

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

Woman's Page Editor Phone 2612. Private Phone 857w.

Dr. Spankle, Wolfe Island was in the city on Tuesday.

Miss Laura Niesh, Brock street, is in Trenton for the W.M.S. meeting.

Rev. J. H. H. Coleman, vicar of Napanee, is in town today for the meeting of synod.

Mrs. Melfort Boulton, Toronto, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Ellmsley, King street.

Mrs. Nathan Van Patten and Miss Dolores Van Patten are spending some time in New York City.

Mrs. F. E. MacLeod, Ottawa, is visiting her father, Mr. Frederick Bliby, Frontenac street.

Miss Edna Berry, Pittsburg, left on Tuesday for Athens, to visit her cousin, Miss Mabel Green.

Miss Helen Lovett, Earl street, left to-day for Detroit, Mich., to spend her vacation with relatives.

Miss Helen Carroll, Peterboro, is with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wright, University avenue for a month's visit.

Rev. John Lyons, Picton, who is in town for synod, is with his cousin, the Misses Lyons, Queen street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Laidlaw, who have spent some months abroad, are expected to return to Kingston this month.

Canon Armstrong and Rev. A. H. McFear, Trenton, are in town for the meeting of the synod of the diocese of Ontario.

Miss Lillian McIntyre returned to Toronto today after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Alarie, 55 William street.

Madame Le Roy, Ottawa, is the guest of Col. C. F. and Mrs. Constantine, the Commandant's Quarters, Royal Military College.

Dr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong who are in town for the marriage of the latter's sister, will return to Hamilton on Thursday.

Major-General and Mrs. MacBrien of Ottawa, spent the weekend with Brig-General and Mrs. E. de B. Panet, Cote des Neiges Road, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Lindsay, Worcester, Mass., were in town for the Hutchins-Tomkins wedding which took place in St. James' Church today.

Mrs. H. J. Angley and Mrs. S. E. Wilcox spent the week end with Miss H. E. Barney, Earl street, and returned to their homes in Waterbury, N.Y., on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Best, Albert street, who are in Toronto at the meeting of the Druggists Association, have been enjoying the gaities in connection with the convention.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Dudley Cargill, will come from England shortly to join Mrs. John Waddell and Miss Lucy Waddell, Earl street, at the

summer home, "Ayrer Lodge," Loughboro Lake.

Mrs. C. Carroll, Enterprise, is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Manion.

Miss Mary Manion, Notre Dame Convent, Kingston, spent the weekend at her home in Yarker.

Mrs. W. Morrison Johnstone, Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Elmer, Bagot street.

Mrs. Alexander Jack, Rochester, N.Y., who has spent a few days in town with her brother, Mr. William Linton, and Mrs. Linton, Wellington street, has left for Ottawa to visit her cousin, Miss Grist.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Brown, Stella, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Georgia, to Edward Gordon Reid, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid, Emerald, The wedding to take place the latter part of June.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Rowsom, Brockville, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Hazel Rowena, to Charles P. Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Logan, Manchester, Conn., marriage to take place quietly in Middletown, Conn., June 14th.

Mr. W. Baldwin, Toronto, general manager of the Standard Bank of Canada, and Mrs. J. C. Wood, Toronto, general superintendent, Miss Raphael and Miss Macleod and Mr. C. Jowdy, Montreal, are at the Chateau Bellevue.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie A. Coon, Elgin, Ont., announce the engagement of their second daughter, Mildred Ann, to Dr. Clarence M. Rowsome, Cobden, Ont., son of the late W. H. Rowsome and Mrs. Rowsome, Athens Ont., the marriage to take place quietly June 19th.

Mrs. Joseph Smith, Division street, entertained on Tuesday evening for Miss Beulah Cherry and Miss Laura Lemmon, two of the June brides. The house was lovely with spring flowers of all kinds and the evening was much enjoyed by the guests of honor and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morrison, Collingwood, announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Grace, to Walter R. Emsley, son of the late Lieut-Col. Rev. W. H. Emsley and Mrs. Emsley, Oshawa, the wedding to take place quietly the latter part of June.

