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ADMINISTRATION COST OF PUBLIC WELFARE UNDER FIVE PER CENT.

Less than five per cent. of the $59,192.00 spent in relief during the months of January and February by the Board of Public Welfare went towards administration. This is made clear in a statement which has been prepared by the relief officer and submitted to members of the board. The statement shows the following details:

Permanent salaries, $880 (including Mrs. E. A. McKillop $400 D. A. McKillop $300, permanent stenographer $180); temporary help, $1,069 (includes two stenographers, seven clerks, six employes at bunk house and payments for small jobs around bunk house); printing and stationery, $224; telephone and telegraph, $53; insurance, $15; auto maintenance, $161; office supplies, $71; interest and exchange, $12. Total expense, $2,864.

These totals cover the two-month period.

Calgary, Nov. 4th, 1918.

To the Editor of the New York Times:

By chance I came across a copy of your paper of August 1st, 1915, and on page twelve I read Dr. Baruch re-states his views on Feminism, and Women Doctors Defended by S. Adolphus Knopfe, M.D.

I do not wish to enter into a controversy on the above subject, but wish to make a statement regarding a wrong impression that is created by the part of S. Adolphus Knopf's statement: "I ask Dr. Baruch if he has forgotten the name of Dr. Ephraim McDowell (1772-1830), of Danville, Ky., who performed the first successful ovariotomy, and thus became the father of modern abdominal surgery."

Every female reading the above, and being troubled with that world-wide disease (as nine out of every ten are), will take it for granted that an operation is the cure and the last word in that direction. An operation is NOT a cure, and never has been, any more than cutting out the stomach will cure the stomach ache. The trouble is a brain disease, and if an operation was the cure (which it is not), they operate upon the wrong end. One might as well try to operate upon a diseased mind to cure it, or take it out and send it to the Chinaman for him to wash, starch and iron and send it back cured. Such a thing is impossible, as everyone knows. "Successful ovariotomy" (?) is NOT a cure, and never was, and never will be, and a woman need never again go under the knife for that trouble. It can be cured in its first and last stages, absolutely, not only without the knife, but also without any drugs or any cost whatever, and without the distressing local examination.

I may state further that the trouble is not what it was thought to be, but purely and solely paralysis, which has now for the first time been overcome by—

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What Is Family Service?

NO WOMAN KNEW OF IT UNTIL NOW

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Now that Family Service is here—what is it? Well—Family Service is the first home laundry service the women of Calgary have ever had.

A New March of Progress in Housekeeping Methods

After this you will send all your home washing to the Family Service.

Family Service does the work by the pound—thoroughly washing and drying each piece—doing with perfection the hardest part of the ironing—leaving only the more precious pieces for yourself to iron.

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Alberta's Women Pioneers Will Form Organization

Lady Lougheed Likely to Be Chosen President of the New Association Which Will Undertake to Compile a Valuable History of Early Days in This District

(Elizabeth B. Price)

This week—Thursday at 3 p.m., at the home of Lady Lougheed, a new women's organization will come into existence, namely the "Women's Pioneer Association of Southern Alberta." Those eligible for membership will be women pioneers living in Southern Alberta between Red Deer and the international boundary line, who have been here since 1890—a period of thirty-two years or longer.

Although this is the latest society in Calgary to be formed, its membership will be composed of the first white women of the settlement. It is the youngest and yet in point of residence the oldest and is but giving a constitution and a medium of bringing together the early members of the community who, in the eighties and nineties were banded together in a common friendly society with a common purpose, that of making homes in a new land.

Since the phenomenal growth of Calgary from a little village to a city in a period of twenty-five years, the old-timers, although living in the same community, have gotten farther and farther apart. They are losing sight of one another, and it is the getting together again in a social way that will be the primary object of the new society, so that they can once more renew reminiscences of those happy but strenuous days of pioneer life.

A scrap book containing the life, reminiscences and pictures of each member will be compiled and eventually, it is hoped, printed, which will make a valuable historical record of the early settlement of the west.

The proposed association will probably be the only organization of its kind in existence. There are not many communities these days in which the first white women settlers, the first women school teachers, and the first public women who have pioneered in community service are still living.

Those Eligible for Membership

In surveying the number of women who will be eligible for this society, it is estimated there will be about one hundred and fifty.

This will include members of the McDougall family. It is interesting to note that last year marked the centenary of the Rev. George McDougall's birthday, the first Methodist missionary to come to this country and after whom Medougall church in Edmonton is named. One suggestion offered both to the men's old-timer and women's pioneer associations, is that some monument or memorial should be erected to the McDougalls—who came to a wild lone land not with the hope of gain or adventure, but to Christianize and help a savage race of people. Mrs. John McDougall, wife of the late Rev. John McDougall, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. David McDougall—the two first white women of the foothills who came here as brides, will be members of the new association. A number of grand daughters of Rev. George McDougall — Mrs. George Ross, Mrs. Fred Graham—Mrs. Norman Luxton and Mrs. John Graham will also be members.

