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Happenings of the Week

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Bessborough with their staff will visit Vancouver Island from August 30 to September 6. While in Victoria, their Excellencies will be guests of the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia and Mrs. Fordham Johnson at Government House.

Lord Duncannon arrives this week-end on the Duchess of Atholl from England to spend the summer with his parents, their Excellencies the Governor-General and Countess of Bessborough.

The Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Dalton have issued invitations for a dance in honor of the Captain and Officers of the French Cruiser Ville d'Ys at Government House, Wednesday, June 30th.

Col. and Mrs. Ings have as their guest, Miss Gray of Halifax, who is greatly enjoying her first visit to the Garden Province.

Mrs. Charles McKenzie, Brighton Road, was at home on Wednesday afternoon for the first time since taking up her permanent residence in this city and had the pleasure of welcoming many old and new friends. She was assisted in dispensing hospitality by her niece Miss Jean Martin and Mrs. Kenneth M. Martin.

Mrs. G. E. Full and sister Miss Frowan, motored home from Boston this week for the summer, much to the pleasure of their numerous friends.

Miss Helena Rogers motored home with Mrs. Full to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Rogers.

Many here will be interested to hear that Mrs. K. M. Thomas who has been at "Edgell" for the past six years, leaves for England the early part of July. Mrs. Thomas will be the guest of Miss Mabel Harman who visited Windsor two years ago. Miss Jocelyn Thomas will be the guest of Lady Mary Grey, only daughter of the late Earl and Countess of Stamford.

Mrs. Charles Hyndman has arrived from Edmonton to spend the summer with her son, Mr. A. W. and Mrs. Hyndman, Brighton. Mrs. Hyndman, who visited her son Mr. Justice Hyndman and family in Ottawa en route is being cordially welcomed by her many friends.

At the Tennis Courts this afternoon the afternoon tea will be served by Miss Eleanor Toombs, Miss Hazel Moran, Miss Louise Hassard, Miss Lillian Duchemin.

The Masonic Grand Lodge meetings have this week brought quite a number of visitors from the other Maritime Provinces and the outing was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Stewart, wife of Lt.-Col. Cecil Stewart entertained at a luncheon bridge Wednesday at her lovely cottage, "Picardy" as a farewell to Mrs. G. F. Dewar.

Mrs. G. F. Dewar, Mrs. E. T. Higgs and Mrs. G. G. Duffy are leaving next Wednesday for Montreal, sailing from there with the Royal Medical Association party for England.

Miss Beattie Beer of West Newton, Mass., is being cordially welcomed home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Beer.

Dr. and Mrs. Bagnall have gone over to Keppoch for the summer months.

Mrs. Murdoch McKinnon entertained delightfully for Summerside and Charlottetown friends at the Canadian National Hotel on Wednesday afternoon, bridge being played at four tables.

Mrs. Peter Harrington entertained at a formal dinner party on Wednesday evening in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Colin Campbell and Capt. Colin Campbell. Covers were laid for fourteen. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell left on Thursday morning for Montreal.

The Ottawa Conference, whatever may be its political and economic results already has made a mark in the fashion world. One of next autumn's most favored colors is to be "Canadian Wood," so named in honor of the Ottawa meeting. There are various "Empire Shades," in

fact, all named with special reference to the conference after consultation with the principal dyers of the different Dominions. The newest blue is called "Empire Blue"; other tones are labeled "Australian," "Trafalgar," "Wellington," "Speedwell," "Cornish," "African," and "Barbados."

Mrs. Todd Begg of Halifax and her sister, Mrs. Eric McKay of Summerside spent the week end in Stellarton, N. S., with Mrs. Begg's mother, Mrs. Robert Keith.

Mrs. W. H. Pethick has had as her welcome guest her sister, Mrs. Forbes of Bedouque, whose young daughter has been attending Prince Street School for the past year.

Mr. E. R. Brow and his daughter, Miss Nan Brow, recently returned from New York, were visitors to Saint John this week, guests at the Gregg-Smith wedding.

Mrs. J. A. Clark is visiting in Ottawa having been called there by the serious illness of her sister's husband, Mr. Sherwood.

The tea hostesses at the Golf Links this afternoon will be Mrs. J. R. Paton, Miss M. K. Peters, Miss B. M. McKinnon, Mrs. W. E. Champion, Mrs. H. L. Palmer.

