

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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The cozy men's clubroom of the Kingston Curling Club was filled with guests of the directors of Kingston Curlers, Limited, the members of the Kingston Curling Club and the Ladies' Curling Club on Friday evening when the fine rink on Clergy street was opened for the first time this season.

p.m. till 8 p.m. Mrs. H. C. Nickie will receive with Mrs. Byrns.

Mrs. George Scott, Johnson street gave a children's party on Wednesday evening from 5 to 8 o'clock, in honor of her son George's fifth birthday when twenty-five guests had a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Ross Livingston, Johnson street, has given several small bridge parties this week for her sister, Miss Nera Coey, Newark, N.J.

Mrs. T. D'Arcy Sneath, daughter of W. S. Herrington, K.C., Napanea, is visiting Mrs. E. Burritt, 48 St. George street, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Moses and their son, Orland, Appleton, are in Kingston to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Alexander Macphail, Clergy street, entertained the Friday Bridge Club this week.

Miss Warne, secretary for the Dr. Grenfell Labrador Mission, will be a visitor in town next week and will be at the "Y", Johnson street.

Mrs. Luther Brock, Earl street, has returned from Toronto.

Mrs. Duncan Robertson, Cornwall, who spent the holiday season with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Elliott, Brock street, has decided to spend the winter in town.

Miss Blanche Murphy, Tamworth, has returned to Toronto University after spending the holidays at her home.

Mrs. J. G. Elliott, Barrie street, returned from Toronto on Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Dowdell, "The Rectory," Lyn, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. H. Fair, West street. Ex-cadet Peffer Stewart, Toronto, is also with Mrs. Fair for the week-end.

Miss Gertrude McKeivry, Bagot street, will leave for Montreal on Sunday.

Mrs. Alex. Rosamond and Miss Kathleen Rosamond, Almonte, are in Montreal.

Mrs. M. Howell, Kingston, was a guest at a bridge, given in Picton by Mrs. Wesley Van Blairroom.

Capt. W. M. Miller has sailed for England, after spending two weeks with his father and mother in Napanea.

Judge and Mrs. O'Reilly have returned to Cornwall from Winnipeg where they spent the holiday season with their son, James O'Reilly, and Mrs. O'Reilly.

Better a good paying job than a low-salaried position. Virtue is its own reward—and too often its only one. Good resolutions are apt to run down at the heel.

Whig's Woman's Page Editor Is Thanked

Kingston, Jan. 9.—(To the Editor of the Woman's Page): The Victorian Order of Nurses Committee realize the great amount of good done by you through the columns of the British Whig on the Woman's Page, a unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to you at the meeting on Tuesday. It was your appeal that enabled the V.O.N. to provide Christmas cheer for about fifty families.

Yours sincerely, I. PARKIN, cor. sec'y., V.O.N.

TO-DAY'S FASHION

By Vera Winston.



Oriental Embroidery Covers All This Black Crepe Skirt Except Inset Pleats.

The frock of black crepe is always acceptable, and especially when it finds some unusual touch to make it different from other frocks of black crepe.

This model, a sleeveless dinner frock, owes its note of difference to a lavish use of Oriental embroidery. This covers the whole skirt, except for inset pleats at the left side.

The slippers, which complete the costume, are of gray alligator, with stockings of gunmetal shade.

A cat will not look at a king if there is a mouse in sight. Precedent is the terror of second-rate men.

WOMEN! DYE ANY GARMENT OR DRAPERY

Waists Kimonos Draperies Skirts Dresses Gingham Coats Sweaters Stockings



Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing now, even if she has never dyed before. Drug stores sell all colors.

MAH JONGG AND BRIDGE.

