

Woman's Realm Social and Personal Fashions Literature

Happenings of The Week

Friends of the Royal family say that Prince Charles has made fast progress since he returned to London with his mother from the King's Norfolk estate. He is tall for his age and well-built. Weight is around 24 pounds, height just over two feet, seven inches. He is fast learning new words and frequently exclaims, "Daddy away," now that the Duke of Edinburgh is in naval service in the Mediterranean. One of his favorite words is "bus", which he crows delightedly whenever one of London's big double-decker omnibuses looms in sight. Though normally a happy, contented baby, Charles is often bad-tempered on wet, foggy days, when his morning and afternoon walks through the local parks are hampered by the rain. He does not believe in "coddling babies," a friend said, "but neither does he believe in taking risks." While staying with his mother at Sandringham, Norfolk, the Prince spent many hours out in the gardens even in the coldest weather. But his mother will not allow him to be exposed to fog or damp. What Charles misses most when he is in port is the sight of other babies and people. A friendly boy, he fairly gurgles with delight when nurse Helen Lightbody permits other children to talk with him.

Recently in St. James's Park a nine-year-old girl stopped and chatted with Charles, but when she saw the Duke's personal detective and baby's personal detective laid a restraining hand on her arm. The detective, a London police veteran, walks a dozen or so paces behind Charles' pram wherever he goes and keeps a trained, eagle eye on him. Once a week a full bulletin about his progress is sent to his father aboard the destroyer H. M. S. Chequers. Whenever his ship is in port—on her goodwill tour of Arabia and Egypt—the Duke usually sends his son an exciting parcel of new toys. Public interest in the baby Prince has never waned since he was born and scarcely a day passes without at least one request for permission to take pictures of him. All such requests are turned down. The Prince is adhering firmly to her policy of withholding Prince Charles from the limelight during his first years.

The Queen attended the state opening of parliament. She wore a crimson gown of white satin, embroidered with gold thread and pearls. At the right side of the skirt was a large embroidered bow from which the embroidery spread across the skirt. Her crown glittered with diamonds and platinum, and her necklace and other jewels were of diamonds. She wore the Order of the Garter beneath her crimson, gold and white robe of state. Princess Elizabeth wore a gown of white silk, exquisitely embroidered with pale turquoise blue paillettes, matched by the tones of a blue underskirt revealed by a waist-to-hem slash in the front of the skirt.

Lt. Col. H. H. Hemming, O.B.E., and Mrs. Hemming, of London, England, were in Montreal for a brief visit with relatives last weekend and later proceeded to Ottawa, where they are guests at the Chateau Laurier. Following a stay in Toronto and New York, Lt. Col. and Mrs. Hemming will return home before Easter.

Most Rev. George Frederick Kingston, Archbishop of Nova Scotia and Primate of All Canada will arrive Monday from Halifax to attend the 53rd annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church. While in Charlottetown he will be the guest of Canon E. M. Malone and Mrs. Malone, St. Peter's Rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. L. Prowse, Villa Avenue, are planning a holiday in Montreal and will leave by plane on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Matheson will leave shortly for Montreal, later flying to Bermuda for a month's holiday.

On Wednesday afternoon the members of the Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary entertained at the tea hour in the banquet room. Presiding at the tea table for the first hour were Mrs. Arnett Howatt and Mrs. Roy Cudmore and for the second hour Mrs. James MacFadyen and Mrs. Merritt Forsythe. Spring flowers arranged in a silver bowl, flanked by lighted tapers in silver candelabra centred the tea table while the banquet room was attractive with bouquets of daffodil and multi-colored tulips. Members of the Y. Auxiliary assisted in serving.

Mrs. George Ives entertained at three tables of bridge on Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cudmore left on Friday morning by plane for a ten-day holiday in Montreal.

Mrs. E. M. Nickerson of Yarmouth, N.S., and her young daughter, Linda, who are visiting with Mrs. Nickerson's parents, Lt. Colonel and Mrs. J. R. Faton, will return home by plane on Monday.

Mrs. W. Suter returned on Wednesday from a holiday with friends in Moncton, N. B.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Sharpe, Palmer Apartments, entertained at a Thursday evening.

Friends of Mr. C. C. Thompson are very sorry to learn of his serious illness.