Details of recent private and informal entertainments by the Prince of Wales reveals a side of his nature but little known to the public. As a host the Prince plans most of his parties himself and leaves little to his staff. He selects the menus for his own guests, and has scores of recipes for unusual dishes which he has collected in all parts of the world. He has very decided ideas about food, and takes enormous pains for its preparation. At work in his study, the Prince invariably makes his own tea ("I always get it right then," he says) and for lunch usually takes only a business man's snack, probably a plate of cheese and celery sandwiches. The Prince's parties at York House are often held in the grey-and-silver room, an apartment with folding doors and alcoves so constructed that it can accommodate dinner parties of all sizes. Even when the affair is a small one, there is a sense of coziness and intimacy lacking in the usual huge Mayfair reception room. After dinner, there is usually dancing—to the strains of a radio.

The hostesses at the Summerside Golf Links this afternoon will be Mrs. H. T. Colvin, Mrs. A. R. Brennan, Miss Bertha Schurman and Miss Kellie Holman.

Mrs. Mussen of Summerside is visiting friends in Charlottetown for a few days.

Mrs. James Hegan of Charlottetown is the guest of her sisters, the Misses Hunt of Summerside for a short visit.

The Misses Eleanor and Sarah Green and their sister, Mrs. Holden G. Mills left Summerside on Friday by auto for a tour of the Maritime Provinces. They will visit friends in Digby, N. S. They were accompanied by Mrs. (Rev.) White and her little daughter, Miss Betty. Mrs. White will visit her son, the Rev. Charles White and Mrs. White at Halifax, N. S.

Mrs. R. T. Holman and Miss Gladys Holman motored on Thursday to St. John, N. B. where they will visit for a few days, afterwards meeting Miss Carrie Holman, who is coming from Montreal to spend the summer months in Summerside. They were accompanied on their trip by Miss Cecilia Burroughs.

Mrs. F. M. Cleveland of Youngstown, Ohio, and her little son, Master Albert, arrived a few days ago to spend the summer months with her parents, Mr. Justice A. O. Saunders and Mrs. Saunders at their family residence in Summerside.

In London fashionable women are wearing jewels in their hair, we hear. Those who do not wear gem-studded bandeaux or coronels are using the ubiquitous clip-brooch as a decoration for the coiffure. Another idea is a jeweled pin or "feather" to fasten the tight little curls which go with the latest mode.

The mode of the moment at a smart salon is a coiffure that is sleek and smooth on top of the head, with a semi-windblown effect

Things To Know

KNITTED CUSHION COVERS

Another popular variety of the patchwork cushion cover—and a very economical one—is the cover knitted from bright scraps of wools. Most people have odd skeins in various colors left over from other pieces of knitting which can be used up.

Knit your wool up into strips of squares, or diamond shapes, planning the colors nicely. Make your strips the length of the cushion you wish to cover, and when you have sufficient strips, or diamonds, join them together neatly on the wrong side and press with a warm iron under a damp cloth.

If you like, you can knit or crochet a border in black or one of the colors in the patchwork. This can either be applied flat round the cover or doubled to form a casing for piping cord.

HANGING KITCHEN UTENSILS

To prevent kitchen utensils hanging inside a cupboard door from making a noise when the door is open, stretch two lengths of heavy cord horizontally across the door, several inches below the hooks holding the pans. The cord will prevent any movement and rattle of the utensils.

Laugh At All Your Troubles

AND YOU WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT WRINKLES

If your face looks worried, the thing for you to do is to draw a deep breath, forget your troubles and get busy on your face. Don't let the overdue bills that you are trying to pay leave their creases. There are certain movements that will help you give your face beauty with a clearer more alive skin.

Be careful always in applying creams that you do not move your skin. Don't push it around. Such movement won't help. Instead, they will loosen the muscles and make the skin sag, which is the very thing that you want to avoid. Massaging is all right for your spine, but never for your face.

When you are using cleansing cream, follow a sweeping line from the point of your chin along the jawbone to the tip of your ear. Then move from the center of your chin up to your temple. Go up the nostril, turn, and sweep across the cheek to the temple. Come down the nose, go around the mouth, over and over again, and move from one side of the temple to the other. The movements are always upwards and outwards.

When you are cleansing your neck, or applying cold cream, the effect is different. Use a downward motion. But not a hard one. A light gentle stroke is much better.

Face patterns of the proper elasticity for your face will help you to avoid pulling the skin. You need not worry for fear you are hindering instead of helping the beauty in your face.

