in the atmosphere of an ideal day. Under the lacy green of the trees, tents and stalls awaited the visitors, displaying home-made hats, decorated by members of the association, jewelry and other heirlooms, quaint boxes and brica-brac of various kinds. Tents on the lawn invited to interviews, in which the past was painted and the future foretold. Tea was daintily served and a program presented of vaudeville numbers, dances, songs, together with a pretty act entitled "Pandora's Box," and an oriental play in which a number of local people took part. In the evening pupils of Miss Josephine Hodgson appeared in the attractively presented "Egyptian Freeze."

The upper part of the house was devoted to the exhibition and sale of many useful and pretty articles, all displayed in artistic and dainty fashion. The festival continues during the week, with several changes of program.

PARENTS OF PUPILS FORM ASSOCIATION

Will Protest Against Withdrawal of Name "University of Toronto School."

At a well-attended and enthusiastic meeting of the parents of past and present pupils of the University School of Toronto, held in the assembly room of the school on West Bloor last night, it was resolved to form an association the primary object of which will be to have a large and influential deputation to call upon the minister to protest against the possible withdrawal of the name "University of Toronto School," endangered thru the proposed legislation of the present department. A committee of eleven was formed, with Dr. O. J. C. Withrow as convener to take the necessary steps in selecting the personnel of the deputation, date of interview with minister, to prepare rules and regulation of the association, and to name an executive.

Those eligible for membership in the association are the parents of past and present pupils, the teaching staff of the school and past pupils.

PREMIER'S TAX EXEMPTION BILL IS DISCUSSED

Premier Drury's bill to grant exemptions on income, improvements and business, was a lively topic for discussion at yesterday's meeting of the legislature. It will be further discussed.

The premier said he would consent to restricting his measure to townships, but at the same time he would not exclude other municipalities who might desire to avail themselves of the advantages of his bill.

H. H. Dewart said Ottawa had voted against the principles of the bill, which was the result of agitation rather than public pressure.

Mr. Drury also suggested that the bill be passed with an added clause that the government approve the taking of such votes by order-in-council and name the place in such order. Hon. Mr. Henry had an alternative that municipal councils be given the right to say when a vote may be taken on such bylaws.

B. C. INDIANS GRATIFIED.

Following the representations to the Dominion government by Chief F. O. Loft of the Six Nations, who was also a lieutenant in the C.E.F. and organizer of the League of Indians of Canada, a concession has been made to the 25,000 Indians of the coast province, whereby they will not be required to carry a hunter's license. Mr. Loft is highly pleased at the result of his and his confreres' appeal and considers the concession a splendid one.

CHATHAM FIREMEN FIGHT TWO FIRES

Children's Shelter and Home of Rev. R. J. Perkins Ablaze at the Same Time.

Chatham, Ont., May 25.—(Special)—Prompt action on the part of the two platoons of the local fire departments saved considerable property loss late monday night when fires occurred at the Children's Shelter and the residence of the Rev. R. J. M. Perkins within a few minutes of each other. Late Monday night, a rocket is believed to have caused a blaze on the verandah at the Children's Shelter, which spreading to the eave of a nearby house, threatened a bad fire. The cause of the fire at the Christ Church Rectory is unknown. The blaze melted a lead pipe, and the burning gas hampered the efforts of the firemen for a time. The floor of the drawing room was burned. Mr. Perkins and family had retired for the night. His son, Russell was almost overcome by the smoke.

KING EDWARD'S HORSE HISTORY.

In connection with the memorial to members of 1st King Edward's Horse (The king's overseas dominions regiment) which is being erected at Vielle Chapelle, where the regiment held up a Boche division from sun up till sundown during the great attack in 1918, Lieut.-Colonel Lionel James, officer commanding, asks that officers and relations of the dead would communicate with him in order that a record of their achievements may be enrolled on the honor roll of the regiment.

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SOCIETY NEWS

CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS.