Mrs. Heber R. Large, West Street, left by plane this morning for Poughkeepsie, New York, to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles DeBold and Dr. DeBold. Later she will go to Florida where she will visit with friends.

Mrs. George Binns and Mrs. Arthur Henry entertained at six tables of bridge on Wednesday and Thursday evenings at the former's attractive home.

On Tuesday evening the executive of the P. E. Island Art Society met and discussed plans for an exhibition of their work by two Nova Scotia artists to be held in the Harris Memorial Gallery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bagnall entertained friends at a very enjoyable bridge on Thursday and Friday evenings.

Miss Jean Myers and Miss Shirley MacDonald of Charlottetown leave this morning by plane for Moncton. They will continue to Toronto travelling by way of Boston and New York, returning by way of Ottawa and Montreal.

Congratulations are extended to Dr. T. Earl Grant of St. John, N. B., who has been appointed by the American College of Surgeons as a member of their committee on trauma. Being chosen as a member out of two thousand in United States and Canada is regarded by the medical profession as a mark of special recognition. Dr. Grant is a son of Senator and Mrs. T. V. Grant of Montague and Ottawa and is a brother of Dr. A. Roy Grant and Dr. Vincent Grant, Summerside.

Rev. Donald MacKay, new pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Summerside, took over his duties this week. Mr. MacKay was recently married and he and his bride are receiving a warm welcome by their parishioners.

Miss Dorothy MacPhee, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. MacPhee, Summerside, is spending a week in Charlottetown, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Hornby and Mr. Hornby, Spring Park Road.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bell have returned to their home in Wellington from Halifax, N. S. Mr. Bell has been in Newfoundland for several weeks supervising the change-over in the accounting system of the Canadian National Railways.

Word received from Mrs. Leigh Lowther of North Carleton is to the effect that she will be leaving Ohio shortly en route to Prince Edward Island on her way home she will visit in Toronto and Ottawa. Mrs. Lowther is a sister of Mrs. E. T. Tanton, Summerside.

Miss Blanche Kenny, daughter of Mr. Claude Kenny, Deputy Fire Chief of Summerside, has gone on a vacation to England and the continent. While in London she will be the guest of her niece, Mrs. John Cousins, the former Miss Francis Corney of Summerside.

Among the bridge hostesses this week in Summerside was Mrs. Harold B. Schumann who entertained her club on Monday night.

Friends regret the indisposition of Miss Betty Robinson, Summerside, who suffered a fall fracturing her wrist.

It is pleasing to learn that Mrs. J. Frank Arnett, Summerside, is recovering from pneumonia. Mrs. Arnett entered the Prince County Hospital last week.

Mrs. Creelman MacArthur gave a dinner party at her home in Summerside on Tuesday evening honoring her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Lee on their forty-fifth wedding anniversary. A traditional touch was given when the same candelabra used at Mr. and Mrs. Lee's wedding was displayed along with a beautiful wedding cake; tulips and daffodils being the floral decorations on the very pretty table. Mr. Leslie Simmons congratulated Mr. and Mrs. Lee on behalf of the friends present while Mrs. W. A. Currie presented the happy couple with a suitable gift. Mr. Lee replied for himself and his wife, Mr. Silas MacFarlane entertained with several humorous readings. A sing-song and bridge were also enjoyed.

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Ten Meditations "AWAKE, THOU THAT SLEEPEST" (The London-Times)

Two stories are told about Martin Luther's reaction to those temptations to despair to which he was subject. One, now considered apocryphal, tells that he once actually saw the figure of the evil one and hurled his ink-pot violently at him. The other tells that he made better use of his ink-pot; he took his pen and wrote the words "Baptizatus sum." He relied for confidence and victory on the objective fact that he had been baptized, and thus united with the victorious Christ.

In the early centuries Lent was the season in which potential Christians were prepared for baptism, which often took place on Easter Day. The Epistle included some striking words which in all probability were originally used at the baptismal ceremony in the primitive church: "Awake, thou that sleepest, and rise from the dead, and Christ shall shine upon thee."

Three metaphors are intertwined in these words, all of them closely connected with the first principles of the Christian life and hence suitable for use at baptism; they are those of waking from sleep, of rising to newness of life, and of walking in the light.

