



MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS VICTOR FERGUSON AND ATTENDANTS

## Ferguson-Cairns Wedding At North Bedeque Church

A pretty Autumn wedding was solemnized at North Bedeque United Church on Saturday evening, Oct. 19, at 6.30, when the Georgina R.N. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott Cairns, Lower Freetown, exchanged vows with Douglas Victor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ferguson, Hampton, in double ring ceremony performed by Rev. S. Grant Walls, Mrs. D. Wright was in charge of the wedding music and accompanied by J. B. Lewis who sang "O Perfect Love" before the ceremony and "I'll walk beside you" during the signing of the register. The church was beautifully decorated with baskets of gladioli. The guests were marked with bows of white satin ribbon, gladioli and fern.

The lovely young bride, given in marriage by her father wore a floor-length wedding gown of ombre-nylon over white satin made in princess style with neckline front and back, fitted bodice, full skirt and long slender sleeves ending in points over the hands. Her fingertip veil of tulle illusion was held in place by a matching halo and she carried a cascade bouquet of red roses. Her only ornament was a pearl necklace, gift of the groom.

Miss Winnifred Cairns, B.A., a recent graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital School of Nursing, was her sister-in-law of honor. She was attired in a ballerina length dress of dusky rose faille taffeta with cap sleeves, V neckline, fitted bodice and hoop skirt. She wore matching hat and mitts and carried white mums.

Miss Louise and Amy Cairns, sisters of the bride were bridesmaids. Miss Louise wore chartreuse and carried yellow mums, and Miss Amy wore corn yellow and carried bronze mums. Their gowns were of the same material and similarly styled to that of the maid of honor. Their hats and mitts matched their gowns.

The small nieces of the bride, Marilyn and Catherine Millar, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Millar, Kelvin, made winsome flower girls in their dresses of pink embossed nylon, short full skirts and matching bandeaux. They carried baskets of old-fashioned flowers.

Mr. Raigh Callbeck of Alberton, cousin of the groom was best man and Mr. W. Envor Bowles and Mr. Roy Turner of Summerside were ushers.

Mrs. Cairns chose for her daughter's wedding a big size suit with matching picture hat, pink accessories and wore a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother was dressed in a steel grey suit with blue accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

The reception was held at Birch Hill Tourist Home where ninety guests enjoyed a delicious turkey dinner. Rev. S. Grant Walls proposed a toast to the bride to which the groom fittingly replied. Miss Helen Pendleton, R.N., was in charge of the guest book.

Following the reception the happy couple left on a short honeymoon trip throughout the Maritime Provinces for travelling the bride

donnaed a grey wool suit with pink accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The bride is a graduate of the Prince Edward Island Hospital School of Nursing and the groom is embalmer with Mr. N.D. MacLean funeral director in Charlottetown.

Guests from outside of the province included Miss Winnifred Cairns, B.A. of Montreal, Miss Doris Clark, R.N., Fredericton, N.B., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LeLachur Sackville, N.B.

Previous to her marriage Georgina was the recipient of many beautiful gifts. Miss Charlotte Cairns, R.N., Miss Helen Pendleton, R.N., and Miss Doreen Ellis, R.N., were hostesses at the home of Mrs. George Cairns Nassau Street, Charlottetown at a delightfully arranged shower in her honor. Mrs. Arnold MacLeod, R.N. read the humorous verses and Miss Helen Pendleton arranged the gifts on the table. After the bride-to-be had thanked all for their kindness and the gifts had been admired a pleasant social evening was spent during which the hostesses served a delicious lunch of ice cream and cake. On Tuesday evening Sept 25th about two hundred neighbours, friends and relatives gathered at Georgina's home in Lower Freetown and presented her with beautiful gifts. To the strains of the Wedding March played by Miss Ruth Cairns, cousin of the bride, Georgina was escorted to the seat of honor by Miss Jennie Reeves, Miss Marion and Master Denton Cairns carried in the many well laden baskets of presents which were opened by Miss Marion MacCaull and Mrs. Wendell Yeo and the verses read by Mrs. Bruce Profit and Mrs. Walter Staver, Mrs. Howard Cairns and Miss Arlene Reeves arranged the gifts on the table. Georgina in a few well chosen words thanked the people sincerely for their lovely gifts and invited all to visit them at their new home in Charlottetown. The remainder of the evening was spent in music and games. A hearty songing of old favorites led by Mr. J.B. Lewis at the piano was much enjoyed. A beautiful lunch was served by the ladies. After a very pleasant evening all returned to their homes wishing Georgina and Douglas many years of happy married life.

## ELLEN'S DIARY

### Full Bins And Plenty

Today brought their potato-digging once more to the folks at Alberta. It was as it happened this year and of late a short spell of one which extended through the afternoon only. It forgathered in the field the masculine side of the family and Granddaughter and it was not a tedious task they met there.

