

# WOMEN

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## HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK

Centennial Baby David Philip Irwin MacEachern, the darling who certainly give his grand-aunt Ellen, the outstanding diarist, something especially good to write about. David Philip Irwin's grand-mother is Mrs. W. A. MacQuarrie, a remarkable lady, eighty-nine years young, who lives in a large house at Hampton Corner. Mrs. MacQuarrie kept house herself most beautifully until her recent indisposition in health. The Centennial Baby is named in honour of the mayor of the grand-father, Mr. Philip Morrison of Hampton, and the doctor.

"Come to the Manager", a Christmas story and carol service with scenes and characters will be presented Sunday evening, Dec. 18th, at 7 p.m. at the Charlotte-town Baptist Church. The narration is by Miss Helen Yeo. Music, Mrs. G. E. Full, Direction, Mr. Stirling W. Inman. The parts of Mary and Joseph are taken by Mrs. Maylea Manning and Mr. Layton Stone.

In honour of Mrs. J. P. MacIntyre, Mrs. A. Stewart, Pownall Street, entertained at a small bridge Thursday evening at her residence, Pownall Street.

Brigadier W. W. Reid and Mrs. Reid, entertained recently at two buffet supper parties at their residence, Prince Street.

Lieutenant-Commander Alan B. Cosh of Ottawa spent last week-end in Halifax. Mrs. A. B. Cosh of Charlottetown spent the week-end in Halifax visiting her son and the guest of Mrs. A. G. peake and Mrs. C. N. Bissett.

Captain C. R. Hunter and Mrs. Hunter left by plane on Wednesday for a six weeks visit in Britain.

A picture of the year is a V.C. Mother's Welcome. Mrs. Stanley Mynarski of Winnipeg is joyously seated among her boys, her sons' friends, the son who gave his life while attempting to help a comrade when their bomber was shot down in France during World War II. Now there is the Andrew Mynarski Junior High School in Winnipeg to this young man's memory. In the recent Citizenship Ceremony in Charlottetown those receiving their Citizenship Certificates were Mrs. Hillete Wolters, Union Road (formerly Hald), Mr. Said Tawil, Mrs. Said (Sue-Haddad) and Mr. Solomon Tawil of Charlottetown (formerly Lebanon). From these new citizens, other vows will be incorporated into the history of our fine young country.

"Whither Church Architecture" is the title of an article in the Christmas issue of the Presbyterian Record by F. Bruce Brown, an outstanding layman of Park Road Baptist Church, Toronto, is a member of the well-known architectural firm of Bruce Brown and Brisley, Toronto. Mrs. Brown will be remembered by music students here at the Toronto Conservatory as Miss Myrtle Hare, one of the leading contralto soloists, teachers, and radio personalities.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Parent entertained Thursday afternoon at "Ravenwood", Mt. Edward Road, at the annual Christmas party in honour of the staff of the Dominion Experimental Farm.

Mr. J.O.C. Campbell, Q. C. and Mrs. Campbell are spending the holiday season visiting their son Gerald, in Tennessee.

Miss Phyllis Tait, R.N., who has been in Pembroke, Ontario, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron Tait.

Miss Julie Carson who is a student at Mount Allison and Mr. Jim Carson who is at Dalhousie University arrived Friday to spend the

### MORNING SMILE

A commercial traveller asked an Aberdeen draper for a repeat order for elastic. "Na, na," said the Aberdeen. "I'm for nae mair o' your elastic. I couldna measure a yard o' your last consignment wiot the darn stuff snapping."

arrived to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Paoli.

Mrs. Jack Randall who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williams left Friday morning for Lethbridge, Alberta.

The hostesses for the Curling Club Saturday night will be Mrs. Douglas Hill, Mrs. Gordon Storey, Mrs. Brighton MacDougall and Miss Nancy McNevin.

Mrs. S. S. Beaton entertained at an afternoon tea in honour of Mrs. John Fraser. Montague, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Storey. Others entertaining for Mrs. Fraser were Mrs. A. J. Barbour and Mrs. H. B. Bernard.

Mrs. Lowell Compton, Green Street, was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday evening.

