



A CHARMING MODEL

Mrs. J. C. McKenna models a pink taffeta and nylon net formal, with an apron effect ending in a large bow on the back.

ELLEN'S DIARY

Ellen Makes Doughnuts — My, Aren't They Good!

"This" a farmer who came by this morning "is what I'd call a typical March day. . . clear and sunny and warming after a frosty night. When I was a boy, these are the days we'd be off to the woods after school and on Saturdays, tapping the sugar-maples. Yes, I'd say the sap would run now. It's years since I've known the taste of it" he added, his smile obviously wistful.

The valley twinkled in the sunlight, shone in the freshness of morning. A band of crows made seasonal music — and not unwelcome, above the near woodlands, blackbirds whistled brightly, sparrows drifted hither and yon in the yards.

"We must look in the border soon for snowdrops" we promised the cook, mixing a batch of doughnuts in a daffodil-yellow bowl by way of the exercise, James advises we should take a dash of lemon flavor, a pinch or two of nutmeg for spice who'll eat them?" the black cat about our steps, following every move as closely as does Alex when free from the playpen, his mother at her work, queried curiously.

"You never know" we giggled reaching the bright but old cutter down from a shelf. "It shines," he blinked. "Is it gold?"

"Tin" we replied. "Would they taste better if they were shaped with a golden cutter?" we queried. "It's all in one's fancy," he chuckled, "Isn't that what the lady said when she kissed the cow!" He eyed the snip of dough we held.

"What are you going to do with that?" he asked, green eyes keen. "Try the temperature of the heating fat" we said. "Oh!"

"It's dangerous stuff. Highly inflammable" we commented. "Don't want 'chillens around, eh?"

"Not when we're frying dough-

WIFE PRESERVERS

For two inexpensive end tables, cut out the center surface of an old kneehole desk, then cut off braces between drawers, substituting hinged doors. Sandpaper and paint, wax or varnish.

CANOE COVE W. I.

The March meeting of the Canoe Cove W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. George Darrach on Friday evening, March 7th. In the absence of the president, Mrs. George Darrach, vice-president presided. Seven members answered roll call with an Irish Joke.

The minutes of last meeting were read, approved, and signed. A donation of \$1.00 was gratefully received. School committee reported cups needed. Card committee sent four cards.

Correspondence was read, including thank you card, acknowledgement for donation of \$5.00 to March of Dimes and \$2.00 to Multiple Sclerosis society.

Secretary to write for remnants to Simpson's and Eatons. Plans were made for a crokinole party.

Mrs. Milton MacNeven kindly invited the members to her home for the next meeting. Roll call to be answered with something for a grab bag.

Meeting closed, after which a dainty lunch was served by the hostess.

Women.

Lena Caroline McLure, Women's Editor. Phone 8508

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HAPPENINGS

Senator F. Elsie Inman has been a guest this past week of the Hon. T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse at Government House, Charlottetown.

Senator F. Elsie Inman has been visiting friends recently in Summerside.

Mr. Earl Drake, formerly of

Regina, is now first secretary to the high commissioner of Pakistan.

At the tea held Monday afternoon in her honor at the Clover Club Miss Janzen was presented on behalf of the association with a Craswell photograph, hand painted of West River, Prince Edward Island.

Mr. Earl Drake was commissioned by the government of Saskatchewan to write the history

INDECENCY HERE

Dear T. S.: Ken and Kate are behaving identically, of course, in a smirking conspiracy to enjoy their suggestive exchange of improper ideas — supposedly in a way that can't be proved against them. And quite in the spirit of this immoral performance, they are dishonestly insisting that black is white—that they are above reproach whereas your mind is in the gutter, with Brian's.

As for what you might do to clean up the situation—the first move towards sanity, all around, is to get straight on this point: Their conduct is wrong. Indeed it is emotionally sick, considering the whole picture.

You have every reason to object to Kate's bawdy behavior as your guest. And as a sensible mother and a woman of character, you should call her down in plain language, in private if possible; but in the presence of Brian and Ken, if necessary. And at the risk of creating a family rift that might never heal, if such is the price of taking a stand in support of common decency.

DON'T BE TIMID

Traditionally in our culture, a woman is the guardian and standard bearer of morality, in family life and social relations. And if Kate ignores this obligation, due to infatuation with her own body, and shames her husband and demoralizes yours, in her greed for sex approval then it becomes your duty to police her performance in your house, at least. So tell her what you



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object to, and why: and the mode of decorum you want in future.

After all, there's no use trying to circumvent her delicately. Refinement of policy were wasted on Kate, coming from an older woman who disapproves her tactics. She might think you jealous, offensive and wistful, instead of annoyed, disgusted and sure of yourself.

Also, timid diplomacy is no help to your husband either, in his present state of mind. But possibly you can benefit all—Kate, Brian and Ken—in the long run, if you are fiercely forthright in speaking your mind, about the real black-and-white of this situation. M. H.



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WE AND OUR NEIGHBORS

Weaker Sex Is Really The Stronger — By An "X"

Ruhamah S. Frank

Cautiously (led by eminent authorities) we have cut our way through the barbed-wire entangle-

ments of Heredity and Environment (that beset any inquiry into human life) and can now trace the difference in mortality rate and susceptibility to most diseases of men and women to the difference of a single chromosome of the cell from which nuclear life begins.

