

NEWS AND VIEWS FOR WOMEN READERS

LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE

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Mrs. A. P. Blackburn, Montreal, will spend the week-end in town.

Miss Dunbar, Nanawec, is spending the week with friends in Kingston.

Dr. A. E. Marty, Toronto, will be in town for the Alumnae meeting on Saturday.

Miss A. A. Boyd, Cornwall, will arrive in town of the meeting of Queen's Alumnae.

Mrs. Mortimer Atkinson and Mrs. Edwin Reynolds, Brockville, were visitors in town on Wednesday.

Mr. James Fairlie, Springfield, Ill. will be with Mrs. John Fairlie, Brock street, for Queen's reunion.

Mr. Bruce Strachan of Ely, Minn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Strachan, Brock street.

Mrs. George Ross, Toronto, will arrive in town on Friday and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arnot Munn, University avenue.

Miss Flora Stewart, Toronto, will be the guest of Mrs. John Mair, University avenue, while in town for the meeting of Queen's Alumnae.

Miss Hamblly, Williamstown, and Mr. Donald Matheson, Toronto, will be with Dean and Mrs. John Matheson, Alice street, for Thanksgiving.

Miss Beatrice M. Parkinson, Queen's University, will spend the Thanksgiving holiday with her parents, Col. and Mrs. R. F. Parkinson, Ottawa.

Cadet Stuart Cantile is arriving from the Royal Military College, Kingston, on Friday, to be the guest of his mother, Mrs. James Cantile, for Thanksgiving.

Cadet Edward Miall will be home from Royal Military College, Kingston, to spend the Thanksgiving season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miall, Ottawa.

Mrs. B. Wemp, "The Elms," Amherst Island, and Mrs. E. Wemp and her little son, have returned from a visit in Kingston with Mrs. W. J. McKee and Mrs. A. McAllister.

Mrs. T. J. Rigney and Mrs. Arthur Macnee, King street, will go to Montreal to spend Thanksgiving with Miss Dorothy Rigney who is at the convent of the Sacred Heart.

Mrs. Fred Paynter, formerly Miss Eva Cummings, will come from Regina for Queen's reunion and will

be the guest of another Queen's graduate, Mrs. Cecil Boyd, William street.

Miss Phyllis Smith, Bishop Strachan School, Toronto, will spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Rev. Hilyard Smith, Portsmouth.

Miss Jessie Muir, Ottawa, who will be in town for the Alumnae dinner in Grant Hall on Saturday, will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. R. MacGregor, Earl street.

Mrs. J. Robinson, Kingston, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Rose, to Charles David Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rose, Toronto. Marriage to take place early in December, in Kingston.

Miss Charlotte Whitton and Miss Moira Guthrie, Ottawa, and Miss Dora Stock, Hamilton, will be with Mrs. Douglas Chown, King street, for the Alumnae meeting on Saturday.

Miss Marion Donoghue, 103 Raglan Road, who has been spending the last three months in Toronto, is expected home this week, where she will be welcomed with a welcome-home party of many young friends who will be glad to entertain her.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gilbert, Toronto, who have been visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Schuyler, in Southampton, will spend a short time in Scotland before returning to Toronto on November 14th.

The Alumnae dinner will be held in Grant Hall on Saturday evening when Miss Charlotte Whitton, Ottawa, will speak on "Some Impressions of Europe in 1926." Mrs. George Ross, Toronto, president of the Alumnae, will preside.

Major and Mrs. G. O. Johnson, of Winnipeg, were the guests last week of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Major and Mrs. J. Stuart Grant, Montreal, en route to Kingston, where they have taken an apartment at the Chateau Belvedere.

On Saturday a tea will be given by the Kingston branch of Queen's Alumnae for the members of the Alumnae who will be in Kingston for the annual meeting. It will be held in Ban Righ Hall and Miss Margaret Hall, president of the local Alumnae and Miss Hilda Laird, Dean of Women, will receive the guests.

In honor of Miss Katie Bermingham, Kingston, Mrs. H. F. Oaler, Winnipeg, arranged a party of ten to attend the Hallowe'en super-dances held Saturday evening at the Royal Alexandra Hotel. Those present were: Miss Bermingham, Mr.

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and Mrs. Allan Telfer, Misses Alex McBride, Kathleen Peters, Embré McBride, Messrs. P. V. Torrance, Brian Ireland, R. C. Clifford, and Harold Hanson.

