Women

ELLEN'S DIARY

Aspiring Young Soloists Attend Festival Audition

Robins were into their evensong, down in the front meadow where at the far side and below, runs the millstream. In a gentle flow, the dusk was commencing to pour its purpling shadows into the valley in token that night was on its way.

"Do you hear them sing?" Mack queried. "Sounds good, doesn't it?"

"It sho' does!" we agreed.

"When we hear that, we know there are nice days ahead."

"And busy" we added with a chuckle.

"Yes, busy, all right! With the cropping, and..."

"... grade 9 to be disposed of" we said.

"If and when" he grinned.

So the robins trilled their praises. Gave thanks we could fancy, for the little things of their living: the day's sunshine, we were sure. And for food — for dew - worms tugged from warming corners of sod; for hopes of a nest. Not one come in gift, but to be painstakingly builded by their own efforts, straw upon straw, string after string woven into its fabric, cunningly and amazingly constructed and settled neatly on a high branch, to be lined downily, and warmed by virtue of their love.

It was a solemn song and peaceful we heard as we walked down to lane's end and the little truck waiting there. It was to take several members of the family, including a delighted Peter, off to attend the annual pre-festival concert, in the district's hall, which stands. Indeed has long stood down beside the River Road, a few steps beyond the school.

It is an event, pleasantly anticipated both by children and parents.

'I confess, I am a little nervous. It's my first experience, you know, before an audience" Alex offered, as the truck climbed the hill.

"We'll all fall on our faces, won't we?" Mack chuckled to him lightly. "And then, what will we do? Cut and run, eh?"

"You will pick yourselves up and try it again!" we said.

It was an eager and gifted young company that presented the concert tonight.

We sang a little old tune to ourself in the pantry, when in an ancient rite peculiar to women kind, we "made soap" this afternoon. We had been drawn to it in a desire to rid a cupboard usefully of a great bowl of rendered beef fat. We made it the easy way, simply by mixing the dissolved lye into the melted grease.

The puzzle, in this age of metal mixes and plastics, was to find a container about, that could stand the inroads of the lye. The iron kettles of a former era of living, had disappeared long since. How we wish now we had kept a better watch over the great iron pot in which, come fall and the wind high in the night-trees, James would cook the nightly feed of oats for the horses! And the one of medium size in which was cooked many a tasteful meal! And the pride of all, the round - bottomed number with its complement of hand - made, maple stick, the little porridge - pot, which set the tune of the day. And the tea - kettles, black and heavy, but soon steaming when set down near the fire.

Gone... vanished, they have... as goes now this day, which no guarding of ours could keep.

Until tomorrow — Diary — Good - night.....

JOE M. WHITE

MARY F. JOHNSTON

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr and Mrs. Marvyn Johnston, Montague, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Mary Frances, of Grand Falls, N.B., to Joe M. White, Chickasha, Oklahoma, son of Mrs. Ernest White and the late Mr. White. The marriage will take place Wednesday, May 27 in Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Montague.

IDA BAILEY ALLEN

Roast Of Beef Potted With Mixed Vegetables

FRESH-MADE maple sugar and maple syrup are already on sale in sections where the sugar maples grow. The sugar is not practical to use in cooking, unless one is lucky enough to find the slightly softened kind in specialty or country stores.

Ready To Dribble

Maple syrup, on the other hand, is ready not only to dribble over pancake or waffles, or just - fried doughnuts, but to use on hot whole - grain cereals, and in making many desserts in place of part of the sugar and liquid.

Measurements level; recipes 6

MAPLE-GLAZED PEARS

1 c. maple - blended syrup
1 tsp. butter
2 tbsp. red cinnamon powder candies
6 ripe pears (or use canned pears)

Combine syrup, butter and candies in small sauce pan. Cook over low heat until butter and candies melt.

Peel pears (ripe ones, of course; for canned pears see below) do not remove stems. Place pears in baking dish; add syrup mixture.

Bake 35 to 45 min. in mod. oven (375 degrees F.), or until tender; baste occasionally. Baste 3 times while pears are cooking to make thicker glaze. Serve warm or chilled with or without sour cream.