Christianity is rightly thought of as an awakening from sleep, as an escape from idleness and inactivity and an unreal world into a life of active service in the real world, which is the world of faith. The idea of death to an old life, and resurrection to a new, is at the heart of most early explanations of baptism.

The vivid ceremony of immersion in the running water of the river spoke forcibly of our Lord's passing through the waters of death to his victorious resurrection; and the new convert felt that, with his Lord, he had risen to a new life of victory.

The new life was illuminated by the light of Christ. It was day and not night. Those who followed Christ found that they did not walk in darkness, but had the light of life.

"Out of the kingdom of darkness—into the kingdom of the son of his love" was St. Paul's description of the transition to real Christianity, of which baptism was the sign and symbol. "Out of darkness—into his marvelous light" was St. Peter's. Both implied a drastic change.

The significance of Luther's brief inscription is now clear. To fall back on one's baptism is to rely on objective fact, not on subjective feelings. The Christian Church teaches that God, in Christ, has conquered evil with love. To share in this victory is the greatest of all blessings. It is to live at a new level; to see things with new eyes; it is not too much to say that "there is a new creation" for all things are made new in Christ.

Q. Is it permissible to use a handkerchief at the table during a meal?

A. It may be used if absolutely necessary; but if possible, try to avoid it.

Q. In conversation, is it ever permissible for one to supply a word for another person?

A. No; this is not only rude, but embarrassing.

That Body Of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

BALDNESS

Neither men nor women can see their hair gradually disappearing and not get upset. According to some skin and scalp specialists worry about losing the hair and becoming bald is one of the causes of alopecia areata (small or large bald spots but not the slow gradual loss of hair over entire head). Another cause of alopecia areata is tuberculosis (lupus).

Fortunately in the great majority of cases the hair returns and bald spots disappear when caused by emotional disturbances. While this occurs usually within three months to one year, there are cases in which the bald spots do not disappear for as long as two years.

In the case of lupus due to tuberculosis, there are several reports from research physicians showing that the drug calciferol has cleared up this unsightly disfiguration in a matter of months. Some of these cases had existed for many years. Since the reports of successful treatment of lupus by calciferol there have been other drugs and methods of treatment reported, but these are still in the experimental stage. Dr. E. Gaumond, in "Laval Medical," Quebec, states that streptomycin (the new drug used in tuberculosis) gave better results than calciferol alone.

But what about what we call ordinary or general baldness? What can be done for the individual who finds his forehead growing toward the back of the head, and the hair at the crown becoming thin? Skin specialists state that all time and money spent in trying to prevent loss of hair is not wasted in all cases. They have found that massage, removal of dandruff, application of slightly irritating drugs, all of which increase the circulation of the blood in the scalp, prevents loss of hair although apparently they do not restore lost hair.

Some physicians have reported success in restoring gray hair to its natural color by the use of B complex vitamin.

Princess Patron of English Ballet



Princess Margaret who is a cellor of the Exchequer, sat side by side. But a lot of other people were there too. The Princess wore an off-the-shoulder picture gown of tulle, and she had several dances, one with the Sadler's Wells star, Robert Helpmann.

DOROTHY DIX SAYS -

Is It Love?

How To Diagnose The Grand Passion

A girl asks me how she can tell whether she is in love or not. Well, it isn't easy to diagnose a heart affection, because the symptoms are so misleading. Every time you have a palpitation you think you have a fatal attack, whereas it may be only a flutter caused by indigestion from indulging in too much sentiment. Girls are particularly apt to be misled in this way because they are always sitting with their fingers on their pulses counting their heart throbs and expecting to be stricken down at any moment.

So the principal advice that I would give any young woman who is wondering whether she has contracted a chronic case or is merely suffering a temporary indisposition is to give herself the benefit of the doubt. For when you don't know whether you are in love or not you are not. When you are really head-over-heels in love for keeps, it breaks out all over you in a million places like the measles.

Still and all, there are certain indications of the state of her feelings which a girl does well to take into consideration in trying to decide whether the thing that ails her is a heart trouble that she will never get over as long as she lives or is just a passing fancy that the next good-looking youth she meets will cure.

DO YOU TREMBLE?

