

SOCIAL SATURDAY NIGHT.

Miss M. Durnford, formerly of "Glen Hythe," Westmount, will be with Mr. and Mrs. George Durnford, Clarendon avenue, Montreal, for the winter. Lady Henry Somerset, president of the World's W. C. T. U., will not visit Montreal, as she originally intended.

Mrs. Thomas Ahearn gave an informal tea at Ottawa on Wednesday, for the wives of the Boer delegates.

The engagement is announced of Miss Emily Bowie of Brockville, to Mr. W. B. Scott, of the Merchants Bank, Quebec.

The Toronto "season" was opened on Wednesday with a most brilliant "At Home," given by Mrs. H. M. Pellatt.

If skirts continue to grow much longer the fashionable women will require practice preliminary to walking in them.

Dinner and evening gowns figure chiefly in this lengthening process and actually train in front, while at the back they approach the yard length.

The extremely long skirt appears also in some of the new street dresses and from present indications the coming season promises to be one of worshipping and backaches caused by lifting these extremely long skirts.

A new use for beads which are to have a tremendous vogue this year, is to make them, with the aid of strong doubled linen thread, into a Jacob's ladder, through which ribbon of the desired shade can be threaded forming a belt.

For spiced grapes, a concoction very nice with cold meat, take five pounds grapes, four pounds sugar, and one pint vinegar, two tablespoonfuls ground cinnamon, and one tablespoon ground cloves. Squeeze the pulp of the grapes into the preserving kettle, and boil till the seeds separate. Then strain through colander, add grape skins, sugar and spices, and boil one and a half hours.

Another splendid establishment to be opened this fall in New York, is that of Senator Clarke, whose engagement to Mrs. Van Kessel-Cruger is bringing him into special notice. Mr. and Mrs. Orna Wilson will open their new house in November, with a large entertainment.

The approval eastern smart society has shown of Sunday evening concerts and entertainments of similar artistic nature is to be followed in Detroit. Throughout the winter a series of attractive events will be given in the Whitney theatre. They were opened last Sunday by the Westminster Coronation Choir, which was heard in Kingston last spring, with so much pleasure, and which is to give a concert here again next month.

The old rectory adjoining St. James' church, or as it is more generally known, St. James' cathedral, in Toronto, is to be torn down, and a new brick house is to be built on the site. The old house, which was built about 1833, and was considered very fine indeed at that time, has sheltered at different times three men whose names are well known in this city. Archbishop George O'Kill, Stuart, Bishop Strachan, and the Rev. William Macaulay, brother of the Hon.

John Macaulay, who was in the early days of his ministry chaplain to the legislature, and was for nearly fifty years the much-revered rector of the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Picton.

The Duchess of Sutherland, in one of the weekly reviews, makes confessions of her early likes in literature. As a girl, her reading was confined chiefly to books for boys. She spent her pocket money on the "Boy's Own Paper." How many girls do not do the same thing to-day? Why is it that boys' books are usually as popular with girls as with boys, whilst boys, seldom or never, open a girl's book? Is it not because boys' books are natural human productions, and girls' books are something exclusive, particular, unreal? The Duchess of Sutherland advises parents to avoid any books labelled "a tale for girls."

To carry this injunction out to the letter would be a little hard on some really good books written specially for girls, but in the main the Duchess is undoubtedly right. In her opinion courage, resource, and fair play are not peculiarly male attributes, and she urges that "a woman, though she never rides to hounds, never handles a gun, if she be not at heart a sportsman, should read the same books as the boys, and lose half the joys of life." Who can deny that? "The sooner," says the duchess, "we discourage our girls from adopting conventional kinks to warp their opinions, and help them to be true to themselves and to what they really care for, the better." That is both straight and wise talk. Girls are none the worse for a dose of the vigorous, healthy, breezy sentiment which is too often absent from girls' books.

THREE NEW DIRECTORS

On the Y.M.C.A. Board—A Donation of Books.

Mrs. Bowie, University avenue, has made a donation of books to the Y.M.C.A. library.

The gymnasium opening, to have been held last night, was postponed until next Friday evening. The absence of electric lights during the first part of the week prevented the classes preparing for the event.

