

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO WOMEN

POSTE DE SECOURS DOES GREAT WORK

Toronto Women Look After Whole Population of Belgian Village.

SERVICES RECOGNIZED

Will Probably Have "Red Cross Medal" Conferred Upon Them.

Regarding the splendid work being done by Mrs. Agor Adamson from her London headquarters, and the Toronto women associated with her, in the matter of giving service to the Belgian refugees on the other side of the water, a good deal of our information has been gathered from their particular work for the nuns and the children under their charge.

Another phase of their activity comes to us in a letter received by Mrs. Adamson, and translated by her, in which Dr. Silviera, military doctor of the 5th Division, Belgian Army, tells of the medical and surgical assistance which these women from Canada are giving.

"At the opposite side, on the road to Ypres," says the letter, "Mrs. Innes-Taylor has established a small 'Poste de Secours,' which has given, and is still giving, very great service. For about six months every morning at 8 o'clock free consultation has been given to all the school children and the inhabitants living roundabout to the entire satisfaction of everyone.

"To give an idea of the importance of the services rendered it will suffice to say that since its foundation the 'Poste de Secours' has looked after more than 1200 persons, in spite of the modest resources at its command. The splendid results are due entirely to the activity and admirable devotion of Mrs. Innes-Taylor, Miss Esther McNeill and Miss Margaret Saunders, who have given themselves up to the work with an enthusiasm nothing less than marvelous.

"Not only have these three ladies established and run the little 'Poste de Secours,' but they provide almost the whole population of Furnes with food and clothing, and entirely look

after the feeding of the neighboring school, where more than 325 children are instructed.

"These ladies, in spite of numerous bombardments, are continuing their work with the utmost courage and devotion, and I take it that there will be conferred upon them the Royal Red Cross Medal in recognition of their splendid work and as a small token of the admiration of all the population of Furnes."

MUST PAY PENALTY OF HIS PAST MISDEEDS

Appeal of W. G. Woods From Order Directing Him to Pay Alimony Dismissed.

Walter J. Wood appealed to the appellate division at Osgoode Hall, to quash a conviction of Judge Denton's by which he was ordered to pay \$805 arrears of alimony. He advanced the plea that to do this would be to compel him to support two wives, contrary to English moral rules. In quashing the appeal the court pointed out that he is not compelled to support two wives, but is required to pay the legal penalty for those acts which, while enabling him to remarry, entail a legal reminder of his past misdeeds.

Wood married his first wife in Buffalo, in 1901, but in 1912 obtained an order dissolving the partnership, giving her the custody of the child and \$50 a month alimony. Wood was again married in Toronto, November, 1915, and now lives in Berlin.

"JEAN WEBSTER" DEAD.

Author of "Daddy Longlegs" Won wide Fame.

NEW YORK, June 12.—Mrs. Glenn Ford McKinney, known before her marriage as Jean Webster, author and playwright, died today in the Sloane Hospital. Miss Webster was giving her the custody of the child and \$50 a month alimony. Wood was again married in Toronto, November, 1915, and now lives in Berlin.

THE RED CROSS.

The sum of \$90 was raised by the Red Cross party given at "Brim Mor," Birchcliff, the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Redman. The money will be used in the effort to keep the men of the district, who have enlisted, in comfort while at the front.

GIRLS OF HOWARD SCHOOL IN COMMENDABLE WORK

Raised Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for Presentation of Colors to Beavers.

The five things that can be done by girls in the way of patriotic work was evidenced in the results of a sale given by the senior fourth, Miss Mabel Oulton's class of girls at Howard School, when they raised over \$250, which will be used for the presentation of colors to the 204th Battalion in September. The raffling of a cake presented by Mrs. Flynn, and a handsome sweater-coat by Mrs. Stewart, were features of the all day sale. Miss W. Oulton and her girls were assisted by Miss Mackenzie and Miss Oulton.

MUSKOKA EXPRESS

Leaves Toronto 10.15 a.m. daily, except Sunday, via Grand Trunk Railway System, stopping at Barrie, Orillia, Muskoka Wharf, Huntsville, Burk's Falls and North Bay. This train carries the highest class of equipment, including up-to-date coaches and cafe-library-parlor car. Direct connection is made at Muskoka Wharf with boats for Muskoka Lakes points and to Huntsville with boats for points in the Lake of Bays territory. When you consider that Muskoka resorts are within three and a half hours' ride from Toronto, and Lake of Bays resorts within five and a half hours' ride from Toronto and proportionately accessible from many of the large centres in Ontario, no more delightful week-end trip can be planned. A pleasant journey of a few hours by train, a delightful sail of from one to four hours through beautiful lake and island scenery; a couple of days' sojourn at a well-conducted hotel or boarding house, at moderate rates, including in such recreations as are freely provided at all resorts, completes a most enjoyable week-end.

Low week-end fares are in effect, good going Saturday and Sunday, return up to and including the Monday following date of issue. Pamphlet containing list of fares will be gladly furnished on request. Summer tourist fares are in effect for those desiring to spend a longer period in the highlands of Ontario. Handsome descriptive booklets of Muskoka Lake and Lake of Bays districts, containing list of hotels and boarding houses, etc., can be secured on application at City Ticket Office, northwest corner King & Yonge streets.

