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Happenings of The Week

The engagement of Lady Iris Mountbatten, cousin of King George VI, and only daughter of the Marquess and Marchioness of Carisbrooke to Captain Hamilton O'Malley of the Irish Guards was announced on Friday in London. In the tradition of all royal family betrothals the court circular, announcing the engagement, said it had the sanction and approval of the King. Lady Iris is a great-granddaughter of Queen Victoria and a granddaughter of Prince Henry Maurice of Battenberg, who married Queen Victoria's youngest daughter, Princess Beatrice Mary Victoria Feodora. Their son Sir Alexander (father of the prospective bride, was Prince Alexander Albert of Battenberg until 1917, when he relinquished for himself and his issue the use of that title in the Grand Duchy of Hesse, where it originated, or in the German Empire and assumed the name of Mountbatten, thus breaking of even the titular connection with Great Britain's war enemy. He was then created Marquess of Carisbrooke. The bride-elect was one of Queen Elizabeth's train bearers at the coronation in 1937 and an attendant at the wedding of the Duke of Kent and Princess Marina in 1934. She is descended from Prince Alexander of Hesse and the Rhine, among whose descendants are the present Marquess of Milford Haven and Lord Louis Mountbatten.

Hair-Do Glamor Now In Streets

BY BETTY CLARKE Associated Press Staff Writer NEW YORK, Jan. 22 (CP) — "Bleaching the tips" of the hair is the newest glamor trick of socialites and career women. It follows the "bonde streak" vogue which got under way in many places last fall. Latest star to have the tips of her blonde hair bleached is the tennis champion, Alice Marble whose locks are fine and soft, to be admired but hard to keep in place. Mrs. de Gez, who has given many beauties new glamor with bleaching or streaking, suggested these changes for Miss Marble: "The tip bleaching is one inch from the ends of her hair, which, because of her tennis playing, is only two inches long. A streak of golden brown a bit darker than her own goldbrown hair and with short ends tucked under, for the front wear. And also for evenings, the hair should be a soft pompadour with the back combed loose and fluffy too."

Dorothy Dix Says

WOMEN OF TODAY HAVE MORE FUN THAN DID GRANDMOTHER They May Not Be Any Happier, But At Least They Are Not Tied Down By Many Stringent Customs

A correspondent asks: Are women happier now than they were in our grandmothers' time? I don't know whether they are happier now than they were then, but they certainly have more fun. Happiness is a state of mind and it may be a sort of mental anesthesia which you do not suffer because you are not feeling anything, but fun is doing something interesting out of which you get a kick. Life for grandmothers must have been a pretty dull and a dreary one. They were tied down by the conventions on one end and a wife's duty on the other end, and with nothing in between but cooking, mending, darning, baby-tending and looking the line so discreetly she never got talked about. Nothing but an omelette soufflé education for her, no matter how good a brain she had in soap windows. She can't make her own money, no matter how much talent she possessed. No dates unless Mama was along to listen in on every word that was said. No love-making except under the eyes of a chaperon. No woman liberty than a canary bird in a cage. Not even the poor privilege of picking out her husband, for a nice girl married the good match her parents selected for her. And if a girl, sentenced to a poor family here or there, was a helpless prisoner in the jail of the social customs of her day, she could not get out and get a job and support herself because a perfect lady was not supposed to work outside of her home and, anyway, about the only gainful profession open to women, was marriage.

THE COOK'S CORNER

HOT MINCEMEAT SHORTCAKE 2 cups flour 4 teaspoons baking powder 3-4 teaspoon salt 5 tablespoons shortening 3-4 cup milk Melted butter Grated cheese Method: Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. Add the shortening and cut this into the dry ingredients until the mixture is in fine crumbs. Add the milk gradually mixing it in lightly with a fork. Have ready a well-buttered pie pan and place a little more than half the dough in the pan. Brush this with melted butter and cover generously with moist mincemeat. Cover with the rest of the dough, and brush this again with melted butter. Sprinkle the top with a little fine grated sugar and bake in a fairly hot oven (450 deg. F.) for about 20 to 25 minutes. As soon as you remove from the oven, sprinkle with grated cheese and serve hot.

