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### Told In Twilight

Miss Gladys Heustis, of Toronto. was the guest of honor at a Dutch luncheon at the Country Club on Tuesday, when those present Mrs. Neil C. Polson, jr., Mrs. Carlos anstens Nature's work. Used as re- Kirkgaarde, Miss Norah Macnee, Miss Isabell Waldron, Miss Rose Rogers, Miss Mary Strange, Miss Madge Dawson and Miss Susie Anglin.

Mrs. Edward Ryan and Miss Kath leen Ryan, Rockwood House, entertained informally at the tea-hour on Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Gladys Heustis, of Toronto, who the guest of Mrs. N. C. Polson, jr.,

Mrs. John Waddell, Mrs. Lester W Mrs. A. M. Squires and Mrs. F. Kirkpatrick will be the ronesses at the science dance, which is to take place in Grant Hall on Friday evening.

On Wednesday evening Professor and frs. L. W. Mulloy, of the Royal Military College, were the guests of honor at a charmingly informal evening par-

Miss Mollie Saunders, Alice street entertained informally at the tea hour on Monday, in honor of Miss Marion Hague, of Montreal.

The Dancing Club met this week at the home of Mrs. John Waddell, Earl street.

Mr. G. Y. Chown "Sunnyside" has returned from Montreal. Major G. H. Gillespie is in Col-

Miss Hume, Seymour, is visiting Mrs. W. Glidden, Brock street. Mr. K. N. Fenwick, Belvidere Ap-

Miss Hilda Hague, University Avenue, will leave the end of the week for Chicago to spend Christ-Miss Lucy Scott of Napanee is the

guest of Miss Flora Abernethy, Al-Miss Hilda Calvin, Miss Margaret Cunningham and Miss Ethel Kent who were attending school in Toronto, will be home this week spend the Christmas holidays.

The patronesses at the Collegiate At Home next week will be, Mrs. E. O. Sliter, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Henstridge, Miss H. L. Chown, Miss Thempson and Miss Watt, Misses Ethel and Lorrine Minnes of Montreal will be Mrs. W. T. Minnes', guest at "Hillcroft" for the Christmas holidays.

Brockville yesterday after spending one hundred men during the a day or two in town Miss Macaulay, King street, left yesterday for Stratford to spend the Christmas holidays with Mr. and

Mrs. C. C. Abbott. Mrs. E. S. Sheppard and Miss Zena Sheppard, (formerly of Gananoque) who have been the guests of Mrs. Gardiner, Frontenac street, left on

Monday to join Mr. Sheppard in Chi-Mr. and Mrs. James McCabe and their two children, Frontenac street, will leave on Friday for Perth Amboy, N.Y., where they will spend

Miss Elsie Saunders, of Ottawa, will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. K. M. Saunders, Alice

Miss Ewing Macfarlane, of Ottawa, Many Attended Celebration of Relig- Friday. is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Slater, Barrie street.

Miss Marjorie Uglow, who is tending Branksome Hall, in Toronto, will come home the latter part of the week to spend her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Uglow,

Miss Dorothy Record, of Minneapolis, arrived in town to-day to visit Mrs. Neil C. Polson, jr., Stewart

Mr. and Mrs. James Leslie and Miss Edith Leslie, of Montreal, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. David

Laidlaw, Earl street. Miss Isabel Waldron, King street, returned home on Saturday after an absence of three months in Toronto.

ton, is the guest of her grandmother. | ducted at her home on Tuesday af-Mrs. John Fraser, King street, and will be here until after Christmas. Miss Phyllis Plummer, who is attending Queen's, will leave for her home in Stratford, for Christmas, on

Dr. James Polson, of New York will spend Christmas day in town with Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Polson, University avenue. Mr. Donald M. McIntyre was The mild weather of town from Toronto with the Misses

Mrs. William Skinner expects left us with too many spend the Christmas holidays in Syra- fatal accident occurred Saturday euse, N. Y., with Mr. and Mrs. E. H Marvin and Mr. Lyman Skinner.

McIntyre, Johnson street, for the

on Tuesday. out and that right now. Napanee on Tuesday after spending the week-end in town with Miss Mary

Miss Calandar and Miss Thompson arrived from Scotland on Monday and have taken rooms at 27 Welling-

Miss Isabel Macdonald, who he Miss Agnes Machar's gues. present, a suit or a coat. for a week, returned to Gananoque Judge Madden was in town from Napasee on Tuesday.