The first thing then is whether she can detect a heart murmur or not. The modern girl may be too husky and practical to tremble at the sound of a footstep as her grandmother did, but all the same if

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Better English

By D. C. Williams

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "He found that he was completely surrounded by an angry mob."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "usurp"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Resuscitate, resurrect, respirator, restitution.
4. What does the word "lucrative" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with ene that means "to impede the action of"?

ANSWERS

1. Omit completely. 2. Pronounce u-zurp, not u-surp and accent last syllable, not the first. 3. Resuscitate. 4. Profitable. "He has a large and lucrative business." 5. Encumber.

Cook's Corner

APRICOT BARS

- 1 cup sifted enriched flour
 - 1/2 teaspoon soda
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
 - 1/2 cup brown sugar
 - 1/2 cup shortening
 - 1 cup Quaker or Mother's Oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
 - 1/2 cup cooked dried apricots (drained)
 - 2 tablespoons apricot juice
- Sift together flour, soda, salt and spices into bowl. Add sugar, shortening, rolled oats, drained apricots and apricot juice. Beat until smooth, about 2 minutes. Spread in greased shallow 7 x 11 inch pan; bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 20 to 25 minutes. Cool and cut into bars. Makes 1 1/2 dozen bars.

ELLEN'S DIARY

By An Island Farmer's Wife

In moonlight that richly spreads the white fields, and the peace that has given a benediction to it, our week comes to its close. What a pleasant one it has been, this one that was brought to us fresh and clean and new after a snowfall not so many days ago! We remember that Jamie on his way to school on Monday was obliged to continue his way on foot after a formidable drift barred the way for the horse and sleigh and Rob joined the other farmers in the neighbourhood in a spell of clearing, that was amongst February's parting gifts. With Mrs. A. and other women from the community that was the afternoon we foregathered with neighbouring Missionary Societies at a church in the district to enjoy the service which is set for the annual World Day of Prayer.

"Enjoy!" an old Minister was heard to echo in a warm crinkly smile to one who had "enjoyed" the sermon so much! "but it's not to enjoy them that sermons are preached. On the contrary it is to make us better aware of our unworthiness and short-comings. We do tend to move in complacent ways — yes we're bound to. It's a frailty of humans. Then we must remember: 'Let him that thinketh he standeth, take heed.' Oh, ay, we can't enjoy, but we can, we hope, profit from a sermon and find therein some of the whole armor of God." So we then found an inspiration in the service and quite enjoyed the choice cup of tea and lunch and spell of social fellowship that attended the close of our meeting.

We recall some of the many incidents that filled our week — James' chats by phone, and Karoly's, she drawing nearer now to the home-coming toward which this and the family at Alderlea look with much anticipation. This week some of the folks enjoyed a skate at rink, and later Jamie who had been promised, was disappointed when falling weather came to postpone his intended outing thither. However, making the best of the situation, he was soon taken up with the reading of a gift book — Black Beauty, the autobiography of a horse, and extremely interesting even in our re-reading.

Lambkins in pairs came to

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Morning Smile

Well past the supper hour, a neighbor encountered Johnnie playing marbles with some companions from the other side of the tracks.

Neighbor (reprovingly) — Why, Johnnie, you'd better hurry home. You will be late for supper.

Johnnie (with an air of one who knows his stuff). Oh, no, I won't be late. I've got the meat.

The Stars Say

By Genevieve Kemble

For Sunday, March 12

THE aspects of policy, a drastic change of policy, programs, or radical rearrangements to meet obstacles from the elder agreements. An entire change could be proffered of more encouraging results. Postponement over the weekend might give a definite picture. But shun reprisal, rebuffs and maintain amiability.

If It Is Your Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may have to refresh their techniques or procedures if a difficult position is to be withdrawn from without friction, drastic or acrimony. An erratic or fool-hardy move or flighty conduct could alienate desired cooperation and thereby kill prospects of more than passing importance.

A child born on this day, is likely to defeat its more brilliant prospects by erratic or peculiar notions, when a bit of sound judgment might reap worthwhile returns.

For Monday, March 13

MONDAY'S astrological forecast shows the wisdom of making a day of relaxation and diversion. There are signs of strife, difficulties, even disaster from over eagerness, highly stimulated activities or excitement. Accidents, strife and injury could follow any too-ardent moves.

For the Birthday

Those whose birthday it is may find themselves in a belligerent mood, with the energies and

Pioneer Days In P. E. I.