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INK STAINS ON WALL ARE EASILY REMOVED Rather than allow unsightly ink stains to mar the appearance of a wall, it is well worth the trouble of attempting their removal. To do this, mix one ounce of chloride of lime, well pulverized, in two ounces of distilled water, let it stand about 24 hours, strain two to fifteen drops of commercial acetic acid to each teaspoonful of the solution. Apply this liquid to the spots on a wall, it is well worth the trouble of attempting their removal. Apply this liquid to the spots on a wall, it is well worth the trouble of attempting their removal. Youngsters are more likely to have warts than older persons, and warts and frogs are more often handled by them, but there is no connection between the warts and such handling of frogs. When it strikes the earth's atmosphere, a meteorite is extremely cold. Heat developed in its passage is only on the surface and cools within a few seconds. Soybean production in the Americas is concentrated largely in the corn belt of the United States, including the States of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Ohio, and Wisconsin. The husband, after a very tiring day, was enjoying his pipe and reading the evening paper. The wife, who was poring over a crossword puzzle, suddenly called out: "Henry, what is a female sheep?" "Bewitched," curiously replied her hubby, and that's how the row started. Electric Razor To keep an electric razor in good condition it should be cleaned with alcohol once a week. Dip the clipper-end in alcohol to the depth of one-half inch and let remain for a minute. Shake until dry and then apply a few drops of fine oil while the razor is running. You will get best service out of a razor that is treated kindly. Correct Container You can ruin the beauty of a bouquet of flowers if you place them in an unsuitable container. The holder should either be a lovely contrast to the flowers or should blend in as the continuance of the blossoms. Delicate vases should house delicate blooms and heavy containers should be used for hearty flowers. Our word malaria comes from "ma" air, or bad air. Men thought this fever was caused by bad air arising from marshes because mosquitoes were found to be carrying it.

Divorce Once Disgraced

Of course, divorce was an almost unheard of thing in those days, but that was not because marriage was so sacred that it never comes perfectly capable of making her own bread and butter, the humiliation she endured in taking the grudging quantity of her better-off relations and wearing their old clothes, and the shame that burned her up in being the fringe on the family that did not want her, no tongue can tell. But it was a martyrdom that thousands of women went through in grandma's time.

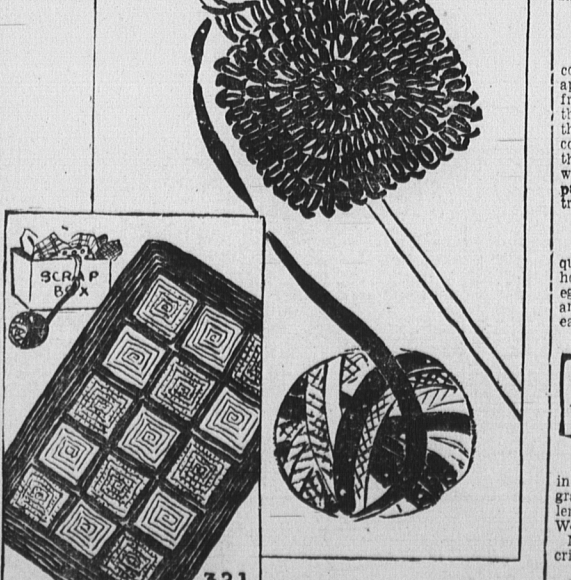
Many Talents

Every woman is open to her own and she can know the greatest pleasure that ever comes to any human being, that of independence. Of knowing that she can make on her own feet and support herself. No longer does the poor girl have to look wistfully at the pretty clothes in shop windows. She can make the money to buy them for herself, and no woman now has to prostitute herself for a meal ticket.

Helpful Hose Hints

If you find by experience that your favorite make of stockings wears out a little when washed, it's wise to buy one size larger than the correct one. You can toughen new stockings by washing them before they are worn. Just wash them gently through lukewarm water, using no soap. Then put them through a second wash, containing a little white vinegar, which helps to fix the color and strengthen the silk. You should never wear a stocking in the front door behind her, because if she left her husband she had nowhere to go. She had to stand in the street, she lost her respect for him or not.

