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MISS E. A. RICHARDSON NEW YEAR'S DAY BRIDE

The Groom Was Thomas A. McGinnis, of Medicine Hat—There Was a Very Fashionable Gathering of Guests.

"Alwington," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Richardson, was the scene of a very fashionable gathering on New Year's morning, the occasion being the marriage of the eldest daughter, Elizabeth Alice, to Thomas Alexander, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGinnis, Belleville, Rev. Alfred Brown, pastor of Spynham Street Methodist church, officiated.

A profusion of evergreen and Christmas decorations of holly, were everywhere, and in the drawing room where the ceremony was performed quantities of red and white carnations and lilies added greatly to the decorative scheme.

Archie's orchestra, which was stationed in the hall, played the wedding march from Lohengrin, as the bridal party entered.

The bride, who was given away by her father, looked particularly well in her beautiful wedding gown of heavy white charmesse tulle, richly draped with rose point lace on the bodice and skirt. Her veil of Brussels point lace, which was arranged in a Juliet over her pretty dark hair, was held in place by a circle of orange blossoms, and fell in soft folds to the hem of her gown. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley, and her only ornament was the groom's gift, a diamond and platinum pendant.

The bridesmaids, Miss Eva Richardson, and Miss Ella McGinnis, wore exceedingly lovely gowns of pale blue and pale pink and charmesse with tulle of Dresden chiffon and crystal and pearl trimming. Their picture hats of black panne velvet and maline were wreathed with dainty forget-me-nots and roses and finished with streamers of tulle. Each carried an armful of pink roses and their gifts from the groom were gold bar pins set with pearls. The groomsmen were Edmund Malloch, of Hamilton.

The wedding breakfast was served at quartette tables in the dining-room, where pink and white carnations and lilies were the flowers used for decorations.

The bride's table was centred by the wedding cake, surrounded by billowy tulle, and at each side of it white carnations were most artistically arranged in tall crystal vases.

Amid showers of confetti and good wishes Mr. and Mrs. McGinnis left on the noon train for their western home, in Medicine Hat, the bride travelling in a grey cheviot suit with hat to match, and wearing sable furs. Mrs. Richardson, the bride's mother, wore a handsome gown of black charmesse with white lace tulle and trimmings of silver cloth and orange bouquet of orchids and lily of the valley.

Mrs. McGinnis, mother of the groom, wore pale gray charmesse trimmed with rose point and bouquet of pink roses.

Mrs. Mabel Richardson, pretty gown of rose charmesse, tulle of the same shade of brocade, of crepe de chine and rose point lace. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Playfair, of Midland; Mrs. Glass, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Sims, of Montreal; Mrs. E. H. Marvin, Syracuse; Mrs. D. D. Calvin, Toronto; Mr. Tannahill, Belleville.

NICKLE & FARRELL
Old Law Firm of Macdonnell & Farrell Has Been Dissolved.

J. M. Farrell, police magistrate on Friday joined hands with W. F. Nickle, K.C., in law practice, under the name of Nickle & Farrell, thus dissolving the old law firm of Macdonnell & Farrell. Farrell has been with Mr. Macdonnell for twenty years. This firm was formerly known as Macdonnell & Mudie, the late John Mudie being Mr. Macdonnell's partner till the summer of 1883, and Mr. Farrell joined the following fall. The office which Mr. Farrell has just entered was formerly known as that of Kirkpatrick, Rogers & Nickle.

At Mount Clemens, Mich. E. B. Bailey, Kingston, has been spending a few days at Mount Clemens, Mich., where Mrs. Bailey and daughter have been stopping for the past three months. Incidentally, Mr. Bailey has been taking a few of their baths himself, chiefly to try the effects of that water. A few years ago he had the misfortune to freeze his toes and the recently heard that another man had cured his frost-bitten toes by the use of this black water from the baths. He expects to try it.

The Taming of the Duck A wild duck has taken up residence on Union street and is becoming quite tame. It appears that yesterday it was seen by Mrs. Joan Baunister flying quite close to the ground. She followed it a short distance and captured it. It is reported that it is becoming quite tame.

Dined at the Frontenac On the evening of Dec. 31st a delightful time was spent by a party of twenty prominent citizens and their wives to dine in the new year. The event, which took the form of a midnight supper, was given by M. P. Ryan, Toronto.

Left in 1914 This Year Left in 1914 begins on Ash Wednesday, which is Feb. 25th. Good Friday follows on April 10th, with Easter Sunday on April 12th. Last year left opened on Feb. 5th, and closed on Sunday, March 29th.

Did Not Make Trip The steamer Wanderer did not make the trip over Cape Vincent on the holiday. Steam raising from the water made navigation very dangerous and as a result the vessel had to stay over at the cape all day.

