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Happenings of the Week

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Beaulieu held a reception at the Government House on Saturday afternoon. Her Excellency wore a gown of king's blue crepe and a blue felt hat of the same shade.

The past week has been one of exceptional gaiety, hostesses vying with one another in paying off social obligations before the fast approaching Lenten season.

Last Saturday afternoon at the Canadian National Hotel Mrs. C. J. Bousfield entertained for her numerous friends at four tables of Bridge. At the tea hour the party was greatly enlarged and a most enjoyable social hour was spent.

Mrs. L. B. MacMillan had a charmingly arranged four table bridge at her spacious home, 4 Water Street, on Monday. On Tuesday Mrs. MacMillan entertained other friends at a four table luncheon bridge which was much enjoyed.

The many friends of Edward Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Miller, who has been so ill in the P.E.I. Hospital will be glad to learn that he is resting comfortably.

Mrs. Anna Mair, Superintendent of the P.E.I. Hospital gave a much enjoyed bridge party at the Canadian National Hotel on Thursday afternoon and invited additional guests for the tea hour.

Miss E. M. Palmer, of Charlottetown, who has been in New York and Montreal, since her return from England, is spending the Winter in Ottawa with Mrs. Arthur Hamilton. Mrs. W. L. Scott entertained delightfully at tea Monday in honor of Miss Palmer.

Mrs. Wilfrid Taylor of Kensington spent a few days very pleasantly with her mother, Mrs. G. H. Holbrook this week.

Mrs. B. Roy Holman was among the popular hostesses entertaining at a delightful five table bridge at her lovely home on Brighton Road Wednesday afternoon.

Among the new sets for the spring-time are Corneil, Rusty, and Bittersweet—Bittersweet is bright and enlivening. The new greens include—the names are very attractive—Arden and Glade and Sailed Green (rather sophisticated).

Miss Muriel Archibald, R.N. daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Archibald, who left Boston some time ago is due to arrive in Trinidad today where she will enjoy an extended visit.

Miss J. S. Walker was hostess at a four table bridge given last Friday afternoon at the Canadian National Hotel.

Miss Jean Grant was the guest of honor at a jolly surprise party Wednesday evening, when a bevy

of young people wended their way to the commodious home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Grant, North River Road, to while away a few merry hours on the occasion of Miss Grant's birthday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Tidmarsh left last Saturday night for a trip through the South Eastern States, and will spend Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Mrs. John A. Fraser entertained on two occasions this week, inviting friends in for bridge on Wednesday and again last evening to her home on Upper Prince Street.

Mrs. J. C. Montgomery of the Ritz Apartments entertained a number of her friends at two delightfully arranged teas on Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mrs. Reuben MacDonald had a bridge party at her pretty Hillcrest Avenue home yesterday afternoon for her friends.

Miss Jean Martin is in the P.E.I. Hospital as the result of a regrettable accident suffered while skiing on the North Whitehill hills two weeks ago.

The Duke and Duchess of York who are the Patrons of the London Angus Association, have announced their intention of being present at the Jubilee Reception and Dance to be held in the Dorchester Hotel, Park Lane, London, on the evening of Friday, February 16th next.

Friends here will be interested to know that Mr. C. P. Hill, of "Hillhaven," Victoria, B.C., accompanied by his nephew, Mr. John W. Hill of Baltimore, Maryland, left recently for San Francisco, from which city they will motor to Miami, Florida, where Mr. Hill will spend some time in the interests of his health.

Miss Joan Winchester who has been on an extended visit to the South of France, is being welcomed home.

Among the hostesses entertaining at the Canadian National this week was Mrs. Heber Large who had five tables on Monday with other guests in at the tea-hour.

Mrs. A. H. Mould was among the bridge hostesses this week, entertaining at two tables at the Canadian National Hotel on Monday.

Mr. G. D. Mackinnon, of Sherbrooke, and his sister, Mrs. McNeill, who has been his guest for several months, sailed from New York Thursday evening aboard the Statendam for a two months' cruise to the Mediterranean. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mackinnon of Charlottetown, and Mrs. Mildred Borden and her son, of Montreal, are also members of the party.