The weather was perfectly lovely on the lawn of the Ontario Jockey Club yesterday afternoon and there were a great many people walking about, a few staying in their boxes to watch the races and the exquisite panorama of the intense green of the grass and the pretty sandbar with the blue lake beyond. A few of the numerous well-known people present included: Col. William Hendrie, Sir Clifford and Lady Sifton, Lord Richard Nevill, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dyment, the Hon. Frederic Nicholls, Mrs. W. P. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Christie, Mr. Norman Seagram, Mr. George Hendrie, Mr. Charles, Sir John Hendrie, Colonel and Mrs. King Smith, Mrs. Livingstone, Mr. and Mrs. George Cassels, Mr. E. F. Osler, Mrs. John Hay, Mrs. J. K. L. Ross (Montreal), Miss Ina Matthews, Mrs. Richardson and her little daughter from New Jersey, Colonel and Mrs. Gilman, Mrs. Harry Sifton, Mrs. Burroughes (Winnipeg), Major Kilgour, Mrs. Scott Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCarthy, Miss Mackenzie, Mrs. Howard Chandler, Mrs. Simpson (Bowmanville), Mrs. Morine, Miss Morine, Mrs. John Coulson, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Williams Beardmore, Miss Adele Boulton, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Soames, Mrs. Boyd McGee, Mrs. Hamilton Wills, Mr. H. C. Tomlin, Mrs. Creighton, Col Noel Marshall, Mrs. Edmund Bristol, Mrs. Miles, Mrs. Drynan, Mr. Fred Fetherstonehaugh, Mr. Douglas Macklem, Mrs. Charles Sheard, Mrs. J. Sheard, Mr. John Lyle, Mr. Clifford Marshall, Col. R. K. Marshall, Captain Timmis, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Holland, Mr. Charles Beatty, Mr. Norman Macrae, Mr. Alfred Beardmore, Mrs. Langmuir, Mr. James Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phillips, Mr. Edward Cronyn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davies, Mr. and Mrs. Percival Leadley, Col. Herbert Lennox, Dr. Preston, Mr. Victor Cawthra, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Walter Barwick, Mr. Irving Smith, Mrs. Arthur Grantham, Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neill, Mrs. Neely, Mrs. Merritt, Colonel and Mrs. Ewart Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Neill, Mr. R. Gough, Mr. Sidney Fellowes, Miss Louise Macdonald, Mr. Nicholas Garland, Mr. Gordon Mackenzie, Miss Violet Mackenzie, Mr. W. S. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Irish, Miss Lillian Irish, Mr. and Mrs. Ganong, Colonel McBain.

At the commencement exercises of the graduating classes of the Toronto Western Hospital on Wednesday the 2nd of June, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will take the chair. Mrs. Lionel Clarke will present the diplomas, and Prof. Hutton will address the graduates.

Miss Marion Gibson is staying with her aunt, Mrs. John Wright, until some time in June, when she will go to another aunt, Mrs. Strachan Johnston.

Mrs. Walter Massey and Mrs. Tovell have returned to Dentonia Park from Boston.

Miss M. M. Mercer, Inverness, Scotland, is at the King Edward.

Mrs. Tom Stoker, Montreal, is spending three weeks with Mrs. Schuyler Snively.

Miss Effie Wood is staying with Major and Mrs. Ashton, Ottawa.

Mrs. Alec Rosamond, Almonte, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Cotton, in Montreal.

Mrs. Bigwood, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Bate, Ottawa, has left for Fredericton. Mrs. Bigwood is traveling with the Rev. Mother of the Sisterhood of St. John and Divine, and Sister Elia, who are making a tour of the most prominent cities.

Mr. W. L. Griffiths, chief of staff of the Canadian offices in London, who has been in Ottawa, has left to visit his old home in Manitoba, but will return in about ten days.

Mrs. H. Ethel Shepherd has issued invitations to a recital in her studio, Toronto Conservatory of Music on Friday the 28th inst. The program will be given by the pupils of Miss Shepherd and Miss Muriel Keer and Mr. Harold West, pupils of Mr. Paul Wells.

A sealed hole competition took place yesterday at Lakeview Ladies' Golf Club. Mrs. W. Forsyth was the winner in the first flight, and Mrs. Harry Rooster in the second flight.

Dr. W. R. O'Sullivan has arrived at the King Edward from Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. George McConnell, Philadelphia, are at the King Edward for a few days.

On Monday night, at the Hunt Club, Mr. and Mrs. Miles entertained at dinner, having two tables, which were beautifully decorated in the Jockey Club colors, arranged with African marigolds and blue iris. The decoration was much admired.

Mr. and Mrs. McW. Harris, Scotland, have arrived in town and are at the King Edward.

Miss Rutherford is at the Welland, St. Catharines, and will later leave for Metis. Miss Amy Rutherford, who has been in town for the races, will spend the summer in Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. O'Connor, Rochester, formerly of Toronto, are at the King Edward.

Mr. Austin Fryer, who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Crawford Goffatt, Walmsley boulevard, for the past ten days, has returned to his home in Bracebridge.

Major and Mrs. Norman R. Borrows, are spending a few days in Ottawa, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Flood of West Driveway.

BILLINGHURST—TAYLOR.

A very interesting west-end event took place on Wednesday, May 12th, at the residence of the bride's parents, when Bertha, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. H. Taylor, was married to Mr. Robert H. Bellinghurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Billinghurst, the Rev. R. B. Cochrane performing the ceremony. The bride, who was attired in white georgette crepe and satin, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses, was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Taylor, who wore pink satin, pink georgette hat, with streamers, and carried pink roses. Mr. Slater supported the groom, and Miss Adelaide Cameron played the wedding march. After an extended trip in the States Mr. and Mrs. Billinghurst will reside at 1047 College street, and Mr. Billinghurst will take over the business of his father, who is the oldest retail fruit merchant in the city.

CHIEF INSPECTOR LEAVING FORCE

Robert McClelland Retiring From Police After 47 Years' Service.

Chief Inspector Robert McClelland, who has seen as long service on the force as any other member, tendered his resignation to the police commissioners yesterday afternoon. Inspector McClelland joined the department 47 years ago, and was the sixty-fifth constable to join. At present he has had charge of the orderly room, which handles the clothing, police occurrences and many of the records.

