



MR. AND MRS. ELWIN H. TOOMBS

Islanders Are Wed At Bronte Ontario, Church

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at Walton Memorial Church, Bronte, Ontario, on February 8th, 1958 when Anna Norma Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Goff, Charlottetown, P.E.I. was united in marriage to Elwin Hammond, son of Mrs. Walton Toombs and the late Mr. Toombs, Tryon P.E.I.

The bride looked winsome in a street length white silk velvet dress with over-skirt of embroidered taffeta, shoulder length chapel veil of tulle illusion and Juliet cap, of Alencon lace decorated with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations, and wore tiny heart shaped gold earrings and locket, the gift of the groom.

Joan Bryenton, friend of the bride, was her only attendant, and she was attired in pink chiffon and silk jersey with matching headpiece of twisted straw. Her bouquet was white and blue carnations.

The groom was supported by Roger Goff, brother of the bride, who is a member of the R.C.A.F. stationed at Camp Borden, Ont.

After the ceremony, a delightful reception for the bridal party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David MacKay, Burlington, Ontario where they enjoyed a delicious supper. The bride's cake was beautifully decorated and topped with a miniature bride and groom.

During the supper, telegrams and best wishes were read from the bride's parents, and friends on P.E.I.

For a honeymoon trip to Ni-

Women

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HAPPENINGS

The Lieutenant-Governor designate F. Walter Hyndman and Mrs. Hyndman will entertain at a small reception at their own home after the swearing in ceremony of the governor Monday, March 31st.

Senator F. Elsie Inman, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Craswell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bears, Charlottetown, is now with her son, Dr. G. S. A. Inman and Mrs. Inman in Montague.

The XI Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. L. J. McLellan on Tuesday evening.

The members of this chapter have studied the geography, climate, natural resources, industry, agriculture, history, architecture art, crafts, music and writers of Italy during the year. Wednesday evening they enjoyed a delicious Italian dinner which was prepared and cooked by the social committee, Mrs. J. A. Carruthers, Mrs. T. D. DeBlois and Mrs. William A. Beer, assisted by the hostess and Miss Allie McLeod.

The dinner menu consisted of minestrone, Lasagna Finocchio, Italian condiments, bread sticks and fruit. The table was set in true Italian style. Each member assumed an Italian name for the occasion and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

The members of the Winsloe North W. I. met at the home of Mrs. Percy Arbing, on Tuesday evening, March 4. The meeting was opened by singing, "My Wild Irish Rose," and "When Irish Eyes are Smiling," after which all repeated the creed in unison. Roll call was followed by 13 members. There was one visitor present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were then read and approved. The secretary reported \$24.75, proceeds from the two card parties which were held in Winsloe hall. Mrs. Albert Younker was appointed to purchase kitchen utensils for the Institute.

A discussion on having a play took place and Mrs. James Cudmore was appointed to select an appropriate play. It was decided to have another card party in the hall on Tuesday evening, March 11. It was moved and seconded that \$7.00 be contributed to the March of Dimes.

Mrs. Percy Arbing was appointed as representative to the Blood Donor Clinic meeting. The collection for the evening amounted

to \$2.11. Mrs. Wallace was appointed to assist Mrs. E. A. Betts with the sewing class for the month of March.

The members were invited to the home of Mrs. Wallace Smith for the April meeting. The lunch committee will be; Mrs. Arnett Shaw and Mrs. Nelson Stevenson, Convener of the programme, committee for April; Mrs. Heath Craswell. A contest put on by Mrs. Arnett Shaw was won by Mrs. Ellsworth Proude.

The meeting closed with the singing of the Queen, after which lunch was served by the hostess assisted by the Committee in charge.

WIFE PRESERVERS
The white opaque jars that are used for some medicines and vitamin pills make decorative boudoir accessories, especially when decorated with enamels or decals.

Mrs. Oscar McCallum and Miss Emma Nicholson, who have been on a Caribbean cruise, are expected home this week.