Came of Pioneer Family

Lady Lougheed, who has so graciously offered her beautiful home for the organization meeting, is one of the well known pioneer family of Hardistys. It will be recalled that her father was in the service of the Hudson's Bay company for thirty-six years and was chief factor of the Hudson Bay company for twenty years in the great McKenzie river district.

"That is a wonderful river, that McKenzie river," said Lady Lougheed in a recent chat with the writer. "In some places it is two miles wide."

Lady Lougheed was born at Fort Resolution and the story of her life is one that is embodied with all the adventure romance and hardship of pioneer life in the forests of the frozen north.

When she was of school age it was decided that she should be sent out to school, the one chosen being directed by a Miss Davis and located between Upper and Lower Fort Garry (Winnipeg). Then began a long journey out by York boat, walking portages of ten and twelve miles through mosquito infested areas, journeying down the Saskatchewan river via Fort Carleton and Prince Albert and overland by prairie schooner. On this trip she caught scarlet fever and for a year and a half afterward lay ill in bed. Then her grandmother, who was living at Lachine, Quebec, sent for her.

"In this connection," said Lady Lougheed, as she was telling the story, "the man who came for me was the son of the man who built Whitby Ladies' college, which was the original home of his father."

"Then I was sent to Hamilton Ladies' college and remained until I was eighteen. For years and years I was the youngest of the three hundred girls who attended there.

"At eighteen I went back to Fort Simpson, where I lived for three years. One winter we stayed at Fort Ray, which is just at the junction of the McKenzie river and Great Slave lake. It was because of the great scarcity of food that my father told my mother that we could not possibly winter at Port Simpson. So in the fall my mother, three brothers, my sister and self left to winter at Fort Ray. We were given fifty pounds of flour as our share of available provisions. For seven months we lived on that and white fish from Great Slave lake.

"It was lovely fish," said the speaker, "and my mother boiled it, fried it, baked it, but it was always fish."

"At this time my father decided to retire from the service of the Hudson's Bay company and sent his resignation to Lord Strathcona, who was then governor, and whose name was Sir Donald Smith. We came out via Fort Chippewyan—via the Athabasca river. We started the fourth of June and arrived in Winnipeg the end of October. That winter we lived in Lord Strathcona's home at Silver Heights and then went on to Quebec for permanent residence. My father died two years later.

Finally Came to Calgary

"This necessitated the breaking up of our home and on this occasion I came to Calgary to visit my uncle, the late Senator Hardisty, who had been sent from Edmonton to establish a Hudson's Bay post at the junction of the Bow and Elbow. In this connection it might be mentioned that Senator Hardisty two years after his appointment met with an accident and Sir James Lougheed was appointed to take his place.

"I came here in 1883, and I never went east to live again for I was married in 1884.

"Those were happy days" continued the speaker. "We used to ride miles and miles around—we knew everybody—girls were few and all ways very popular and our social life centered around the homes and the church. My aunt, who was a daughter of Rev. George McDougall and was an ardent Methodist, was keen to start a church. No building could be secured and my uncle finally managed to get a large tent. I played the organ—my husband, who was a young lawyer then, was superintendent of the Sunday school.

"Our first home is still standing. It was originally a tailor shop located on the lot where Ashdown's hardware store is now. It had been a little shack but on being chosen for our home it was re-built, one great embellishment being added—a bay window. This was the first bay window in Calgary, and during its building many were the spectators watching its progress. As the town grew we were moved—family and house altogether, to Seventh avenue, my eldest son, who was a baby then, taking great delight in the whole performance and watching through the cracks in the floor the rolling logs underneath.

"Those were the days of the real western hospitality. Every New Year the men called at the homes and we used to receive from 9 a.m. until midnight, sometimes having a hundred callers.

"Yes," concluded the speaker, "it will be good to get the old-timers together again."

Other Well-Known Women

Time and space does not permit giving any of the reminiscences of other well-known women. That will be done at length in the near future, but in passing mention might be made of certain outstanding figures.

There is Mrs. Pinkham, wife of Bishop Pinkham, who shared with him the arduous life of the wife of an Anglican missionary in charge of the Red river parish—a territory covering thousands of miles.

There is Mrs. Costigan, who came west in 1884 and was the second woman school teacher in Calgary.

There are the two sisters, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. McKidd (wife of the late Dr. McKid), who had always taken such an active interest in the hospital aid, even after the new hospital was opened on Twelfth avenue in 1890.

Mrs. Alec Allan is another pioneer who did much public service through the hospital aid. For eleven years she was secretary of that society.

Mrs. Wolley Dod is an English woman who came to this country in the eighties and lived on a ranch outside of Calgary. She is one of the most public spirited women in Calgary today, being an honorary Daughter of the Empire and was at one time president of the Canadian club.

