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### "WHY HUSBANDS LEAVE HOME" DREW LARGE AUDIENCE AT THE OPERA HOUSE

Show Cleverly Put On; Specialties Well Received, Under Direction Miss Vera M. Jonah

The first public entertainment given in the city by the Woolastuk Encampment No. 17 of the local Odd-fellows since their recent revival was greeted with a capacity audience which thoroughly enjoyed a good show well put on. The entire show was under the direction of Miss Vera M. Jonah who with Ronald Lawrence rendered two beautiful duets as specialties.

Why Husbands Leave Home, a three act play is replete with merriment and mystery, the audience enjoying many a laugh over the embarrassing situation created several times throughout the play and carried out in a realistic manner by the cast.

The part of Allan Hardy, a successful broker who left home, was admirably taken by Hazen Perry. Jimmy Carter Allan's best friend who helped Zola Hardy to bring back her husband played his role well as the suffering husband who had to do the errands in search of three babies to help iron out the family troubles of the Hardys.

Mrs. M. Caldwell as Zola Hardy took her part well and was able to play on the sympathy of her prodigal husband. Zola was given able support by Jean Carter, the part being cleverly done by Miss Helen Murphy. The specialties were good and included the "Woolastuk Melody Boy." Tommy Thompson brought the house down with comic selection one of the end men.

Les Delong also did good work with Johnnie Searles and Francis O'Leary. Through the courtesy of several business firms, the students of the Provincial Normal School were present at the performance.

The opening scene was most pleasing, consisting of a drawing room scene, the guests being in evening dress, the scene enhanced by tall palms and appropriate hangings.

The cast and specialties were as follows.

Allan Hardy, Hazen Perry; Zola Hardy, Mrs. Merritt Colwell; Jimmy Carter, Gordon Jonah; Jean Carter, Miss Helen Murphy; John Dobson, Robert Harvey; Madame La Comtesse Fleurette, Miss Helen Chappelle; Mary, Miss Beatrice McCullough; Rosa Cerretti, Miss Thelma Lawson; Maggie Malone, Miss Juanita Mulhern; Patrick O'Malley, Howard Lyons; Jack Finnegan, Wesley Bishop; Bill Donovan, Ronald Lawrence; The Dancers, Miss Juanita Mulhern, Arthur Smith; The Guests, Misses Dorothy Jewett, Rhea Dunbar, Messrs. George Bustin and Merritt Colwell.

"Woolastuk Melody Boys," Interlocutor, Jack McMinniman; End Men, Messrs. Leslie DeLong, John Searles, Francis O'Leary, Tommy Thompson; Circle, Messrs. Carl Horncastle, Jack Goodine, Gordon Jonah, Hazen Perry, Howard Lyons, Merritt Colwell, Ronald Lawrence, Robert Harvey, Wesley Bishop, Royden DeLong, George Rustin, John Richards; Duet, "Sympathy" and "Will You Remember," Miss Vera Jonah and Mr. Lawrence; Violinist, Herbert Webber; Accompanist, Professor J. Harrison Wade.

Following this evening's performance of "Why Husbands Leave Home" the cast will be entertained at a banquet at a local restaurant by the Woolastuk Encampment No. 17. Fred W. Gunter is Chief Patriarch of the Encampment.

"Why Husbands Leave Home" will be repeated tonight at the Opera House.

### THOUSANDS

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last year, has only a small crew in the woods cutting what was at one time one of the principal staples of export from this province.

Pulpwood cutting will also feel the weight of the necessary curtailment. It was stated, although not to such a great extent as long timber.

#### More Railway Ties

It is expected that at least as much railway ties will be cut this season as was last year, and the possibility was expressed that the cut may be considerably over that of last season. The market is said to be exceptionally good, and many operators are turning their attention to this phase of lumbering because of the adverse conditions in other branches.

The cutting of pit-props will also probably be increased this year for similar reasons, it was stated.

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## SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

#### Hostess Yesterday

Mrs. A. F. Belding entertained yesterday at a delightful five-table luncheon bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. A. T. Brundage, Mrs. F. A. Kennedy and Mrs. Delmas Oils. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. A. T. Brundage and Mrs. Cedric Cooper.

