

# Women

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## HAPPENINGS

On Saturday morning the members of the Lady Macdonald Montserrat Chapter of the IOOE held a coffee party and flower arranging demonstration in the "Common Room" at Montserrat Hall.

Mr. Charles Beasley, owner and manager of the Flower Cart gave a demonstration of the arrangement of flowers for the home and a talk on the care of cut flowers.

Prior to Mr. Beasley's demonstration, coffee and refreshments were served the many guests by the members of the chapter. Mrs. Donald A. MacMillan, regent of the chapter, acted as emcee for the demonstration.

for the next business meeting on June 20.

A program was put on by Beverly MacNeve and a dainty lunch was served by the hostess and the committee in charge.

Mrs. A. H. Roper, chairman of the entertainment committee for the IOOE national annual meeting, which concluded here on Wednesday, said Saturday that local artists who performed at social functions held in connection with the meeting, were in part responsible for the overall success of the convention.

The commanding officer and officers of the Prince Edward Island Regiment (RCAC) held their annual first month ball at the Charlottetown Hotel on Saturday evening.

Sgt. Murtagh Melnais and Mrs. Melnais (nee Shirley MacArthur, RN) and their children Carolyn and Stephen, left by train Saturday morning for Toronto, Ontario from where they will depart by plane for Langar, England where Sgt. Melnais has been transferred by the RCAC for four years. They spent their past week visiting Mrs. Melnais' mother, Mrs. E. J. MacEachern at 92 Brighton Avenue.

On Saturday evening, the Charlottetown Choral Society under the direction of Mr. Christopher Gledhill entertained at the opening ceremonies of the convention.

On Monday at a dinner held at the Charlottetown Hotel the visiting delegates at Montserrat Hall, Rosal Raymond rendered two vocal solos. He was accompanied by Mrs. Roy

Entertaining the delegates at the municipal dinner on Tuesday were Miss and Elmer Gallant; Miss Elizabeth Hayward and the Sherwood Guild Company, under the direction of Mrs. Roper. At this dinner the reports and new committee members were appointed as follows: Mrs. Russell Mackay, a d and Mrs. Gordon Holm; program, Mrs. Gordon Holm; lunch, Mrs. William Allen; Mrs. Russell MacEachern; Mrs. Edwin Bell.

Mrs. Russell MacEachern invited the members to her home for the next meeting, Mrs. William Allen and Mrs. Russell MacEachern were appointed executive members for the coming year. Mrs. Ivan MacKinnon was appointed to name them at the district convention.

The P.E.I. Art Society held a luncheon and meeting at the Montserrat Hall for the delegates prior to the Monday evening dinner.

Eight members attended the meeting. Mrs. Holm read the correspondence, which included a letter about the Ladies' Queen contest in the 4-H club files.

The next sewing day will be held on June 6 and Janice Bell invited the members to her home

to learn from the frying pan in to the fire. — M. H.

**Dear Mary Haworth:** How so surprised a husband's death should a widow divorce her wedding ring? My husband died four months ago and I was told (nicely) by a man that I shouldn't wear the ring a year longer. That you for a prompt reply, L. R. L.

**Dear L. R. L.:** The man is talking nonsense or possibly reporting on the habits of divorcees he has known. A genteel widow wears her wedding ring for life. With the exception that in the event she remarries again, she probably removes the old wedding band and replaces it with a new engagement ring, prior to exchanging vows the second time.

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

**ATTACK LAUNCHED**  
JAKARTA (Reuters) — The Indonesian Army has launched an all-out drive against the fanatical Darul Islam rebels of West Java, it was learned Saturday. Darul Islam has 5,000 guerrilla fighters dedicated to launching a Moslem state in Indonesia.

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## MERRIEL PALMER — PAUL MANSFIELD ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Palmer of Fredand wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Merriel Elizabeth, to Paul Arthur Mansfield, son of Mrs. Arthur Mans-

field, Windsor, Ont. Marriage to take place on Saturday, July 7, 1962 at 2 p.m. at St. Peter's Anglican Church in Fredand.

## WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS DeSable Institute Appoints New Executive Members

The May meeting of the DeSable Women's Institute was held in the school last Monday evening with six members in attendance. Mrs. William Allen, the president, chaired the meeting, which opened with the reading of correspondence received since the last meeting was read and discussed. The various committee reports and new committee members were appointed as follows: Mrs. Russell Mackay, a d and Mrs. Gordon Holm; program, Mrs. Gordon Holm; lunch, Mrs. William Allen; Mrs. Russell MacEachern; Mrs. Edwin Bell.

The luncheon committee for the meeting are Mrs. Arthur Howard, Mrs. Jack MacPhail, Mrs. Ford Wilson and Mrs. Roland Gass. Mrs. George Lowther read the convener's letter on citizenship. Mrs. Harold Donahue and Mrs. Otto Newson chose teams for a set cutting contest.

## SUCCESS WITH THE SUCCESS WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Success Women's Institute met recently at the Graham's Road school with 15 members in attendance.

Plans were made for the Institute district convention and Mrs. Angus Green was appointed as the new executive member. Graham's Road is in

charge of the display for the convention.

Money for the Canadian Cancer Society was collected. Mrs. James Campbell and Mrs. Earl Murray were appointed to be the school committee; and Mrs. Duncan Cole to the program committee.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 13.

## JURILKE W. I.

The May meeting of the Albany Village Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Hestley MacDonald with eleven members present.

The correspondence was read and discussed and a questionnaire completed. The school committee reported that a new flag had been purchased for the school. It was decided to engage Mrs. Craig as the music teacher for the coming year and to purchase instruments for a rhythm band.

## DILIAS TO APPEAL

BELGRADE (Reuters) — A lawyer for Milovan Dilias has appealed a court decision sending the former Yugoslav vice-president back to prison for eight years and eight months on conviction for disclosing official secrets, usually reliable sources said Saturday. A Belgrade district court last month found Dilias guilty of disclosing official secrets in his new book "conversations with Stalin."

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## Young Adults Hold Season's Final Meeting

SOUTH PIKETTE — The Young Adults Group held their last regular meeting of the season at the Gillis home in South Pictette on May 31. In addition to the 25 members of the group who attended the meeting, the group had the pleasure of having Rev. A.C. Fraser as a guest.

The devotional leaders were Gloria MacPherson and Pearl Gillis and the service centered around the lesson "The Greatest Commandment."

During the business meeting it was decided to contribute the

funds on hand to the student mission scholarship fund and a fund set up to assist an African student to prepare him for teaching in the mission field.

Previous arrangements for a banquet to be held in Montserrat on June 6 were finalized. A by-laws committee constituted the program, and the accompanist for the event was Miss Eleanor Ross.

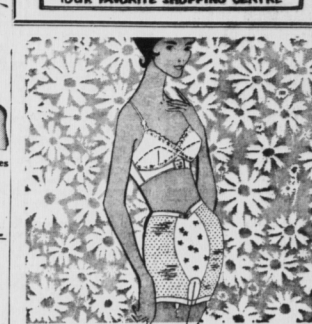
Lunch was served by Betty MacLean, Pearl Gillis, John MacPherson and Donald Nicholson.

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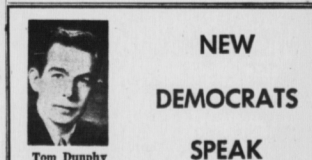
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In Saskatchewan, the decision was made. The people gave to the government which I had the honor of leading until recently, a mandate to establish a comprehensive medical care program. It is becoming clearer every day that Canadians from Coast to Coast agree that medical care must be paid for by a public plan. Because it is so clear the forces which oppose it have launched a counter attack evidence of which you see daily in the Press. Today, Saskatchewan mirrors the whole country in a feeling of uneasiness. As a citizen who claims to speak for Doctors in every province, public gives its support to the Saskatchewan College of Physicians and Surgeons and to the private insurance companies, which the Canadian Medical Association openly repudiates the principle of public medical care insurance, then the issue affects every Canadian citizen.