The first tea of the season of the Kingston Garrison Badminton Club was held on Wednesday with a good attendance of members. Mrs. W. P. Wilgar, who was elected at the annual meeting to be the hostess of the teas, saw that everything was in order. Several tables of bridge and mah jongg were in play and there were a number of people present who are in town for the military courses. The members present included Col. and Mrs. R. J. Brook, Major and Mrs. Horace Lawson, Capt. and Mrs. S. A. Lee, Mrs. Hal-loway Waddell, Mrs. Frances Hancock, Dr. and Mrs. P. G. C. Campbell, Mrs. James Hamilton, Mrs. Alexander Macphail, Mrs. E. H. Bickford, Mrs. Arthur Gildersleeve, Mrs. Horace Cunningham, Miss Sara Willis, Miss Emma Pense, Miss Edith Caruthers, Miss Aileen Rogers, Misses Cecil Macnee and Miss Nora Macnee.

St. Andrew's Hall was crowded on Wednesday evening when the Strangers committee and the young People's Societies gave a reception for the students of Queen's and the Cadets of the Royal Military College, who attend the church. The guests were received by Rev. J. W. and Mrs. Stephen, Miss Strange and Col. Macphail. A large welcoming committee who gave out the names cards had for its convener Miss Catharine Fairlie and included Mrs. W. F. Nickle, Mrs. I. Gollen, Misses M. Hinkel B. Simmons, A. Elder, M. Clow, T. Hamilton, H. Donnelly, Phyllis Roughton, L. McCullough, I. Bryant, Messrs. Hew Duff, H. Spence and Norman McLeod. From a high cauldron between two fearsome witches the topic cards were drawn. The special feature of the evening was the presentation, by Mr. J. Edmison, of the special films staged especially for the present campaign of Queen's endowment fund. The past history of the college, the sports and various activities thrown on the screen were greeted with shouts of applause. Mr. W. M. Nickle was chairman and a programme with a monologue by Mrs. A. J. Kilgour, a song from Miss E. Spence and piano numbers by Miss E. Elder and Mr. Peacock was much enjoyed. Refreshments were served from a table centred with a silver basket of golden mums and snow berries with Mrs. W. F. Nickle and Mrs. J. K. Robertson pouring coffee, assisted by Mrs. J. R. McLeod, Mrs. W. T. Minnes, Mrs. H. R. Duff, Mrs. A. G. Simmons, Mrs. W. E. Swaine, Mrs. S. Roughton, Mrs. S. McBride, Miss Newland and Miss L. Fowler.

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senators and three women in Congress. The field of education has at least seven women superintendents of public instruction, besides many women on school boards, presidents of universities and county superintendents of schools. Mr. Justice Martin's proposal is new, however, as regards the province of Quebec, and, if given effect it can hardly have other than a brightening consequence in the councils of public instruction."

That as advertised in Wednesday's Whig on this page there will be a demonstration of canning on Saturday in Mrs. Crawford's flower store. It is being put on under the direction of Mrs. A. W. Sirett, convener of the committee of household economics of the Local Council of Women. It is sure to be interesting to all housewives.

A fairly godmother to the returned soldiers is Mrs. E. E. Brenton, who for ten years has visited the men in this hospital. She has distributed over 59,000 New Testaments, and on the fly-leaf of each is inserted Lord Robert's message to the troops August, 1914. The first little bag of alligator skin in which she carried her Bibles has been worn to shreds with constant usage, and she has received a request for it to be sent to the British Government war museum in London, England.

Canada's Oldest House

Several Kingstonians are interested in Canada's oldest house the first residence of the Jesuit Fathers, in Sillery, Que., which was this year purchased by the Province of Quebec, through the generosity of the sons of one of Canada's distinguished families. The sons of Hon. R. R. Dobell, minister of the Laurier Cabinet of 1896 gave the old house to the Commission of Historical Monuments. This, the first residence of the Jesuits in Canada was built in 1639 by Father Ennemond Masse, the first missionary who arrived in Canada and M. Commandant de Sillery. In the first years of the nineteenth century when the last Jesuit died, their properties were transferred to the state and the house became the royal store in Sillery. Later it became part of the Dobell manor "Beauvoir." It is situated at the foot of the cape, at L'Anse au Foulon where General Wolfe's soldiers arrived on the eve of the battle of the Plains of Abraham. The remains of Father Masse were found under the old church. This is said to be the second oldest building on the continent, the oldest being at St. Augustine, Florida. Mrs. Dobell, senior, was a Miss Molson of Montreal and the Molsons are closely connected with several Kingston families.

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