Mrs. Costello, mother of the first white girl born in Calgary, and wife of Calgary's first school teacher, the late M. C. Costello, still resides in Calgary.

Mrs. Stirrett is another well-known pioneer, being one of the first women to entirely manage a business in this city.

Mrs. Paddy Nolan, Mrs. Hugh MacLeod and other names come to mind in thinking of prominent old-time women.

ANOTHER OLDTIMER

MRS. A. ALLAN
Resident of Calgary for over 30 years, who held the office of secretary of the Women's Hospital Aid for eleven years of that time.

Alkali In Shampoos Bad For the Hair.

If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just plain Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use.

Two or three teaspoonfuls of Mulsified in a cup or glass with a little warm water, is sufficient to cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any pharmacy. It's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months. Be sure you get Mulsified. Beware of imitations. Look for the name Mulsified on the package. Advertisement

Mastery of one's work comes through mastery of one's self. Laggard inclinations, cowardly fears, weak hesitations in the face of known duty need the relentless whip of self-mastery.

The port of London authority spending over $2,500 a year on food for the large army of rats it is required to deal with, rats and mice. The authority is the largest rat-catching body in London.

The royal crown of Persia, which dates back to remote ages, is in the form of a net of flowers, surmounted by an uncut ruby the size of a hen's egg.

MAY BE PRESIDENT

LADY LOUGHEED
As she appeared when presented to the Duke of Connaught during his sojourn in Canada, and whose reminiscenses of the early days in the west read like a bit of thrilling fiction.

PERCY GRAINGER, NOTED PIANIST, AT GRAND, THURSDAY

Percy Grainger, the pianist-composer, who appears at the Grand theatre in recital Thursday, March 23, has been one of the most popular pianists on the concert platform in America ever since he created a sensation at his New York debut in 1915. That his popularity is undimmed but has gone on increasingly is shown by the fact that almost everywhere he has appeared this season the houses have been sold out. He gave two concerts in Winnipeg last week in conjunction with the Winnipeg male choir to an audience of over 3,000. The Tribune speaks of him as "the most universally popular pianist before the public today," and goes on to say:

"Grainger is perhaps the world's most picturesque pianist because he's just Grainger. He has never denied the attributes of an artist—why deny him the right of any artist to work in his own ways. Some highbrows judge him on something he never professes. His playing has much that is invaluable about it—he is a musician who can rise from the mustiness of conjection and exhibit fresh facts of the art. Consider his rendering of the Bach-Busoni 'Prelude and Fugue in D Major.' That was an interpretation which was a vital demonstration of the ever-freshness of the music of the monumental Sebastian—a matter often talked of vaguely and to be completely realized when an artist, who is emphatically of today, plays Bach as he should be played—not as an antiquated study very fashionable in old-fashioned times, but as something possessing the spark of divinity for the comprehension of any age." That Calgary will not be behind other cities in furnishing a capacity audience is assured. Mail orders not only from the city music lovers but from as far distant as Red Deer are pouring into the box office at the Grand.

U.F.W.A. NOTES

Stavely Local Holds Dance

(STAVELY, March 13.—The concert and dance held in Bruhn's hall Friday night, under the auspices of the U. F. A. and Community Club, was much appreciated by a crowd that packed the large hall to the door. The chair was ably filled by Mr. S. Marshal who gave a short discourse on St. Patrick, after which a number of local artists rendered a delightful programme. Among these were Mr. Ratcliffe, Mrs. Max Malchow, Mr. Ray Jenkins, Mr. Harry Walker, Mr. C. Carlson, Mr. Cecil Lockton and Misses Gladys Stanford, Elsie Riches and Lillian Gordon. The last item, a dialogue, in which hits were made at a number of prominent citizens, brought down the house.

At midnight the U. F. A. served a generous supper after which all enjoyed themselves in dancing. Splendid music was supplied by the Stavely orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. T. Zelders.

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GLENMORE LOCAL MEETS

The Glenmore U.F.W.A. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. H. T. Anderson, on Wednesday, March 15. It was well attended and several items of business discussed, among them plans for a whist drive and dance, to be held at the school, Friday, March 24. The proceeds will be used for a fund for the work of the local organization. A very helpful paper on "Fellowship" was given by Miss V. Fletcher, pointing out the need of co-operation in community work. The ladies then finished what Red Cross work there was on hand and later enjoyed an excellent lunch.

PROSPECTIVE MEMBER

MRS. H. S. McLEOD
Who came to Calgary in the eighties, is one of those who will be eligible for membership in the new pioneer women's association.

"Diapepsin" for Bad Stomach, Indigestion

Take "Pape's Diapepsin" now! In five minutes your stomach feels fine. Don't bother what upset your stomach or which portion of the food did the damage. If your stomach is sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; you belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress. Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear. If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help remember the quickest, surest, most harmless antacid in Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only sixty cents for a large case at drug stores. Advertisement

No Cost

for this ten-day test. See what it reveals to you.