Physical Director Bevis is suffering from a sprained ankle, the result of playing football. Though unable to do active work in the gymnasium, he is still to be found on the floor directing the classes.

Prof. Jordan, of Queen's College, takes charge of the men's meeting at 11:30 p.m., Sunday, when he will deliver a special address to young men. Mr. De Long, who will have charge of the music during these winter meetings, will contribute a solo to-morrow.

Dr. Lake, Prof. Walter Pike and Charles Taylor have been added to the board of directors. The association has thus secured three active workers.

"Bibby's," Oak Hall, "Bibby's." Have you seen our 50c neckwear, our \$1 shirts, our \$1 gloves, our 25c hosiery? No! Well, there's a treat for you here. The H. D. Bibby Co.

It is lots more exciting getting out of a tight hole than staying out. See Taylor's hair brush window.

BURIED ON FRIDAY.

The Funeral of the Late William M. Germaine.

The funeral of the late William M. Germaine occurred on Friday afternoon, the service being held at the home of the sister of deceased on Alvington avenue, Rev. J. H. Philp conducted the service, during which he spoke fittingly of the life of deceased. He was followed by J. B. Archer, of Ottawa, one of the railway associates of the departed, who made touching reference to the sad accident that befell his comrade. He told of his railway career and the esteem in which he was held both by mates and officials. His presence, along with that of T. Lett, was evidence of the kindly feeling all on the C.A.R., had for Mr. Germaine. More of his comrades would have attended the funeral had it been possible. They had sent along a floral tribute, a broken brake wheel, typical of the calling of deceased. The remains were buried at Cataragui cemetery. The family and friends of deceased are deeply grateful to the railway men for their kindness, markedly shown to the deceased while he was yet alive and to his relatives who hastened to his side. They can never forget the attention of his trainmate, Brigadier General Patrick Moore and Miss Migg who waited on the sufferer with constancy and genuine solicitude, for many hours until relieved by his brother, Daniel. In addition to his brothers, named on Thursday, deceased had three sisters, Mrs. Samuel Greer, Portsmouth; Mrs. W. Conley and Miss Eugenia Germaine, Kingston. These with an aunt, Mrs. McFadden, were present with deceased in his last moments.

A Strong Endorsement.

Headquarters Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

Dear Mrs. Cowan: I am decidedly in favor of Colonial Remedy. I know of so many cases where it has effected a cure and brought happiness where only misery existed, that I would not be worthy of the name woman did I not heartily endorse it. I have been closely connected with it. Hundreds of letters from wives, mothers and sisters, as well as from the parties themselves, testify to its efficacy, and inhuman is the person who would try to stop the good being done by refusing the sanction of our official files. The W.C.T.U. is in the field to fight the liquor power with any honorable weapon that will win the day, and this surely is an honorable one, since it cures the poor deluded victim and brings hope and reason again to his debased nature. When I find anyone so narrow as to fight a good thing, I answer them as the Lord did the disciples when they came and told Him that others were casting out devils and they forbade it, as they did it not in His name, and He reproved them and said, "Not so, for they that be for us are not against us." I cannot remember the chapter in Matthew, but you are right, and I consider that an unanswerable argument. Yours respectfully,

MRS. A. M. TOWNSEND, Secretary Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Detroit, Mich.

NOTE.—Colonial Remedy is sold by all druggists.

DISTRICT NEWS.

SPICE OF THE ARTICLES IN VICINITY NEWSPAPERS.

The News Put Into Condensed Shape—The Episodes That Create Talk in the Country and Hereabouts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Neilson have sold their farm in Wilton to Mrs. Burt for the sum of \$4,500. Dr. R. M. Reid, son of James Reid, formerly deputy postmaster at Renfrew, has gone to New York to take a course.

E. W. Rathbun has offered to deliver to the council for the poor fifty cords of wood at \$2.50 per cord at Napanee station.

A couple of bear hunters from Newboro, shot in mistake, a cow owned by Tett Bros. Instead of getting a \$30 bear skin, they had to put up the price of the cow.

James Todd, Deseronto Road, charged with being a habitual drunkard, jil-using and refusing to support his family, was sentenced to Central prison for nine months.

