

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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The Whig will be glad to have the names of visitors in town and accounts of various social events for the social column. Write or telephone to the Editor of the Woman's Page, No. 2613.

Recently the relatives, friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Huff, "Meadowbrook Farm," Akely, Pa., gathered at their home to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of this popular couple. Mrs. Huff was born in Kingston, her father, Mr. Peter Sutton, living here for many years and keeping a tailor shop almost on the present site of the Whig office. Miss Katharine Sutton married Mrs. Huff and with him traveled extensively in the United States. Finally settling down on their beautiful farm in Pennsylvania, Mrs. Huff has a warm corner in her heart for Kingston. She has several nieces here—Mrs. W. J. Robertson, 49 Stephen street, Mrs. M. J. Kennedy, 901 Montreal street, and Miss Mabel McCabe, 84 Pine street. Mr. and Mrs. Huff, who are highly esteemed by their neighbors, were handsomely remembered on their anniversary, receiving gold coins, handsome checks and a number of personal gifts. The news of Kingston is always of interest to Mrs. Huff and to keep in touch with it in all her travels during half a century she has been a subscriber to the British Whig. The Whig wishes Mr. and Mrs. Huff many more happy anniversaries of their wedding day.

and the dance was certainly enjoyed by all. Much regret is felt at the departure of the popular young girls by the host of friends they have made during their stay in the city. The patronesses were Miss Madge Daley and Miss Katherine Maddigan and they were capably assisted by Miss Veronica James and Miss Margaret Fitzgerald.

Mrs. G. W. Mylks gave her charming home on Kensington avenue on Monday afternoon for bridge and mah jong for the funds of Mylks received the guests in her drawingroom, where chrysanthemums were used as decoration and tables were arranged in the rooms on two flats, thirty tables being in play. The committee in charge of the tables was convoked by Mrs. Harold Eittinger and included Mrs. John Matheson, Mrs. C. E. Walker, Mrs. Douglas Chown, and Miss Ada Birch. The winners of the bridge prize were Miss Whelan, Mrs. D. W. Taylor and Mrs. J. M. Fair. Mrs. James Higney won the mah jong prize. The Monday Mah Jonger Club met at this pleasant party. Mrs. John Macgillivray and Mrs. Stanley Graham poured tea and coffee at the effectively decorated table, assisted by members of the Alumnae. Many thanks were given by the Alumnae to the hostess who provided all things necessary for this most successful entertainment by which \$100 was added to the funds of the society.

The last euchre to be held before Advent was given under the auspices of the Orphans' Guild in the House of Providence on Monday evening. The conveners were Mrs. J. Burke and Miss Shanahan, with Mrs. W. Wood, Mrs. J. Taucher, Mrs. J. Tetra and Mrs. W. Malden as assistants. Thirty tables were in play and the ladies holding the three highest scores drew for the prize, which was won by Mrs. W. F. Sutherland. The men's prize, won in the same way, went to Mr. W. J. Sowards. Refreshments were served by the committee. Mrs. C. Diamond took the entrance fee.

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Leakey, Victoria street, in honor of Miss Grace Moore and Mr. Robert Abrams. Many beautiful gifts were received by these popular young people, whose wedding took place on Saturday in Sydenham.

Mrs. Watson Davis, Frankville, and Miss Theima Bowman, of North Augusta, spent the week-end in Kingston guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vivian A. Simmons, Livingston avenue.

Miss Hilda Laird, Dean of Women, entertained the visiting girls from other colleges who were in town for the meeting of the S.C.M., at tea on Sunday in Ban Righ Hall.

A banquet held in Queen's Cafe, on Saturday evening was one of the events of the S.C.M. convention at Queen's University.

Mrs. Heber Lafferty, King street, is a mah jong club hostess this afternoon.

Miss Leeder, V.O.N., Brock street, has returned from Dunnville.

Miss Hasell, who was the guest of Mrs. Havelock Price, Sydenham street, during her stay in town, left for Ottawa today.

Mr. Ernest Clark, general Canadian secretary of the S.C.M., spent the week-end in town.

Col. and Mrs. Norman Leslie, Emily street, have returned from Toronto.

Miss Beth Hillis, Toronto, secretary for Y.W.C.A. work, was with Miss Jean Wilton, Arch street, while in town for the meeting of the Christian Student Movement.

Mrs. R. H. Davidson, Clergy street, and Master John L., who have been in Toronto and Detroit, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Cockin, England, were with Dean and Mrs. John Matheson, Alice street, while in town for the week-end.