By F. H. MacArthur

Patrick Flynn, Esq., was a very important man in Queen's County. He owned one of the best homes in the district. Yes, everybody admired Flynn's home because it stood beside a stately tree-lined hill overlooking the road. To the left of the home, smiled a lovely garden; while to the right, a little stream dashed its feet in play as it hurried along to join the river. The house was quite large for those days, about one and a half stories high, with a steep roof. It had pretty arched doors and the windows were made of silvered glass.

Through the centre of the Flynn home ran a hall, with rooms opening on either side of the passage, and there were two large fireplaces, an almost unheard-of thing in country dwellings at that time, though box-stoves had already been invented. In Madam Flynn's dining room stood a drop-leaf table to seat her family of thirteen. The chairs were made of stout oak with rush bottoms. The room also boasted a fine cupboard with a glass front to show off her best dishes. In the front of this spacious room tick-tocked a grandfather clock almost as high as a man's head, while near the fireplace sat the family spinning-wheel, along with other odds and ends of furniture.

The neighbours said of the Flynn home "What a swanky home those people have!" Mrs. Flynn was proud of her set-up, proud, too, of her polished shovel and tongs that hung by the fireplace; proud of her well-to-do husband;

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Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Beer Stains

To remove beer stains from linens, soak them for five minutes in salt and cold water, and then pour a stream of boiling water, held at a height, through the stain until it disappears.

Aluminum

If the aluminum is discolored, restore it to its former brightness by rubbing it with a cloth dipped in lemon juice and then rinse in warm water.

Apple Sauce

A different flavor can be given to apple sauce by folding stiffly-beaten egg whites into it. Chill, and before serving, garnish with chopped crystallized fruit.

How Can I!!!

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I stop choking?
A. One good remedy is to swallow the white of an egg. If a fish bone has stuck in the throat, take a large sip of vinegar, which will quickly dissolve the bone.

Q. How can I mend the frayed edges of a rug?
A. If the edges of a rug are frayed, buttonhole or overcast over a cord, using heavy yarn that matches the rug in color.

Q. How can I prevent icing from running down over the sides of a cake?
A. Dust the cake lightly with cornstarch.



The Music Festival opens in Charlottetown seven weeks from Monday on May 1st and continues through to May 6th.

Entries must be postmarked not later than March 15th, which is only four days away at present. The secretary has been at Holms yesterday and Thursday receiving entries, also Mrs. MacNeill receiving membership fees. Renewal membership fee in Musical Festival Association are due one year from date on your receipt, all paid up members of Association will be listed in 1950 program, which will go to press March 10th.

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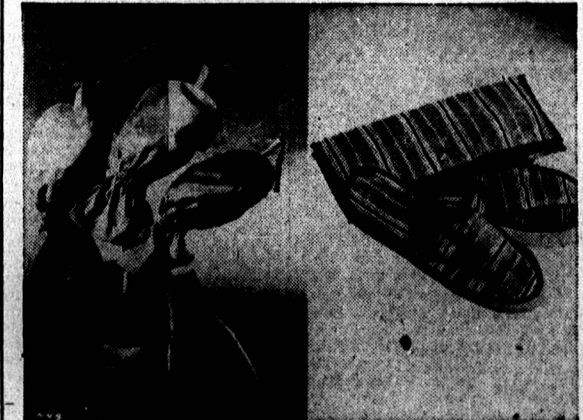
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temper keyed up to untoward activities spelling danger, and disaster. Sudden accidents, fires, auto accidents, quarrels could find them coming out last. Maintain reason, curb emotions and feelings for safety and better understanding with the community.

A child born on this day may be "too quick on the trigger" for its own peace of mind and personal safety as well as harmonious contact with its fellows. Discipline in infancy is to be used.

Sew these Novelty Gifts for Men



As a change from the usual shirt or tie, here are two suggestions for men's gifts that will add variety to your list. For the golfer, a set of golf club mitts makes a thoughtful gift. The mitts are in two colors, the pieces put together in different shapes to individualize them. The travelling soufs in striped cotton and matching case are a happy choice for the itinerant. If you would like to make these GIFTS TO SEW FOR MEN, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Dept. of this paper asking for Leaflet No. E-300.

LEADS THE FIELD



REGAL FLOUR