Then judge for yourself how it pays to fight film.

Send the coupon for your ten-day tube. The test will be delightful.

Those Pretty Teeth

How careful people get them

Careful people—millions of them—are brushing their teeth in a new way. They do it almost the world over, and largely by dental advice.

Whiter teeth is one result. You see them everywhere. Now we urge you to try the method which they use. Ask us for a ten-day test.

Just remove the film

It is film that makes teeth dingy. That viscous coat clings to the teeth, enters crevices and stays. The tooth brush used in old ways has left much of it intact.

Film is what discolors, not the teeth. Film is the basis of tartar. Most people's teeth are kept clouded by it, more or less.

Film also holds food substance which ferments and forms acids. It holds the acids in contact with the teeth to cause decay. It breeds millions of germs, and they, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

All these troubles have been constantly increasing. And most of them are traced to film which old-way brushing left on teeth.

What must be done

Dental science, after long research, has found two film combatants. Able authorities have proved their efficiency. Now leading dentists, here and abroad, are urging their daily use.

A new-type dentifrice has been created, called Pepsodent. It complies with modern requirements. And these film-fighting methods are embodied in it. Every use attacks the film in two effective ways.

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Gummy starch deposits also cling to teeth, and often ferment and form acids. To digest them, Nature puts a starch digestant in the saliva. Every use of Pepsodent multiplies that starch digestant.

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Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube and watch the delightful effects. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the viscous film. See how teeth whiten as the film-coats disappear.

See the new beauty, feel the new cleanliness. Then judge for yourself what such results may mean to you and yours. This is too important to forget. Cut out the coupon now.

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It was the custom for church-going people in Japan to give some of their hair as a free will offering when a temple was being built. So—h a structure at Tokio had the beams and rafters held in place by one of these human hair cables. Placed end to end, this human hair rope measured 4638 feet long, was 7 inches in diameter, and weighed 6847 pounds, no fewer than 250,000 persons contributing before sufficient quantity was obtained.

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But now Johnson is gone. The factory that worked smoothly under his guidance has lost something in efficiency. Someone must take his place.

Worthington decided to come in off the road and to hire someone to take the orders—to reap where he had sown. But the new man didn't seem to have any luck, so Worthington got another idea. He would spend half of his time inside and the other half on the road.

The latter scheme didn't seem to work either. The books showed losses week after week. Down, down went the business, and shortly the "Factory for Sale" sign was hung out.

Someone could have taken Johnson's place—no man is indispensable. Worthington knew of a good, proved man—but a high-priced one. "If I only had ten thousand dollars cash I could tempt him," Worthington had said. But he didn't have the ready money, the business went to smash and he had to start anew.

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CONDITION UNCHANGED

VANCOUVER, March 24. — The condition of R. S. Gourlay, Toronto manufacturer, who is seriously ill in St. Paul's hospital here, is reported unchanged this morning. He is reported to have had a good night.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS AND PERSONAL ITEMS

From time to time, announcements of engagements and weddings, which do not fulfil the requirements of The Herald, reach this department. Such announcements must be sent in in writing, and bear the signature and address of the sender. Unless these rules are observed, notices of this nature will not be published.

Communications for this column cannot be received over the phone after 11 a.m. This rule will not be violated under any circumstances.

A party of music lovers came up from Medicine Hat Thursday to attend the Percy Grainger recital at the Grand theatre, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Garval, Miss Garval, Mrs. McCombes and Miss McCombes, Mr. Woodruff, and Mr. A. Hulburt.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Carruthers and Master Billy, accompanied by Mrs. G. Hisop, are leaving this evening to spend a month's holiday at the coast.

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Robert C. Ross, of Chicago, Ill., was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. D. Redman, Hope street, Wednesday, on his return from Edmonton, where he was called by the illness of his father, Mr. Alex. Ross, formerly of Wingham, Huron county, Ontario.

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Friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. A. E. Reynolds, who has been so very ill for the past two months, is showing some improvement.

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Mrs. H. Goodwin, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sheppard, Eighth street west, for the past ten weeks, has returned to her home in Swan Lake, Man., having spent a few days in Mortlack, Sask., en route.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Alexander are rejoicing over the birth of a son, March 18.

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Mrs. Archie Murphy is convalescing from an attack of la grippe.

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Miss Myrtle Lamont is recovering after an attack of influenza.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Staines of Toronto, are expected in the city this evening to visit their sister, Mrs. F. D. Patterson, of Elbow Park.

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Just before his recital in Saskatoon, the other day, Percy Grainger, the Australian pianist, who was heard here last night at the Grand theatre, was entertained at a reception held in his honor at Regina college. Mr. Grainger is now on his way to Vancouver and from there will go south to Washington, Oregon and California. At present he is composing the orchestral parts for the Evanston, Ill., May festival, which is Chicago's premier spring musical event.