The hostesses at the Summer-side Curling Club this evening will be Mrs. Reagh Tinney (convener), Mrs. Claude Simpson, Mrs. Roy Grant, and Mrs. John Cameron.

Mrs. Llewellyn Rogers entertained her bridge club on Tuesday evening.

Miss Jean Nicholson leaves today for a two weeks' holiday in Montreal where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Bracken.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hunter were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Milligan, Charlottetown, on Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Nicholson and Miss Patricia Preston were hostesses at the home of the former at a kitchen shower on Monday evening, in honour of Miss June Wood, a bride-elect for December. Miss Pat Daley opened the gifts, and Miss Lorna Leard read the verses. Lunch was served by the hostesses, assisted by the Misses Peggy Preston, Mary Rae Tanton, and Alice Ramsay.

The choir of the Presbyterian Church made a presentation of a hammered aluminum tray to Miss June Wood recently.

The Okta Club of the Prince County Hospital held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. W. B. Howatt on Tuesday. The following officers were elected: President—Mrs. W. B. Howatt, vice-president—Mrs. Carl E. Crockett, secretary-treasurer—Mrs. J. B. Downing, Mrs. Harold Schurman is the retiring president.

Mrs. Richard Hurst and sons Stephen and Brian, Kingston, N.S., arrived in Summerside today to visit Mrs. Hurst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Currie, C. e. d. r. Avenue. Mrs. Hurst will be joined by her husband in Summerside for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. A. B. L. Horne left recently for Sydney, N. S., to spend the Christmas holidays with her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Parker.

The teachers of Summerside High School held their Christmas party in the home economics room yesterday afternoon. The male instructors acting as hosts. Gifts were exchanged, Mr. Elmer Pigeu in the role of Santa Claus looking after their distribution.

The Swingers Square Dancing Club held their annual Christmas buffet supper, Wednesday.

The Agricultural Institute of Canada held a Ladies Night at Birch Court Wednesday, Dr. George Fisher was chairman, Mr. Gordon Kerr, Executive Scout Commissioner for this province spoke on "Scouting". Mr. Robert Parent showed Jamboree colored slides.

Miss Joyce MacKay, R. N., of Summerside whose marriage took place recently to Lieutenant J.D. Murray formerly of Graham's Road, now of Rivers, Manitoba was the guest of honour at a miscellaneous shower given by members of the staff and her classmates at the Prince County Hospital. There was also a shower in Miss MacKay's former home on Sea View and at the Murray home with those communities gathering in honour of the young couple.

Mr. Louis Paoli of St. Michael's College, University of Toronto, has

### POPULAR STYLES FROM ITALY TAKE YOU THROUGH THE SEASON



TRAVELLING SUIT — A popular style in Rome is this travelling suit in mustard wool tweed. Collar



WOOL ENSEMBLE — This three-quarter ensemble is camel-colored in soft wool. The straight-styled coat has an original side theme. Designed by Carosa of Italy, the collar is Persian lamb and the skirt is narrow. (C P Photos).

### MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL

#### Divorced Father Tries Contacting Son; Is Spurned

Dear Mary Haworth: Twenty years ago my former wife had to choose between her mother and me. (The mother was living with us instead of with her good husband.) Unhappily my wife divorced me, and her mother divorced my father-in-law.

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#### COOK'S CORNER

SPAGHETTI AND MEAT DISH  
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1 lb. hamburger (browned)  
2 onions  
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1 tsp. mustard  
1 can tomatoes  
Cook with strips of bacon. Cook at 375 deg. for 1 hour.

#### ONCE AGAIN AVAILABLE GANONG'S GB CHOCOLATES

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### Turkey For Christmas 1955 Is Scarcer, More Expensive

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

The turkey, proud old patriarch of Canada's Christmas dinner, will be a little scarcer and more expensive this year. A Canadian Press survey shows that supplies of the big bird will be short in many parts of the country and prices will be six to 10 cents a pound higher than last year.

#### SON STRUGGLES

Such a woman could hardly miss producing a daughter who would compulsively choose Mom, in case a decision was forced by the husband. And two such women "mothering" a boy without a real man's influence to the fore, would of course fill him with hostile despising sentiments towards his discarded dad. How else could they justify their twisted behavior to themselves?