Workingmen are urged to support Marshall P. Reid as alderman in Victoria ward.

HUSBAND AND WIFE BEFORE POLICE MAGISTRATE.

Hubby Was Charged With Assault, But the Charge Was Dismissed—Couple Willing to Live Apart and Divide Proceeds of Sale of Household Goods.

The married life of Henry Leslie and his wife, Margaret Leslie, has not been very pleasant. They cannot get along well together, and the advice that Magistrate Farrell gave them in the police court on Friday morning, was that they should separate. And it is likely that they will. They have a home, and it is likely that everything will be sold and the proceeds divided equally between the two.

Mrs. Leslie had her husband summoned on a charge of assault. She claimed that every time he was drinking he abused her. New Year's day while she was gathering in some clothes off the line, she said that he struck her in the face. Last Saturday he accused her of stealing money out of his pocket, when he had also threatened to kill him.

"Christmas day I put a goose in the oven, and when it was ready he would not let me take it out," she continued. "As a result the goose was spoiled, and we had no dinner outside of a little cabbage. Every time he gets drunk he abuses me."

Another sad part of the story, was in the presence of a fourteen-year-old son of the couple. He told about his father drinking. He said his father had been cross to him all day Christmas and that he had threatened to kill him. Leslie denied having assaulted his wife, and stated that it was her conduct towards him that caused all the trouble. He declared that she had thrown cups and saucers and other things at him, and that she had a very bad temper. He had often left the house in order to avoid a row. His wife had made the threat that she would have him sent to the penitentiary.

Leslie also charged his wife with drinking, and said that when she was drinking she was very aggravating. The magistrate, in summing up, stated that he would dismiss the charge against Leslie, but would advise that the couple separate. The husband told the court that he was willing to have an equal division made of the proceeds of their household goods. Mrs. Leslie also agreed, and stated that she was able to earn her own living.

Charged With Theft

Spotted George West, wearing a fine coat, on the downtown street on New Year's day, he identified it as one belonging to John McDonald, who lives in Frontenac county. In fact the coat came up to the description so well, that he took West to the coat coat to the police station, and later a charge of theft was preferred against West. McDonald lost his coat from the Whitney hotel yards a month ago. The case was to have been heard in the police court on Friday morning, but owing to the fact that McDonald did not appear, the case was adjourned to Monday.

West pleaded not "guilty," and when asked where he secured the coat, stated that he bought it from a man named Jones, near the corner of Bagot and Queen street. He thought Jones lived in Toronto. That he would make good if placed on the "prohibited list," was the statement of Joseph Atkins, well up in years and who should know better than to hit it unso hard. He will be given a chance to do what is right, as the magistrate decided to have him enrolled with Inspector Clark Welch.

George West, whose case was ad-

Journal until Monday, came up at a special session, on Friday afternoon, was found guilty by Magistrate Farrell, and sentenced to two months in jail.

PRESENTATION TO MRS. BETTS. St. Luke's Choir Gave Her a Silk Umbrella.

On New Year's eve a considerable detachment of St. Luke's choir, which included Mrs. Pardoe, Mrs. W. H. Compton, Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. I. E. Lyons visited the residence of Mrs. H. Betts who received her visitors courteously and tried not to appear surprised at what was in truth a "surprise party." After some time spent in desultory conversation, Mr. Pardoe rose from his seat with something in his hands, which looked like a glob wrapped up in paper. But the rectory explained that their invasion was not a hostile but friendly one, and both ladies and gentlemen present were a deputation from St. Luke's choir, and that he, the rector, had been asked to be their spokesman, and therefore it was his pleasing task to present Mrs. Betts with the kind regards and best wishes of the choir and all the compliments of the season, and to request her to accept what Mr. Pardoe held, as a slight token of their regard for her personally and their appreciation of her work as their instructor and leader which they all hoped she would long remain. Mr. Pardoe thereupon handed Mrs. Betts the club-like parcel, which when unwrapped proved to be a valuable silk umbrella, terminating in a gold-plated knob on which her initials were engraved.

Mrs. Betts in receiving the gift said it was so unexpected that she could not, on the spur of the moment, make any acknowledgment of the kindness of the members of the choir. However she heartily thanked them for their good wishes, and beautiful present. With much feeling she added that she loved her work in St. Luke's and was much encouraged by their appreciation of it. She felt grateful to all of them for their cordial cooperation with her in their earnest desire to render the service of praise in the church in such a way as to promote the glory of God and make glad and bright the worship of the sanctuary.

The presentation over, a pleasant hour was spent in music and song, to which Miss Gladys Caldwell, Miss Rose Compton and the Misses Johnson contributed, after which Mrs. Betts' visitors departed with mutual good wishes.

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