Mrs. Smith, wife of the late Rev. W. S. Smith, Middleville, has removed to Belleville. The W.F.M.S., prior to her departure, presented her with a well-filled purse and a sympathetic address.

Last Sunday night when Hugh Mooney went to the Royal hotel yard, Napanee, for his horse and buggy, they were missing. Word was telegraphed in every direction Monday morning, but no trace of them could be found.

On Saturday night a Grand Trunk railway train struck and killed two valuable horses belonging to Mr. Mooney, a well-known farmer a little east of Napanee. It is likely that a suit for damages will be entered against the company.

Word has been received by Principal Nesbit, Newburgh, that the appeal of Archie Love, one of the candidates from the high school, at midsummer junior leaving examinations, has been sustained, and Archie is now entitled to this standing. This makes a total of eleven passed, out of fourteen candidates from that school.

New Methods in the Treatment of Deafness.

In a recent medical publication, we find a description of a new way of treating deafness which is rapidly taking the place of the old methods. In fact, the records of the institute where this new treatment is used, show many remarkable instances in which the hearing has been restored after the patient has been pronounced incurably deaf. Those who are interested in this subject are referred to "The Journal for the Deaf" for July, in which there is a full description of the new treatment. A free copy of the Journal, containing a description of this method can be obtained by addressing the Editor, 72 Regent's Park Road, London, England. With the "Journal" is enclosed a "Supplement" containing details of upwards of forty cases cured during the past month, and also a Patient's Report Form, which enables anyone to receive free advice as to the application of the treatment at home.

NEARLY A TRAGEDY.

Injured by Bursting Gun—About Many Persons.

Napanee, Oct. 25.—What might have proved a tragic death by shooting occurred on Wednesday afternoon last. Raymond Lloyd, son of Jacob Lloyd, Selby Road, was in company with Roy Asselstine and Robert Grivin, two companions. Their mission for the afternoon was to amuse themselves shooting. They had two guns, and when they got out in the country about half a mile from F. Van De Bogart's farm, they fastened a paper to the fence and began their target practice. It is supposed that an over-load of powder and shot was put into the gun, and when young Lloyd pulled the trigger the barrel burst, knocking him over backwards and almost completely blowing his nose away. He was picked up, and, with blood streaming from his terrible wound, walked to Mr. Van De Bogart's, where a rig was procured and he was immediately conveyed to town. Dr. Leonard dressed the wound, and removed several pieces of bone. The lad will be disfigured for life, but the doctors have hope that his life can be saved.

Another distressing accident happened early this week to Ross, the ten-year-old son of Homer Miles. The lad and his younger sister were playing with matches, when his clothing caught fire, severely burning him so that for several days his life was despaired of. Last reports say that he is slowly recovering.

Mrs. W. C. and the Misses Scott were "At Home" to a large number of lady friends on Wednesday afternoon. They were assisted in the drawing-room by Mrs. Thomas Johnston. Mrs. A. Macdonald and Mrs. Dudley decorated refreshment table, and were assisted by the Misses Wright, Bartlett, Herring, Johnston, and Miss Carrie Scott.

Miss Tilley, of Toronto, who has moved to town, will reside with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John R. Tilley, Mill street.

John Sampson, New York, is spending a few weeks with his father, William Sampson, of Kingsford, before going to Florida on business for the winter. Mrs. C. S. Rogers, after spending the summer at her cottage in Bath, has left for Rome, N.Y., to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) P. S. Kingsley. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McGill, Lakefield, have rented T. H. Waller's house on Robinson street. Mr. Madill will occupy the Lacey store soon. Messrs. S. Lockridge, J. R. Dafoe, Alfred Wagar and T. H. Waller are leaving for deer-hunting on Tuesday next, intending to camp on the shores of Otter Lake, about eighty miles north, where deer are said to be plentiful.

At the cheese board yesterday afternoon, 1,245 boxes of cheese were boarded, 850 white and 395 colored. All sold at 11 3/4-16c. Buyers present: Alexander, Thompson, Cleall, Van Luven, Bissell and McKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neilson, Wilton, are happy over the arrival last week of a son and heir. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson, Port Hope, see Miss Lottie Aber, have also a son, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Wagar have their home brightened by the arrival of a little daughter this week.

