

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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Mauve and white chrysanthemums, softly-shaded lights and a bright fire added their attractions to the charming drawing room where Mrs. Norman Leslie, Emily Street, received her guests when she entertained at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon. After a few words with the hostess, who was smartly frocked in grey crepe and chiffon, the guests passed on to receive a kindly greeting from Mrs. Dever, and then into the tea room where the yellow color scheme was carried out in the gorgeous chrysanthemums in a bronze bowl which centered the tea table and in the yellow shades of the candles. Mrs. R. W. Rutherford and Mrs. J. H. Elmsley poured tea and coffee and Mrs. Wurtelle cut the loaves. The assistantes were Mrs. Francis Macnee, Mrs. Francis Constantine, Mrs. T. B. Callender, Mrs. W. R. P. Bridger, Mrs. Erik Greenwood, Mrs. Garnet Greer, Mrs. Noel Carr, Mrs. R. J. Leach, Mrs. Rhoda Wurtelle and Miss Loretta Swift.

Miss Olive Woodman, Earl street, gave a prettily arranged cup and saucer shower on Tuesday evening for her cousin, Miss Grace Michas, Pittsburg, who is a December bride-elect. Pink streamers caught to the centre of the drawing-room ended in a hidden spot and were found by the guest of honor to be tied to a pretty gift. Music and games, with a dainty supper, were the further attractions of this pleasant party.

Mrs. S. R. Bailey, Kensington avenue, entertained at the tea hour on Friday when her guests had the pleasure of meeting Mrs. T. F. Harrison, Cobourg.

Mrs. Francis King and Miss Lewis, St. Lawrence avenue, will receive on Friday, Nov. 23rd, and afterwards on the third and fourth Friday of each month.

The L. C. Reading Club met at the Commandant's Quarters, Royal Military College, on Monday, when Lady Macdonell was the hostess.

Dr. Arthur W. Penso, New York, arrived today to visit his mother, Mrs. James Penso, Princess street.

Mrs. J. S. Smith, Johnson street,

gave a small tea on Monday for Mrs. T. F. Harrison.

Miss Doris MacKay, Sydenham street, is the guest of Miss Charlotte Harwood, Montreal. Miss MacKay attended the dance Mrs. Robert Starke gave last night, and will attend Mrs. Purvis McDougall's dance this evening.

Mrs. James A. Sowards, Aberdeen avenue, has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. O. B. J. Fraser, New York City.

Sir Lomer and Lady Gouin, who have been spending several months abroad, are arriving at New York today by the Majestic.

Mrs. G. A. Robinson, Alfred street, will return from a visit in Ottawa this week.

Mrs. F. B. Penso, Albert street, returned from Toronto on Monday.

Mrs. George Cummings, Vancouver, B.C., is visiting her father, John R. Maynard, Raglan Road.

Prof. and Mrs. R. O. Joffe, Frontenac street, motored to Toronto for the week-end.

Mrs. Matthew Graham, who was the guest of Mrs. A. Mackenzie, Earl street, has returned to Montreal.

Mrs. T. F. Harrison, who has been with Mrs. Oliver Chown, University avenue, left on Tuesday to join Mr. Harrison at Cobourg. They will spend several days in Toronto, before leaving for Florida, where they will spend the winter.

The Bishop of Ontario while in Peterboro is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Blagrove.

Major and Mrs. A. H. Landon, Montreal, returned home on Wednesday by the Antonia from Europe, where they spent the past three months.

Can Proverbs Be Trusted? Isn't it a curious thing that there are proverbs which say exactly the opposite thing from other proverbs? For example, read these partners:

A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush.

Nothing venture, nothing have.

What's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

One man's meat is another man's poison.

Marry in haste, repent at leisure.

Happy is the wedding that's no long in the doing of it.

Health is better than wealth.

Health without wealth is half a sickness.

Persistence kills the game.

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

Hope springs eternal in the human breast.

Hope deferred maketh the heart sick.

Do We? We can worship God in our home Sundays. Do we? We can worship God in the woods and in the fields. Do we? We can worship God on the road in the auto. Do we? We can worship God in a different church each Sunday morning. Do we? We can worship God in our lodge and neglect the church. Do we? We can worship God by sending the children to Sunday school and staying at home. Do we? We can worship God by going to church and taking the children with us. Do we?

Is Rapidly Recovering. The many friends of Miss Norma Bain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bain, Johnson street, who is a nurse-in-training at St. Joachim's hospital, Watertown, N.Y., will be pleased to learn that she is on the road to recovery after an attack of typhoid fever.

IF FITS.

It isn't the cut of the clothes that you wear. Nor the stuff out of which they are made; Though selected with taste and fastidious care And it isn't the price that you paid. It isn't the size of your pile in the bank, Nor the number of acres you own; It isn't the question of prestige or rank, Nor a question of fame or renown. It isn't the servants that come at your call; And it isn't the things you possess— Whether many, or little, or nothing at all. It is Service, that measures success.

