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Mrs. R. J. Rodger, regent of La Salle Chapter, I.O.D.E., gave her house on Earl street for a bridge on Tuesday evening, in aid of the funds of the chapter. Mrs. Rodger received the guests, and Mrs. T. M. Asseltine was in charge of the bridge, with Mrs. G. A. Robinson, Mrs. R. N. F. McFarlane, Mrs. Matthew Graham and Mrs. C. H. Boyes as her committee. Refreshments were served during the evening by a committee, of which Mrs. Thomas Slater was convener and which included Mrs. Henry Wilkinson, Mrs. John Donnelly and Mrs. W. A. Sawyer. The charming rooms were lit by rose-shaded lights, and gay with palms and spring flowers. Mr. and Mrs. William Linton were the prize winners.

Several luncheons, teas and dinners will be given to-morrow in honor of St. Patrick, and of old Ireland, whose sons and daughters love her none the less for the evil days that have fallen upon her, and will wear the shamrock no less proudly, but with the earnest hope that before another 17th of March brighter days may have dawned for "Erin's Green Isle."

Lt.-Col. D. Douglas Young, who has lately returned from Siberia, is with his parents, Col. and Mrs. D. Young, King street, Col. Young, like many of the officers who have seen service in the great war, has learned in the rest camps the art of acting, and was a valuable addition to "Ye Higgins Family" company of players.

Mrs. W. A. Jones, University avenue, was the hostess at a bright little tea on Friday afternoon, in her charming rooms, lovely with ferns and rose-shaded lights. Mrs. Russell Derry made the tea and Miss Gwendolyn Hood assisted her sister in receiving.

Mrs. Archibald Young, Union street, asked a few old friends to come in at the tea hour on Tuesday for a chat and a cup of tea in her cosy drawing-room.

Mrs. T. D. R. Hemming, King street, entertained the Bridge Club, of which she is a member, on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. R. J. Rodger, Earl street, will entertain at tea on Thursday for Mrs. Charles Douglas, Ottawa.

Mrs. Philip Gilbert, Toronto, is leaving on a short visit to the Clinton Inn, Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kincaid and grandson, Kingston, were in Athens for a few days.

Miss Joan Arnold, national president of the I.O.D.E., will come down from Toronto this week and will be the guest of Col. and Mrs. Norman Lesalle, Emily street.

Prof. Louis King, Montreal, who is taking a course at Queen's University, is at the Chateau Belvidere.

The Harrier Club will give the social evening of the week in Grant Hall on Thursday.

Miss Grace Martin, Clergy street, went to Montreal on Tuesday to visit Mrs. A. H. Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nickle, Earl street, and Miss Helen Nicol, Catteraqui, left on Tuesday for Montreal.

Canon Scott Howard and Mrs. Howard, Toronto, came for the assault-at-arms, and were the guests of their son, Cadet Howard, at the Chateau Belvidere.

Miss Isabel and Miss Grace Mooers, Bishop Strachan's school, Toronto, are with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mooers, Barrie street.

Mrs. G. Prager has returned from Toronto, where she attended the

supreme circle of the O.C.H.C. While there she was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Harold Palmeter, Quebec avenue.

The Dean of Ontario went up to Toronto on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Milsap, who was a visitor in town for several days this week, has returned to Napanee.

Henry FitzHugh, Ottawa, whose son, Cadet FitzHugh, was one of those taking part in the assault-at-arms, was in town for the event. J. Earnest Hodgins came down from Toronto to spend the week-end with Cadet Hodgins and was at the Chateau Belvidere.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews and Mrs. Jack Dennison, Beverley street, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. E. Rea, 701 Shaw street, Toronto.

Miss Doris Spackman, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robertson, Sydenham street, will return to Montreal this week.

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CROPS NOT YET INJURED

Only Heavy Frosts at Night Would Affect the Fields.

Farmers in the Kingston district, when asked by the Whig if the open winter would have any effect on the crop this year, stated that providing there is no severe frost during March, everything should be alright. During the winter there has been very little snow in this section of the country, but the farmers expect that their crops will be as good as usual. Several farmers stated that the worst thing would be if there was very heavy frost at nights, followed by warmer weather. Frosts at nights will have a serious effect on the meadows and clover fields.