The inspector's resignation will go into effect July 1, when he will be given three months' holidays with full pay, followed by the annual life pension from the benefit fund. At present he is secretary of the Chief Constable's Association. Inspector R. Gregory of the morality department joined the same year as the chief inspector.

McClelland was one of the twelve policemen who, with Deputy Chief Stewart, assisted the military in the Pilgrim riots. He was complimented by the governor-general, Earl Aberdeen, and presented with a valuable pin for service as officer in charge of the police arrangements at the Victorian era ball, held in the armories in 1897, when 1100 people were present.

Want Additional Room.

Chief Grasett asked the press to endeavor to assist in drawing the attention of the authorities in the city hall to provide additional office room for the police. Deputy Chief Dickson and Mayor Church, however, are more favorable to the erection of a police building. The police department need a building, and, owing to the cramped quarters of the courts, it is deemed advisable to move the police offices from the city hall. The question of securing a site for such a building will be taken up by the commissioners in the near future.

The Sportsmen's Association were granted the privilege of holding a tag day sometime between June 15 and July 15, for the purpose of raising funds to send teams to the Olympic games.

A NEW RARA AVIS.

Trippers to Muskoka in interviews with The World have expressed a strong desire to get hold of the type of binoculars much in use among artillery officers in Flanders. One man stated to The World yesterday afternoon that he was looking for binoculars with ten to twelve perspective power. "I have searched high and low for this kind of glass, but have not come across anything like it. I always imagined that officers during the past war used binoculars on every conceivable occasion, but barring a few artillery observers none seem to have used them. Most extraordinary. And I suppose they are so rare that even if an artillery officer could be found who had such a pair he would consider the pair such a 'rara avis' that he wouldn't part with it for love or money. Is there no chance of borrowing a pair if not buying one?"

O.Y.P.A. TENNIS CLUB.

At a recent meeting of the young people of St. Matthews' Church it was decided to form a branch of the Anglican Young People's Association with a tennis club in connection. George Dougherty is the president and L. Edwards the secretary of the new association. Miss Cotton is president of the tennis club.

VETERANS

Items of Interest to Returned Soldiers Will Be Printed in This Column if Phoned or Sent in.

G.A.U.V. SCORES NOTABLE SUCCESS

Mass Meeting at Windsor Joins Society Without Exception.

Provincial Organizer J. Fred Marsh of the G. A. U. V. has just returned from his organizing tour and reports that results are most satisfactory. At a monster mass meeting at Windsor on Sunday all the returned men present joined the association. H. G. Alford occupied the chair and Fred Marsh and Alderman S. Keyser spoke on re-establishment, pensions and unity in soldier movements. The following provisional officers were elected: President, A. Grippin; first vice, C. Holloway; 2nd vice, J. Carr; 3rd vice, J. Bateman; tyler, S. Barrett; secretary, Jack Carr; treasurer, H. G. Keyser; executive, S. Tinker, J. Williams, S. Gardiner, J. Williams, W. Starr and H. Axford.

At the close of the meeting a delegation from the British-American Legion of Detroit was received by Fred Marsh and arrangements were made for the executives of the G. A. U. V. and the American association to meet and discuss plans for amalgamation.

Word has been received from J. Harry Flynn, who is on an organizing tour thruout the country, to the effect that he has met with great success in Winnipeg and all other cities so far visited. He will be in Brandon on Monday and in Regina the following Tuesday, where he will remain until the 28th.

AMPUTATION CLUB CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Amputation week. This is what this week should be termed. The campaign for the club house for amputation veterans begins today in deadly, if quiet, earnest, and will be carried forward to its fullest fruition on Saturday, when a tag day special will conclude the sacrifice of the women in charge, Miss E. Church, Mrs. Arthur Van Koughnet and Mrs. T. Albert Brown, Mrs. H. D. Warren.

It will be recalled that the Amputation Club is renting quarters at 7 Church street, but the number of these men of sacrifice is assuming such proportions that the little quarters will no longer hold them. It is interesting to note that the theatres in Toronto have in many cases placed their houses at the service of the committee, and more than a hundred feet of film showing the glories and sacrifice of service at the front will be shown during the week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Notices of future events, not intended to raise money, 2c per word, minimum 50c; if held to raise money solely for patriotic, church or charitable purposes, 4c per word, minimum $1.00; if held to raise money for any other than these purposes, 6c per word, minimum $2.50.

THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held at 21 Alcom street, Friday, the 28th of May, at 3.15 p.m.

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SOUTH AFRICAN VETERAN DEAD.

The death is reported of Staff-Sergt. W. H. Sidney, a veteran, who served with the imperial army thru the South African war and thru the recent war with the C.E.F. He was a member of the G.W.V.A., and is survived by a widow.

HAMILTON G.W.V.A. SUSPENDED.

It is reported that the Hamilton branch of the G.W.V.A. has been suspended as a result of the recent investigation into the alleged discovery by the police of quantities of liquor in the club house. It is expected that the branch will be completely reorganized.

BENCH WARRANT ISSUED.

As Alice McLean did not surrender to her bail yesterday in the sessions, Judge Coatsworth issued a bench warrant for her arrest. The accused is charged with supplying noxious drugs.

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