Mrs. B. F. Daley was the guest of honor Wednesday evening at a very lovely going-away party given by her former associates at the Guardian office and held at the home of Mrs. R. D. Crockett, Belvedere Avenue. During the evening Mrs. Daley was presented with personal gifts and gifts for her home in Halifax. The cards of good wishes and original poetry accompanying the gifts were read by Miss Adele Kays.

Miss Elaine MacEwen's musical numbers were very much enjoyed. Regret was expressed that Miss Gwen Keenan who always plays so beautifully and is so generous with her talent could not be present owing to being confined to her home with flu.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Florence Hogan, Mrs. W.A. Ready and Miss Jean White. This was followed by expressing regret at Mrs. Daley's departure and wishing her and Mr. Daley every happiness and success in their new home in Halifax. Also much appreciation was given to Mr. and Mrs. Crockett for again extending the hospitality of their lovely home for another pleasant staff party.

CORNWALL AUXILIARY
The March meeting of the Cornwall Auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held at the manse.

The devotional period, the theme of which was "Everything by Prayer", was conducted by Mrs. Hazen Howard, assisted by Mrs. Earl Moore. The study book on Japan was read by Mrs. Herkity, telling of the steady growth of the church there since the war.

The president Mrs. Elmer Frizell conducted the business period. Cotton was turned in by the members to be made into a quilt top. A letter from Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Jennings missionary-in-prayer was read, also a letter from Miss Ratz, expressing her thanks for a parcel received. It was agreed to accept 1958 allocation.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Earl Low-



FACET OF FASHION

Smartest Easter paraders will wear gay hats and spring's "Cherise" in a silk blouson from Montreal.

The devotional period will be led by Mrs. Walter Boyle and the study period by Mrs. Patterson. The word for roll call will be "Risen". Mrs. Stewart Drake will provide the program. Lunch committee will be, Mrs. Earl Moore, Mrs. Stirling Clow and Mrs. Waldon Lowther.

STRATEGIC ISLAND
Iceland in the North Atlantic, a charter member of NATO, has no army, navy or fortifications.

ELLEN'S DIARY

Today We Discovered The First Snowdrops!

"He's not young any more — no, the years are commencing to show" a caller of this afternoon, offered to James of an aged mutual acquaintance. James in moments of leisure had come indoors at the time, though he continued to keep an ear alert for the return of the tractor from a trek along the fields to a far barn, when he would come again to the choring.

"He's lived under the rule of a number of sovereigns" James observed.

"He has that" the visitor agreed.

"And seen more than one age of the farming" we said.

"He'd see the log cabins and first barns" he nodded.

"And know how to stomp by hand" James added with a smile, "and travel the first trails — on foot, or horseback, or with first carts."

"And then came 'the horse and buggy days' — that in itself must have been a remarkable change 'the other man commented. "Improved houses and buildings, more cropping, with some machines and wagons to help."

"Then he saw the mechanical age... machines and more machines — even one to ride to the end of the lane for the mail or the cream-can, or to the store for a bottle of pop!" James chuckled.

"They're beginning to call this the Electronic Age" we offered. "The use of electronics and mechanical devices, the scientists say, will completely change the farm-work. They say that even though we have already had had unbelievable help from a combination of the two on farms we really 'ain't seen nothin' yet. Eventually there'll be an easy way to do every chore, to harvest every field-crop and fruit."

"Farms aren't too badly off as they are. We haven't nearly the labor we had" James commented.

"The labor now is less than the planning" the visitor chuckled with a show of chagrin. "Man, I lie awake nights, figuring ways to make my credits and debits balance! And there's no end to the machines and electrical gadgets a farmer could use. Just no end at all. There's something new every day, just begging a fellow to buy. And say what we

sound of a going in the farmwork "the tractor's home. Come now" he said rising, "and let's have a look at the stock."