Slapping helps bring the blood to the surface of the face, thus increasing circulation. But don't slap too hard. It makes muscles react in the wrong way.

Be sure that your face doesn't hurt while you are working on it. If it does, it is a sign that you are injuring it. If it merely tingles because of the quickened blood stream the effect will be refreshing, not hurtful.

Special care should be taken when you are working around your eyes. A circular motion that works inward, instead of outward is effective. This is just the opposite of the general plan for exercising the face. Nourishing cream does much toward keeping lines away from your eyes. Make sure that the special eye cream you are using is the one that you need.

Don't wear shoes that are too tight if you want your face to smile at the world. Tight shoes cause contraction of facial muscles. Get enough sleep, correct your diet, laugh at your troubles. You will, it as well. Worrying won't help you solve them. But it will make indents on your facial beauty.

In front. The sides are left rather full and just long enough for a single finger curl above the ears. The hair at the back is waved down to the neckline, and it is so cut and shaped that it ends at the neckline. When the hair is permitted to extend below the neckline, it is only long enough to form flat, tapered ringlets that are turned up and off the neck.

Dorothy Dix Letter Box

Love May be Wonderful, But Friendship Stands Crucible Fires; a Woman May be Right in Keeping Age a Secret; Advice Against Marrying an Ostracized Woman

Dear Miss Dix—I am a freshman in college and am 18 years old. My closest friend and I, who have been constant companions for five years, are very much in love with the same girl. She is much older than either of us, but I am quite sure that she cares more for one of us than any one else. She is a modern girl with an utter disregard for moral questions, though she never descends to immorality. My friend and I are writing this together, hoping that you may suggest some way of maintaining our valued friendship.



Answer: I am afraid that it isn't very easy for two men who love the same girl to preserve intact their friendship. Jealousy almost inevitably creeps in and it generally ends in their fighting over her like dogs over a bone.

A CONCERNED COLLEGIAN

Answer: I agree with you. A woman's age is nobody's business. It is a secret between her and the vital statistics bureau and no one has any right to pry into it. If she is 60 and looks 20, then she is to all intents and purposes 20, and more credit to her.

Age makes no difference in these days, anyway. We have passed up the idea that it was a disgrace, and something for a woman to be ashamed of and hide if she had passed sweet and 20. We don't even have the inordinate admiration for youth that we used to have. We know that many women in their 30s and 40s and even 50s are better looking and more attractive than they were in their teens, and far and away more interesting to talk to.

Anyway, a woman is just naturally lacking in guile if she tells a man her age or lets him in on her trade secrets. All that concerns him is the results. If she can make herself look ten years younger than her age, so much to the good. If he thinks that she has a naturally willowy figure instead of it being the result of semistarvation, fine and dandy. If he thinks her pink-and-white complexion is a gift of God instead of a purchase at the beauty shop, great. If he believes her golden curls just grew that way instead of being the result of a peroxide permanent, whoopee. Let him rejoice in them all the more, because synthetic beauty lasts longer than natural beauty and can be more easily renewed.

But there is no bar between men and women friends. They come from the same country and know all the secret and devious paths that lead to each other's holy of holies. Each knows why the other does certain things. Each understands and sympathizes with the other. And so they can enjoy the most perfect companionship there is on earth.

"Has thou a friend? Then art thou rich," said a sage long ago. And another declared that no man who had a friend had lived in vain.

So, my dear boy, if you have found a friend to whom your heart cleaves as David's did to Jonathan's, a friend in whose loyalty you trust and with whom you have lived in close intimacy for five happy years, I really think that I wouldn't trade him off for any girl. Especially at your age, and especially when she is so much older than you are.

At 18 you must realize yourself that you are far too young to think of marriage. You have nothing to support a wife on. No way of making a living yet even for yourself. Still less could you provide for a family. And surely you wouldn't be cad enough to marry a girl and dump her down on your poor, hard-worked old father to provide for. That wouldn't be fair to your father nor to the girl.

And then you must realize that at 18 your tastes are not formed in girls any more than they are in food or clothes or literature. So why should you two boys break up your friendship for a girl whom neither of you could marry for four or five years and that you would be pretty sure not want when you were say 26 and she was in her 30s?