Mr. F. H. Nancarrow, Scranton, Pa., arrived in the city on Tuesday, and is with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Calvert, Pembroke street. He will return to Scranton on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. A. U. Nancarrow and her family who are taking up residence at 711 Prescott avenue.

The Whig will be glad to have the names of visitors in town and accounts of various social events for publication in the social column. Such communications should be signed and the address of the sender given. Write or telephone to the Editor of the Woman's Page, Telephone No. 2613.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Fraser Clugston and their daughter, Dorothy, who have been the guests of Mrs. D. Couper, Princess street, during the sessions of the Bay of Quinte Conference, left on Monday, for their home in Dunbarton, Mrs. Couper accompanied them as far as Brighton, where she will spend some time visiting friends.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Bute, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bute, Houston, Texas, to Mr. E. Raymond Brown will take place at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, June 9th. Mrs. Sherman Hill, Kingston, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bute, will be matron of honor for her sister, and Miss Agnes Bute will be one of her bridesmaids.

The opening tea at the Kingston Yacht Club is the social event of the afternoon. An orchestra will play from 4 to 6, and the members are privileged to bring their friends who are not members. Mrs. H. W. Richardson and Mrs. William Harty will pour tea and the executive, which includes Mrs. Hansford Hora, Mrs. W. P. Casey, Mrs. W. K. Macneae, Mrs. T. G. Bishop, Mrs. Holloway Waddell, Mrs. Travers Hora, Mrs. Arthur Macneae and Mrs. C. S. Kirkpatrick, will be in charge of the arrangements.

The "Three Ws" a-teen age girl club of Cooke's Church, held a successful tea and sale on home cooking at the home of Mrs. S. B. Corbett, Victoria street, on Tuesday afternoon. Arrangements were made to have the sale in the beautiful garden of Mrs. Corbett's home but the showers sent the visitors into the houses where they were received by the hostess and Mrs. T. S. J. Ferguson. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. S. V. Horne and Mrs. H. J. Neven, Miss Clara Gray the president, assisted in many ways. The home cooking was in charge of Miss Mildred Caughy, ice cream was sold by Miss Isabel Moore and several assistants and Miss Grace Gray and Miss Edith Slater were conversers of the candy table. All the girls of the club worked splendidly and were pleased at their success.

The Editor Hears

That the pictures of the Prince of Wales tour in Africa and South America are a real treat. Loyal subjects of King George as black as coal and as shining, were beaming with delight at a sight of the heir to the British Throne. They danced and played curious instruments, evidently greatly to the delight of the Prince, who is seen examining them at close quarters. At Johannesburg the Prince is seen at the races sitting between the mayor, who wears his chain of office, and his wife. It was amusing to notice that the mayor was keenly interested in the races as was H.R.H., but the mayor, who was not smart and neither beautiful nor young, had eyes only for the Prince. It was delightful to see the courtesy with which the Royal visitor, in spite of his evident interest in the race, turned now and then to his hostess with a bright smile, drawing her attention to the horses.

That the farmers and gardeners are rejoicing at the rain and say it means a bountiful harvest and a unlimited supply of vegetables. In a day it would seem, the trees are almost in full leaf.

That American innovations in wedding rings have reached London this year, and many brides this year are choosing a slender hoop of platinum with small diamonds inset, instead of the classic plain gold ring, but conservative folk are scandalized at such a departure from tradition, and exclaim, "The war has turned everything upside down."

That a New York note says: "It is a good thing for the pocket book that the English strike did not last long. Otherwise the beautiful knit and matched sweaters and hose which are a feature of nearly every correct sport costume to-day which is really meant for sport and not for a show would have been even more expensive than they are."

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

WESTBROOK.

The Westbrook branch of Women's Institutes held its final meeting for the year at the home of Mrs. George Clark, Collin's Bay on Tuesday, May 25th. The roll call was answered by May Day legends and superstitions. Mrs. Ernest Sproule gave a humorous reading showing the inefficiency of a rural husband in keeping a home comfortable when accident befalls his helpmate.

