

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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St. George's Mission on Montreal street was crowded with buyers on Wednesday evening when the annual sale of the Sewing Circle was held. Mrs. Kershaw, the president, had a welcome for the visitors who had braved the damp to attend the sale, and Mrs. A. Hallam and Mrs. Tattersall took the admission fee at the door. The homemade cooking, for which the Sewing Circle is famous, was sold by Mrs. Newell, Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Rosch, and a fish pond, always surrounded by the little folk, was in charge of Mrs. F. Thompson, Mrs. F. Powell and Miss Mary Grey. Pretty and useful aprons were sold by Mrs. A. Jarrett, Mrs. Phillips, the vice-president, and Mrs. W. Marsh. A fancy work table with pretty articles for Christmas gifts was presided over by Miss Victoria Ryder, Mrs. Delph and Mrs. Frank Wright and sweets in pretty boxes were sold by Miss Vera Phillips and Miss Ethel Dickson. At a table centred with pink mums Mrs. Kearney Jones, Mrs. W. E. Kidd, Mrs. Delph and Mrs. Charles Dalton poured tea and coffee in turn, assisted by the members of the Circle. Mrs. K. L. Jones donated a handsome silver butter dish which was auctioned by Charles Dalton and knocked down to Rev. A. O. Cooke, rector of Barriefield. During the evening Miss Isabel Hughes sang most sweetly, and a girls' orchestra with Miss Annie Kershaw, piano, and Miss Kate Summers, mandolin, and Miss Marjorie Calkin, violin, played popular music. Rev. W. E. Kidd announced the numbers and had a cheery welcome for everyone. The Dean of Ontario also was present. The proceeds amounted to \$170.

The Wednesday meeting of the Badminton Club in the armoures was well attended, the courts were filled and several tables of bridge were in play. Among those present

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The Editor hears

That Kingston is to have the honor of a visit from Elias Carman, the New Brunswick poet who has made such a splendid contribution to Canadian verse. Mr. Carman is at present in Toronto where he has been the raison d'être of many of the events in connection with Canadian Book Week.

That unless some of the clubs are enterprising enough to bring some good musicians to Kingston, the concerts so much enjoyed during the last few seasons will not be repeated, and we will be left with the eternal jazz that drives any real music lover to distraction.

That a contemporary writes strongly on the subject of the incorrect English spoken by the pupils of the city and country schools and that children who pass examinations in many subjects cannot speak a sentence correctly. We are no better in Kingston. Only the other day a Queen's student said: "Yes, I feel pretty good," meaning "well."

That an agitation is being started to prevent the use of real fir trees for the time honored Christmas trees for the contention being that the destruction of so many small trees does serious damage to our forests. When one thinks of the hundreds of miles of forest destroyed every year by fire and the mile after mile of charred red pine passed on some of the railroads, it does seem beginning at the wrong end in the question of forest preservation to prevent the children from having the Christmas trees, which if cut with care, should be taken from a place where their absence will only give more room for the surrounding trees to grow.

That sometimes a cat says "Miau! miau!" and sometimes she says, "Why, my dear, they told me you'd been reducing! You HAVEN'T have you?"



LADY IRENE CURZON Daughter of Earl Curzon, British Foreign Minister, who will seek election to the House of Commons on December 6th.

TOMORROW'S HOROSCOPE BY GENEVIEVE KEMEL

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23. Hostile forces dominate on this day, with the lunar forces threatening all sorts of perplexity and difficulties. With the moon in opposition to three of the important planets, it may be necessary to buckle on the armor and meet the foes of astral opposition with courage and fortitude. Those in the employment of others are urged to be particularly discreet in contact with their superiors, and all are admonished to avoid speculation or other risk of finances. Sign all letters and documents with care, as Mercury is under serious affliction.

Those whose birthday it is should arm themselves for a year of conflict with the prevailing astral forces. Those in the employment of others should be carefully handled and the money should not be risked in speculation or otherwise. A child born on this day may require very early training and discipline, especially in the importance of veracity and responsibility.

For Sweet Sixteen. Avoid the habit of grumbling, convince yourself that you are not the only girl in the world who catches cold, loses her purse, or has to do disagreeable things. What will you be at seventy if the complaint of complaining has become chronic with you at seventeen!

Dowdiness no more goes hand in hand with self-respect than with goodness. You can dress as daintily and prettily as a young girl should without any loss of dignity or cheapening yourself to others.

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TOMORROW'S MENU. Breakfast Grapefruit Cereal Coffee Omelet Wholewheat Toast Luncheon Escalloped Tomatoes Wholewheat Bread Cocoa Preserves Raisin Cookies Dinner Baked Sole Potatoes Lima Beans Orange Salad Coffee Nut Layer Cake

Directions For Crocheting a Hat. Several Reader Friends have requested the following:

A. CROCHETED CHILD'S HAT: (Nine years size.) Crown: Ch. 3, join in ring, work 1 s.c. in ring. Row 2: Work 1 s.c. in each st. Row 3: 1 s.c. in first st., 2 s.c. in next st., 1 s.c. in next st., repeat from * around. Row 4: 1 s.c. in first 2 sts., * 2 c.c. in next st., 1 s.c. in next 2 sts., repeat from * around. Continue in this way, working 2 s.c. in each of the seven widening points, and having one more single crochet in each section every row till work measures nine and one-half inches in diameter. Then work 11 rows without increasing. Then decrease as follows: 1/2 Work 4 s.c. decrease next st., repeat from * till 82 sts. remain. Work 7 rows, then work brim as follows:

Brim: Work one row plain, next row increase every other st., 2 rows plain, next row increase every 4th st., work eight rows plain, working the last row over a piece of wire to hold brim out. (Materials: Two balls of four-fold Germantown, any desired color; one bone crochet hook size 6x.)