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Mrs. A. Christianson, Alderson apartments, is visiting friends in Banff.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert McWhinnie are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

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E. Young is able to be about again after being confined to his home with the "flu."

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Miss Hazel Dafoe is on the road to recovery after a serious attack of pneumonia and is expects to shortly leave the General hospital, where she has been a patient.

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Kathleen Parlow, Mrs. Parlow, her mother, and Theodore Flint, accompanist, left Winnipeg Sunday afternoon, for the south, en route to San Francisco, from whence they sail for Honolulu, and the Orient, April 19.

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Mrs. W. D. Spence, of Edmonton, is in Ottawa where she is attending the meeting of the Canadian Council of Immigration for Women, which is being held in the capital city this week. The meetings are being presided over by Mrs. Agnes Dennis, of Halifax, N. S.

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Green rugs, drapes and the liberal use of green crepe paper did much to transform the lower assembly hall of Wesley church into a charming tea room Thursday afternoon, when the Ladies' Aid Society were hostesses at a delightful Shamrock tea. Spring-like blossoms, numerous palms and the soft glow from a piano lamp and green shaded electric lights added to the air of homelikeness. The guests were received by the president, Mrs. T. Van Delinder, assisted by Mrs. (Rev.) J. F. Knight and Mrs. J. R. McNabb. Piano solos by Mrs. Shapter, Miss Jessie Ackland, Miss Grace Cooper, and Miss Dorothy Lydiatt, and vocal solos by Mrs. J. F. Knight and Mrs. McIntosh were thoroughly enjoyed while Miss Marjorie Eoll, who contributed a reading, and Mr. Joe Marks a violin solo, young artists who are great favorites with Calgary audiences, graciously responded to encores. Mrs. R. J. Timmins and Mrs. H. Cooper were responsible for this splendid programme. At the refreshment hour the ladies grouped themselves about the cozy small tables and chatted over the tea cups. Mrs. J. H. Hanna and Mrs. Jno. Graham presided at the larger table which was beautifully decorated with strips of the fringed green paper and a profusion of gay shamrocks and green flags, while two large vases of white tulips and feathery fern lent charm to the effect.

The social committee of which there are about twenty members, under the convenership of Mrs. J. E. Varley, had charge of arrangements, while Mrs. Van Delinder, Mrs. D. Townsend, Mrs. Wm. Locke and Mrs. Varley formed the decorating committee.

Among those present were Mrs. J. Vermilyea, Mrs. S. Willows, Mrs. Geo. Webster, Mrs. P. C. Manning, Mrs. P. A. Wintemute, Mrs. McKechnie, Mrs. W. G. Knights, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. Milne, Mrs. W. Knights, Jr., Mrs. McMacken, Mrs. J. M. Miller, Mrs. M. G. Biette, Mrs. Sills, Mrs. G. Stone, Mrs. C. Lydiatt, Mrs. A. M. Scott, Mrs. R. J. Lydiatt, Miss Dorothy Lydiatt, Mrs. C. Sheppard, Mrs. R. Cornish, Mrs. R. Pearson, Mrs. Dunning, Mrs. C. B. Johnson, Mrs. McFarlane, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. J. E. White, Mrs. J. Griffiths, Mrs. Griffiths, Miss L. Griffiths, Mrs. H. L. Miller, Mrs. W. H. Butters, Mrs. A. G. Kerr, Mrs. L. Turner, Mrs. A. Wark, Mrs. Courtice, Mrs. Poyntz, Mrs. Geo. Boulton, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. A. J. Frith, Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. Locke, Mrs. T. R. Saite, Mrs. Place, Mrs. R. G. Young, Miss J. Ackland, Mrs. J. Graham, Mrs. J. Varley, Mrs. J. R. McNabb, Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. L. Clarke, Mrs. Munson, Mrs. T. E. A. Stanley, Mrs. Wooding, Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. C. H. Stanley, Mrs. Witherspoon, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. McCammon, Mrs. E. J. Williams, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Church, Mrs. J. A. Gage, Mrs. James, Mrs. Van Delinder, Mrs. J. F. Knight, Mrs. J. Gordon, Mrs. F. Johnson, Mrs. R. J. Timmins, Mrs. H. Cooper, Mrs. D. Townsend, Miss Marjorie Eoll, J. Marks, R. J. Timmins and J. F. Knight.

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Mr. William Thornton, of Drumheller, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Heather for the week-end.

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Miss Edith Bagnall, who has been suffering from neuritis, is still confined to her home.

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Mrs. W. E. Skinch is ill in hospital as the result of a complete breakdown.

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E. G. Pescod has recovered sufficiently from his recent illness to be able to return to his office the first of next week.

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Mrs. J. M. Erickson, who has been a patient at the Holy Cross hospital for the past month, is able to be removed to her home in the Cologrove apartments.

