

FLOWERS AS LOVE TOKENS

Flower offerings as tokens of love, respect or condolence have existed always. In old-fashioned novels the hero took a nosegay to his fair one, but with the march of time the custom has reached an extravagant point, and the youth of the day often deems it wiser to refrain from expressing his admiration in flowers, rather than endure the mortification of sending an inferior bouquet. But if men understood how much flowers mean to most women, and the effect on the recipient of even a modest corsage bouquet, they would take heart. Girls like flowers early in the game, and often.

One young man who was in rivalry with several richer suitors for the hand of a girl used to luxury, outdistanced his rivals, yet kept within reasonable financial bounds. Every day for months the girl received a few flowers of some sort, and was first impressed and finally won by his constancy and thoughtfulness. Over and over the popular debutante has been heard to say, "What a lovely box of flowers, but why did he send so many? I really don't believe we have vase enough to hold them, and I certainly can't wear them all." A fashion obtained this winter. Artificial flowers were sent instead of those grown in hot houses. "How much nicer," said our fortunate French sisters, "to have such flowers

instead of real ones that fade in an hour." This Parisian fad suited the most fastidious, as the flowers were wonderfully real and scented like the blossoms they represented. They were often presented in pretty baskets tied with satin ribbon.

VALUE OF RHEUMA FROM THE COURT.

Judge Barhorst was Relieved of Rheumatism After Doctors Failed.

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TOUCHED ON TRAIN.

W. Dinwoodie of Proton, who arrived at Toronto by C.P.R. express at 11.58 a. m. on Thursday, reported to Constable Sutherland at the Union Station that on the way down he lost \$90. "I had \$100 when I purchased my ticket at Proton and when I stepped off the train here I had only five cents."

"Who were your companions on the train?" asked the Constable.

"Why some ministers and delegates who came down to attend the Convention, but I know they didn't get it."

The lighting by-law was defeated in Kincardine.

Harry Miles, aged 35, single and a resident of Petrolia, was electrocuted within a stone's-throw of his home. Seeing a wire wound around a tree apparently he went to investigate when he received the fatal shock.

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PERSONAL

Miss Watson of Motherwell is visiting her niece Mrs. McIlraith.

Mrs. P. Gagnon is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. Wm. Browning is home from Stratford.

Miss Gladys Sanford of Toronto, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Crutchley.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson of Toronto, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levine.

Mr. M. Richardson of Owen Sound visited with his parents here over the holiday.

Mr. R. Hughes of Owen Sound, visited his sisters here over the holiday.

Miss Jean Allen arrived home Tuesday, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Lyons, at Milverton.

Miss A. McGirr, teacher at Shelburne, is spending her holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McGirr are visiting her brother, Rev. James Binnie, at Parry Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilson and family left yesterday for Hanover, where they intend to reside.

Mrs. Crowther, of Chatsworth, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Aljoe, Sr.

Misses May and Susan McClocklin are home from Toronto on their vacation.

Wm. Sharp, Thos. Bannon and Albert Thompson, all of Artemesia, were in town Tuesday and gave us a brief call.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyons and little daughter, Maxine, of Milverton, spent Dominion Day with her mother, Mrs. David Allen.

Mr. John Crutchley of Tornoto was in town for a few days since last issue and took advantage of the occasion to mark his ballot for one of the candidates.

Mrs. D. Greenwood and daughter Miss Clara, left Tuesday morning for Hartney, Man., where they intend to spend some time visiting the former's brother, Mr. Wm. Jasper and family.

Mrs. Colville left Tuesday to spend two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Barber, at Toronto, before leaving to visit with the different members of her family in the west. She expects to be absent for two months.

Mr. Douglas Munro of Eyebrow, Sask., left yesterday morning for the west. Mrs. Munro accompanied him as far as Toronto, but will return and prolong her visit here for a few weeks before going west.

The United States is now producing about 60 per cent. of the world's supply of crude petroleum.

The Anchor Line steamer California, with 400 passengers, ran ashore off the Irish coast.

The Prince of Wales showed himself a capable soldier at Saturday's sham fight at Aldershot marching many miles and doing scout work.

A tablet in the Nippur collection at the Association of Pennsylvania is said to establish for all time the innocence of Eve and the guilt of Adam.

Gold cloth vestments, valued at \$4,000, the property of Bishop Blathoin, who is on a visit to Rome, were stolen on Saturday from Holy Rosary Cathedral, Regina.

New regulations respecting foreign decorations such as orders and medals have been issued by the Imperial Government. One provision is that no person in the service of the Crown as well as no British subject, may wear the insignia of any foreign order without having previously obtained His Majesty's permission.

A duel to the death with revolvers occurred shortly before two o'clock Sunday morning between John T. Burbank, president and treasurer of the Mintz Hardware Co., Detroit, and an unidentified man. Burbank was found dead with several bullets in his body. Nearly a block east of where Burbank's corpse lay was found the other body. The police believe he shot Burbank in an attempt to rob him and that Burbank returned the fire.

SOLD IMMORAL PICTURES.

A fine of fifty dollars was the penalty inflicted on Howard Fletcher in the County Criminal Court at the City Hall, Toronto, the other day, for circulating immoral pictures. Fletcher who hails from Napanee, was a newsboy on the C. P. R., and according to County Crown Attorney Greer, the seeing of indecent pictures to passengers on the train is quite a lucrative sideline that the boys have.

BORN.

LAUDER.—In Durham, on Saturday, June 27, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. H. Lauder, a son, John Forrester.

WHITTAKER.—In West Toronto, on June 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Whittaker, 139 Mavety St., a daughter.

DIED.

ADLAM.—In Toronto, on Friday, June 26, Charlotte Bailey, wife of Robert Adlam, Hanover, aged 51 years.

GRASBY.—In Normanby, Thursday, July 2, 1914, Harry Grasby, aged 27 years, 16 days.

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Mrs. James Murdoch, 717 Waterloo street, London, is over 100 years old.

Judgment for \$65,380 was given in a Montreal case over a contract.

W. J. Kennedy of Toronto, was drowned out of a canoe at Windermere, Muskoka.

John Black, an aged farmer, living retired in Guelph, died of excitement in Mayor Carter's committee room on hearing of the candidate's election.

Arthur Slader, secretary to the Duke of Connaught, says there is absolutely no foundation for the story appearing in Reynold's Newspaper that the Duke will succeed Lord Aberdeen as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

McWILLIAMS.

The rain of last week has been much appreciated and has brought back the green shade to everything.

L. O. L. No. 1192, Glenelg, held their garden party on Mr. James Hopkins' lawn on June 26th, and it was a decided success. Many thanks are due to Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins for their kind hospitality and use of their home and beautiful grounds.

Miss Millie Whitmore, teacher, near Burlington, is now home for her holidays.

We extend our congratulations to Miss Bertha Hooper and Mr. Gordon Geddes, who were joined heart and hand last Wednesday, June 24th.

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Saturday, July 11th. The C.P.R. will run a special train through from Walkerton to Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bothwell and family of Alberta are spending a couple of months with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McFadden spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilson of Boothville spent Friday with their niece, Mrs. James Hopkins, and took in the garden party at night.

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