WITH CANNED PEARS: Combine and cook syrup, butter candies as directed. Add canned pears. Bake 20 min. at 375 degrees F.

SUNDAY DINNER

Chilled Grapefruit Juice
Pot Roast of Beef
Horseradish Sauce (pkg.)
Whipped Potato
Mixed Vegetables
Maple - Glazed Pears
Coffee, Tea, Milk

POT ROAST OF BEEF WITH MIXED VEGETABLES

5 lbs. round of beef
4 peeled onions, chopped
2 tsp. beef broth powder
2 tsp. vegetable broth

Mixed vegetables (follows)

Brown beef lightly all over in its own fat in large kettle. Add onions; brown about 2 min. Add broth powders; pour in boiling water to half height of meat. Cover.

Bring to rapid boil; reduce heat to simmering point. Simmer - cook 4 hrs. or until meat is fork - tender. Add more boiling water if needed.

There should be about 6 c. broth left in kettle. Drain off but do not strain. Use part in cooking mixed vegetables her qualities, though disclaiming any special attachment.

Please help me solve the problem. He really needs a good home and we get along beautifully except for that woman. I am most distressed about her.. E.S.

Dear E.S.: It appears that you wouldn't mind being Tom's wife. And if such is the ease, I think you should make a warmly candid response to his suggestion of sharing an apartment with you.

Tell him the truth, to - wit: that you are greatly concerned about his well being, and would be lonely without his companionship. Also that he needs a good home and you and he get along beautifully. But that you deeply believe a man and woman must be married, to feel right about living together.

Hence, if he really means it about wanting to team up with you in a housekeeping arrangement — "let's get married first; or let's drop the "shared apartment idea."

The fact that Tom is still a bachelor at age 78 indicates that he has tremendous ingrained misgivings (maybe insurmountable reservations) about getting married. Thus, should he decline to marry you, after hearing your terms, don't take the turnd own as a personal affront or crushing rejection.

Just realize the he is stymied by a powerful unconscious resistance to marriage, period. In the man - woman relationship he looks for a mother - protector, rather than a mate in his orphaned years, it seems. Evidently his German landlady filled that role in his scheme of things, after a fashion, until her health failed.

Likely he has known for some time that he'd have to find other lodgings eventually (if he survived her). Thus in fanning the married club woman's interest, while also going with you, perhaps he was looking ahead. Perhaps he wanted to have more than one string to his bow (as the phrase is), when he would be needing mammy - type help in finding a cozy place to live, within his means.

Also, of course, it is a commonplace gambit of unmarried men, unsure of their sex identity, to play one woman friend off against another, with somewhat childish cruelty, in an effort to imply: "See how desirable I am, sex-wise!" It signifies immature neurotic insecurity, rather than a genuine philandering bias. M.H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of the Guardian.

by Anne Adams

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LIBRARY TEA AT PARKDALE

An arrangement of children's books, record albums, art work and colorful murals keynoted the fourth annual Library Tea held by Parkdale Elementary School in the Institute Hall on Friday. Jean Vessey, of the school staff serves several guests who attended this popular function. Left to right, Mrs. George Campbell, Mrs. J.J. Pacquet, Mrs. Charlie Small, Mrs. Uttley Birt and Miss Vessey.

MARY HAWORTH

Elderly Bachelor Seeks Mother-Protector Image

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am a widow, 60, and a couple of years ago I joined a senior citizens' club. There I met Tom, a bachelor, youthful at 78, though with a slight cardiac condition.

After my husband's death 11 years ago, I spent a few years traveling between the homes of my married children, then returned here to my tiny apartment, where I live quietly, keeping to myself.

When Tom's mother died 17 years ago, he sold their country place and moved into mid-town lodgings with a German family. Now his landlady, in her 80s and very ill, must give up the house (her husband passed away some years ago) and go to a nursing home.

Tom has to find a new place. He wants to take an apartment with me and share expenses. I have a small pension (enough for me) and he has social security (about $100 a month).