CHROMOSOMES X AND Y Male or female, each child at conception receives 24 chromosomes (particles of living matter) from his father, 24 from his mother. One of each set is called the "sex" chromosome. These sex chromosomes are of two types. There is a very long one containing many genes, called the "X" chromosome. The other is very short, with few genes and is called the "Y" chromosome. Now the female has only "X" chromosomes and so hands down an "X"

Mrs. J. A. Likely, the former Miss Helen DeBlois, and Miss Janzen were enjoying a conversation at MacDonal College, Guelph, at approximately the same time and had many friends in common.

Mrs. J. E. (Marian) Ready,

Mrs. Harry Davison entertained Monday evening at a delightful bridge party at her residence, 89 Hillsboro Street.

to every child. But the sex chromosomes of the male are of two types — an X and a Y. If the father's "X" chromosome joins the mother's "X" (and as we said, she can only contribute an "X") an "XX" individual — a girl baby will be started on her way. "But if the new life receives the "X" chromosome from the father's "XY" combination, there will be a boy baby. (Interesting that the mother's failure to bear sons can be "blamed" on the father!)

THE SINGLE "X" Now it is the fact that the male has just one X chromosome that much of his troubles lies. ("The "Y" chromosome is actually a blank so far as sex determination is concerned, and can be said to 'merely go along for the ride'"). If an abnormal gene turns up in a male's single "X" (such as Amram Scheinfeld) he is at its mercy whereas a female usually has a normal gene in her extra "X" to counteract a defective one. A good example of an X-linked defect is hemophilia which almost never afflicts females. Other examples are color blindness and a host of other defects or diseases of the eyes, bones, muscles, skin

and inner organs. TRILLIONS OF CELLS This is easier to understand when we realize that the single cell with which life begins — containing the 48 chromosomes — each with its hundreds of genes, begins to multiply immediately and it is estimated that at its birth the baby has about 26 Trillion cells" each with exact duplicate of all the original chromosomes and their genes! Including the double X for the female — and the single X for the male!

HOPE FOR THE FUTURE This is not the place to discuss the "sex-slanted" diseases of the male that result in his higher death rate. The purpose of research in this direction "as been to try and do something about the matter. In his article in the Scientific American of February, Amram Scheinfeld states, "Treatment or prevention of sex-slanted diseases by altering the biochemistry of the body with hormones has already shown interesting results —". He tells of an encouraging report from the National Cancer Institute — in treatment of certain forms of cancer in the woman as well as the man. Let us hope.



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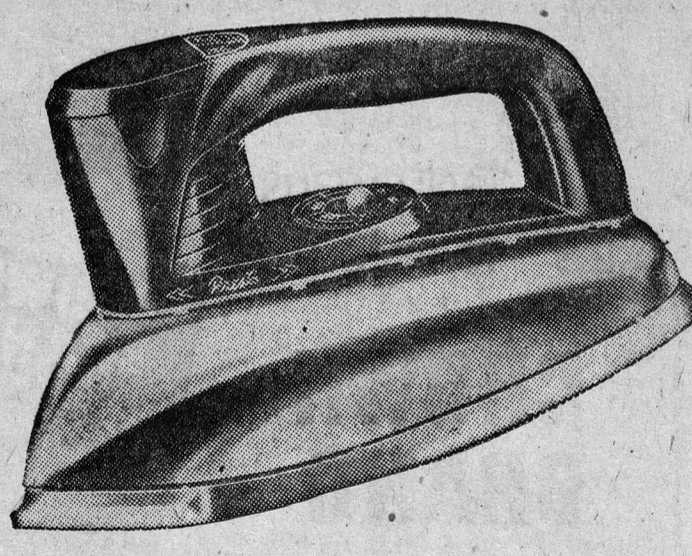
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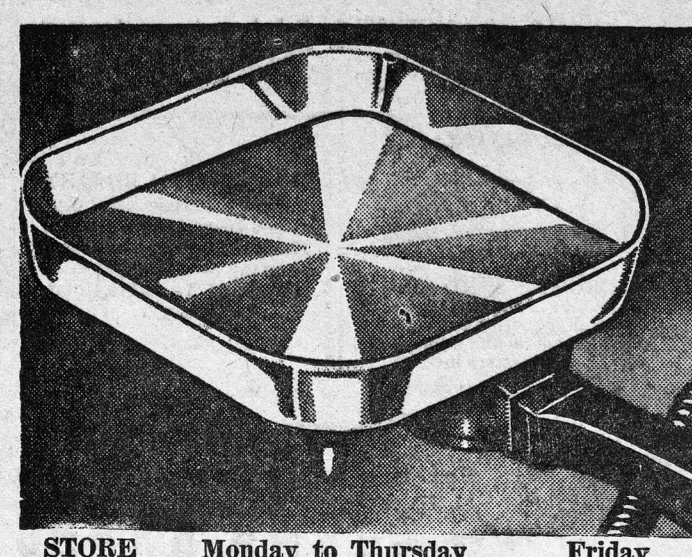
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