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Calgarians and residents of other points in the province who arrived from Liverpool and Glasgow aboard the Canadian Pacific liner Metagama, when she docked at Montreal, last Sunday, include: Miss A. L. A. Pearce and Mr. S. Wood, of Calgary; Mr. D. Penman, Edmonton; Mrs. M. M. Zorn, Milk River; Mr. J. H. Rammell, Lacombe; and H. Geschwendt, Champion. A noted passenger on the Metagama, who has covered 600,000 miles in his career, is commander A. Bates, auditor-general for the world-wide activities of the Salvation Army. His office is at the general headquarters for the Salvation Army in London, England, but Commander Bates does not spend much time there, as his work calls him to every part of the globe. He is in Canada on a tour of inspection, and will visit Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, and probably Calgary.

Lady Lougheed Chosen President of Pioneer Women's Association

Organization of Calgary's First Home Makers Completed at Largely Attended Meeting Held Thursday Afternoon For This Purpose

What promises to be one of the most exclusive women's organizations in the province of Alberta, was formed Thursday afternoon in Calgary, when over one hundred pioneer women of the province gathered at the home of Lady Lougheed for the purpose of banding themselves together in an association to be known as the Southern Alberta Women's Pioneer and Old Timers' Association.

After the objects of the meeting were explained, the organization was completed in the election of officers, which resulted as follows: Honorary president, Mrs. Cyprian Pinkham; president, Lady Lougheed; first vice-president, Mrs. David McDougall; second vice-president, Mrs. John R. Costigan; third vice-president, Mrs. S. W. Shaw, of Midnapore; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. J. P. Price. Twelve directors will eventually be chosen, eight of whom must reside in Calgary. Those elected at the first meeting were Mrs. P. J. Nolan, Mrs. A. E. Cross, Mrs. John Irwin, Mrs. C. Stirrett, Mrs. John McDougall, Mrs. A. G. Worley Dod, Mrs. J. P. J. Jephson, Mrs. William Pearce. The committee appointed to draw up suitable bylaws included: Mrs. A. E. Cross, Mrs. Alex. Allen, Mrs. Hugh McLeod, Mrs. William Robertson.

Mrs. J. R. Costigan, who made all the preliminary arrangements for the meeting, acted as chairman.

Explains Aims of Society

Mr. Harold Riley, secretary-treasurer of the Men's Pioneer and Old-Timers' Association, was present to explain the aims of that organization, which, he said, was first of all to promote social intercourse between the early settlers of the province, to create a fund for benevolent purposes on behalf of the old timers, and to collect and preserve all authentic data and information regarding the early history of the first settlements, the perils and adventures of those who came out from the Motherland and Eastern Canada to establish new homes in what was then a wilderness of foothills. Mr. Riley stated that each member of the men's association is required to write his reminiscences, which later are to be compiled in book form. The speaker thought that the idea of forming a woman's pioneer association was excellent, as the members would be able to give the history of the home life of those strenuous times from a woman's angle. The rule that only those who have resided in the province since 1890 are eligible for membership in these pioneer associations, will be strictly adhered to, but that the organization may not die with its founders, a clause will be added to the constitution of each to the effect that pioneer sons and daughters may join.

Col. Walker, president of the men's association, who was also present, complimented the women on their initiative, declaring that they had shown more enthusiasm than the men. During the social half-hour which followed, Mrs. Shaw, of Midnapore, told of her first impressions of this new country when she landed here over thirty years ago with her family of small children in the midst of a hurricane. Mrs. Peter Collins, who claims the distinction of being the first white girl to be married in Banff, was introduced to the gathering. Over 60 members were enrolled, a few of them being: Lady Lougheed, Mesdames Peter Collins, J. A. Nolan, T. McKenzie, David McDougall, W. Pearce, S. W. Shaw (Midnapore), F. A. Bagley, H. B. Wilson, H. S. McLeod, C. G. Kinnisten, J. F. Glanville, J. C. Linton, Fred Graham, Fleming, Charles S. Smith, Walter Jarrett, J. R. Costigan, John McDougall, R. H. Clarkson, A. E. Cross, Eric Davies, I. S. Freeze, D. M. Calder, J. Grant, W. North, H. Douglas Beveridge, George Ross, C. M. Turner, G. T. Stoddart, Minnie Irvine, C. Burke, J. Kerr, Walker, W. Robertson, J. D. Holmes, J. E. Wright, W. H. Lee, C. W. McMillen, J. W. Costello, T. A. McManus, Sylvester McDonald, James Fraser, G. H. Taylor, E. H. Crick, C. C. Marshall, Aird, E. P. McNeil, A. Traunweiser, W. T. Eddy, P. J. Nolan, A. Harris, J. Robertson, Atkinson, L. R. Pierce, Stirritt, J. D. Lauder, E. P. Mowers, and J. F. Price.