Mrs. Belthouse and Miss Agnes Bellhouse will leave on Friday for Hamilton where they will visit relatives until after Christmas.

Mr. Ross Tuttle, of Tweed, will come to town for the science dance on Friday evening.

Clarke Wright, will leave on Friday for Toronto, where they will spend Austrian Poles Urged to Use Influence Christmas. They will return to Kingston for New Year's.

will go to Belleville for Christmas, published in a Polish newspaper

Browne and Miss Ethelwyn Mac- reference to Germany gowan, who are in Belleville attending St. Agnes College, are expected mas holidays.

street, will return to Toronto Thursday.

Miss Fraser; of Albany, N. Y., will Austria. spend Christmas with her sister Mrs. G. M. Campbell, Emily street. Miss Blanche Kent, of Montreal is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Noel | & Kent, King street, and will be here & until after Christmas.

come down on Friday for the science & Globe and just elected the presdance at Queen's, and will spend the | dent of the Imperial Bank died 4 week-end with Miss Dorothy Good- 4 at 4:10 a. m. win. Alice street. Mr. John Aird, of Toronto, spent | \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* the week-end in town,

SUNDAY SCHOOL BASKETBALL Brock Street Methodist Defeated St

Andrew's, 40 to 30. Brock Street Methodist Sunday School basketball team, on Tuesday evening, saved itself from being

ship, by defeating St. Andrew's by 40 to 30. At half time the tally stood 27 to 15, in its favor. Had the Presbyterians won this game, the Methodists would have been down and out, thereby allowing Bethel to take th

It was Brock Street's superb com bination that won the game. The referee, Mr. Hill, had to draw this team's attention to its rough work several times, for which it had to pay the penalty of allowing St. An: drew's free throws. By these tactics the Methodists only opened the way for the Presbyterians to score The umpire was Roy Moore,

ne-up of the teams Brock Street-Forwards, M. McConnell, F. Pound; centre, F. Reid; deiense, D. Pound, J. Burtch. St. Andrew's-Forwards, C. Baiden, II. Holder; centre, G. Fleming; lense, R. Day, W. Bearance.

MONTREAL DROPS 100 MEN. c9 of Engineering Staff, 37 Fire Inspectors Dismissed.

Montreal, Dec. minutes' meeting the Board of Control decided to notify thirty-seven fire inspectors that their services would not be required after the end of the ear. On Friday the board to dispense with the services of sixty-nine members of the city engi-Mrs. W. F. Jackson returned to neering staff, thus dismissing over

> GERMANY BANS ALCOHOL Liquors Must Not Be

Berne, Dec. 16 .- A German army order just issued forbids alcoholi drinks being sent to troops on the field. Such drinks already sent are forwarded to the hospitals. The general staff appeals to the public to encourage temperance among sold

General von Hindenberg has asked that as many ambulance dogs as possible te sent to the East Pfussian army corps.

LEAVE FOR HEBREWS.

London, Dec. 16,-All possible facilities were given to the Hebrew members of the Canadian contingent this week-end to attend the special [arisen as a result of the war, and services in connection with their religious feast at Hanukah. About 200 availed themselves of the leave granted, and a large proportion of these attended the parade service to Hammersmith Synagogue on Sunday.

Sydenham Budget. Sydenham, Dec. 14.-The many mark and Norway regarding a riends of the late Helier Pappa, of Sharbot Lake, a former high school pupil, were saddened to hear of his sudden death while skating at Renfrew. N McEuchron, principal of the high school, was recently call- Everything Possible Done For Sick ed to Toronto to attend the funeral of his brother. The funeral service Mrs. Robert Heathcote, of Edmon- of the late Miss Etta Wood was conternoon by Rev F. Tripp and was largely attended. The friends of H Thomas will be glad to hear of his slight improvement. The condition of M. Garvin is still very low. The Sunday schools of the Methodist and English churches are practising for few days. The lake is frozen over sicians and nurses were doing spler along the shores and many are try- did work. ing it. What might have proved a afternoon when Master Harold Clark, of Battersea, broke through the ice while skating on Sydenham Lake. Several boys near at hand assisted in getting him out.