I always thought people had to be married, to look proper, living together. I'd feel ashamed; and what should I tell my children? I wouldn't dare suggest to him that people should marry before living together. And I'd never be satisfied married to a man whom I'd had to prod into it.

However, I'm very tempted. I've never met anyone nicer or more presentable. Besides I feel so sorry for him if he has move into a furnished room and take all his meals out.

To complicate matters, a married woman member of the club is causing dissension between us. When he and I started going together, he said there was nobody else. But once I saw him with her, boarding a bus, which he denied later. But I've noticed the undercurrent of friendliness between them at the club.

She got interested when she saw he was going with me. She used to look dowdy, then started dressing up. Tom says he has known her and her husband for years, and he praises to serve with meat, sliced thin. sauce.

Remove fat from remaining broth; serve broth in samll cups at another meal.

MIXED VEGETABLES: Cook 2 (10½ oz.) pkg. frozen mixed vegetables following pkg. directions, in a little of the broth. Or clean and cup - up 2 pkg. fresh "soup greens," including parsnips; carriots, leeks or scallions, parsley and celery stalks, and cook covered in 1 inch beef broth about 15 min.

TOMORROW'S DINNER

Minestrone
Spaghetti With Clam Sauce
Lettuce-Dandelion-Celery Salad
Sponge Cake With Ice Cream
Coffee, Tea, Milk

THE CHEF'S SPAGHETTI WITH A CHOICE OF SAUCES.

Mesdames: Plain cook 8 oz. short-cut high protein spaghetti. Drain; do not rinse, add half the desired sauce; season with grated Parmesan cheese. Add remaining cause and dust with a little more Parmesan.

Here are two cauces: Take your choice, s'il vous plait.

CLAM SAUCE: Saute 2 tbsp. minced onion in 2 tbsp. butter or margarine. When color turns, add contents of 1 (10 oz.) can minced clams and simmer 5 min. or until half reduced. Add 1 tbsp. minced parsley. Combine with spaghetti.

ANCHOVY SAUCE: Prepare garlic - butter sauce as usual and add 1 small can anchovy fillets cut in small squares.

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WI Will Support Murray Hbr. Day

An exchange of plant slips was the roll call response for members of the Queen Mary (Murray Harbour) Women's Institute who met at the home of Mrs. Nathan Irving in April.

With Mrs. Louis Herring presiding, a report was heard concerning the donation of soft drinks to the Murray Harbour Paperweights hockey team, this year's Island champions.

The club decided to help with the Murray Harbour Day centennial celebrations. Red Cross Sewing was distributed and Mrs. Luther Herring was appointed visitor.

Refreshments were served.

BURTON

Bernard McKenna of Central Bedeque, recently visited his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Griffin, Burton.

Mrs. Roma Vautour, Burton, was a recent visitor to Charlottown.

Joseph P. Clements, who was residing in Bloomfield for the winter months has returned to Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collicutt, Cape Wolfe, attended the graduation exercises of the Central School for nursing assistants, held at Riverside Hospital, Charlottetown. Their daughter, Carol was among the graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Collicutt, Burton also attended.

Congratulations are extended to Miss Carol Collicutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collicutt, Cape Wolfe, on her graduation from Central School for nursing assistants, Riverside Hospital, Charlottetown.

PIUSVILLE

Erbie Gallant has returned home from the Magdalen Islands where he spent some time in the seal hunting business.

Euzeb Arsenault, Howlan, was a business visitor to the district on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hardy and family, Brooklyn, left recently for Toronto where Mr. Hardy expects to be employed.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity are grading and hauling potatoes to market despite the bad weather and roads.

Laughlin Horne, Rosebank, left recently for the U.S. where he intends to remain for some time.

The road through this district is in a deplorable condition with the high cutting and deep mud. It's almost impassable for cars. With the depth of clay that was put on this road last fall it will be almost impossible for tractors to get through as the snow wasn't pushed back and the water just has to lie in the road.

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HAPPENINGS

Audrey Jenkins, Women's Editor; Phone 4-8506

Brooklyn, Kings, Women's Institute demonstrated recently one way to make New Canadians feel welcome and part of their community.