Knox Choir Plans To Give Concert Of Unusual Merit

Programme is Well Chosen and Shows Great Variety of Compositions

A concert of unusual interest is to be given on Tuesday evening in the auditorium of Knox church by Knox church choir. The splendid performance of the choir not only at last year's musical festival, but also in the general services from week to week, are sufficient to warrant an evening's educational and enjoyable music. The programme is well blended and varied and the choral numbers will be "The Beleaguered," by Arthur Sullivan; "The Cherubic Hymn" by Tschaikovsky; "The Bridal Chorus" by F. H. Cowen; and an arrangement of "Annie Laurie" for ladies' voices, arranged by Clifford Higgin. Miss Marguerite Hill will sing "Villanelle" by Dell 'Acqua, also "Robin, Robin, Sing Me a Song," by Charles Gilbert Spross; Mr. Edgar Higgin will sing "My Old Shako," by Trotere; Mr. Frank Henderson is to play by special request, Morrison's beautiful "Meditation"; Mr. D. W. Clapperton will give two monologues entirely new to a Calgary audience; and Mr. Clifford Higgin will play an "Adagio" by David Clegg, which is a conversation between the instruments in an orchestra, also the favorite overture "Tannhauser." The price of admission has been fixed at the popular price of 50 cents, and this modest figure has brought a heavy demand for tickets. Although Knox church is a spacious edifice, the public should get tickets in advance either from Matthew's Music House or from members of the choir.

The following is a list of the members of the choir taking part in the choral numbers: Sopranos, Mesdames Allen, Aird, Dawson, Graham, Herbison, Hisey, Macdonald, McCalla, Malcolm, Pollock, Robertson; Misses Adams, Blow, Byam, Brown, Claxton, Coomber, Hill, Kayler, Lewis, Martin, Park, Putnam, Ramsay, K. Ramsay, Scruton, Smith, Thompson, White.

Contraltos, Mesdames Davidson, Elliott, Gillies, Hodgkinson, Lewis, McLaughlin, Ramsay, Thompson; Misses Bodel, Craigen, Davidson, R. Davidson, Gauld, McBride, Munroe, Levell, Simms.

Tenors, Allan, Bunning, Clapperton, Coles, Horne, Hunt, Johnson, R. Johnson, Long, Malcolm, Mitchell, Miller, Morrison, Rounce, Smith.

Basses, Borgsford, Bruce, Cunningham, Cottrill, Donaldson, Dorward, Forsyth, Higgin, Kemp, Mackay, McLanders, Matthews, Mortimer, Spalding, Williams.

Benefit Dance Is For Worthy Cause

A subscription dance is being held this Friday evening at the McDonald academy to raise funds for the assistance of Mrs. Timbers. Mrs. Timbers is past four score and ten. She is poor, alone and distressingly crippled. Her only son went to the war and is among those missing. His mother refuses to leave her little shack for fear he may return and not be able to find her. A number of ladies learning of her story have now furnished her house comfortably and procured suitable clothing. The Masonic order has become interested, her husband having been a member of that society. In her young days Mrs. Timbers had been in very comfortable circumstances. The ladies in their work discovered that the elderly woman had had both limbs badly frost bitten, but she had never complained. She is a remarkable character, always bright and cheerful. She has a horror of appearing to ask aid. All are invited to this function. It is hoped to make it one of appreciation of the highest type of Scotch character.

The patronesses are Mrs. Major Linton, Mrs. G. P. Payzant, Mrs. J. T. Dee and Mrs. Clifford Jones. Many other ladies are assisting.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

In honor of Miss Annie W. Tennant, Mr. and Mrs. R. Smitheren, 1101 Eleventh avenue west, entertained a number of friends at a birthday party Wednesday night. The rooms were tastefully decorated with a profusion of daffodils and the table was centred with a most ornate birthday cake. Following the supper the honored guest was presented with many dainty gifts. The evening was spent in the enjoyment of games and dancing, interspersed with vocal solos rendered by Mr. J. Jackson. Little Miss Nora Smitheren attended the door. The guests included: Mrs. W. J. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pain, Miss Stoddard, Miss Annie Shaw, Miss Watson, Miss Nora Smitheren, Miss Margaret Law, Miss Millie O'Shen, Mr. J. Jackson, Mr. R. Piper, Mr. H. McDonald, Mr. W. Pain and Mr. W. Johnston. Miss O'Shen, assisted the hostess.

COMING EVENTS AND NOTICES OF MEETINGS

Notices for this column will receive better attention, and be more certain of correct reproduction, if written out and sent to the editor of the Woman's Page than if telephoned. All such notices must reach the office by 11 a.m. Any received after that hour will not appear until the following day.

TONIGHT

The Friday Social Club is holding its weekly dance in Penley's academy tonight. All those holding invitations cordially invited to attend.