If we had a notion that in his preparations for it, James passed over and looked in more than was necessary it was perhaps only that our conscience was our accuser and not that he really expected the farmwives to add to the number of helpers in the field.

"How many acres do a dozen drills, ten chains long make?" Mack came in with the problem. We laughed. It was so much like those James has given us to solve down through the years—his round acres of clearing, the irregular points and pieces of the virgin soil he has claimed and broken from the woodlands. And while we puzzled to arrive at an exact estimate, he would be sure to say presently: "Never mind using up another page figuring it, Ellen! That's near enough anyway. I know it is. You see, after I stepped it, I sort of reckoned it up in my mind." "Oh about a half," we replied to Mack's query.

"About a half," he repeated. "That's why my Grandfather said. He knows all about land" he nodded. "A half acre" he said moving off to join the others about to leave for the field, "there'll be a nice lot of picking in that!"

The sunshine—how pleasant it was for the harvesters, the wind a warm one to dry the tubers, as it blew from up the creek to the west. And back of the workers in that field up the rise, to make the scene especially striking was the still-bright touch of Autumn about.

We found we listened through the afternoon for the creak of a farmcart bringing home the first load past the kitchen-door to the cellar to be a Good Luck symbol for us—a sign of full bins and plenty, but no such echo of our former years of farming entered into the peace and quiet of the time. In the sunset however our complete harvest of tubers was brought to the basement of the house across the lane. And The Digging was over.

"Well, you have your potatoes all in," Jamie smiled coming in to supper.

"We should be growing more of them," James offered. "Perhaps next year..."

"I don't believe I would if I were you," Gage said kindly, "you know growing potatoes is pretty heavy work."

"Oh dear!" Mack a shortish follow eased his weight with respect into the depths of the old armchair this evening. "I think my potato-picking days are pretty well over. This back of mine aches... oh dear! I don't know what I'll do about tomorrow..." he said soberly.

Until tomorrow — Diary — Good-night.

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## "Pancake Festival Week"

### HOW TO PREVENT PANCAKES FROM STICKING TO GRIDDLE

If you have this difficulty, simply add to your pancake batter a small quantity of melted shortening (liquid shortening or cooking oil is ideal). Add about two tablespoons of melted or liquid shortening to the standard recipe for making 14 to 16 pancakes. You'll find that it makes your pancakes easy to lift from the griddle without sticking.

And here's another tip. Don't be in too much of a hurry to turn your pancakes. If you try to turn them before they are ready, the batter will stick to your spatula and to the griddle. After bubbles have appeared on the top of the pancake, gently insert the spatula underneath. If the spatula does not move freely under the pancake, withdraw and allow the pancake to cook until it can be turned freely.

Don't scour your griddle before you make pancakes. If you have scoured your griddle, use wax paper to rub on some shortening. When the griddle is heated, this should help season it.

Another tip is heat your griddle to the right temperature (350 degree F.). On a regular griddle you have no means of checking this temperature, but here is a test which works out very well: A drop of water poured on the heated griddle should bounce for a moment before dissolving in steam. If it turns to steam instantly the griddle is too hot. If it stays more than a second before going up in steam, the griddle is not hot enough.

When making your pancake batter by mixing a ready prepared pancake mix and milk, don't worry about beating all the small lumps out of the batter. Leave them in — you'll get lighted pancakes.

Many people like to add one or more eggs to the pancake batter. German people, for instance, make a special egg pancake. This is a huge pancake which fills the whole griddle. When made, it is dusted with icing sugar, spread with Lingonberry preserve (or other jam), rolled and secured with toothpicks. It makes a delicious supper treat.

## Wife Preservers

Always be sure that gas burner holes are entirely open. A stiff wire will usually do the trick. If yellow flames persist, call your gas company for service to the burner, as yellow flames are not safe.

## Rock N' Roll Music Is Featured At Royal Party

IVER, England (AP) — Queen Elizabeth danced to rock 'n' roll music until the wee hours today at a gay 21st birthday party for her cousin, the Duke of Kent.

"It was a very regal, you know," said a fellow guest. "You couldn't say she actually did the rock 'n' roll herself, but she did dance animatedly."

Her partner as the band played "See You Later, Alligator" and "Rock Around the Clock" was Lord Porchester, 32-year-old peer.

Nearly 200 royal personages and members of London's high society helped the duke celebrate his coming of age at Coppins, the home of his mother, the Duchess of Kent. The party lasted from 9 o'clock Tuesday night until the last guests straggled out at 5 a.m. today.

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh left just after 3 a.m. for the 20-mile journey back to Buckingham Palace.

Some of the younger set rocked 'n' rolled, with varying degrees of skill, until nearly dawn.