Some of the old time farmers state that this is a record winter in the history of the county of Frontenac. In the years past, there has been open winters, but the farmers have had some snow in their woods to assist them in drawing the timber to the saw mills. In certain sections of the country, the farmers who were compelled to cut timber were forced to use wagons to draw it to the mills. In some cases motor trucks have also been pushed into service.

Farmers, who are owners of maple bushes, report that there they are somewhat handicapped on account of the absence of snow. The maple syrup men want lots of cold nights and then warm days.

George Brooks, Pitsburg, who served overseas with the Canadian Artillery and who is in charge of all the farms in the five counties surrounding Kingston, which have been sold to returned soldiers under the Land Settlement Act, states that the men who have purchased the land are making good. With a very few exceptions, the soldiers have done their best. The report of the dominion government shows that 74 per cent. of the money which was owing on the farms last year was paid. In Mr. Brooks' district, there are about one hundred soldiers on government land.

When asked if the government was doing anything for men from the British Isles who had served in the Imperial forces, Mr. Brooks stated that they were being given every encouragement to come to Canada and take up land. Last week four men arrived in Napanee, and he was able to place them with some good farmers. Before any of these men are given a chance to take a farm of their own, they must serve one year apprenticeship with a Canadian farmer. At the end of the year, if the farmer with whom they worked is willing to state that these men are fully accustomed to the Canadian ways of farming, they are given land under the Soldiers' Land Settlement Act. It is expected that a number of men will arrive from the old country this spring.

Mr. Brooks referred to the case of a returned man named Whalen, who had secured a farm out near Catteraqui and due to a war disability had died recently. He suffered from gas poisoning which he received while in service in France. During the time this man was on the land, he had made exceptionally good. When one payment was due he was able to pay the government twice as much as he was asked. At the present time there there is a good supply of grain, etc., in the barns.

Old Brockville People Married
William H. Stuart, Chicago, election commissioner, and Mrs. Ethel Sullivan, widow of Assistant State's Attorney Michael F. Sullivan, were married at the Edgewater Beach hotel. "Bill" Stuart, as he is familiarly known in political and newspaper circles, and Sullivan, who died a little over a year ago, were warm political friends. Both Mr. Stuart and his bride, twenty years his junior, were born in Brockville, Ont. Mr. Stuart was divorced a year ago. He has a son twenty-two years old.

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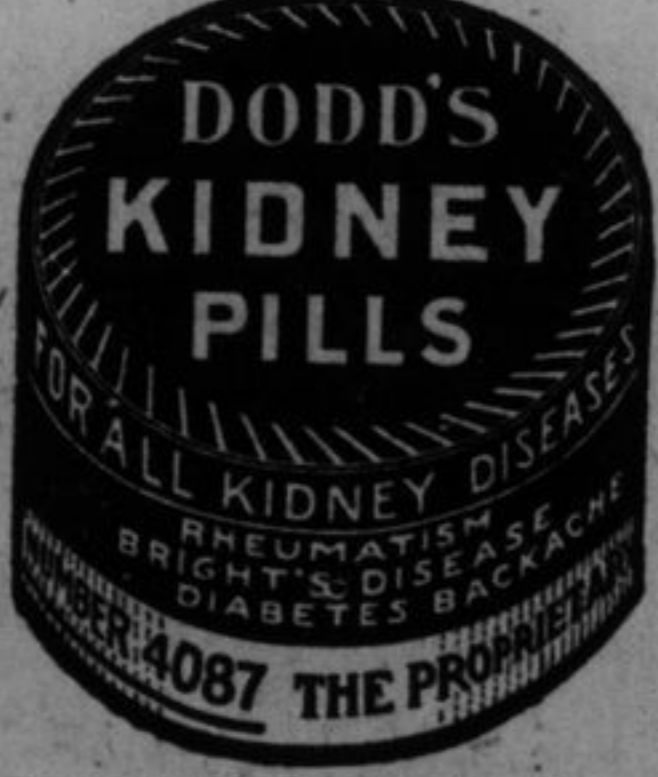
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