Many relatives here of Miss Coles will be interested in the following report of her recent recital, Wednesday of this week. Etta Coles and Naomi Yanova (Granatze) played one of the "Evenings With Pianos" in Montreal. The concert was in Tudor Hall. The two-pianists played the Bach Fantasy and Fugue in D minor, Schubert's Andante No. 15 and the Liszt arrangement of the Rakoczy March. The series was initiated by Reginald Sewers last October, followed by Yvonne Herbert in November. All the artists were requested to play only such programs as would "appeal to musically cultured audiences, with only a minimum of concessions." This suggests the Montreal at least, it is not a sin to confess that you prefer Beethoven to Irving Berlin—even though you may like Berlin. It is also respectfully brought to the attention of the radio listener

THE COOK'S CORNER

Macaroni Cheese

Three oz. macaroni, 3 oz. grated cheese, 1/2 oz. margarine, 1/2 oz. flour, 1/2 pint milk and water mixed, 1/2 teaspoon made mustard, pepper and salt. Break up the macaroni and cook it in boiling salted water for 30 to 40 minutes, then drain well. Make the sauce using some of the liquid from the macaroni to mix with the milk instead of water. Add the macaroni and seasonings and two-thirds of the cheese to the sauce. Turn into a greased pie dish, sprinkle the rest of the cheese on top and brown in the oven or under the grill. Tomatoes with any cheese dishes are delicious.

who said to The Star that the only piece on the Philharmonic-Toscanini broadcast that he cared for last Sunday was the Bolero.

Etta Coles and Naomi Granatze again delighted their hearers at a musicale given Saturday night at Mona Bates' studio. This was one of several musical evenings which are a feature of the musical season. The audience numbering about fifty, expressed great enthusiasm over the artistry of the young musicians, who leave this week on a short Canadian tour.

The HOUSEWIFE and HER ACTIVITIES

FAITH

Faith is like the sunshine, bright as bright can be! Doubt is like a stormcloud, 'twixt the sun and me! Faith makes all things lovely, even the darkest place; Doubt makes all things dreary, for it hides God's face!

—From a Housewife.

YOU HAVE TO HAVE COURAGE TO—

To live according to your convictions. Not to bend the knee to popular prejudice. To refuse to make a living in a questionable vocation. To say "No" squarely when those around you say "Yes."

To be what you are, and not pretend to be what you are not. To remain in honest poverty while others grow rich by questionable methods.

To stand firmly erect while others are bowing and fawning for praise and power.

To live honestly within your means and not dishonestly upon the means of others.

To speak the truth when by a little precaution, you can get some great advantage.

To refuse to do a thing which you think is wrong, because it is customary and in vogue.

When mortified and embarrassed by humiliating disaster, to seek in the wreck or ruin the elements of future conquest.

To do your duty in silence, obscurity and poverty, while others about you prosper through neglecting or violating sacred obligations.

To be talked about and yet remain untroubled, for a word would justify you in the eyes of others, but which you cannot speak without injury to another.

SUPPLEMENT YOUR INCOME WITH A VEGETABLE GARDEN

Once again backyard gardening assumes economic importance in the average American home; and millions of vegetable gardens will be made this spring because of the money which can be saved, as well as for the fun of making them and the superior quality of their product.

With all the talk of dietetics, "greens" and vitamins, it has become pretty well known that besides the savings resulting from a home garden, the health and vigor to be had from good fresh vegetables from your own garden is incalculable in terms of dollars and cents.

Those families who are laboring on a limited budget, those who would protect their health, and more especially those who would enjoy the taste of real fresh vegetables, should begin to plan early.

If you are in the habit of growing a casual row of peas, or beans, or corn, just because your mother always did, that's one thing, but if you want a garden that will really assist in filling in the family budget, that's quite another matter.

Start by measuring the available space you have, order a catalogue from a reliable seed house, and then begin to plan for just how many vegetables you can grow in the coming season. Remember that you should have fresh vegetables from May until September, and should plan accordingly.

If your space is only ten by twenty feet, you can eliminate corn, potatoes, pumpkins and others that take a lot of space, concentrating on the smaller or small, there are many more vegetables that you can grow. First of all, then, determine just what to have on the amount of space available. Your seed catalogue will assist you here.

Your next step is to decide on how many are wanted, when they would be most useful, and exactly when you want them.

Draw up a plan of the garden, row by row, recording the variety and date of first planting, the approximate date of the harvest, and what is to be done with the produce.

That is, following one vegetable with another—is very important if a large production is needed in a small space. For instance, the first sowing in one row could be a hardy crop such as peas, and when that is harvested, tomato sets might be put in, to be followed by a quick growing fall radish or lettuce, or a frost resisting legume, such as turnips.

By planning with careful attention to succession, you can have a garden that will thrill the pocketbook as well as the palate, and it will be fun in the bargain.

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"Yes, you darling! You must think I'm a brute for hounding you like that, but I positively had to have it."

"I say, Anne, was it the money that got you in trouble with Vic's family?"