Miss Dorothy Billingsley and Miss Genevieve Brock, Macdonald College, St. Anne the Bellevue, were with Mrs. Oliver Chown, University avenue, while in town for the S.C.M.

Miss Gertrude Rutherford, Association secretary of the S.C.M., was in town from Toronto for the week-end.

Miss Helen McCaughey, who was the guest of Mrs. Herbert Robinson, "The Bungalow," returned to Belleville today.

Miss Winnifred Serviss, Victoria College, Toronto, was the guest of Mrs. W. H. Drye, University avenue, while in town for the S.C.M. convention.

Miss Eva Martin, Earl street, has returned from Windsor where she was with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin.

Miss Maria Grant, College of Education, Toronto, was a week-end guest of Miss Mabel Hickey, College street.

Miss May Thompson, St. Hilda's College, Toronto, Miss Dorothy Barnby and Miss Louise Garbutt, Western College, Hamilton, were at Ban

Righ Hall while in town for the S.C.M. meetings.

The Editor Hears

That the vast throng that filled St. George's cathedral on Monday when the beloved dean and rector was present in the body for the last time, were comforted and calmed by the strains of "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," played on the organ, now softly and again swelling into great chords that carried the assurance that the one they loved was with Him whose ways are not our ways, nor His thoughts our thoughts. "The friend of man" was the way one of those who paid tribute to his memory spoke of him, and those who knew him in the days before disease had taken hold of him, realize its truth. In the big church there were men and women with streaming eyes who remembered "Canon Starr" coming to them in their need, sitting with their dying relatives, through the long hours of the night, carrying food and clothing to them with his own hands, and slipping a five-dollar bill to the mother from his own pocket. Young men and women remember the cathedral curate who knew the name of every child in the Sunday school. In the crowd outside the church were men bowed with age, men of other communions who had received help from the man who has passed from our midst. Among the flowers that covered the casket was a wreath from the Kingston Girl Guides, many of them belonging to other congregations, who remembered the kindly face that always brightened for the children. As the procession passed, a young man, who had been a choir boy and is now a returned officer, said in a broken voice: "There are few men in Kingston who could command the tears that have been shed for him."

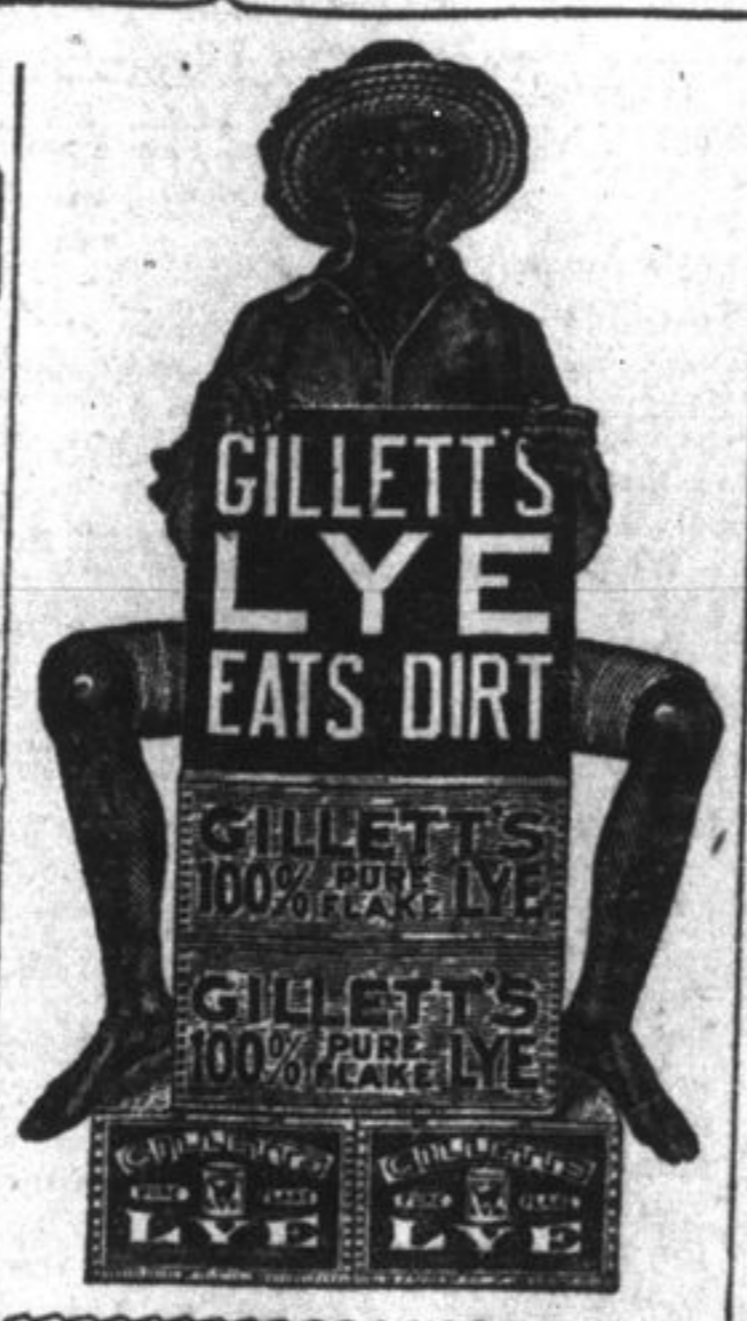
That some of the chapters of the I.O.D.E. are wearing a purple ribbon with their badge out of respect for the memory of the Queen Mother. The order has cabled its respectful sympathy to Her Majesty, King George and Queen Mary.