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The Hillhurst Tennis Club will meet to organize on Friday evening, in the Brotherhood room of St. Paul's church, Twelfth street N.W. All persons in the district who are interested in tennis are invited to attend.

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Anoka Rebekah Lodge will hold a dance in the Wright hall, Crescent Heights, Friday, March 24. All Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and friends are cordially invited. 24-1—Advt.

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Alberta Lodge No. 1, is holding a dance and whist drive tonight fourth floor of Odd Fellows temple. All members of the order and friends are cordially invited to come and spend a pleasant evening. 24-1—Advt.

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Don't forget Mrs. Baring's Harmony Club whist drive tonight in Robinson and Linton hall, 8:30 sharp. Good prizes, all welcome. Admission 25 cents. 24-1—Advt.

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SATURDAY

Canadian Pacific Freight-Handlers and Clerks' Sick Benefit Society will hold a whist drive and dance at the Palliser hotel, on Saturday night, March 25. Whist begins at 8 o'clock prompt. Dancing 9 o'clock.

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The Col. Russel Boyle Chapter, I. O. D. E., will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Stanley Jones, 1724 9½ street west, on Saturday afternoon. 24-1—Advt.

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A whist drive and dance will be held at the Palliser hotel, on Saturday, March 25. Whist drive in sun parlor, 8 p.m. prompt; dancing, 9 o'clock, ballroom. Admission, whist drive, 25 cents; dance, 50 cents. Ford's orchestra. 24-1—Advt.

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MONDAY

A meeting of the members of the 137th Battalion will be held in the City Police office Monday evening, March 27, at 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend. 24, 27—Advt.

WITH THE SOCIETIES

STANLEY JONES TEA POSTPONED

The tea to have been given Saturday afternoon by the Maj. Stanley Jones chapter, I.O.D.E. has been indefinitely postponed on account of the prevalence of flu.

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BUSINESS WOMEN MEET

The Business Women's Club held a most interesting meeting Tuesday evening at the Y. W. C. A. Supper was served at 6:30 p.m. Mrs. Wm. Carson gave a splendid talk on George Eliot, giving an account of the author's life, as well as touching on several parts of her work, both prose and poems. Afterwards a business meeting was held by the club.

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NO WHIST DRIVE TONIGHT

On account of the large number who are ill in the district, the Glenmore U.F.W.A. has decided to postpone the whist drive and dance which was to have been held this evening, Friday, March 24. Further announcement will be made later.

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MUCH ENJOYED CONCERT

The concert held under the auspices of the Hillhurst Parent-Teachers' Association, in the assembly hall, Wednesday evening, was very much enjoyed by an appreciative audience. The mayor, Mr. S. H. Adams, presided, and a splendid programme was presented. The Welsh choir, under the leadership of Mr. Evans, rendered several choruses in Welsh and English, and the Welsh quartette contributed two numbers. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Henderson, Miss Elinor Glassford, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Hingston, Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Cottom, with Mrs. F. Barker accompanist. Miss Winifred Gilhooley and Miss Vera Lawson won much applause with their readings. Miss Jean Gould and her pupils presented very popular numbers in their Scotch and Irish character dances. Those taking part were: Irish dance, Sheila Ritchie and Katie Murray; Scotch, Miss Jean Gauld, Chrissie Lawton, Margaret Edgar, Annabel Forbes and Robert Lawton.

MILITARY INSTITUTE WILL HEAR ADDRESS ON THE FRENCH ARMY

"The French Army During the Great War" will be the subject to be discussed by Major L. C. Eckenfelder, before the members of the Alberta Military Institute in the Board of Trade rooms this evening.

Major Eckenfelder, who was a rancher in Southern Alberta before the war, left Calgary at the outbreak of war to join his unit in France, having been on the officers' reserve list. He served during the war as a member of the French general staff, where he was able to be in close touch with the operations of all arms of the forces. He will show the unprepared condition in which the French army began its career in the Great War, and its phenomenal advance as the war drew on into years.

FRANCE CHOOSES CONFERENCE HEAD

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TORONTO, March 24. — No I not be sure enough to tell you which watch "Amby" carried day, was the reply made to a re entative of a Toronto newsp men, who interviewed John Dou late secretary of the missing th cal magnate, Ambrose J. Small.

An account of the interview w took place at the penitentiary Kingston, where Doughty is serving a term of six years for of Victory Bonds to the value $100,000 from his late employer, published yesterday in the To Telegram.

The former secretary in answ a direct question as to what thought had happened to Small, he had had plenty of time to the matter over, but that he was unable to venture an intell opinion on the matter.

ANXIOUSLY AWAITING DEBATE ON CONFERENC AT GENOA IN COMMO

LONDON, March 24. — All in is temporarily gone out of the h of commons proceedings. A fe that nothing can happen in dom politics until after the debate week on the Genoa conference to make the members indifferen the routine business of the sess

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