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Lansberry (Kettering), (Rothwell). The able or exercised his usual skill ducted.

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L. and N.-W. Railway meck off the 10.50 a.m. gh and the 12.30 p.m. A. L. Armitage). She had been a regular artendant at the church until failing health prevented her attendance. The mourners were. Mr. George Teeboon and Miss Teeboon (son and daughter), Mr. A. Warren (grandson) and Mrs. G. Teeboon (daughter-in-law), Mr. G. Warren (grandson) and Miss Warren (granddaughter), Miss M. Teeboon and Miss D. Teeboon (granddaughters), Miss Ivy Teeboon (granddaughter) and Mrs. A. Warren Mrs. G. Warren and Mrs. Brooks, Wreaths were sent by George, May, and Lucy; Betsy and her granddaughters, Florrie and Mabel; May, Daisy and Ivy; Arbhur and Bessie; George and Eliza.

## BRIGSTOCK.

Women's Institute.—Some time ago a meeting was held in the Day Schools for women irterested in Institute work. Miss Simpson, county organiser; gave a very good description of the work and aims of Women's Institutes, with the result that an Institute was formed in Brigstock. Mrs. Lloyd was elected president, and the following officers and committee were elected:—Vierpresident, Mrs. Jabez Rowell, treasurer, Mrs. F. J. Steward; secretary, Mrs. Vyle: committee. Mrs. Bellamy, Mrs. Deans Miss Green, Miss Robinson, and Miss Swan. Forty-six names were given in for membership. On Saturday last the first general meeting was held in the Day Schools, when there were 40 members present. Mrs. Dodson, of Wootton Rectory, was the lecturer from the County Union, and gave a very helpful and practical demonstration on economical war cookery. A hearty vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Dodson at the close of her lecture. After a few records on Mrs. Bellamy's excellent gramophone, tea, with cakes and saudwiches, followed, provided by Mrs. Bellamy, Mrs. W. Beeby, and Mrs. Morris at very low charges. Three of the committee—Misses Robinson, Swan, and Green—well gave a humorous dialogue entitled "Bumps," which was enjoyed by all. A small business programme followed. Eight names were given in for membership, making a total of 62.

## WELDON.

Aptlet School—The speaker on Sunday was Mr. John Thomas March, District Councillor for Little Weldon and organist at the Congregational Church, and his subject "The ministry of song?" Hymns and their writers, and the place they hold in the religious services of worship, was the chief topic of the address. Mr. Freer was the soloist.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—The speaker at the evening service at the Congregational Church was Mrs. Gattrel, the pastor's wife.

STRANGE BIRDS.—Last summer in this parish there was hatched a nest of sparrows of a dreamy colour. Several of these are seen on most days, but the feathered tribe of their species seem very much to hold aloof from them.

The recent wholesale rejections of Army boots have caused great dissatisfaction among manufacturers, especially as no indication is given as to the alleged detects.

The Kettering District Nursing twenty-seventh annual meeting Tuesday evening in the Cross

Mr. E. P. Toller, C.C. (presthe chair, and there were also perfimpson (hon, secretary), Miss. (hon, financial secretary), Mr. J. treasurer), Mrs. Page, Mrs. C. H. Cox, Mrs. E. Northern, Mrs. Mrs. M. C. Wilson, Mr. Boswoi

The Executive Committee's "taken as read," stated that the change in the staff during the y liams and Miss Martin had con on the work most satisfactorily, help during the holidays. The tended 244 new cases during the with the 22 remaining on the bo 1st, 1917, a total of 266 cases for totalled 5,709. The work increa last three months of the year, as the previous year, and this incr maintained up to the date of pri port. The proportionate num cases had been large. The In Queen Victoria's Jubilee Institut the work was well and carefully patients were most grateful for tion received. The year's expend to 2339 11s. 1d.—somewhat less owing to there having been on on the staff during the whole months, though the increased con made the general expenses of the tically the same. On the receip financial statement appeared: Bale £167 3s. 4d.; subscriptions and d 1s. 6d.; congregational collections special donations, £23 8s. 9d.; c and public bodies, £83 14s. 10d.; £ Day Committee, £5 5s.; K.D.N.A. Competition, £10 10s.; envelop boxes, etc., £53 3s. 11d.; Mrs. Sick Poor Fund, £1; other item total £474 13s; the year closing vat the bank of £135 1s. 11d.

The following officers were una ted:—President, Mr. E. P. Toll dents, Mrs. C. E. Lamb, Mrs. E. I. W. Timpson, and Mrs. H. G. Go retary, Miss N. Timpson; hon. f tary, Miss A. M. Bagshaw; hon. boxes, Mr. W. Ginns; hon. treat Berrill; Mrs. T. Adams, Mrs. N. and Miss N. Toller, three retiring the Executive, were re-elected; w. W. Clarke, Mrs. C. Saunders, and were appointed to serve on the mittee.

Miss Timpson, Miss Bagshaw, Mr. Ginns, and others were cordi on the initiative of the Chairman, was paid a like compliment on the of the treasurer.

Lady Alwyne Compton died on Martin's House, Canterbury. She Caroline, daughter of the late Anderson, vicar of Trinity, Bright ried in 1850 the late Lord Alwy Bishop of Ely, son of the second Northampton.

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