Miss Mabel Duckworth, Toronto, is

Tell Me Who Needs Help. Just a Postal--That is All.

No money is wanted—not from you nor from him. I ask only a postal card, and I ask it as an act of humanity.

Then I will do this:—I will send the sick one an order—good at any drug store—for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. He may take it a month at my risk. If it succeeds, the cost is \$5.50. If it fails, I will pay the druggist myself. And the sick one's mere word shall decide it.

Could I meet you—for even ten minutes—I would forever convince you that I have what these sick ones need. More than that, they must have it, for most of them can never get well without it.

But I can meet only a few, so I take this means to convince you. I let you take it a month to prove what it can do; and you can pay, or I will pay, just as you decide.

I have found the cured ones fair. In the past 12 years I have furnished my Restorative to hundreds of thousands on those terms, and 39 out of each 40 have paid—and paid gladly—because they were cured. I will pay just as willingly if you say I have failed.

My Restorative is the result of my lifetime's work in learning how to strengthen the inside nerve.

I don't doctor the organs, but I bring back the nerve power which alone operates every vital organ. I give the weak organ power to do its duty, as you would give a weak engine more steam.

My way never fails save when a cause-like cancer—makes a cure impossible. No case is too difficult, for I have watched the remedy succeed in the most desperate cases that physicians ever meet.

You know some sick one who would be well with my help. Won't you let me furnish that help?

Simply state which book you want, and address Dr. Shoop, Box 40, Racine, Wis.

Book No. 1 on Dyspepsia. Book No. 2 on the Heart. Book No. 3 on the Kidneys. Book No. 4 for Women. Book No. 5 for Men (sealed). Book No. 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. At all drugists.

the guest of her cousin, Miss Florence Ming, John street, W. A. Rockwell has returned from a month's stay in Chicago. Mrs. C. A. Graham has returned from a couple of weeks' visit with her sister at Concession.

PRIEST INVENTS AN AIRSHIP.

Says it Can Travel 100 Miles an Hour in Safety.

Denver, Col., Oct. 25.—Rev. Felix M. Pypore, pastor of Mount Carmel Italian church, is the inventor of a flying machine, which he declares will revolutionize the present mode of travel and warfare, and is as free from danger as the present day locomotives. It is said that the priest's plans have attracted the attention of eastern capitalists, who have promised to advance the \$20,000 needed for the construction of the machine. Father Lepore says his airship can attain a speed of 100 miles an hour, and can be made bullet-proof. He is the inventor of a fire escape, a hospital bed and a life preserver, all of value.

"Bibby's," Oak Hall, "Bibby's." New collars, 2 for 25c. The H. D. Bibby Co.

Dry Goods R. WALDRON Dry Goods Corner Wellington and Brock Streets, Kingston, Ont.

Mannish Gloves for Women. When we say Mannish we mean in every way but the size, Heavy Pique, Sewn, Special Cut, Dome fasteners, Welted Seams. No wear out to these splendid makes. CAPE, TAN KIDS—All sizes, \$1, \$1.25. MOCCA GLOVES—Tans and Greys, \$1.25. We guarantee these gloves.

Blankets. The manufacturer tells us that we are simply throwing the goods away at these prices. They cannot give us the same goods, again at such low figures. Well, it is our loss or, rather, your gain. PURE WOOL WHITE BLANKETS—In every size, for single and double beds. Made of Extra quality Fleece Wool, thoroughly scoured and cleaned; Free from all odor, beautiful pink and blue borders, which will not run when washed. Special Sale 20 Per Cent. Off Regular Prices

Cloakings. Whenever we do pay as much for goods as others our profits are less. We invariably buy direct from the manufacturer, thereby saving the wholesaler's profits. ENGLISH BEAVER CLOAKINGS—In all the newest shades of furs, castors, browns, blues, greens, black, etc., heavy soft finish, far superior to anything usually shown at the prices, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25. HEAVY CHECKED BACK GREY COATINGS—Can be used without lining for coat or skirt, warranted pure wool, splendid shades, regular \$2, yard, for \$1.50 yard. ENGLISH MADE WIRE FINISH BEAVERS—Navy and black, warranted absolutely pure wool and thoroughly shrunken, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50.