"Oh, no, I think I was just born for trouble," was Jeanne's weary reply.

"Cheer up! I think you're lucky to get away from that cold fish that you call your mother-in-law. Barstow Sir is a good sport, but his wife—burr-r-r! If I thought that I would ever have to live with her, I certainly would have put any idea of marrying Vic out of my mind."

"Apropos to marrying, what have you done about Henry Harrison?" asked Jeanne.

"I'll bring him out with me and let him tell you himself," Adele promised.

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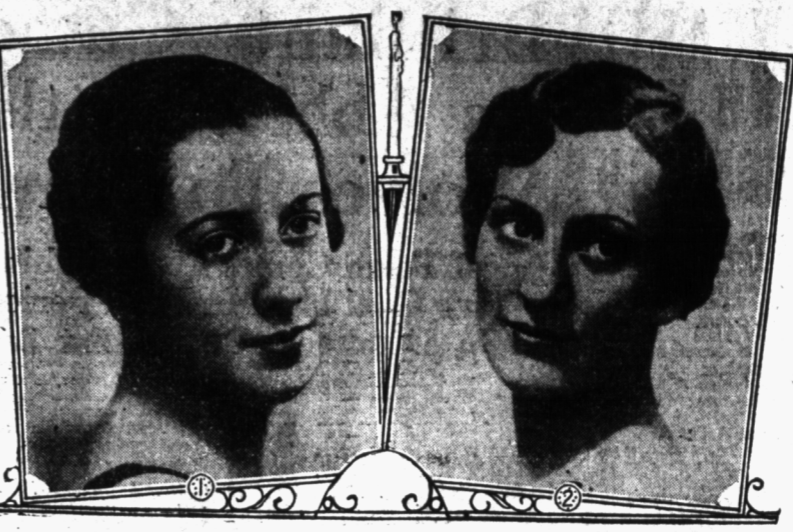
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"Do you mind if I come out?" "I should be very glad to see you," said Jeanne truthfully. "Did you get your money that I deposited to your account?"

Two Interesting Engagements Announced



(1) Miss Claire Duranseau, daughter of the minister of marine and Madame Alfred Duranseau, who is to be married in June to Mr. Jules Dupre, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dupre of Montreal, has also of Winnipeg, whose engagement to Dr. Louis Bernard, agent at Winnipeg, and of Mrs. of Montreal, has just been announced, and granddaughter of nounced. — Both photographs by the late Sir Joseph and Lady De-Garcia Studio, Montreal.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Has Girl Right to Know Intentions of Unemployed Boy Friend?—Wife Who is Made Wretched by Occasional Poker Game is Courting Greater Misery

Dear Miss Dix—Do you think a young man should tell a girl of his intentions toward her when he is out of a job? For the last four years I have been going steady with a girl whom I admire very much, and who I know cares for me. I know she is anxious to know my intentions toward her, but I have to satisfy her curiosity, considering I have nothing to guarantee my promises. We often have little tiffs and I wonder sometimes if it is because she is dissatisfied with my attitude in not letting her know just how I feel toward her.

Answer: Tell her. Set her mind at rest as to the state of your feelings toward her. She is certainly entitled to that much as compensation for the hopes you have evidently aroused in her bosom by four years of assiduous attentions to her.

Your hesitation in telling the girl that you love her when you can't offer her even an engagement ring does credit to your sense of honor and chivalry, but you know women are queer creatures and just to know that a man loves them, whether anything comes of it or not, is a pride and a joy to them that perhaps no man ever understands.

Every girl who has a grain of sense in her head should try to find out as soon as possible what a man's attitude toward her is—whether he is a blind date, so to speak, who is just good for a pleasant evening for you or not, and whether he is a potential steady date for dinner as long as she lives. Then she can make up her mind whether to waste any more time on him or not.

Personally, I think that the good old custom, which prevailed in former days in this country and still prevails in many foreign countries, in which papa asked a young man his intentions after he had come to see daughter two or three times, is a good one. It would save many a girl from being an old maid, for many a one lets the marrying time of her life pass by in a moment, and she is left waiting for some man to speak who never speaks until he asks some other girl to marry him.

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"I'll be out around tea time," Adele promised, "and remember, I'm bringing Henry. Be a good sport and don't try to take him away from me. I have to admit to myself that it is rather dangerous to bring him to call on an old sweetheart."

"Oh, it will be safe enough," she promised, as she hung up the receiver.

"CANBY MAKES AN OFFER." She caught sight of her reflection in the mirror and was amazed. She had felt there could be nothing young or beautiful or desirable about her any more. No matter in what shining raiment she clad herself, the ugly heart of her must show through, she thought. Later that afternoon the phone rang again.