From the Manchester Guardian. If it be true, as suggested in some quarters that Mah Jongg is likely to become the fashionable game even to the displacement of bridge, then there will be a break in the continuity of our scientific table games. The passage from whist to bridge and from bridge to auction bridge and from auction bridge (if we admit the later development) to contract bridge has been a steady sequence, since bridge in its various forms is merely a development of whist. One must admit, though, that many devotees of whist would have been horrified by the various conventions aimed at "beating the game" which have been introduced into the most modern forms of bridge. But it may be said that we have had nearly two centuries of the same game, since it was in 1730 that Lord Folkestone and other prominent persons met in solemn sessions at the Crown Coffee House in Bedford Row and proceeded, with the help of Hovle, to introduce the game into "polite society." It cannot be claimed that whist asserted itself at once. It was played a good deal from the first. It was introduced at Court but it did not provide sufficient opportunities for taking huge sums for the "bucks" of that or the next generation. Yet it made its way steadily, and by the middle of the Victorian era it was firmly established.

Bridge has not yet completed 80 years of life in England, though it was played earlier on the Continent. Perhaps it has not deserved a life as long as that of whist, the variations in the rules have been too frequent and, while claiming to be more scientific than whist, it seems to be developing conventions which are merely methods of signalling in various forms. Possibly also there is a limit to its evolution, the climax has been passed, and so the card-playing world was ready for so complete a revolution as that suggested by the arrival of Mah Jongg.

The Editor Hears

That this is the weather to make the warm-hearted citizens of Kingston send a contribution to the Rotary Club Shoe and Stocking fund.

That the man who passed an old lady trying to walk along the icy streets on Friday morning in his car was certainly not "The Good Samaritan."

That the Woman's Institute is doing splendid work in the district of Frontenac. Read the notes from Mountain Grove which tell of the kind women who are making clothes for the needy.

That several of the two-piece suits for spring, lately imported, are developed with a bodice silk lining in black or white attached to the skirt and with which the overblouse is to be worn.

That an "egg wash" is the latest thing for beautifying the skin of the face. The beaten up egg is left on the face for some time and then washed off with cold water. Ice applied afterwards, is said to have an excellent and refreshing effect on the skin. These natural beautifiers cannot harm the skin and often are useful and rest the muscles.

That the coal bin is not becoming empty as quickly as it did last winter, even if the devotees of winter sports do look blue.

WOMAN'S INSTITUTE.

The Mountain Grove branch institute met at the home of Mrs. D. J. Cronk on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 9th. The president opened the meeting with the singing of the ode and the Lord's prayer repeated in concert by the members present. The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. The president then asked the members to give suggestions as to what to offer for a prize in school fair competition, after which a lengthy discussion followed regarding helping some of the needy in this vicinity, it was decided to buy some material which is to be made up at next meeting for the less fortunate children. Meanwhile the members were discussing the business part of the meeting. The hostess passed apples. Mrs. Cronk has always proved herself an ideal hostess and although living at the extreme end of the district, her home was well filled with members and all present realized it was good to meet "in friendship circle bright." At 4 p.m. Mrs. Cronk passed dainty refreshments to which all did ample justice. The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

You Cannot Hide Your Fat

Overfatness is the one misfortune you cannot hide from yourself or from those around you. If too thin, your dressmaker or tailor can supply the deficiencies, but the overfat carries a burden they can not conceal. There is one sure way to reduce your weight—surely and quickly. The harmless Marmola Prescription, which changes the fatty tissues and fat-producing foods to solid flesh and energy, helps the general health and digestion, permits you to eat substantial food, and clears the skin clear and smooth. This famous prescription is now condensed into tablet form. Each tablet contains an exact dose of the same harmless ingredients that made the original prescription capable of reducing the overfat body steadily and easily without the slightest ill effects. Take but one tablet after each meal and at bedtime until the normal weight is reached and the bodily health completely restored. Ask your druggist for Marmola Prescription Tablets or send one dollar to the Marmola Company, 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich., the price the world over, and you will receive enough to start you well on the road to slenderness and happiness.

Recommend Vicks For Baby's Colds

Nova Scotia Mother Swears By Vaporizing Salve.

Some children seem to take one cold after another—never have a chance to build up any strength. This is apt to make them puny and delicate—just sets them back for months.

Every day more and more mothers are finding that they can best break up a cold with Vicks VapoRub, the externally applied vaporizing salve. While it acts like a liniment or plaster, it is also inhaled as a vapor, and so gets into the throat and lungs immediately. The cold is often broken up over night.

Vicks is prompt, too, in croup and equally good for skin hurts and itching.