And, of course, the girl, being much older than either one of you, may have no serious intentions regarding you. Cradle-snatching is a favorite form of diversion with many women. It is so easy for a sophisticated woman, who knows all the arts and wiles of how to attract men, to make boys fall in love

with her and spend their allowances upon her and then, when she is tired of them, she simply chucks them out of the door as if they were children she had wearied of playing with. But the woman who does that is a rotten sport, because she is playing out of her class. It is like taking pennies from blind babies.

"As a woman thinketh, so is she." So this girl who has an utter disregard for moral questions doesn't seem to me to be highly desirable from any point of view. A man wants the woman to whom he gives his heart to have some principles that will rule her conduct and make her honor and loyalty something he could swear by.

So my advice to you two boys is to hold to your friendship and let this girl go and find two other girls of your own to play around with.

DOROTHY DIX

Dear Miss Dix—Is a woman bound to tell a man her exact age? I have a friend, a beautiful woman, who was nearly 30, but who passed for a flapper because she looked much younger than her age. Before she married she told her husband how old she was and now he makes catty remarks about his having an old maid and her being stale, etc., and she gets infuriated and a free-for-all fight begins. I think she was a fool to tell him, don't you?

SILENT SADIE.

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But let the woman hold her peace about how come.

DOROTHY DIX

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am 24 years old, living at present with my parents who have had to dig and slave to give me the advantages I have had. I have been a wild boy and would have been expelled and sent to a reform school except for the influence of my father, who finally got me into a good position. Here is my trouble:

I have fallen in love with a girl who has led a bad life and who admits all about her shady past, but she says she has repented and reformed and will go straight in the future. My family very much opposes my marrying this girl and say they will not receive her or me if I do marry her. What do you advise me to do?

G. M. O.

Answer: You are very young to take such a radical step as marrying a girl who is ostracized by society and will part you from your family. It is never a safe thing for any man to do, because the girl who lacked the strength of character and principle to go straight at first is very apt to take the easiest way always, but an older man would be better

For The Cook

RHUBARB COMPOTE WITH RICE.

Place one-half cup well-washed and drained rice in a quart of boiling water, to which one teaspoon salt has been added. Boil rapidly for twenty minutes, drain, and place in top of a double-boiler with one cup thin cream or rich milk and one tablespoon sugar. Cook until rice is tender and creamy and add more milk if necessary, though all the milk should be absorbed when it is done. Place this in a border mould. If one does not have such a mould, it may be made by placing a small bowl in a casserole. When cool and firm turn rice out on a shallow dish. Boil one cup sugar and one-half cup water to a thick syrup, add six red cinnamon candies and one bunch strawberry rhubarb, cut in inch lengths after washing. Simmer until thick, and when cool place in the centres of the rice ring. Top with whipped cream.

Birthday Party

(Sydney Post June 7)

Mrs. Dingwell referred to is well known as she is an annual visitor to Fortune P. E. I., where Mrs. Duchemin has her lovely summer home.

Mrs. A. E. Strubel was hostess, on Saturday afternoon at a birthday party given in honor of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Dingwell, who celebrated the eighty-sixth anniversary of her birthday upon that day.

Mrs. Dingwell presented a gracious and dignified figure as she received her guests in the flower decked drawing-room and accepted their congratulations, upon the great event.

The tea table, which was presided over by Mrs. H. P. Duchemin, another daughter, was centered by an exquisitely decorated birthday cake lighted by tiny candles and made gay with sweet peas and tulips, while the same lovely flowers together with narcissi were used in the drawing room and other parts of the house.

Assisting Mrs. Duchemin in waiting upon the guests were her daughter-in-law Mrs. Roy Duchemin, her daughter Miss Dora, her niece, Miss Lillian Duchemin of Charlottetown, together with Miss Eleanor and Miss Alice Strubel all granddaughters of Mrs. Dingwell, while Miss Mary Lou Christie daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Christie of North Sydney, a great grandchild of the "birthday lady" opened the door and ushered in the guests who numbered about forty.

There was an excellent musical programme during the afternoon, when Mrs. Jack MacKenna and Mrs. Harry Laidlaw sang in solo and Miss Dora and Miss Gwen Smith in duet. Mrs. Andrew Dunn gave several well rendered piano selections while last but by no means least, came the small great granddaughter who sang so sweetly all by herself.

Mrs. Dingwell was presented with many gifts suitable to the occasion among them lots of beautiful flowers, while messages of congratulations came from all quarters.