Bed Spreads. HEAVY CROCHET BED SPREADS—Pure white, finished on edges ready for use, single bed sizes, 75c. For double beds finished with new overlocked stitch, will not ravel, 93c., \$1.15, \$1.25. Extra large sizes, \$1.50 each.

Underclothing. Many men know absolutely nothing about underwear. They buy the first thing they see and grumble afterwards. Others allow their wives (if they have one) to purchase it, which is wise, for a woman in nine cases out of ten knows more than a man about these things. Send your wife, but if you haven't one come in yourself and we will be pleased to show you our goods. MEN'S FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR—Wool lined, our regular 90c. and \$1 shirts and drawers for 50c. each. MEN'S LAMB'S WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—Very soft qualities, sizes, 32-44 inches, no irritation, very even seams, 50c., 60c., 75c., 80c., 90c., \$1. MEN'S NATURAL WOOL SHIRTS AND DRAWERS—These are pure wool and guaranteed not to shrink, a label on every garment \$1, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.35 each. TUMBULL'S CELEBRATED FULL FASHIONED UNDERWEAR—You simply can't wear it out. Knitted to fit like a stocking, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50.

Towelings. A table of remnants comprising Irish Glass Linens, Russian Crash, Dowlas, Huck and Butcher's Linens, in lengths from 1 1/2 to 7 yards long. You may obtain these goods again but never at these prices, which are equal to fully 25 p.c. off regular quotations.

Flannels. EIDER FLANNEL—Suitable for dressing sacks and house wrappers, in shades of pink, blue, cardinal, white and fancy designs, 27 in. wide, only 45c. yard. 54 in. wide, extra soft, 75c., 90c. yard. FLANNEL SHEETING—White only, 72 in. wide, warranted not to shrink, splendid quality for wear, at 75c. yard. TABLE PADDING—Extra heavy and extra wide, very soft finish, only 60c. yard.

Underskirts. With umbrella frills, extremely wide widths, made of good quality black sateen, lined and unlined, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.60, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25.

Dress Goods. If goods could talk what speeches they would make. A great number of them almost speak. Every dress you wear—show plainly they proclaim what they are. You can be sure that we are careful of our dress goods and what we sell you. BLACK CAMEL'S HAIR—50 inches wide, all pure wool, made from very soft French yarn, long hairy effects. For skirt and suit, an excellent article, only \$1.10 a yard. ENGLISH ZIRELINE SUITING—Black, Grey, Blue, with fine white hair line effect, 54 in. wide, suitable weight for fall suits, only \$1.50 yard. ENGLISH VENETIAN SUITINGS—54 inches wide, heavy weight, fine broadcloth finish. There is no wear out to these goods. Splendid quality at \$1.50 yard. NAVY AND BLACK ENGLISH CHEVIOTS—Go where you wish, you will not find anything superior to these goods, heavy and light weights, 54 inches, all pure wool, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50 yard.

Pillows and Cushions. You will buy more of these pillows if you take one as a sample. They are right, both inside and outside. No odor. Real soft quality, splendidly made. CUSHIONS—18 x 18, 20 x 20, 22 x 22, 24 x 24. Prices 33c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 70c., 80c., 90c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.40. COSIES—The very best ones, 35c., 50c., 60c. FEATHER PILLOWS—Filled with the real article, pure arctic down, thoroughly cured and cleaned, good sensible sizes, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.80.

Stockings. The only ill-fitting thing about these stockings is the price. The qualities are far and away above anything ever shown at such absurdly low prices. BOYS' CAN'T TEAR STOCKINGS—Made from hard finished Scotch yarn, fashioned leg, double feet. All sizes, 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., pair. GIRLS' WEAR WELL CASHMERE STOCKINGS—In both fine and heavy ribbed style, double on knees and feet, knit to fit every part of the leg, good color, 30c., 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., 60c. LADIES' PLAIN CASHMERE—The celebrated make. Equal to what others ask 50c. for. Our price, 35c., or 3 pairs for \$1. LADIES' EXTRA ELASTIC CASHMERE STOCKINGS—A splendid article, very soft finish, 50c., 60c. pair. MEN'S CASHMERE SOCKS.—Both light and heavy qualities, all sizes, up to 12 inches, 25c., 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., 60c.