Mrs. G. Kellar sang an English song unaccompanied. Mrs. Kellar suffered the loss of her piano by fire, two years ago, and yet out of the disaster she has brought this wonderful talent. The president made some remarks on the work of the past year and Mrs. J. Morley, secretary-treasurer, gave her report. There is a balance of \$54 on hand. Dahlia bulbs from the District Institute were distributed to members. Seeds and gladioli roots from the same source had been distributed before. It is hoped these will have the best of care in order to make a good exhibit at the Industrial Exhibition in September.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. J. L. F. Sproule; vice-presidents, Mrs. S. M. Burt and Mrs. A. Hegadorn; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. Morley, with Mrs. A. M. Smith and Mrs. A. Sly as assistants; district director, a tie between Mrs. Percy Wright and Mrs. W. Sproule, to be settled later; branch directors are Mrs. S. McLaughlin, Mrs. E. H. M. Sproule and Mrs. W. Day. This committee with the other officers will proceed at once with the task of preparing the programme for the year. Many at this meeting paid fees for the coming year. Mrs. Clark assisted by Mrs. W. Smith served delicious refreshments. Mrs. A. M. Smith moved a vote of thanks to the hostess. This was due, inasmuch as Mrs. Clark had graciously offered her home for this meeting in the place of Mrs. A. M. Rankin, whose passing away we mourn.

BISHOP'S MILLS.

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. E. Robinson, on Tuesday afternoon, May 25th, with a good attendance. The treasurer's report showed there was a balance of \$62 on hand. After discussion, it was decided to use this money to pay for renovating the interior of the Temperance Hall. A social will be held during the month of June. There are now fifty members in the Institute. The retiring officers declined to serve another term and the following new staff of officers were elected for the ensuing year: Honorary president, Mrs. W. S. Rendor; president, Mrs. J. S. Ferguson; 1st vice-president, Mrs. J. Johnston; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. H. McLellan; secretary, Miss Dora Dool; treasurer, Mrs. N. Greer; district director, Mrs. T. Bradford; pianist, Mrs. A. O. Lloyd; press reporter, Mrs. Atkinson; auditors, Misses Marian Ferguson and Mrs. Powell; programme committee, Madames: A. Lloyd, A. War, C. Atkinson; district representatives, Madames G. Atkinson, L. Robinson, G. Forbes.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring officers for their efficient work in the past, and a continued spirit of co-operation was predicted for the new staff. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable social hour spent. The annual district meeting will be held in Kemptonville on June 25th.

AUNT HET



"Sometimes I set an' wish somebody would kiss my hand like they do in novels, but I reckon it won't never happen at my age."

WEDDINGS.

Tomkins-Hutchins.

At twelve o'clock on Wednesday, the marriage was solemnized in St. James' church of Mrs. Laura Nicole Hutchins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Nicole, Kingston, and Mr. John Tomkins, Hawkesbury, Ont. Rev. T. W. Savary, the rector, officiating. The church was decorated with spring flowers, and as the bride entered on the arm of her father, Mrs. A. R. B. Williamson, Mrs. Bue, played the Bridal Chorus from "Lohengrin." The bride, who was unattended, wore her travelling frock of bois de rose Kasha cloth and a small French hat.

After the ceremony, at which only a few intimate friends were present, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Barrie street, where Mr. and Mrs. Tomkins received many hearty congratulations. Here, too, spring flowers were used as decoration with charming effect. Mr. and Mrs. Tomkins left by motor for a wedding trip and will later go to Hawkesbury where they will reside.

The out-of-town guests were Dr. and Mrs. Noble Armstrong, Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Lindsay, Worcester, Mass.

The New Albert College.

Important changes in the administration of new Albert College, Belleville, are foreshadowed. The United Church is taking over the college and it will be carried on under United Church financing. A new principal will be named shortly and it will not be Rev. Dr. Bryce as had been understood. The Rev. Dr. Baker will be principal emeritus and will be given a very important work to do in carrying on his ideals with respect to the new Albert.

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