#### HOPE OF UNITY?

Recently I called at their home (they have no phone) and the women were out. But a neighbor told me that John, now 21, was recently married and is in the Army—stationed 500 miles away. I had long felt that Army life might correct his woman-dominated perspective; and the fact that he married despite their possessiveness also encouraged my hope of his thinking for himself.

#### Her Dream Comes True... A CEDAR CHEST GIFT FROM Crockett & Storey Ltd.

Dear B.C.: As I get the picture, your mother-in-law is the typical dragon Mom, who wages ruthless war on the "interloper" who tries by marriage (as she sees it) to "come between" her and her prized offspring—her only child, or her favorite child, or her most dependable child, as the case may be. Her morbidly distrustful social bias, the peculiarity of her per-

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### ROSE VALLEY W.I.

The Rose Valley Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. William MacDonald on Dec. 7th. The president, Mrs. William Newsome presided. Meeting opened by Mary Stewart; collect repeated in unison. Roll call was answered by exchange of Christmas presents. One member joined and three visitors were present.

#### EVERYBODY LIKES

Small birds are expected to cost 55 to 65 cents a pound in most parts of the country. In Newfoundland, where turkeys are supplied mostly from the mainland, the price is 70 cents, while Vancouver stores ask 82 cents, a pound for small plucked toms. Toronto prices average 50 cents a pound for light turkeys and 49 for bigger ones. The price range in Montreal is 50 to 79 cents, up six from last year.

#### WORDS OF THE WISE

Forty is the old age of youth; fifty is the youth of old age. —(French Proverb)

#### HOUSEHOLD HINT

Buttons won't be a problem for a garment that has to be ironed on the wrong side if you place a terry towel under the buttons. The buttons will sink into the towel, and the iron will then glide over the surface with ease.

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7302  
by Alice Brooks

### Take An Inventory Now Of Holiday Decorations

Each year, there are always some who insist that they can't really get into the Christmas spirit until almost the last minute. Well, nobody wants to take the hustle and bustle out of Christmas preparations—because the rush is too exciting to miss—nevertheless it is a pity to miss the fun of planning and so increasing the joy of the wonderful holiday.

#### THE HOLIDAY MOOD

The surest way to plunge up to your ears in the holiday mood and get a fine start, is to take out all the Christmas decorations and tree ornaments you've stored away and plan how you're going to decorate this year.

One advantage in an early inventory is that you can do wonders freshening up things you thought would be past doing another tour of duty. If artificial wreaths and sprays look too tired for another year, try sponging them with "dry" soapsuds from the top of the bowl. This softens them, cleans the accumulated dust and makes them glisten again.

#### DREARY RIBBONS

Dreary-looking ribbons probably need only a lukewarm sudsing, then pressing beneath a layer of wax paper. White bells that show smudges can be brightened with a gentle daubing of dry suds. It isn't only the properly thrifty notion of making use of what you already have. What's more important is the fact that familiar, dearly loved decorations are part of the holiday tradition with so many of us.

As youngsters, we were prone to look for certain favorite ornaments on the Christmas tree. And how unhappy we were if we found they had been supplanted with new ones! So you really have a family obligation to keep familiar things bright and beautiful as long as you possibly can.

And you might as well face the fact that you are responsible for producing a Christmas morning snow scene, too! Fortunately, all you need is lots of soap and a little water.

Did you know that thick suds, whipped up with your egg beater or electric mixer, make the most realistic snow drifts for tree branches and wreaths? What's more, after the soap show has dried it'll last and won't drip all over the place. For a gorgeous table centerpiece, try a mound of colorful tree ornaments in a glass bowl with snow soapsuds drifting lightly over them.

Once you've arranged it, it'll last throughout the holiday season.

#### SETS A FASHION

Just recovered from a cold, Princess Margaret arrives by car at a preview of next season's fashions by the "top twelve" designers at Hamilton House, London. The Princess herself introduced a fashion note with her brushed wool hat, velvet coat and a star-spangled veil.



### ANNE ADAMS PATTERNS



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#### Wife Preservers

To determine if the door strip of your refrigerator needs replacing, close the refrigerator door on a slip of paper. If you can pull the paper out easily, the door is still good.

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