Mrs. Sherman Clark of 3 Silver St., Amherst, Nova Scotia, writes: "I tried Vicks VapoRub on my thirteen-months' old baby, who had bronchitis. It relieved his breathing when he was choked. Vicks was also good for my other little boy who had the croup. I advise anyone who has a cold of any kind to use Vicks. I think it is the very best remedy I have ever tried, and I have tried many for bronchitis. I even sent to England to get medicine, but none is as satisfactory as Vicks."

At all drug stores 50c a jar. For a free test size package, write Vicks Chemical Co., 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal, P.Q.

Though Vicks is new in Canada, it has a remarkable sale in the States. Over 17 million jars used yearly.

EAT MacKEY'S BETTER BREAD BECAUSE A liberal amount of Malt Extract goes into each dough, increasing its nutrition, adding to its flavour and color. MACKEY'S BREAD PHONE 834.

TO-MORROW'S HOROSCOPE BY GENEVIEVE KEMBLA SUNDAY AND MONDAY, JANUARY 13-14. Sunday's astrological forecast is for interesting and lively developments in many directions, albeit not without its problems and anxieties. There may be sudden change of journey with prospect of new ventures. But those in the employment of others should be careful. Those whose birthday it is may look for a stirring year with change and possibly new opportunities. Those in the employment of others should be careful. All should be cautious in signing letters and documents. A child born on this day is likely to be restless unless it is properly trained in its youth. Monday's astrological map holds conflicting figures. While there may be gratifying conditions in the realm of the heart and home, yet there may be grave disappointments or obstacles in other directions. Be careful of the money and be on guard against false friends. Those whose birthday it is should protect the finances and be on guard against false friends. A child born on this day will be popular and happy but may have business difficulties unless it is well trained. Mrs. Copland Appointed. Mrs. J. S. Copland, Brockville, has been appointed to the Mothers' Allowance Commission for Brockville, in succession to Judge Reynolds, who has resigned through pressure of other duties. Happy is the man who owes nothing and whom no one owes. It is far easier to form an impression than it is to destroy one.

For To-night 100 dozen Men's Demi Linen White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—full, large size. Fine quality, for 12 1/2c each. On Monday we start our Annual Sale of Household Linens and Cottons. A splendid opportunity for economical investments. Sheetings, Pillow Cotton, Table Cloths, Napkins, Towels, etc., at very attractive prices. W. N. Linton & Co. Phone 191, The Waldron Store.

MAKE YOUR EVENINGS MERRY DANCING If you like it. OPERA If this appeals to you more, or LIGHT CLASSICS. Or popular music if your mind has a tendency to this direction. ALL THIS IS POSSIBLE by availing yourself of our SPECIAL OFFER of a COLUMBIA GRAFONOLA, the former price of which was \$110, which we are now selling for \$50. ABSOLUTELY NEW AND ON EASY TERMS. LINDSAY'S 131 PRINCESS STREET KINGSTON

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Cook's Regulating Compound



GALLAGHER'S TAXI SERVICE 960 DAY AND NIGHT

Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old home-remedy has no equal. Ready and cheaply prepared. You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night will say that the immediate relief given is almost like magic. It takes but a moment to prepare and really there is nothing better for coughs. Into a 16-oz. bottle, put 2 1/2 ounces of Eucalypti; then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make 16 ounces. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, this mixture saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, more active remedy. It keeps perfectly, and tastes pleasant—children like it. You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and soothing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thinning out, and then disappear altogether. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also valuable for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and tracheal asthma. Pink is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "Pink" boxes of "Pink" with directions and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction, or money refunded. The Pink Co., Toronto, Ont.

THE CALL By Juanita Hamel



Eternal Youth is calling. Whether it be under the warm Summer skies or the cold Winter skies, Youth calls to Youth and Youth is always there to answer. No May and December here. She stands at the end of the path and her first call brings to her a companion. Soon they will be gliding over the ice, as smoothly, as happily as Love itself should run through the years. And if they hit a bit of rough-ice—why they cling only the closer to each other and pass over the uneven surface with never an upset. May Life itself be always as interesting for them—together—as is the lake on this sparkling Winter day.