"Looks and feels as if there's a storm brewing. Ellen" he tells us now, in at day's close. "The sky is overcast and there's a chill in the air. Guess we'll get some of that weather they've been having down along the coast. Real wintry there, I hear."

But this Island day was spring-like. And in token of more and better ahead beyond the March winds and weathers, we discovered today, first snowdrops, festively budded.

Until tomorrow — — Diary — Goodnight. . . .

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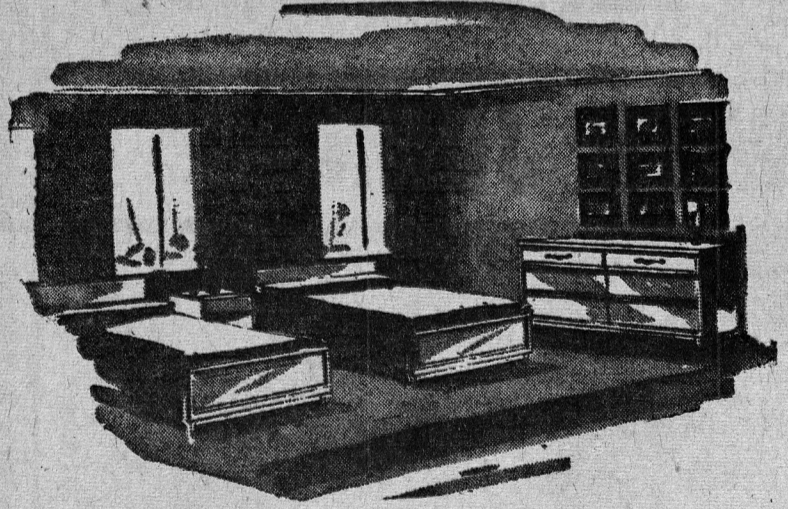
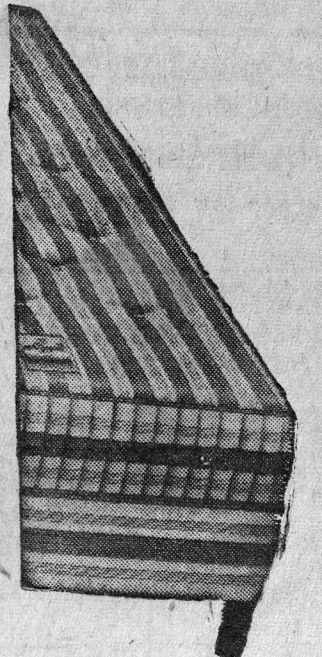
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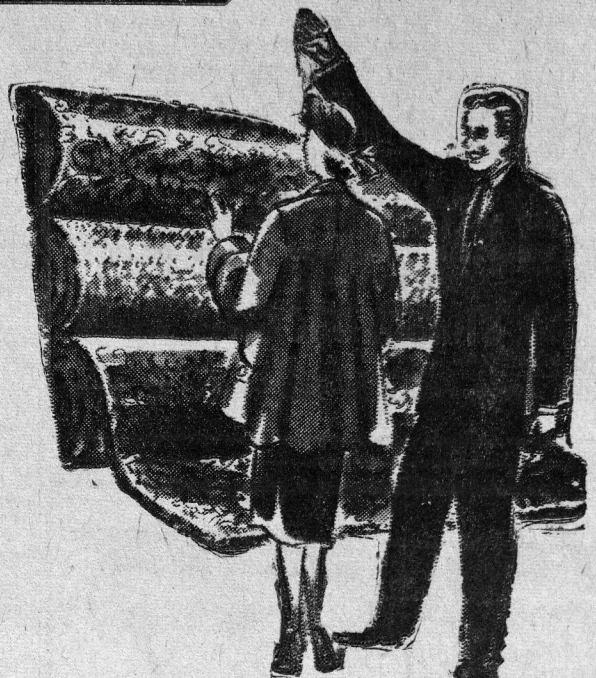
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