

Happenings of The Week

Mrs. Alan Ernst of Montreal spent the New Year's holiday with her parents...

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. McMillan entertained friends at a square dance party Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel McGuire of Amherst, N. S. spent the New Year's holiday in Charlottetown...

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duvar entertained friends at their home Saturday evening...

Mr. A. L. Sinclair left last Saturday on return to Toronto, after spending the holidays here...

Mrs. Dorothy Auguson has arrived from her former home in Penhold, Alta., with her son Patrick...

Members of Alpha Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, met Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Audrey Gillis...

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Borden entertained a few friends at a buffet supper party at their home...

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon White and Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair MacKay entertained recently at a supper party in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schurman...

Mr. John Agnew of Calgary, Alta., is visiting his brother, Mr. W. E. Agnew and Mrs. Agnew.

Mr. Alan Holman is leaving today on a brief trip to New York. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Holman...

A number of Girl Guide leaders from all parts of the Province are the guests of friends and relatives in the City this week-end...

Miss Marjorie MacDougal R. N. left Wednesday for London, Ont., where she will be attached to D. V. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lancaster entertained at their home for friends on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neill have returned to Halifax after spending the New Year's week-end with Mrs. O'Neill's mother...

Miss Bessie Delaney has returned to Horton Academy, Wolfville, N. S., to resume her studies...

Hostesses at the Charlottetown Curling Club this evening will be Mrs. W. C. Hoyt, Mrs. Ray Barrett...

Miss Helen Hamill, R. N., Montreal, who flew home to spend the Christmas holidays with her sister and brothers in Freetown, has returned to Montreal.

Miss Isabel Campbell, Belvedere avenue, spent the Christmas holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Claude Delaney, Albany.

The Misses Mildred and Ann Walsh entertained at a dinner and bridge for friends during the holiday season.

Miss Gertrude Love, who left Wednesday to spend the winter in Toronto, entertained fellow staff members of the Red Cross last Saturday at a delightful luncheon at the Charlottetown Hotel...

Miss Alice Moar, R. N., recently returned from Bermuda, is presently visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Darte, Charlottetown...

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. DeBolis entertained informally for friends on Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. Gordon MacDonald entertained last Saturday at an informal afternoon tea. Mrs. G. E. Hartlen presided over the table...

Mr. and Mrs. John Leuty and two children have returned to Summerside after spending the Christmas season with Mrs. Leuty's sister, Mrs. W. R. Aitken.

Mrs. J. Wesley Bell is leaving today for Halifax, where she will visit for a few days before going to Montreal...



Cook's Corner

DATE LOAF

Four one cup boiling water over 1 cups dates cut fine. 1 tablespoon butter. 1/2 cup brown sugar, cool. 2 eggs beaten. 2 cups flour. 1 teaspoon soda. 1 teaspoon baking powder. 1 teaspoon salt. 1 teaspoon vanilla. 1 cup walnuts. Bake about 1 1/2 hours.

—Mrs. MacInnes, Bedecue, W. I.

Rogers-Godfrey Wedding

The marriage of Evelyn Muriel Godfrey, daughter of Mrs. Lloyd Godfrey and the late Mr. Godfrey of Cornwall, P. E. Island, and Thomas Norton Rogers, son of Mrs. Geo. G. Rogers and the late Geo. J. Rogers of Charlottetown, P. E. Island, was solemnized on Dec. 29 at four p.m. at the Church of St. Mary Magdalene, Toronto...

The bride who was given in marriage by Lieut. Col. J. R. Paton, looked charming in a tailored suit of pale blue worsted flannel and wore a small winter white felt hat. She carried pink orchids on a white prayer book.

The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret McTavish, wore a navy blue wool suit with corsage of pink roses.

Mr. Hugh Paton acted as best man. A small reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Paton. The guests included Lieut. Col. and Mrs. J. R. Paton, Mrs. A. V. Saunders, Miss Ann Louise Lentle, Miss Jeanne Parment and Miss Margaret McTavish.

Following a trip to New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will reside in Charlottetown.

Lima Beans Make Tasty, Economical Dish

With the holidays just past, the family probably had enough fancy eating and the food budget, too, is ready for more modest spending.

As an aid, a satisfying, nutritious and inexpensive recipe is offered busy housewives. The main items in this meal are a can of lima beans and a can of luncheon casserole which can be made into a casserole with plenty of proteins.

