

# Death of Miss Elsa Aarons:

## Close of 45 years devoted service ...

The death of Miss Elsa Aarons, late of Lascelles, de Mercado Ltd., brought to a close a remarkable history of 45 years devoted service to an old family concern.

Miss Aarons started out as the personal secretary of the late Mr. Lionel de Mercado and after his death was secretary to the late Sir Alfred D'Costa and then eventually became secretary to the present chairman, Mr. Charles Eliot D'Costa for many years after which she was promoted to personnel and purchasing officer of the company.

in helping with the raising of funds for the Animal Hospital. She leaves sisters and nephews and nieces to mourn her passing.

Up to within two months of her death, Miss Aarons was still actively engaged at Lascelles de Mercado & Co., Ltd.; a senior member of the firm said her death leaves a void which will not be easily filled.

Miss Aarons was a familiar figure on the Constant Spring and Liguanea Golf links. A great animal lover, she devoted much time and energy

A short funeral service will be held at the Webster Memorial Hall tomorrow afternoon and on Tuesday there will be the cremation privately.