

Family Party Honors Couple's 40th Anniversary

A surprise family party honored Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Humphrey, Kensington on their 40th wedding anniversary. Present were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Humphrey; daughters, Mrs. Robert Bell and Mrs. Neil Sharpe and their husbands; Mr. Humphrey's brother, Rev. Thomas Humphrey; and Mrs. Humphrey's sister, Mrs. Ernest Mill and Mr. Mill. Another sister, Mrs. Vaughan Groom and her husband who are vacationing in Florida were represented by their son Alfred and his wife.

A bouquet of red carnations from the grand children and an anniversary cake were presented to the honoree couple, as were also gifts.

A telegram came from a daughter, Marion and her husband, M. S. Bowles of Inuvik, N.W.T., also a phone call from Mrs. Humphrey's mother, Mrs. A. W. Humphrey, and his sister, Mrs. John Barbour and her husband in Saint John, N.B. Mrs. Humphrey is the former Jennie Simpson, Kensington.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS Hunter River Institute Has Varied Programme

A "Playing With Plastics" demonstration was given by Mrs. Ken White to members of the Institute, Assistant to the Hunter River Women's Institute recently.

She also showed different ways of "dressing up" aprons, making quilts for a child's cot, egg-shell painting, how to make a dress form, and hints on making small gifts and novelties.

A contest staged by Mrs. White was won by Mrs. D. C. Montgomery and Mrs. K. E. White.

The first aid workshop was a success and was well planned to be held in Hunter River soon.

Appreciation of the handicraft course held in January was expressed.

A donation was voted to the Music Festival Assoc. and \$50 was paid the music teachers.

Mrs. Chester Sellars and Mrs. Jack Bernard were asked to prepare invitations to the "telephony" tea to be held soon.

Mrs. C. V. Smith agreed to convene arrangements for celebrating the 16th anniversary of the Institute, Assistant to the Hunter River Women's Institute recently.

Mrs. Jack Bernard and Mrs. Orville Bernard.

Letters were read concerning a handicraft display at the Quarters Recreation Center, 13 Summerside Lobster Festival, the Kensington to Barbers' o' Quartet committee, and the Assoc. concerning the proposed building of an ice rink in the community.

Mrs. D. C. Montgomery's program included articles on food buying, menu planning, and a Canadian Association of Consumers Item concerning poisons and pesticides.

The Radio Farm Forum Topic "Frits in the Market" was presented.

The previous evening was discussed by Mrs. Orville Sellars who was asked to answer the questionnaire.

Refreshments were served.

Members to be constantly organized, and films in theaters, checked with the Legion of Decency guide, or the list appearing monthly in the Catholic Register and Our Sunday Visitor.

Letters to the proper authorities will in time, have some effect, and are really the only means of expressing approval or criticism.

A series of 13 Catholic TV programs are being shown at 7 p.m. each Sunday, sponsored by the C.W.L. Members were urged to comment on the program.

It is planned to have a collection following Sunday Masses March 1 to finance this series of programs.

Mrs. Fred MacDonald presided at the Feb. session which was held at the Catholic Center. Registrar and Our Sunday Visitor, Rev. Leonard McDonald.

A letter from Iphigene Arsenault urged as many members as possible attend the national convention held in Charlottetown this year.

Plans were made to hold a pre-lenten dance. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

The Sisters of the Priory acknowledged receipt of two quilts from members. A new baby quilt has been made.

Members agreed to place an ad in the Miscouche year book "Exceller".

Since original certificate of organization of Wellington C.W.L. was destroyed by fire, it was decided to send to the national office necessary information to obtain a copy.

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Mrs. Thomas Sullivan entertained the members of the Wellington Women's Institute at the Tuesday evening, February 11.

It was decided to pack a box of good used clothing to the Brunswick Street Mission in Halifax.

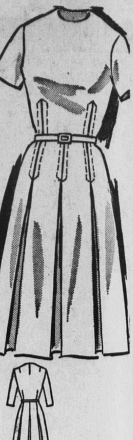
A meeting Tea and Bazaar to be held Saturday, April 25.