Egyptian Brides.

In Egypt the ordinary marriage takes place at a very early age. Many of the brides are little more than ten years old and few have passed sixteen on their wedding day. Egyptian bachelors are for public opinion considered it disgraceful for a man to remain single once he has reached the marrying age.

The actual ceremony is simplicity itself. It is performed before two witnesses by a khalifa—that is one who recites the Koran.

The husband never sees his wife-to-be before the wedding night, all matter, including that of the dowry, being arranged for him.

Where the bride is a woman who has not previously been married, there are great festivities, which, in the case of the upper classes, may last as long as eleven days and nights. These rejoicings are timed to end on the eve of either Friday or Monday.

The bride is then conveyed in procession to the bridegroom's house, accompanied by her female friends, musicians and entertainers.

The Mohammedan religion allows a man four wives, but the majority of Egyptians do not take advantage of it and are content with one. The husband may, however, possess any number of concubines. They enjoy certain privileges, especially if they bear the master a son, but are under the rule of the legal wife, who usually treats them with great severity, actuated, no doubt, by feelings of jealousy.

Divorce is an easy matter. The husband has but to say, "Thou art divorced," and when this is repeated three times the separation is complete and the dowry returned.

Egyptian men exhibit a great liking for European women. Not only do they believe that marriage with them heightens their prestige, but they also know that the white wife retains her beauty and charm much longer than the Egyptian, who is past her best at twenty.

Poetry Versus Legerdemain.

This is a little story of Wilson MacDonald, the Toronto poet, famed for legerdemain as well as for verse. It is told by a writer in the Vancouver Province: I understand that in a slight of hand he is a past master. That must have been a remarkable occasion at a fashionable centre of the United States when, having been invited by a queen of society to read his poems to a very select feminine audience, the poet discovered that as soon as he began to read society began to talk. So he shut up his book, drew back his coat sleeves, and said: "Now ladies, I will show you a few legerdemain tricks." Instantly the women were all attention. Astonishing demonstrations, one after another, proved that Wilson MacDonald could make a fortune if he wanted to go on the vaudeville stage. "Oh, Mr. MacDonald," said his hostess, "why in the world did you not tell me that you could do all those lovely things."

"Why," said the poet in a cool voice, "I just keep those tricks to amuse people who have not brains enough to appreciate my poetry."

Treated The Old Folks.

The Lord-a-Hand circle of The King's Daughters gave a splendid tea on Tuesday evening, to the men and women who found refuge in the Home for the Aged. All sorts of substantial and appetizing dainties were spread on the table with ice cream as a sweet. After tea a concert was given which was much enjoyed by the old people.

All wisdom consists in this: not to think that we know what we do not know.

TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE BY GENEVIEVE KEMELB

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22.

The astral influences for this day seem to make for a change or journey of an unplanned or unexpected nature. This may be brought about by the confidence or assistance of good friends and should result in substantial advantage, with increase of business and funds as well as advancement of position. There is one sign, however, admonishing caution and a degree of preparedness against fraud or betrayal. To meet this treacherous situation, the mind may be found steady and sagacious.

Those whose birthday it is have the forecast of a change or journey of benefit with probability of success in business and the assistance of friends. It may be well to be on guard against treachery or misrepresentation. A child born on this day will be studious and profound in its mental tendencies. It will make many friends and will rise to good position.

The Editor Hears

That Miss Amy Woods, Washington, D.C., national secretary of the Woman's International League of Peace, spoke last week in Toronto in the Willard Hall. She says she was pleasantly surprised to find Canadians not the ignorant brutal people she had been led to consider them, she also made the statement that the Brock monument at Queenston was a revelation to her as she had not heard that the American forces had waged war in Canada. Miss Woods is a German-American and clearly a German sympathizer. The Toronto people naturally ask why should such an ignorant woman receive a hearing from Canadians who have many opportunities for hearing cultivated Americans speak brilliantly on topics of mutual interest.

That the women of Kingston say it is about time they followed the example of their sisters in several Canadian cities, and elected a woman alderman.

That the young girls of Kingston are preparing to help the needy at the Christmas tide. Not only have the Girls Fellowship Club of the "Y" made a good sum towards the baskets of Christmas cheer they send to the homes of our less fortunate citizens, but last week the Girl Guides of Miss Bessie Abernethy's company gave a bridge in the K. C. I. gymnasium to provide funds for a similar purpose.

That the big bazaar held by the sisters of the House of Providence has attracted crowds of visitors, who come away laden with parcels containing all sorts of pretty and useful articles.

Stars.