SOLDIERS' COMFORTS MAY FEATURE AS EXHIBITS

Women Interested in National Exhibition Must Have Entries In By August Ten.

Women interested in the coming National Exhibition are warned that entries of work or exhibits of any description which may be entered under the heading of women's and children's work, must be listed on or before August 10th, as on that date all entries close.

The prize list is now out, and it is interesting to note that the classification has been extended in several directions, and that the premiums in many instances are more liberal than in the past, including those for school work and domestic science. In the section considerable attention has been given to the military trend of the times, and the changes made are suited to the requirements of the moment.

It is expected that one of the most attractive of the departments will be that of the soldiers' comforts, specimens of which are being made in such variety and number in thousands of Ontario homes. This department will be in charge of Lady Eaton, who is personally making the collections for which every effort is being put forth to make it unusually large and representative.

Among the members on the committee who will have charge of the women's building at the exhibition are: Mrs. Joseph Oliver, Mrs. Clifford Marshall, Mrs. John G. Kent, Mrs. G. H. Gooderham, Mrs. W. K. McNaught, Mrs. J. O. Orr, Mrs. J. D. Allan, Mrs. E. Bristol, Mrs. W. H. Cawthra, Mrs. J. S. Dignam, Mrs. J. E. Elliott, Lady Eaton, Mrs. Robert Rennie, Mrs. A. E. Stevens, Mrs. Q. B. Shaw, Mrs. Willoby Cummings.

WOMEN OF THE CITIES ARE DOING THEIR SHARE

All Over Canada They Are Helping in Many Ways the Boys at the Front.

Something of what is being done by women in cities outside Toronto is shown by a writer in The Outlook, who, speaking of what had been done in Halifax, tells us that some idea of its magnitude may be gathered from the statement that thirty-six thousand pairs of hand-made socks went from Nova Scotia alone, and that in the Technical College of Halifax, more than forty miles of material was made up in three months by the women.

There is a widow, Mrs. Archibald of Wolfville, who has very little of this world's goods, but she has sent six hundred jars of preserves to the soldiers in France. She did not have the money to buy the fruit. She went regularly and gathered it, and what which was left after the picking. Some one gave the sugar to her. She fringed around by the roadside and gathered it. She made a workshop of her cellar and put up these six hundred jars of preserves, boxed them all herself and then she sent them, blessed with her labor of love. This woman has a boy in khaki fighting in Flanders.

The same writer speaking of the things that children are doing states that in Montreal and some of the other cities in Canada, every child contributes one cent a week at least, to the Patriotic Fund. There is a bank in every neighborhood in Montreal to which the child makes his deposit. Some of the children give much more than one cent.

There are six thousand families in Montreal sustained out of the Patriotic Fund which the women gather.

A Good Time for All—Grocers' Excursion to Cobourg, per Steamer "Chippewa," Wednesday, 8 a.m., July 14.

WEEK OF MOURNING.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. LONDON, June 12.—During the week of mourning for the late King, Canadian officers in England are forbidden to attend any dances. The dead march was played at all parades yesterday.

Announcements

Notices of any character relating to future events, the purpose of which is the raising of money, are inserted in the advertising columns at fifteen cents a line. Announcements for churches, societies, clubs or other organizations of future events, where the purpose is not the raising of money, may be inserted in this column at two cents a word, with a minimum of fifty cents for each insertion.

UNDER the auspices of the Sir Henry Pellatt Chapter, I.O.D.E., Working Circle, a musicale arranged by Miss Marie Strong and an address by Sgt. Gibbons, a returned Canadian prisoner, will be given at 385 Brunswick avenue, June 17th, at 8.15. Tickets 25 cents. Proceeds in aid of Canadian prisoners in Germany.

GIRL FLYER WHO DROPPED A THOUSAND FEET FOR FUN

Only Twenty Years Old, She Conducts an Aviation School With Brother and Sister and Has Taught Scores of Canadian Airmen Now on the Firing Line.

It has remained for a slim and shy little, twenty-year-old American girl, Miss Katherine Stinson, to make the drop 1000 feet in a biplane and "recover" just before reaching the ground, to loop the loops 2000 feet in the air and to teach Canadian aviators by hundreds and United States aviators by dozens how to operate war planes. And now, as a fitting tribute to her prowess, Tex Richard, promoter, has offered \$10,000 to reward some of her aviation feats in South America.

BY NORAH MEADE.

THERE was infinite grace, daring and versatility in Katherine Stinson's handling of her biplane at Sheepshead Bay.

In less than one hundred feet she was clear of the ground. She swept over the field in gradual ascent, until she had reached the 2000 feet. With the whirl of her engines silenced by the distance, she circled over the heads of the crowd, a dark speck against the blue of a clear summer sky.

For a moment she seemed to pause in mid-air. Then came a sudden swoop, a compassant, and a long trail of medium smoke outlined a completed but imperfect curve.

