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Queen Mary Carpet For Ottawa

The famous carpet made by Queen Mary, 82-year-old mother of King George VI is leaving England on board the liner "Queen Mary" on March 16th and will begin its tour of the United States and Canada on March 20th. Queen Mary took eight years to make the carpet, which contains a million stitches in 448 different colours.

Exhibition arrangements which have been made so far are as follows:—Metropolitan Museum, New York, March 21 to March 26th inclusive. National Museum of Canada, Ottawa, March 26 to March 28 inclusive. National Collection of Fine Arts, Washington March 30th to April 2nd inclusive.

Arrangements are now being made for exhibition at museums in other cities in the United States and Canada. It is hoped to give complete details of the itinerary early next week.

Queen Mary has given the carpet to the United Kingdom to help bridge the dollar gap. This means that any money paid for the carpet after exhibition in North America will be used to purchase materials, there which Britain needs urgently.

Anyone wishing to make an offer to buy the carpet is asked to submit a sealed tender to the committee in London, which is responsible for the organization of the North America tour. These sealed tenders will be opened in June at the conclusion of the tour.

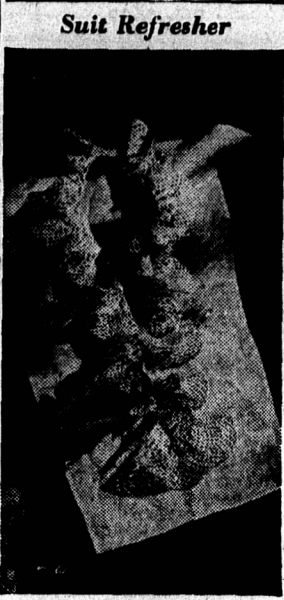
In presenting the carpet to the nation, Queen Mary takes the view that it is the duty of every British citizen to contribute something directly to help Britain in its efforts to bridge the dollar gap. The only condition of sale is that the ultimate home of the carpet should be some public institution of repute.

The carpet will be accompanied on its travels by Colonel The Hon. Angus McDonnell who knows the United States and Canada intimately and who was personal assistant to Lord Halifax, a former Ambassador to the United States. In direct charge of the carpet will be Miss Patricia Hardie, a member of the British Women's Voluntary Services.

The carpet was originally intended by Queen Mary as an heirloom to be left in one of the royal residences. It measures 10 feet, two inches by six feet nine-and-a-half inches (102 x 69 1/2") it is made up of 12 panels, each with a different floral design. On 11 of the panels, a facsimile of Queen Mary's signature has been worked in.

ANCIENT GAME

The game of checkers is thought to have been played many centuries ago, since checker sets have been found in tombs of the Pharaohs.



Suit Refresher

The first duty of a dicky is to look fresh and crisp, to give a new-paint look to your spring suit. This cool cotton neckwear is a perfect suit refresher. It's a time saver, too, because it cuts laundering to a minimum. The ruffie is a mesh of crocheted loops worked in mercerized crocheted cotton. Small ribbon bows trim the front. A direction leaflet for making this FRILLY DICKEY is available to you without charge, if you will send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlework Dept. of this paper and ask for Leaflet No. 2698.

GLENALADALE HOME AND SCHOOL

The monthly meeting of the Glenaladale Home and School Association was held in the classroom on February 13. The Honorary President, Father MacPherson opened the meeting with prayer.

After the Secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting, Mrs. Basil McDonald delivered a very fine paper entitled, "The Home, the School and the Child." In her speech Mrs. McDonald showed her audience how necessary it is for the home and school to co-operate for the welfare of the child, and how the influence of each is interwoven with the other, not only in the education of the child, but also in his moral training and character development.

The president, Mrs. W. E. FitzPatrick then called upon Father MacPherson who gave a very interesting talk on the need of parents and teachers supervising the Children's recreation, as this important phase of education is very necessary too.

Father MacMillan congratulated the speaker on her splendid paper and commented on several phases which she had "brought up for

York and Vicinity

Mr. Arthur Brown was a recent visitor to the city.

Mrs. Randolph Murray, York, spent Friday in the city.

Miss Joan Vessey, York, was a visitor to the city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis, York, were visitors to the city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kielly, Osheshead, spent Friday in the city.

Mr. Ramsay Auld, West Covehead was a visitor to the city on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Newson and son Alden were recent visitors to the city.

Messrs. Ira Lewis and Bill Cooke, York, attended the potato meeting in the City last week.

Friends of Mrs. William Crockett are glad to see her out again after being laid up with the flu.

Mrs. Tom Knox, City, is visiting in York, the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Watts.

Mrs. Crowell Guest Speaker at Business Women's Club

Mrs. Mildred Crowell of Yarmouth was guest at the March meeting of the Charlottetown Business and Professional Women's Club, held at the Charlottetown Hotel on March 13. Mrs. Crowell is President of the Yarmouth Club, and she described some of their activities, such as a drama group and a bridge club, and the publication of a monthly newspaper.

Booklets containing the Club constitution and by-laws and a summary of the aims of Business and Professional Women's Clubs were handed out to the members.

Mrs. W. H. V. Dunbar told of attending the February meeting of the Toronto Club; it featured International affairs, and the chief speaker was the internationally-known writer, Mrs. Vera Dean. Mrs. Ireta Sutherland gave a paper on nylon, presenting clearly the complicated processes involved in its manufacture. Her splendid description was illustrated with the film "Let's Spin Yarn" (supplied by the National Film Board) which pictured the making of nylon and the many uses to which this strong and durable synthetic fibre is put.

VALLEYFIELD W. M. S.

The regular meeting of the Valleyfield W. M. S. met in the schoolroom of the church on March 8 at 8 p. m. In the absence of Mrs. Preston Peardon, Mrs. Roy Gillis led the devotions. The theme, "What Can I Give to my Church?"



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