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A big fireworks display is planned for Coronation Day after the coronation party in the park. Don't miss it.

**Eyeglass Wearing Today Not Like Yesteryear**

Nearly 100 million Americans are wearing spectacles today, the Better Vision Institute reports. And these modern eyeglasses not only act as seeing aids but they look good.

They are a far, far cry from the glasses invented by Italy's Salvino del Armato 655 years ago, and from those framed in wood, bone, leather, and other materials in the centuries that followed.

The Florentine's eyeglasses swiftly gained favor, and by the year 1300 Venetians were sending spectacles to customers throughout Europe—customers who could afford their high prices. By that time, the Chinese—who had probably invented spectacles independently—were making many pairs. The Chinese made tortoise-shell rims because they considered the tortoise a sacred animal whose shell would bring long life and good luck. As glasses were used in China for reading, they became the badge of scholars and aristocrats, and even lensless rings were sometimes worn as a symbol of position.

The invention of printing in 1419 brought eyeglasses into more widespread use in the western world. For more than two centuries, itinerant peddlers roved the roads of Europe with trays of spectacles marked "young" or "older." There were no prescriptions or adequate examinations then. Not until about 1700 were glasses fitted to the individual, and even then examinations were pretty primitive.

**Candy Came Long Way From Sugar-Coated Pill**

The little sugar-coated pill has come a long way.

A penny's worth of candy used to keep a youngster happy for quite a while. And an old-fashioned "tuffy pull" was lots of work, but well worth it. It's a different story today. The national sweet tooth has come into its own, and Grandma's fudge kettle has turned into a \$365,000,000 a year business.

It all really started some 500 years ago in the English apothecary shops, ancestors of our drugstores. About that time, apothecaries began using sugar to coat their pills. Before long, the sugar-coated medicine became so popular that the medicine was left out and the pills were manufactured with sugar only.

Descendants of the old English medicated sweetmeats can now be bought in more than two thousand different forms or varieties. Candy counters and sweetshops in the United States annually sell over two billion pounds of confections.

**Migraine Headaches**

Doctors believe that attacks of migraine headaches can be shortened by starting treatment as soon as trouble begins. About 5 per cent of the nation's population is affected by migraine headaches, although it ranks only about third as a cause of headaches. They occur two or three times more frequently in women than in men. Migraine headaches, will last anywhere from thirty minutes to three or four days, are restricted to one side of the head, and can occur in either half in an alternating manner. The headaches are described as causing a dull, throbbing, piercing pain often accompanied by nausea, exhaustion, depression, nervousness and blurring of vision. Migraines are associated with certain personality characteristics since "thinkers" rather than "doers" are generally affected by them. Typical victims of migraine attacks are meticulous housewives and over-ambitious, perfectionistic men with an exaggerated sense of responsibility.

**Our Sense of Taste**

It is believed that the tongue has specific sense organs which respond to different chemicals. According to the old view there are four types of such taste receptors, each with their own nerve fibers, through which impulses are sent to the brain. One type is for sour, one for sweet, one for salt and one for bitter; our taste sensations being made up of various combinations of these fundamentals. The exact process by which a particle of matter stimulates the nerve endings is not known.

**Persecute Christians**

One aspect of the Korean war of particular concern to religious leaders is the manner in which the Communist armies are reported to have singled out Christians as special targets of persecution and retaliation. According to a report in the Pusan Christian Times, 20,000 Christians, including priests and pastors, have been slain by the North Korean Communists since the beginning of the war.

**Indoor Air Purifier**

A new household air purifier which utilizes short wave ultra-violet rays to change oxygen into ozone, "nature's own air freshener," has been developed by Roy C. Stove and Company, Chicago. The aluminum unit plugs into any AC outlet and is said to destroy unpleasant odors with electronically produced ozone.

—Get your flags and bunting ready for Coronation day.

**LIMEHOUSE**

**OFFICERS INSTALLED AT INSTITUTE MEETING**

The installation of officers for 1953 and papers on various phases of Women's Institute work high-house Women's Institute held in Limehouse Memorial Hall recently, 15 members and 5 Juniors answered the Roll Call "Name one country in which there is a Women's Institute." Mrs. Roughley read a paper on "Our Women's Institute Ode" and the Motto, prepared by Mrs. Beaton was "It is the live coal which lights the rest."

The Current Events, Local, National and International were well taken by Mrs. James Noble, and convenors reports dealt with such timely subjects as 'Care of Nylons,' 'Ban on Dairy Substitutes,' 'Women drivers rank high,' 'Historic Sites in Canada,' 'Old schoolhouse recalls many happy memories.'

Music in the schools was represented by two Junior students Dixie Jones and Gloria Latimer who rendered vocal and piano solos, respectively, which were much enjoyed. Two Baby Bank Books were given new babies in the community, and reporting for the boulevard committee, Mrs. Mitchell said the plot has been levelled, also fence posts donated for fencing the plot. School gardens are again being sponsored with seeds already distributed.

The librarian received a new book for the Library, a gift from Miss Applebe of Stewatown. We are also to have more Junior Books purchased for the library. The Financial committee's report showed a balance handed in to the treasurer of \$50.00 for the month.

**ASHGROVE**

**Life Membership Pin Given to Mrs. Ruddell**

The WMS meeting was held on Tuesday afternoon, May 12th at the Hornby parsonage, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leck, with the president, Mrs. Frank Wilson presiding and opening with a hymn and prayer. Secretary Mrs. Vern Pickett read the minutes and called the roll which was answered by a question on 'Christian Fellowship as a means of Grace.' Mrs. Hector Bird gave a splendid report of the morning session of the Presbyterian meeting held in Bronte and Mrs. Frank Wilson reported on the afternoon. Prayer for our chosen missionaries was given by Mrs. John Bell-



WELL KNOWN PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE members of both the Ontario and Ottawa Parliaments attended the Western Ontario association's annual meeting in London recently. Shown chatting during a lull in the proceedings are John Diefenbaker, M.P., Hon. George Drew, M.P., national P-C leader who last week was made a member of the Privy Council, and Hon. Earl Rowe, M.P. Sybil Bennett, national leader of P-C women and federal candidate in Halton was also a speaker at the meeting.

boddy. As this was the Associate Helpers meeting Mrs. George Nurse took charge. The theme for the meeting was the Bible and readings and scripture about the Bible were given by Mrs. Leslie Giffen, Mrs. Robert Cunningham and Mrs. Cecil Wilson. A solo 'Only a Little Way' was sung by Mrs. Harold Learmonth of Hornby. A short story on Stewardship was read by Mrs. Wilfred Bird, after which Mrs. Thos. Giffen read a suitable worded address and Mrs. Frank Ruddell presented Mrs. Ward Ruddell with a Life Membership certificate and pin. Mrs. Ruddell has been a very faithful associate Helper for a good many years and richly deserves this honour. Mrs. Ward Brownridge thanked the hostess for her hospitality and a social hour followed. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ruddell and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham motored over the week-end to Kirkland Lake.

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