SCALLOPED LIMA BEANS Yield—5 servings. 6 tablespoons butter or margarine. 1/3 cup chopped onion. 1 can (10 ounce) condensed asparagus soup. 1 cup milk. 1 can (20 ounce) lima beans. 2 tablespoons corn starch. 1/4 cup cold milk or lima bean stock.

1/4 cup chili sauce. 1 cup shredded raw carrot. 1 can (12 ounce) luncheon meat. 1 cup coarse soft bread crumbs. Heat 4 tablespoons of the butter or margarine in a saucepan; add onion and cook gently until tender and golden.

Add the condensed asparagus soup and stir well to combine; stir in the 1 cup milk. Drain the lima beans, saving the stock. Stir 1/2 cup of the stock into soup mixture; heat just to boiling point.

Measure the corn starch into a glass or smoothly blend in the 1/4 cup cold milk or lima bean stock; stir into the hot soup mixture and cook, stirring constantly, until smoothly thickened.

Remove from heat and stir in the drained lima beans, chili sauce and shredded carrot. Cut the luncheon meat into 10 slices. Arrange the bean mixture and sliced meat in a greased casserole, making three layers of bean mixture and two of meat.

Melt the remaining 2 tablespoons butter or margarine; add crumbs and toss to combine. Sprinkle over top of casserole. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375 degrees, uncovered, until heated through and topping is golden—about 30 minutes.

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Queen And Duke Tour "Garden Province" of New Zealand

PALMERSTON NORTH, N. Z., (CP) — Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh left here today on their second day's "whistle stop" rail tour of New Zealand's North Island rural interior.

Clad in a white costume with strawberry-colored straw bonnet, the Queen waved goodbye to several thousand persons from the rear observation car as the gleaming red-and-white royal train pulled out behind twin diesel locomotives.

Friday's journey of 160 miles, following Thursday's 100-mile run from Hastings, is through pastoral and agricultural country to New Plymouth, coastal capital of Taranaki province, "the garden of New Zealand."

Will Open Parliament Saturday, the royal couple fly to Wellington, the capital, for a week's stay before beginning their tour of the South Island. Tuesday the Queen will open a special session of Parliament.

When the train stopped at Stratford today, enthusiastic New Zealanders broke through a police cordon and got out of hand at the entrance of the railway station, pressing to within 10 feet of the Queen.

The Queen and her husband were returning to the train after receiving an informal welcome to the town, named after Stratford-on-Avon in England's "Shakespeare country."

Whole Town Present The whole town had turned out to greet them. They walked from the train to a dais erected in the main street 50 yards from the train.

Marching girls in scarlet uniforms and wearing medals attracted the duke's attention, and he stopped to talk to them.

DEAR MISS DIX: I was a widow with an 8-year-old daughter, and had a fine job, when I met and married Paul, a widower with five children, four of whom were married in homes of their own.

His young boy lived with us. He was 17 at the time, and was constantly disrespectful to me. We lived as if the time, and was constantly disrespectful to me. We lived as if the time, and was constantly disrespectful to me.

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ELLEN'S DIARY

"Time has no divisions to mark its passage," once wrote the novelist Thomas Mann. "There is never a thunderstorm or blast of trumpets to announce the beginning of a century begins it is only we mortals who ring bells and fire off pistols."

And how definitely and with what finality—and promise such divisions and boundaries come to us mortals! How awed we are for example by that momentous minute which both takes and gives a year—when we bid farewell to the old and at once greet the new.

We look back . . . and ahead, to untried paths. "Come quickly!" Gage the little lad of this place came in haste to summon us from some care of the kitchen to the room one morning, where at their own suggestion the two were engaged in dismantling the tree which in its beauty had represented to them the joy of the Christmas Season.

"Jamie's crying all to himself," he whispered, "and not a thing to bother him except taking down the tree. He always feels badly about it."

We followed the younger fellow with a casual air we had managed to assume. Jamie, eyes brimming, was taking down the gay ornaments the shining balls and tinsel and all, returning them neatly to the various containers for another interval of waiting.

"We needn't worry about it," we half-chuckled, "before we know it, indeed before we are quite ready to it, another Christmas will be here."

"That's what I told him," Gage nodded earnestly. When you come to think of it," he offered, "it's not too far away—it's just past the summer. Then," he laughed reassuringly, "we'll be trimming her up again!"