That the Women's Institutes of Central Ontario meeting in Toronto last week passed some important resolutions. Among them was one in favor of women considering moral issues rather than party lines in municipal, provincial and dominion elections and one urgently requesting the Minister of Health to provide training and instruction for home service nurses in whatever way he thinks best and declared themselves ready to co-operate with the Department of Health in the matter. Another important resolution was one urging all women to "boost" Canadian industries. At the close of the convention, Mrs. George Putnam, wife of the superintendent of Women's Institutes in the province, was presented with a handsome purse, and Mr. Putnam received the gold to fill it.

MISS HASELL SPEAKS.

On Van Mission to W. A. in St. James' Parish Hall. Miss Hasell, the bright English girl who gives her services free of charge to the work of the Van Mission and the Sunday School by Post of the Anglican church in the west, spoke in St. James' parish hall on Monday evening to the members of the city branches of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Told with a touch of humor, her story is full of romance but also a tale of high endeavor for those lonely ones who are trying to make good in the vast spaces of Western Canada. This year Miss Hasell and several girls, one from Branksome Hall, Toronto, who gave her summer holiday to this work, were in the new diocese of Brandon where Bishop Thomas is trying to break ground. In the district of Darlington, where



The worst flood in twenty years destroyed the crop, these girls and their van had many adventures as they sought to bring the gospel of Jesus Christ to the settlers in this backward region. The Sunday-School-by-Post is one method and 1,017 children have promised to follow the weekly lesson sent monthly in four sections.

Miss Hasell showed some excellent slides of the country, the terrible roads and the various means of transportation they had recourse to when the van had to be deserted for a time. The girls walked more than four hundred miles, as well as the 2,000 they travelled by motor. The name of Christ is unknown in some localities except when taken in vain, and a pathetic

story was told of a baby of four years who said "The teacher is using bad words, Mother says that when she is angry."

Miss Hasell is a believer in selective immigration, for she says there are people who come to Canada who will never make good citizens according to Canadian ideals. She also showed slides telling a thrilling story of the trip in the Cariboo district where the gold rush of 1858 and 1860 took place and where the old Cariboo trail can be seen from the C. P. R. near Ashcroft on the Thompson river. Hair, breath escapes in the mountains, the van turning a somersault when the road bed gave way and only by a miracle she escaped, pictures of narrow roads above mountain gorges, tell a tale of heroism truly remarkable.

It is two years since Miss Hasell was in Kingston. She will shortly leave for England where she hopes to raise over \$1,000 for a mission van for the diocese of Kootenay where the bishop has asked her to work next summer.

Miss Hasell spoke in glowing terms of the work of the school teachers in the west among the English and Canadian settlers and the Ruthenian and Galician women and children. She also referred to the splendid work being done by the Red Cross and the W. A. to relieve distress when unfavorable weather destroyed the settlers' crops.

Mrs. Havelock Price, president of the diocesan Women's Auxiliary, moved a vote of thanks to Miss Hasell for her delightful address and this was presented to her by Rev. T. W. Savary, who closed the meeting with the benediction.

Babon Clews, Mrs. Patrick Campbell's American leading man, has been barred from the stage at London because of failure to get a labor permit.

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