She tried again. Another dip, an upward curve. This time the loop was perfect. She did it a third time.

Then once more she swept around the sky. Suddenly the biplane shot downward. In a two-mile flight she reached Dario Rosta, the auto speed demon, now flying low above his head, now soaring close to the tree tops. And Katherine Stinson was there, equal to him, racing against time a little later he covered the two-mile track in one minute and six seconds; and Miss Stinson could not, of course, equal that time.

Katherine Stinson is now twenty years old. To talk with her is to get an uneasy sensation of an age which will be still more restless than ours, for she is undoubtedly as typical of the future as the girl motorist is of today.

She is an extremely sensitive girl, not over strong, intelligent, clear-headed, and, paradoxical as it sounds, rather cautious—that is how Katherine Stinson looks. Conventional speaking, she could not be called pretty. Her face is too long; her features too irregular and too strongly marked. But she has deep-set, luminous brown eyes, fringed by long lashes that lend her an elfin charm, and her brows, mobile and delicately pencilled, meet now and then in the puzzled furrows that one sees in the face of a child. She is very young, but she is not a child.

Miss Stinson was born in Jackson, Ohio.

"I invite people to visit my school. Every week I have a crowd of boys and girls there from the schools, brought by their teachers, to whom I send an invitation. They select one to go up in a machine. That makes them interested, and takes the sting of danger out of it.

"Some day, I hope, all those youngsters will ride in their own aeroplanes, and I'll be glad to think I gave them their first taste."

Katherine Stinson spoke with all the fire of a genuine enthusiast. At the moment we were leaning back in an auto speeding across Queensboro Bridge. Suddenly she sat up quite excited.

"There's an aeroplane," she cried, pointing over the river. And there it was, a small speck moving across the sky.

"And I'll be happy when I see them everywhere," she said.

And she probably will. For Katherine is the girl of the future, a herald of the day which has dawned, and is steadily advancing to its zenith—a day of still more advanced science and still less leisure, when the air will be as cluttered as the earth.

A Message to Thin Weak 'Scrawny Folks

An Easy Way to Gain 10 to 30 Pounds of Solid, Healthy Permanent Flesh.

Thin, nervous, undeveloped men and women everywhere are heard to say: "I can't understand why I do not get fat. The reason is just this: You cannot get fat, no matter how much you eat, unless your digestive organs assimilate the fat-making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste."

What is needed is a means of gently urging the assimilative functions of the stomach and intestines to absorb the oils and fats and hand them over to the blood, where they may reach the starved, shrunken, run-down tissues and build them up. The thin person's body is like a dry sponge—eager and hungry for the fatty materials of which it is being deprived by the failure of the alimentary canal to take them from the food.

A splendid way of working to overcome this starved state of the alimentary elements and to stop the leakage of fats is Sargol, the famous flesh-building agent that has been so widely sold in America in recent years. Take a little Sargol tablet with every meal and see if your cheeks don't quickly fill out and roll of firm, healthy flesh form over your body, covering each bony angle and projecting point. All good druggists have Sargol or can get it from their wholesaler, and will refund your money if you are not satisfied with the gain in weight it produces, as stated on the fat-making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste.

NOTE:—Sargol is recommended only as a flesh-builder, and, while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported, care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you send \$1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine street, Montreal, and complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid, in plain wrapper.

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British List Shows Over Two Thousand Killed in Action.

LONDON, June 12.—Yesterday's official casualty list, covering the casualties suffered on all fronts during the past week, gives the number of officers at 788, of whom 131 were killed, and that of men at 6,794, of whom 1985 were killed. This makes a total of the week's casualties amounting to 7527, of whom 2116 were killed.

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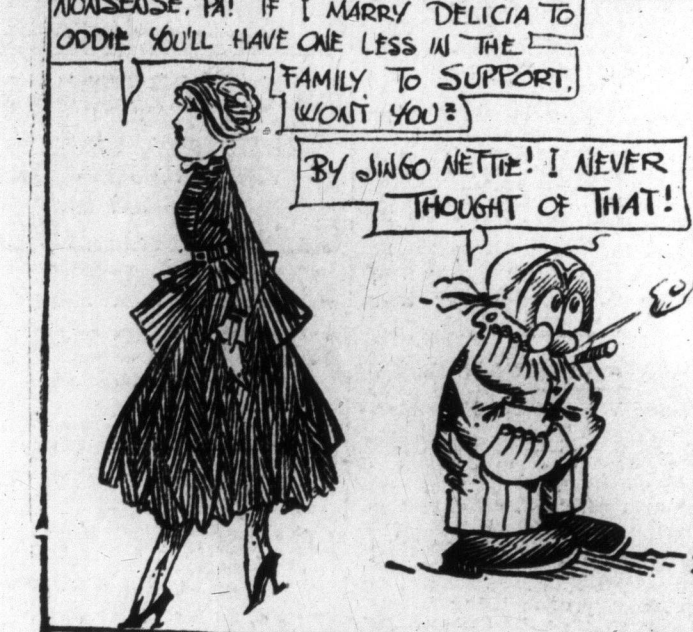
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