Mrs. Belding was again hostess last evening at a five-table dinner bridge the prizes being won by Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. H. W. Belding and Mrs. Charles Fleet. Mrs. Belding was assisted by Mrs. B. R. Ross and Mrs. I. B. Rouse.

#### Novelty Sale and Tea a Decided Success

A novelty sale and tea under the sponsorship of the Ada Schleyer Memorial Circle and the Young Ladies Aid of Wilnot Church held yesterday afternoon at the Wilnot Church Vestry was largely attended and a decided success. Practically everything offered for sale was sold out, a good amount being realized for the work of the church.

A delicious tea was served at small tables which were each centred with a red taper in a crystal holder. The tea-table was centred with a miniature Christmas tree at each end of the table being red tapers in silver candleholders. Presiding over the tea and coffee-cups were Mrs. William Johnston, Mrs. Leon Thurtrott and Mrs. Kinsman. Replenishing were Miss Lyla Young, Mrs. Roy Young, Mrs. Earl Fraser, Mrs. Harry Richards, Miss Colter and Mrs. Russell Evans. Serving were Mrs. Donald Rockwell, Mrs. Frank Dow, Mrs. John Bird, Mrs. Burton Taylor, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. M. Harrison, Mrs. Bruce Bird, Mrs. Milrose, Mrs. Austin Squires, Miss Joyce Atkinson and Miss Edith Thurtrott with Mrs. Murray Kierstead in charge.

The fancy table sponsored by the Ada Schleyer Memorial Circle, was in charge of Mrs. F. H. Harrison, President of the Circle assisted by Miss Eleanor Colter, Mrs. George Fisher, Mrs. W. A. Loudoun, Mrs. W. A. McLellan, Mrs. Barbour and Mrs. Peters. The conveners of the tea committee were Mrs. C. D. Richards, Mrs. R. L. Phillips and Mrs. F. H. Harrison. The tickets were in charge of Miss Helen Young.

The fancy table sponsored by the Young Women's Auxiliary was in charge of Mrs. Arthur Murdoch, Mrs. A. C. Haining and Mrs. William Johnston, under the convener of Mrs. Leon Thurtrott. Articles offered for sale included bed jackets, knitted bags, aprons, wood holders, flower carriers, yard stick holders, companion sets, bed socks and many other useful hand made objects which found ready buyers.

In charge of the kitchen were Mrs. C. E. Batt, Mrs. William Gibson and Mrs. E. C. Atkinson. The novelties were in charge of Mrs. John Baldwin, Mrs. Fred Saxe and Mrs. MacGibbon. The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion with Christmas greenery, Christmas trees and red tapers being stressed at various places in the hall.

#### W.C.T.U. Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. Loretta Tracy, George Street. The President Mrs. A. A. Watters was in the chair. There was a good attendance of members and two visitors. Roll call of officers was followed by reading the minutes of November meeting which were adopted as read. Devotions were led by Mrs. C. H. MacQuarrie with prayer by several members and the Lord's Prayer in unison. Reports were given on visiting the sick and work at the jail. One Sunday afternoon service was held for the inmates of the York County Jail. The service was led by Mr. Burt of the Advent Church, Devon. It was moved that the usual Christmas boxes be given and also that Calendars be placed in each cell. We were very glad to have with us Rev. John Linton as our guest speaker of the afternoon. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Linton for his message which was inspiring and instructive. Further business matters being discussed the meeting closed with the Aaronic benediction. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Morgan, Church Street.

#### Cathedral Sale and Tea Today

Don't forget the Cathedral Sale and Tea this afternoon. A chance to buy Christmas gifts.

#### Devon B.Y.P.U.

The weekly meeting of the Devon B.Y.P.U. was held last evening with the President Eugene Lawrence in the chair. The meeting opened with a hymn and scripture by Miss Exa Dunbar taken from John 18, 31-40, followed by prayer by Miss Queenie Bailey, Eugene Lawrence and the Lord's Prayer in unison. Mr. Colpitts guest speaker of the evening spoke on "Quest of Truth." The meeting closed with the benediction.