Mrs. Herman Van Wiechen of Holland, who, with her husband has purchased the Simon Campbell farm in Brooklyn, has show great interest in the hand hooked rugs in her neighbor's homes and expressed a desire to learn the art in order to make one as a gift for her mother in Holland.

Mrs. Van Wiechen was invited by the WI to attend an old-time hooking frolic where an especially lovely sea-scape rug was being completed.

Supper was served, the rug completed, removed from its frame and presented to Mrs. Van Wiechen as a Holland-bound gift.

Velda Doucette of St. Louis, has left for Halifax, N.S. where she will visit her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martell and family.

Neil MacNeil, Little Sands has recently returned from a pleasant trip to Ottawa and Toronto. In Ottawa he visited at the home of his sister, Catherine, Mrs. James Harris, and in Toronto with his brother, Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wark, of St. Louis, left recently for the Magdelen Islands where they will attend the marriage of Mr. Wark's brother, Ronald. They were accompanied by Mr. Wark's father and mother of Montreal, who were visiting in St. Louis.

The Kensington Lions Regional Band is making good progress under the direction of instructor, W.E.R. Locke. Eric Jessome states that the band will appear for the first time in full uniform on May 25.

Volunteer workers have been busy for the past three weeks making uniforms at the Regional High School.

Myrtis Pickett is who is being trained by Mr. Jessome, is becoming quite an efficient drum majorette.

Bandsman scholarships for the music seminar at Mt. Allison in July, continue to come in. In addition to those earlier donated by the Lions, the Royal Canadian Legion and the Gentleman's Club, the Horseman's Club; two have been received from Margate WI, one from Kelvin Grove WI, and one from Malpeque WI.

Mrs. Cecil R. Palmer, Water St., entertained at afternoon tea last week in honor of Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Eulalia McLeod of Glace Bay and other grand officers of the Grand Chapter of OES. Worthy Matron Mrs. Gladys MacKinnon and the officers of Crystal Chapter No. one attended.

Assisting Mrs. Palmer were Mrs. Gladys MacKay, Mrs. Hazel White and Mrs. Gladys Larkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Cunningham of Truro, N.S. were week-end visitors to Charlottetown.

Senator Elsie Inman has been a guest in Montague of Dr. G.S. A. Inman and Mrs. Inman.

Winston Murray of Valleyfield West, who has been spending the winter in the Yukon, is visiting with his mother, Mrs. H.D. Murray, Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacDonald have returned to London, Ont. having visited for several months with Mrs. Kate Montgomery, Valleyfield.

Mrs. Fred Osborne, Brackley Point Rd., leaves today for Iowa, where she will visit with her daughter, Sally, a student at Iowa State University.

CWL Progress Is Noted At Stella Maris

A year's work was reviewed at the April (annual) meeting of Stella Maris Catholic Women's League. With Mrs. W.V. Gauthier presiding, executive and committee reports given showed a very successful year.

Programme highlights were a vocational rally for the high school students: the support of national and other scholarships, and donating school prizes; fund raising bingo games; selling religious articles to parishioners; support of the Cub Pack; keeping the sanctuary clean and supplying flowers for special occasions and remembering the needy at Christmas.

The League, which has a membership of 133, elected a new slate of officers as follows: president, Mrs. Lawrence Doucette; secretary, Mrs. J. G. Gaudin (re -e lected); treasurer, Mrs. Edmond D Gallant; 1st vice president, Mrs. Leo R. Doiron; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Vincent Bilacquiere; 3rd. vice president, Mrs. Stephen Peters.

The retiring president, Mrs. Gauthier thanked the committee conveners for their assistance and acknowledged the help of the spiritual director, Rev. Francis Corcoran, who also spoke briefly, commending the League for their year's work.

The business portion was followed by a social hour.

LIGHT AS FEATHER

The 2½-inch-long bee hummingbird, which weighs under two grams, is the smallest bird in the world.

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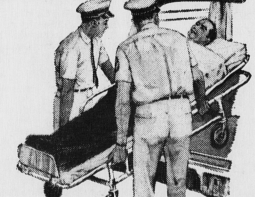

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