WOMAN'S INSTITUTE.

In Elm street Methodist church, Toronto, the twenty-second annual convention of Central Ontario's Women's institutes was opened on Tuesday. So large has Ontario's membership become that this province holds its annual meeting in three sections.

George A. Putnam, Superintendent of Women's Institutes of Ontario, speaking at the opening of the meeting, gave very high praise to the work of the institute, whose chief object is in bringing to the rural districts those advantages which make for the development of strong citizenship. "Home-making in the country is very difficult," said Mr. Putnam, "and I therefore wish to compliment the institute on its cultural and social activities, its power to serve, and its attempt to provide a way of better living. It has well been said," Mr. Putnam continued, "that woman's work is never done, and this applies to the work of the institutes. Their field is unlimited. Much has been accomplished already, such as demonstration courses in household science, home nursing and medical inspection of schools.

"The chief objects of the institutes should be to give the rural districts those advantages which make for the development of strong citizenship and protect the youth from destructive practices. He complimented the institutes on what they had accomplished in home efficiency, education, philanthropy, and neighborliness. The success of the organization was due to the watchword, "Service." The Women's Institutes, had established schools for grown-ups; demonstration lecture courses and three months' courses. They had formed a link for effective cooperation with Government service. In concluding, Mr. Putnam emphasized that the organization might do towards making each rural home economically sound, mechanically convenient, physically healthful, morally wholesome, artistically satisfying and socially responsible.

Fading Glory. So quietly has Madame Albani been living that a busy generation had almost counted her as dead. But word came from London that she has been teaching singing as her means are far from ample. Furthermore, the suggestion comes from high quarters that the singer who brought such fame to Canada might in her old age receive some aid from the government.

That opera life is not always "grand" was emphasized just this week by a star in the Vienna Opera. She said:

"Some European prima donnas marry, of course. Most of them do in the end. It's all right if they marry into the aristocracy and lead slightly scandalous lives and don't have any children; but a marriage for love, with children, is a certain end to a brilliant career. No matter what you say, a temperamental Salome loses half her charm if you know she's got to go home early to tend the baby. "What is there to look forward to in the end? The other day I was

LADY'S CROCHET HAT: This is made of angora wool, any desired color, and will require four balls. It is crocheted with a number four bone or celluloid crochet hook. Crown: With double thread (one thread of buff and one of brown makes a pretty combination) ch. 3, join in ring, work 1 s.c. in ring. Row 2: Work 2 s.c. in each st. Row 3: 1 s.c. in first st., * s.c. in next st., 1 s.c. in next st., repeat from * around. Row 4: * 1 s.c. in each of 2 sts., 2 s.c. in next st., repeat from * around. Continue increasing at the seven widening points, until work measures six inches in diameter, about 21 inches around the edge, then work without increasing till crown measures seven inches from centre. Now put on brim as follows:

Brim: Turn work and begin by working one row. On next row increase 1st. every tenth st. Work two rows, next row increase 1 st. every tenth st. Work two rows, then work one row of plain buff followed by one row of plain brown (double threads in both cases) and continue in this way till there are four rows of plain buff-and-brown mixture to match the crown. Brush the hat, and trim with ribbon.

Tomorrow:—Recipes from Readers.

All inquiries addressed to Miss Kirkman in care of the "Efficient Housekeeping" department will be answered in these columns in their turn. This requires considerable time, however, owing to the great number received. So if a personal or quicker reply is desired, a stamped and self-addressed envelope must be enclosed with the question. Be sure to use YOUR full name, street number, and the name of your city and province. —The Editor.

singing in Salzburg, and in the Mozarteum I met Lillie Lehmann. She is so old and so ill; and think of it! She gives music lessons to support herself. A generation ago the greatest prima donna in the world, the idol of half Europe, a guest of princes. Who cares now that her voice is gone? "If you interview me, I'll tell you my favorite furs, and ermine and sable and that I like only pearls and emeralds. Don't you mention that my only real seal coat is placed out this year with dyed muskrat and that my pearls aren't real, I'll gladly give advice to young Americans who wish to scale the glittering heights. Haven't I scaled 'em? I'll tell you about the Russian princes who have proposed to me—honest, one did—and I'll never mention our stage mechanic who did likewise."

EXECUTIVE MEETING OF NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN On Wednesday at Georgetown the National Executive of the National Council of Women opened their three days' session. Speaking at the luncheon were Mrs. H. D. Warren, who spoke on the Guide movement, and Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst. Perhaps the most important subject for discussion will be that brought forward by Mrs. Charlotte Harrington, Dominion Supervisor for the Victorian Order of Nurses. She will plead for the better care of women and infants in remote districts. A discussion in regard to participating in the British Empire Exhibition and in the conference on the prevention of the causes of war was also on the agenda. Mrs. H. W. Snelling, Hamilton, represents Miss Mowat, president of the Kingston Local Council, at the meeting of the executive.

Some of the best camels now in captivity have been raised on cow's milk given in a nursing bottle.



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