So this week, forgetting, in a way, the past, thoughts seemed to dwell much on the days to come. Would they, we wondered, be as kindly as those of the year before? Or better maybe, one in which we should see many a hope realized, and perhaps a long dream fulfilled.

We, ourselves we promised should do our best to make it better. And so we made our resolutions about the hearthfire, when the frost wore its designs on the panes, and beyond on the hillsides and down to the edge of the millstream the fields were carpeted in a tapestry of white. Half in jest we talked, yet knew we spoke of subjects very close to the heart.

Considering our shortcomings, bringing them into the open, "we took heed to our ways." "Let us all resolve," Harriet B. Stowe once said, "First to attain the grace of silence; Second, to deem all fault-finding that does no good a sin, and to resolve, when we are happy ourselves, not to poison the atmosphere for our neighbors by calling on them to remark every painful and disagreeable feature of the daily life. Third, to practice the grace and virtue of praise."

"No sinful word, nor deed of wrong. Nor thoughts that idly rove; But simple truth be on our tongue. And in our hearts be love!" Until Monday . . . Diary . . . Good-night . . .

Better English By D. C. Williams 1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I like these kind of flowers better than those kind."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "valuable"? 3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Loquacious, lornette, lovable, logarthim.

4. What does the word "mutability" mean? 5. What is a word beginning with "e" that means "calmness of mind"? ANSWERS 1. Say, "this kind," and "that kind." 2. Pronounce val-u-a-b'l, four syllables, and not val-u-b'l. 3. Lornette. 4. Fickleness; instability. 5. Serenity.

How Can I!!! By Anne Ashley Q. How can I keep baby's bottle sweet and fresh? A. Never turn baby's milk bottle upside down to dry. Any bottle will keep sweet and fresh if the air is permitted to circulate in it after washing.

Q. How can I keep the bottom crust of a fruit pie from becoming soggy from the juice? A. Brush the crust with the white of an egg before the fruit is added.

Q. How can I remove ink stains from the hands? A. Rippe tomato juice is an excellent agent for removing fresh ink stains.

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The Stars Say - - By Genevieve Kambie For Tomorrow

AVOID placing yourself under obligation this day by making hasty promises or accepting needless responsibilities. Be careful, if you must make decisions, that you are not swayed by either emotion or sentimentality. What action you take now can have lasting effects, so think carefully.

During the evening hours, steer clear of expensive amusements and expenditures or you may have reason for regret later. The sidereal aspects, however, augur well for simple pastimes, indulgence in hobbies, cultural pursuits and hospitality extended to friends and loved ones within your own walls.

For the Birthday If tomorrow is your birthday, you can make 1954 a banner year if you work with self-confidence and imaginative foresight. Even though you may have been under some pressure and suffered some shortcomings during the past months, the time has come to cast worry aside. You are entering a new—and good—cycle now, so mobilize your efforts to their utmost and profit by the excellent period ahead.

By summer's end, your harvest of success should be an abundant one and the last six months of the year promise a great deal in the way of social popularity and prestige. Romance and travel are also favored from mid-summer on. Business and social contacts made during the summer months should be carefully cultivated since they could play a great part in your future welfare.

A child born on this day will be loyal, understanding and extremely sympathetic. The Day After Tomorrow TACT, diplomacy and emotional control will be needed if one is to avoid trouble this day. The stellar vibrations indicate a tendency toward nagging, bickering and irritability—especially during the early hours. You can do your part in keeping the day free from tension by avoiding controversial subjects with one and all.

The evening hours are less restrictive and are especially favorable for cultural pursuits and participation in community enterprises. Plans made now for improvements in your home or for a short journey to be taken in the near future should culminate quite happily.

For the Birthday If Monday is your birthday, you may look ahead to a year marked by an exceptional improvement where your career is concerned and by a definite uptrend in your financial affairs. The accumulation of cash through your regular occupation and through a possible outside

source is extremely possible and those in the writing, publishing and advertising professions are particularly favored. Your horoscope promises the cooperation of influential persons during the summer months and, with your intuitive foresight, you should be able to capitalize on this excellent situation. Personal relationships are under excellent aspects throughout the year and your social activities should be extraordinarily stimulating—especially after September 1. Avoid extravagance in November and December.

A child born on this day will be intuitive, sincere and idealistic.

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