Mrs. Dingwell, who although having reached such a great age, is in perfect health, is the possessor of an exceedingly bright mind and is fully conversant with the affairs of the day and able to take an interest in all the pursuits of her children and grand-children to whom the fact of having her for so long a time with them, may be considered a great privilege.

able to judge the situation and the chances of the girl really reforming than your are and also be better able to stand the consequences of such a marriage.

For there is no denying that a wife with a past is a heavy handicap to her husband. It makes social complications that hinder a man's success to be married to a woman whom other women will not receive.

Consider it well before you take such a fatal step.

DOROTHY DIX

What the Fashionables are Wearing

Illustrated Dressmaking Lesson Furnished With Every Pattern By Annabelle Worthington



No. 370—Fascinating Model. This style is designed in sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 years, 36 and 38 inches bust measure. Size 16 requires 3 1-4 yards of 39-inch material. No. 390—Darling Playtime Dress. This style is designed in sizes 2, 4, and 6 years. Size 4 requires 2 3-8 yards of 35-inch material with 3-8 yard of 35-inch contrasting. No. 428—Charming Model. This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 1-2 yards of 39-inch contrasting and 1 7-8 yards of ribbon. No. 408—For small folk. This style is designed in sizes 2, 4, 6 and 8 years. Size 4 requires 1 1-2 yards of 35-inch material with 1-4 yard of

39-inch contrasting. This style is designed in sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measurement. Size 16 requires 3 3-8 yards of 39-inch material with 1 1-2 yards of 39-inch contrasting for apron and dress collar. Be sure to fill in the size of the pattern. Price of Pattern 15 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred.) Wrap coin carefully. Name Street Address City State

Summer Salads

One salad follows another—and that is alright with everyone, provided the salads are sufficiently different!

Different dressings help, of course, in achieving varied effects. The same dressing—mayonnaise, a cooked dressing, French dressing—will make a base for a whole group of fancied dressings that will seem very individual when served on a plain crisp green salad.

Then you can alter and re-group the same salad ingredients, emphasizing the satisfying materials when you want to make the salad more substantial, or giving it a lighter quality when it will displace dessert on the dinner menu. There is little you can't do with a salad, except perhaps make a breakfast dish of it!

Italian Salad

1 cucumber 2 stalks celery 1/2 package elbow macaroni 1-4 cup French dressing 1-4 cup onion 2 pimentos Cook macaroni in salted water, plunge it into cold water, and drain. Soak cucumber, onion, and celery (diced) in salt and water for a few moments. Drain. Mix all ingredients and let stand in a cool place one hour before serving. Eight servings.

Lobster Salad

Do a cucumber. Let stand in ice water to chill, then drain and dry on a food cloth. Measure the cucumber and add an equal amount of cold cooked asparagus tips and small firm bits of lobster. Season to taste with salt, pepper, and French dressing. Arrange in a mound on a bed of lettuce leaves. Arrange the flesh from the large claws and tail of the lobster around the mound. Garnish with quarters of chilled firm tomatoes. Press the coral of the lobster through a sieve and add one-half cup of mayonnaise dressing. Serve the sauce separately. Eight servings.

Kidney Bean Salad

1-2 cup radishes 2 cups red kidney beans 1-2 cup sour pickles 1 cup celery. Rinse the beans with cold water. Dice radishes, celery and pickles and combine with the beans. Drain and serve on lettuce with French dressing. Six servings.

Piquant Salad

1-2 cup stuffed olives French dressing 1 No. 2 can small peas 1 small onion Mayonnaise. Chop olives and onions very fine. Combine with peas. Marinate with French dressing and let stand for one hour. Arrange on lettuce and serve with mayonnaise. Eight servings.

Pineapple and Cucumber

1 cup crushed pineapple 1 cup diced cucumbers 1-4 cup whipped cream 1-4 cup mayonnaise Combine pineapple and cucumber. Add whipped cream mixed with mayonnaise. Serve on lettuce and garnish each salad with two strips of red and green pepper. Six servings.

A Morning Smile

The schoolmaster asked his class of small boys what an island was, and Smith minor answered that it was a piece of land entirely surrounded by water. "Very good; now what is a lake, Jones?" "Please, sir, a lake is a piece of water entirely surrounded by land." "Quite correct. Now can anyone tell me what a beach is?" After a long silence little Solomon stood up and piped. "Please, sir, it's a kind of a dog."

RUG CLEANERS MAKERS MARITIME RUG WORKS SAINT JOHN, N. B.