At Lavant Station Lavant Station, Dec. 14.—Miss Elsia
F. Lee spent last week with friends in Kingston. Arthur Jacob, C.P.R., operator, and Miss Minnie Jacob, Ottawa, are visiting their parents here.
Miss Pearl Horne has returned to A. E. Jackson's, after a visit with her parents at Poland. John E. Lee visited at W. W. Roche's on Sunday. ited at W. W. Roche's on Sunday.
The young people have been enjoying skating on Beaver lake for the last two weeks, but the storm on Sunday spoiled their enjoyment. Mr. Brown, of Queen's University, conducted the

Mr. Ross Tuttle, of Tweed, will died at Los Angeles, Cal. He leaves a widow, a daughter, Mrs. George Garratt, Wellington, and two sons: He was a member of the Friends Society.

For Separate Peace. Lemberg, Galicia, Dec. 16.-M. Mer-Mr. and Mrs. T. G. McGinnis and unavitch, an influential member of the their baby, of Philipsburg, Quebec, Polish delegation, has caused to be coming to Kingston later to spend Lemberg a request to Poles in court, the new year with Mr. and Mrs. H. diplomatic and government circles at W. Richardson, "Alwington," Kings- Vienna, to exert all of their influence clusion of a separate peace agreement Miss Barbara Bidwell, Miss Doris between Austria and Russia, without

In his announcement, M. Merunovitch states that it is the sacred duty home this week to spend the Christ- of the Polish aristocracy to take this etep in view of the future interests Miss Gladys Heustis, who is visit- of Austria and Poland. He expressing Mrs. N. C. Polson, jr., Stuart es the opinion that the present time on offers a favorable opportunity for the conclusion of peace with honor for

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A SENATOR DEAD.

Miss Cecily Mann, of Toronto, will + Robert Jaffray, president of the +

THE TOWN OF GANANOQUE.

Skating Rink For Boys' Commun-

ity Movement. Gananoque, Dec. 16 .- The statutory session of the town council for the presentation of the financial statement of the year was held in the council chamber last evening. Through the efforts of those interested in the Boys' Community Movement an open skating rink is an assured fact for this winter. It will be tocated in the rear of the

Winter has set in for this season with a rush, the snow fall the early part of the week being about fifteen inches. The sleighing in the rural districts is reported as excellent. Earl Cummings, who has been located here for some time past, has returned to his home in Yarker.



DR. KARL LIEBNECHT The German socialist member of Reichstag, who was the only one to lote against the war credit at the re-cent session of the Reichstag, and who charges the German war party with

KINGS TO DISCUSS WAR.

Will Consider Guarantees of Their States' Independence, Copenhagen, Dec. 16.—By invita-tion of King Gustav, of Sweden, King Haakon of Norway and King Frederick of Denmark will visit him at Maimo, southern Sweden, next

The three kings will be accompanied by their ministers of foreign affairs and secretaries, and will discuss affairs of common interest which have especially measures for helping the economical situation in Scandinavia. London, Dec. 16.-A Petrograd despatch to the Daily News says that the systematic attempts on the part of Germany to force Sweden into the German camp had led the Stockholm cabinet to consult with formula for guaranteeing their posi-

tion and independence. FRENCH TROOPS HEALTHY.

And Wounded.

London, Dec. 16 .- Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney arrived in London last night rom France. She will sail for Amrica on Wednesday on the Lusitania.

"I am going to spend Christmas and will return immediately after the holidays." She said that the health of French troops was very good, and their Christmas entertainments, everything was being done to care Among the recent visitors are: Mrs. for the sick and wounded. Speaking Bell visiting at Standard Guess', about American assistance, she add-Kepler; Miss Abbott spending her ed: "The French are very grateful holidays at Northbrook; Myron Lake for what America is doing." Mrs. with his mother, Mrs. C. Lake for a Whitney said that the American phy

WATCH GERMAN WIRELESS.

Station Set Up By British to Check Former's Whereabouts. London, Dec. 16. At Cromer, the Norfolk coast, the British .gov ernment has fitted up on a gentle-man's estate a wireless station, which

to take. Work every time, 25c. William town.

PROBS.—Fair and decidedly cold to-day and on Thursday.

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