#### Victor Hatheway Chapter, I.O.D.E.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victor Hatheway Chapter, I.O.D.E. was held on Wednesday evening, at the home of Mrs. Whitman A. Haines North Devon, with 24 members present. After the usual opening of the Chapter, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, and all correspondence dealt with. Reports were heard from Mrs. Emerson Skene on Girl Guide work, General Advisory Committee, Educational Secretary and League of Nations committee. The Welfare committee outlined welfare work for the Christmas season, and special plans were made at this time. The Chapter is to assist at the Well Baby Clinic during the month of January. Donations were made to the Work in India, League of Nations Society, Mental Hygiene, and also to send a delegate to the Peace Conference at Toronto.

The Chapter has purchased a book for Empire Study, "Living India" and plan to use it during the coming season. Committees were appointed to arrange for the Oratorical Contest, open to High School students, to be sponsored by the Chapter in conjunction with the Rotary Club, and to be held in the Fredericton High School some time during the coming year. After the meeting adjourned the members were entertained by Miss Harriet VanWart with lantern slides and a most interesting half-hour talk on "A Trip through India from a Tourist's Point of View." The mystery box which was donated by Mrs. Lorne Howatt was won by Miss Madge Smith. The hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Whitman A. Haines, Mrs. Lorne Howatt, Mrs. Kenneth R. McAdam, Mrs. John Harvey, Mrs. Delmas Oils, Mrs. Don Smith and Mrs. K. C. Bishop.

#### Sir Howard Douglas I.O.D.E.

The Sir Howard Douglas Chapter of the I.O.D.E. held its monthly meeting last evening at the home of the President Mrs. C. D. Richards who was in the chair with a fair attendance of members present. Following the usual opening and the reading of the minutes the Treasurer's report was read showing a substantial favorable balance. The sum of twenty-five dollars to the V.O.N. and forty-five dollars to the endowment fund were voted upon. Money was also voted to help to pay the expenses of the delegate to the Peace Conference which was recently held in Toronto and also to defray the expenses of entertaining students at the Provincial Normal School.

Plans were made to take up the study of the League of Nations as part of the program of Empire Study for the year. Mrs. A. T. McMurray was named convener of the study group. It was decided to place the new flag cards in every room of every school in which the chapter is interested. Plans were made for Christmas boxes for the children of the Anderson Road school and also for families in the city, the sum of twenty dollars being voted for same. A letter from the Central Welfare Bureau regarding transients at the doors was also read. The secretary was instructed to write a letter of sympathy to Mrs. W. C. Crockett, a widow on South Africa and the life of Paul Kruger was read by Mrs. F. C. Johnson and proved most interesting. A social hour followed.

#### Miss Glasier's Condition Improved

Mrs. A. P. Glasier is in Saint John where she is visiting her daughter Miss Marion Glasier who has recently been quite seriously ill at the East St. John Hospital. Mrs. Glasier is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Mitchell at West St. John. Many friends will be pleased to hear that Miss Glasier who is a graduate nurse is showing some improvement.

### Mrs. Percy W. Minue Laid to Rest Here This Afternoon

Sorrowing friends and relatives in large numbers attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Percy W. Minue which took place from her late home 640 Aberdeen Street, at two o'clock this afternoon.

Rev. W. Steadman Smith of Marysville, where the deceased had resided for two years shortly following her marriage, conducted the service. That the deceased was held in the highest respect by all who knew her was evidenced by the great number of beautiful floral tributes, several cars being necessary to transport them to the cemetery.

The Marysville Male Quartette officiated in the music, rendering several hymns. Fitting tribute to her fine Christian character was paid by Rev. Mr. Smith. Following the service at the home the large funeral procession proceeded to the Rural Cemetery Extension, the last resting place of the deceased, where interment was made.

Mourners were Percy W. Minue, W. E. Farrell Sr., W. E. Farrell Jr., T. M. Boyd, J. P. Farrell, Peter Farrell, Dollard Hanlon, Fred Farrell, Joseph Higgins, Donald Higgins, Fraser Minue, Wm. Jamieson, Thomas Mitchell, Marvin Mitchell, Harry Elder, Peter Haines, Ralph Boyce, Harold Nickerson, Samuel Page, His Worship Mayor Percy C. Long of Marysville and the Marysville Town Council.

The pallbearers were Gordon Garvie, Ralph Boyce, Marvin Mitchell, Harold Tait, Gerald Kaine and W. Hedley Wilson.



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