What the Canadian people face in this election, therefore, is a fundamental decision about the nature of our society. Do you believe in the Saskatchewan College of Physicians and Surgeons and the Canadian Medical Ass'n, does that however the people vote on the question of medical care, there be no one to stand as I said in New Westminster, the Insurance Companies choose to exercise a veto? Do you believe in government by the people and by a democratic parliamentarism which believes in government by the vote of privileged interests? I think I know your answer but how are you going to express it? I know of only one way — the New Democratic Party of Canada which stands for a comprehensive Medical Care Plan. Only the New Democratic Party gives you a chance to stand up and be counted on this issue. As I said in New Westminster, a rally of five thousand New Democrats the best way to declare yourself on this issue is to send one hundred and fifty New Democrats to Parliament on June 13. Liberal parties have been promising health care since 1919. Forty-three years later it is still promised but a watered down, containing set of piecemeal proposals! Indeed, it is back to back from even these proposals, as the opposition of the Medical Association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Manufacturers Association, and the Ass'n's made known. On the other hand, the New Democratic party cannot even make a vague promise on this question. If you believe in the Budget I think you do, then you will vote for the New Democratic candidate, if you vote on June 13.

Tomorrow: More about our stand on Health Care.

This ad. inserted by the P. E. I. New Democratic Party.

## GILLIS-TARRANT NUPTIALS

The wedding took place on Monday, May 28 at 7 p.m. at the RCAP Protestant Chapel at the RCAF Station Summerside of Verna Ruth Gillis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erskine

Gillis of St. Eleanor's and LAC Archibald Douglas Tarrant, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Tarrant of Boxwood, Newfoundland.

(Photo by D.W. Sears)

## ELLEN'S DIARY

### Farm Folk Are Involved In Affairs of Cropping

So, these days the folks of the farms become more involved in the affairs of cropping. Farmers have their finished plans in mind, as each day they work out its design in that red shade, peculiar to stowed island fields. Children, lads-of-folks, experienced in the handling of great machines, because they served their apprenticeship young, hurry home from school to mount their tractors, or into the dusk of the twilight. Girls of the farms to take their Coeds that were, the sun on their curls, or come to lend assistance at one continuing farm-call.

the nice sweethearts had won... May they, and all the twains, who island-over, used in the June 6 and Janice Bell they journey together through life.

Until tomorrow—Diary Good-night...

## MARY HAWORTH

### Divorced Man Resists Any Self-Improvement

**Dear Mary Haworth:** Am writing to ask if two persons, who really care for each other but have quite different attitudes towards life, could make a happy marriage?

We are both middle aged. I am divorced. She is a widow. She is cheerful, has a fine character and a thrifty disposition; knows how to stretch the dollar. She has no vices; doesn't drink, smoke or gamble. Her main enjoyment is dancing.

I have all the virtues. I drink, smoke and gamble (in moderation). I make a fair salary and manage to get along. I try to enjoy life each day and may be I am selfish to a degree; I like my comforts and spend rather freely.

She is trying to change me to her way of life. I tell her that I can't be done and she should accept me as I am good natured, not hard to get along with. What do you think?

**A. G.**  
Dear A. G.: Your recital gives as a picture of a woman who seems to have much to bring to her way of life. I tell her that I can't be done and she should accept me as I am good natured, not hard to get along with. What do you think?

Her assets include not only the virtues you list (plus the absence of vices), but also her native optimism; her disposition to believe the best of people (for example, of you—who would do better if you knew better,

she seems to think). Moreover she has a healthy readiness to enter into a positive relationship of would-be-mutual helpfulness.

Unfortunately you score zero on these points, your testimony indicates. You are self-centered to a degree, as you admit. And further, you warily distrust her, you carry old wounds, and old grudges against woman-kind, that will tend to flare up again in times of stress. If you re-marry, (stress is inevitable in real relationships).

Her second wife is apt to find herself, however blameless, taking the rap not only for current misunderstandings, but also for the flaws of her predecessor as recorded in your memory book (or in your lounge over grievances from unremembered past history).

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