Why are well-known actresses and actors called "stars"? Because the word conveniently describes our idea of them. We like to divide our professions into worlds or universes, and often speak of "the legal world," "the theatrical world," and so on. Now, in our own universe we have one sun, a moon, and many bright stars. So if we wish to talk of one of the leading lights of the theatrical universe we can quite naturally call him by the name of one of the leading lights of our own universe. But unless he is the greatest of all great people in matters theatrical we can hardly call him the "sun," and to name him the "moon" (with its pale, dead light) would be hardly a compliment.

So we call him a "star," for as there are many big and bright lights in the sky, so there are numerous leading lights in the theatre. In the same way people will refer to a leading barrister as "a star of the legal world."

He Moved Some!

Counsel (examining his witness): "You say you heard the shots fired?" Witness: "Yes, sir." "How near were you to the scene of the affray?" "At the first I was about ten feet from the man who fired." "Ten feet? Well, now tell the court where you were when the second shot was fired." "I didn't measure the distance." "Speaking approximately, how far should you say?" "Well, I should think that it would be about half a mile!"

LADY ASTOR MAKES A FIGHTING SPEECH

She Enters Election Campaign With Vigorous Speech—Shafts of Repartee.

Plymouth, Nov. 21.—Lady Astor was in fine fighting form yesterday when, amid enthusiastic scenes she was again adopted as Conservative candidate for the Sutton division of Plymouth. She made a characteristic speech interspersed with those bright shafts of repartee which one becomes accustomed to expect from her. She made it clear that she had relinquished none of her claims as a social reformer. In fact, the dominating note she struck throughout was in this direction, clearly indicating that, if anything, it will be the main point of her campaign. As regards several alternatives for solving the present topsy-turvy state of the country, she laid down as her policy: giving temporary help for those who are crippled, or threatened by debased foreign currencies, or by sweated foreign labor, or by war conditions; and the development of the resources of the Empire. She declared she was out to fight the Socialist to the last ditch and leave him there. "I am not doing that out of hatred of the Socialist party," she said, "but for the great majority of working men and women of the country."

Talking about herself and Lord Astor she said it was equivalent to the country getting "tuppence for a penny," as she was in the House of Commons and Lord Astor was in the House of Lords. "If you return me," she went on, "I shall fight in the future as I have in the past, for things which will help to make this old world not a paradise, but a cleaner and kinder place."

She had never let the Empire or England down. She maintained that if America and England worked properly together the world would not want the League of Nations. "We should set the standard so high that nations would want to follow us. It is absolutely essential not only for England and America but for peace and prosperity of the civilization of the world and the two countries should work together."

Mended China

A paste made of plaster of paris and the well-beaten white of an egg will mend china so that the joint is almost invisible. The article to be mended should be thoroughly washed before it is cemented.

Stage and Street.

A stunning stage costume recently seen consists in a black velvet gown on straight lines worn with a white ermine cape lined with black velvet.

In all that we do we should avoid going contrary to nature. Every man should study his own character and constitute himself a keen judge of his own merits and demerits. While we meditate on the vault of heaven above; our own affairs appear petty and contemptible.

Miss Allen's TESTED RECIPES

No. 26

Martha's Walnut Wafers

(The California woman who sent us this recipe secured it from an old colored woman, one of a former slave revolt. It is a dainty little for most wafers.)

- 1 cupful brown sugar
1 cupful chopped walnut meats
2 eggs
1 tablespoonful melted Citrus
1/2 teaspoonful salt
1/2 teaspoonful vanilla
1/2 teaspoonful soda

Cream the Citrus, sugar and beaten eggs together. Beat until perfectly smooth. Then add the vanilla, salt, flour and walnut meats. Mix all together well. Then drop by a teaspoon into small cups in order to keep them perfectly round. Bake in a hot oven about 10 minutes.