CROCHETED RUG FROM ODDS AND ENDS



DESIGN NO. X 321 This attractive rug is crocheted of scraps from the scrap bag. Old silk stockings, bits of silk and rayon underwear, etc. Pattern No. X 321 contains illustrations of the design and stitches used and complete instructions. To order this pattern, send 15 cents in coin or stamps to Needlework Bureau, Charlottetown, Guardian, to Charlottetown Guardian Needlework Department. Design No. X 321

WATCH ELECTRIC CORDS

It pays to keep an eye on the cords of your electric lamps and appliances. If the cord is so badly frayed that the insulation under the outer cover is worn, or any of the small wires broken, get a new cord. If there is only slight wear, the wire may be repaired with friction tape. Immediate repair or renewal may save serious trouble.

SILK MAKERS

The Japanese have learned that quality silk can come only from healthy silkworms, and either the eggs or the moths must be examined microscopically for disease.

A Morning Smile

A German family put this notice in a paper following the death of grandmother: "Frau Ernst, mother, called by God to a Better World." Next day they were arrested for criticizing the Nazi regime. "If a man seals, no matter what he will live to regret it," said Ben. "You used to steal kisses from me before we were married," replied his wife, coyly. "Well, you heard what I said."

Your Individual HOROSCOPE By Frances Drake

For Saturday, January 25. MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) — Be especially watchful of the things doing in the opposite sex and becoming involved in neighbors' or friends' personal problems. Be especially watchful of the things doing in the opposite sex and becoming involved in neighbors' or friends' personal problems. Be especially watchful of the things doing in the opposite sex and becoming involved in neighbors' or friends' personal problems.

CHERRY MINCE PIE

1 No. 2 can cherries 1 cup mincemeat 1 tablespoon quick cooking tapioca Pastry Method: Combine the cherries and juice with the mincemeat and the tapioca and allow to stand for about 15 minutes. Pour into a prepared pie pan and cover the top with strips of pastry arranged in lattice fashion. Bake in a hot oven (450 deg. F.) for about 15 minutes, then reduce the heat to moderate (350 deg. F.) and cook for about 25 minutes longer.

Good Manners Help You To Be Popular With Men



In This Case, Girl Speaks First Good manners! What an aid they are in making friends with men! So often a girl is left on the shelf because she just doesn't know her social role. Meeting a man acquaintance on the street she wonders agonizedly should she speak first, would she appear "bold" if she stopped to talk? No wonder she appears awkward, unfriendly. But the girl up in her etiquette would welcome him with a bright gracious smile, for she knows it's correct for her to speak first, it is one to pause for a chat. And, asked for a date, she keeps up the good impression. At the movies she doesn't hesitate about to do next, but with charming politeness follows the usher down the aisle, preceding her beau, and goes first into the row of seats.

WHEN CHILDREN Catch Cold It is usually because their resistance is lowered. Build up their vital reserves of strength with the aid of Father John's Medicine. This body-building medicine has been used successfully for over 85 years in the treatment of colds and to help rebuild strength and vitality. Free from alcohol or harmful drugs, it is absolutely safe for children and adults.

Needlecraft - For The Home



Broad shoulders and a slim waistline are just what every girl wants and here is the perfect young dress to give them to you. Its simple lines make it easy to sew. The tailored shirt blouse is smart with other skirts and suits, too. Long sleeves and a neat little collar are fashionable features. Of this silk or cotton skirt. Make the collar of tweedy wool or gabardine for a smart appearance where ever you go. Style No. 3121 is designed for sizes 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. Size 16 requires 2 yards of 39-inch fabric for blouse; 2 3/8 yards of 54-inch for jumper. Send Twenty (20c) coin is preferred. For Pattern, Write plainly your Name, Address and the Style number. Be sure to state the size you wish. Style No. 3121 Size

WOMEN WANTED 38 to 52 years old. Women who are restless, moody, NERVOUS—who fear hot flashes, dizzy spells—to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Pinkham's Compound is effective to help women during those "trying times" due to functional irregularities. Made in Canada. WORTH TRYING!

Chest Colds To Relieve Misery Rub on Genuine VICKS VAPORUB

KICK WAS FATAL Miss Thelma Gerow, member of the nursing staff at Ontario hospital, Penetanguishene, was buried Jan. 21, at Midland. Her death, a post mortem found, resulted from injuries received when she was kicked by a hospital patient.