PRINCE JOINS BAND  
Prince Michael, the duke's 14-year-old brother, played the tambourine after getting quick instructions from band leader Paul Adams. He took the night off from Eton School to attend.

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## THE FASHION SHOPPE

# WOMEN

Lena Caroline McLure, Women's Editor, Phone 8506

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## HAPPENINGS

Dr. and Mrs. Alan Ernst of Montreal are visiting at Government House.

The Naval Officers' Association of Canada, Prince Edward Island branch, have issued invitations for the Annual Trafalgar Day Ball on board H.M.C.S. Queen Charlotte at 9 p.m., Friday evening, October 19.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. MacMillan are on a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. Lea-Morgan has returned from a three months visit to England.

Mrs. David Hyndman returned Tuesday by plane to Montreal. Mrs. Hyndman had been in Charlottetown to attend the Scales-Hill

wedding, at which she was matron-of-honor.

Miss Frances Wilson, R.N., was the guest of honor recently at a miscellaneous shower at Miss Carolyn Nelson's residence.

Mrs. David MacLean and Miss Beatrice Ridd entertained at a kitchen shower at Mrs. MacLean's residence in honor of Miss Wilson.

Mrs. Ivan Horne entertained at her residence, Brighton Road, Wednesday afternoon, at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Frances Wilson.

Mrs. J. T. Ibbott entertains this Friday afternoon at a tea honoring Miss Frances Wilson. Mrs. Edgar Heartz, grandmother of the bride elect, will pour tea. The assistants will be nursing friends of Miss Wilson.

Mrs. Daniel MacDougall, Mt. Stewart, accompanied by her two sons, Brighton and Carl and her niece, Mrs. Russell MacIntyre left Tuesday by car for Boston. While there they will visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Haslam are on a motor trip through the New England States.

Mrs. H. J. Warren, Charlottetown, is visiting her daughter Marlene in Kingston, Ontario.

Mrs. Heath Chisholm, North Tryon, and Mrs. Earle Boulter, Albany, have returned home after spending the past week, guests of Mrs. Chisholm's daughter, Mrs. Charles Asprey and Mr. Asprey Campbellton, N.B.

The hostesses for the Charlottetown Curling Club on Saturday evening are the following: Mrs. W.

## COOK'S CORNER



**CARROT PUDDING**  
1 cup grated carrots  
1 cup grated potatoes  
1 heaping cup brown sugar  
1 cup currants  
1 cup raisins  
1 cup chopped dates  
1 cup suet or 3 tbsp. shortening  
1 tsp. baking soda  
Flour  
Steam 3 hours.



## ENGAGED

MR. AND MRS. FOSTER SKERRY of Tignish, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Jean Marie, to Ernest Dewolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Dewolf of Amherst, N.S. Wedding to take place in Amherst's Roman Catholic Church on November 10th.

## RED CARPET WELCOME

LONDON (AP)—Moscow gave a red carpet welcome to an Afghanistan government delegation headed by Premier Sardar Shah Mahmood Daoud Khan. The Moscow radio announced Premier Nikolai Bulganin and Communist party boss Nikita Khrushchev greeted the delegation, which is returning a visit the two Russians paid to Afghanistan last year.

H. Worth, Mrs. W. R. MacNeil, Miss Sybil MacMillan and Mrs. Marian Dockendorff.

## WIFE PRESERVERS



If your older waffle iron has rusted, clean it up as well as you can, then brush it with salad oil, and use.

**MORELL C.W.L.**  
The St. Lawrence C.W.L. held their meeting on October 1 at 8 p.m. in the Parish House. Meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Harold Phelan and the Director Fr. Robin opened it by reciting the League Prayer.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. John O'Neill, approved and signed. The different convenors all received their report forms, and the League Magazines were given out. It was moved and seconded that a prize be given to the highest student in the Junior and Senior catechism exams this year, and next year give a prize to the highest in all classes, after which Fr. Robin gave a talk on the teaching of catechism in the home.

A vote of thanks was moved to Fr. Robin for the recent Women's retreat held in the Parish House, which twenty-five members were present. A report of the annual convention was given by Mrs. Phelan.

A discussion followed on the C.W.L. Regional Conference to be held in St. Peter's Bay, October 7, which a number of members are going to attend. It was decided that the next meeting be held in the Parish House and a lunch committee was appointed. Meeting then adjourned by reading the Act of Consecration by Fr. Robin.

**SECTS CLASH**  
WASHINGTON (AP)—A U.S. Air Force experimental rocket plane probably reached a record speed of 2,200 miles an hour before it crashed in California Sept. 7, authoritative sources said Wednesday. Air Force Secretary Donald A. Quarles said publicly last week that Capt. Milton G. Apt, pilot of the ill-fated X-2, "was flying faster than any other human being has ever been known to fly" shortly before his death.

## HOUSEHOLD HINT

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