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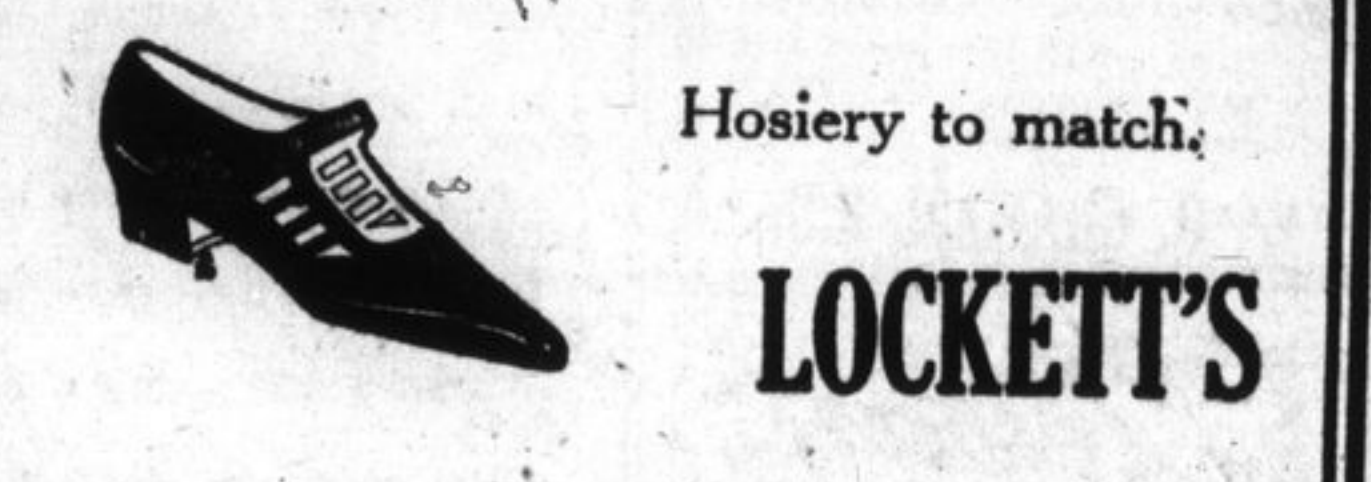
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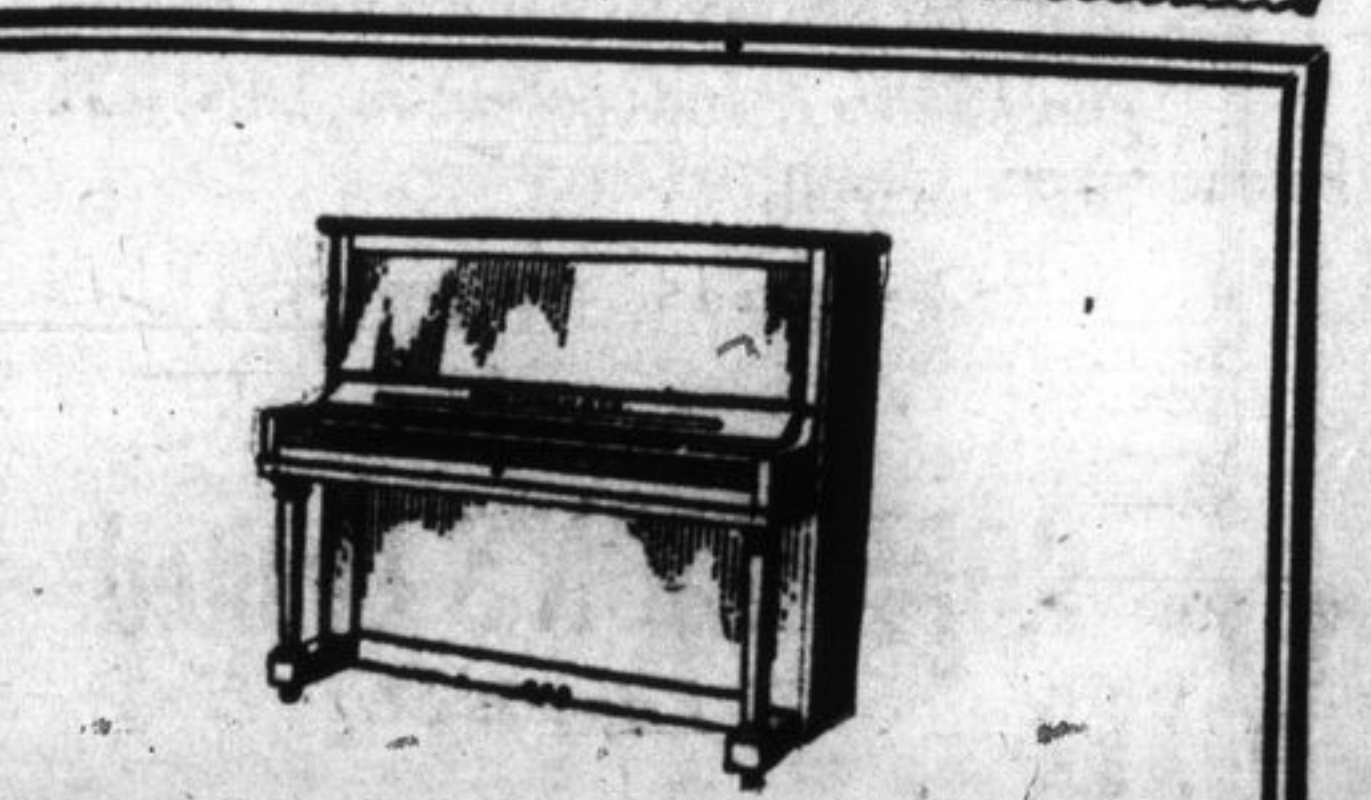
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