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"It's funny, Molly—Peggy's always loved the ride before. But she's been acting just this way for a whole week!"



"She's not hungry either. I've found, Nan, that these symptoms mean it's time for a laxative. Give Peggy Castoria tonight."



"We want to report that Peggy's fine today—a perfect lamb! We both can't thank you enough for suggesting Castoria."

"A good laxative was all the child needed, Nan. And Castoria is made especially for children. It's the best first-aid treatment for a cold that I know, too. And children never mind taking it because it tastes so good. Then, it hasn't any of the strong drugs in it that make some grown-up laxatives so unpleasant, and sometimes so harmful for children to take."

CASTORIA The children's laxative from babyhood to 12 years

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If you want a conservative dress that is especially smart for school, college, office or general day wear, here's your pattern.

Neckline in soft brown tones made the original. The shirtwaist collar finished with an orange crepe silk tie.

Similar schemes in crepe silk in navy with powder blue tie, black with beige or bright green, bright copper red with red and white print tie, etc., would be smart.

Lightweight wools also make up most attractively in this model. Choose ribbed or striped cottons, linen and tub silk for resort wear.

Style No. 550 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust.

Size 16 requires 4 yards of 38-inch material with 1/4 yard of 35-inch material with 1/4 yard of 38-inch contrasting.

Price of PATTERN 15 cents in stamp or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

No. 550 Size Name Street Address City State

Grandmother's Quilt Patterns

MISSOURI DAISY A feminine admirer pays tribute to Missouri in this lovely pattern. This is something new in quilt patterns showing the eight white petals shirred on to the center of star.

Material Required 3 yards white 2 1/2 yards color 3 yards extra for strips and border.

Set together with 3 inch stripe of red. Add 1/2 inch border. 12 1/2 inch square. 24 blocks to quilt.

In ordering state number of pattern B-3-3. Full chart with book. Send 15c for a book of quilt patterns containing 7 beautiful Grandmother quilt designs—every pattern different.



A Morning Smile

Every Man His Own Caddy When Tristan Bernard, famous Parisian wit, lived at Versailles, he missed, one night, his last train. He asked a chauffeur how much he wanted to make the journey to Versailles.

"Purdy francs," replied the chauffeur (this was before the war). "Purdy francs!" repeated Tristan Bernard. "That is far too much. Get in the cab and I will drive you there myself for 20 francs."

"I see the jury acquitted the girl who killed her employer, on the ground of insanity."

"Yes, and quite right, too. Anybody who kills an employer these days is certainly crazy."

Advertisement for Aspirin. Text: "Now! Ease Sore Throat Instantly!" Includes illustrations of a woman gargling and a box of Aspirin tablets. Text: "Remember: Only Medicine Helps Sore Throat. Aspirin is the trademark of The Bayer Company, Limited, and the name Bayer in the form of a cross is on each tablet. They dissolve completely enough to gargle without leaving irritating particles."

Advertisement for "MORTGAGED WIFE" by Mildred Barbour. Text: "CHAPTER 84 CURRENTS FROM THE OLD WORLD. When he had assured himself that Jeanne had recovered from the shock of learning of the loss of her jewels, Barstow hurried over to his family's home. The burglary had served a double purpose. It had not only relieved Jeanne of the terrible fear that the fake jewels would be found, but it had served to bring together again Barstow and his frail family. All memory of the unpleasantness of the former afternoon had been swept away in the disaster, for among the valuables the safe had been three priceless prints, which Jeffries, the Secretary, had shown Jeanne and many of her mother-in-law's jewels were there also. Little Mrs. Franklyn had come over from her pretty cottage across the road and insisted upon Jeanne's breakfasting with her. The latter had complied, glad of an opportunity to get away from her own thoughts. For there still hung over her the dread, that the secretary might have discovered and told about the fake pearls, before the burglars did his kindly work. To have shown her own pearls was not such a terrible offense after all, Jeanne argued. But to have it known by the Barstows would require an explanation that

Advertisement for Milburn's Health Nerve Pills. Text: "A Tired, Worn Out Woman Can't Make a Happy Home. There is no happiness in the home when the mother is sick and worried by the never ending household duties. She gets run down and becomes nervous and irritable, has shortness of breath, faint and dizzy, can't sleep, and gets up in the morning feeling as tired as she went to bed, and is downhearted and discouraged. Milburn's H. & N. Pills will soon convince women it is not necessary to suffer, as they build up the nervous system and bring back the former health and vigor."