WELLINGTON C.W.L. Mrs. Ivan Berrigan, the Catholic Women's League provincial convener of radio, TV and films stated in a letter to Wellington C.W.L. that "although programming in general is improving, there is still a lot to be desired in good Christian entertainment, especially for young people."

Mrs. Berrigan, 47, is doing a great deal of work in the community which would become quite tedious.

As a token of appreciation for his efforts he was presented with a Legion badge and Mrs. Wright with a beautiful evening bag.

A sumptuous buffet luncheon was prepared and served by the auxiliary, and dance music was supplied by Francis, Joey giving his full support to any and Johnny.



MANY TALENTED BUTTERFLY

Winipeg native Gisele MacKenzie, an accomplished singer, pianist and violinist, turns to acting in a situation comedy ready well - established as an Sid Caesar. She is shown here in series on (ABC) television in outstanding performer, play in one of her recent shows. (CP Photo).

MARY HAWORTH A Fourth Go-Around On "Mommy" Dispute

Dear Mary Haworth: I have been married over 26 years, and have produced two sons, now in their late teens. I delight in being called mother or momm by them.

But I would cringe if my husband were to call me mother, momm or any other name designating motherhood. I am proud to be the mother of his children. And wife, housekeeper or partner to him I am; but not his mother.

All this is preliminary to taking exception to your comment recently that, in your book, "a wife who flinches from being called mommy by her husband is a rather painfully self-conscious person whose self-image is utterly unacceptable to her, for obscure reasons."

You speculate that the "probably is secretly afraid that she isn't securely planted in her husband's affections, as the answer to his prayer for the ideal sweetheart-wife."

I have returned to the business world after rearing my sons to early manhood; and men with whom I come in contact don't treat me as my children's mother or my husband's wife, but as a person in my own right.

Why, then, can't a normal husband be satisfied to do likewise and see his wife as a person, not as the mother-image, since he's already had a mother?

As long as I'm letting off steam, may I add that the most nauseous thing I know of hearing children discuss is usually children by design addressing each other as daddy and momm. How about an analysis of them?

In conclusion, I share your male reader's view that prayer isn't the answer-all. God helps those who help themselves. The main benefit from prayer isn't answers, but self-assurance and a feeling of not being alone.

Dear E.J.: I believe this is the fourth go-round we've had in your column, concerning the pro and cons of your right and who's wrong, if a fond husband and wife cannot agree on half a mile high, then glide to feeding ponds 20 miles away.

Women's Brief Requests Divorce Law Amendment

OTTAWA (CP)—The National Council of Women wants the federal government to set up a royal commission to study Canada's divorce laws.

On Thursday to Prime Minister Pearson and his cabinet, the 70,000-member organization urged the government to voice and amend laws "narrow, outdated and provide an obstacle to the courts and Parliament."

The strongly worded resolution, one of 16 presented, said recommendations of a royal commission would "acquaint the public with the evils of the present situation and provide an objective and non-partisan basis for amending the laws."

"The need and desire for change is recognized across Canada."

The council, which presents a letter to the federal government annually, is made up of 2,000 federated societies in Canada.

Three resolutions suggested amendments to the Income Tax Act.

WANT EXEMPTION One asked that a dependent child be eligible for a tax exemption without reducing the exemption of the other spouse. A wife now eligible for a tax exemption on her husband's marital exemption is reduced.

Another was that deductions from taxable income "They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

A social hour followed during which refreshments were served.

Captain Irving recently returned as skipper of the MV Abegweit from the coast of Labrador.

Captain and Mrs. Irving have two daughters, Ethel (Mrs. Captain H.G. MacKenzie), Moncton, and Marjorie, Brandon, N.B., and one son, William W., Boston.

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ELLEN'S DIARY

Winter's World Hushed In Day's Dying Hour

So silent and peaceful our night is - if at the moment a bit lone, our only company, napping on the couch starts up, a puzzled expression in his green eyes.

"Ah me" he says into the air, rubbing an ear. It is quiet here. No sound but the crackle and sputter of the fire as it bites into a dry spruce stick, and the tick of the old clock marking off "dying hours" truly the day's ending.

James? His armchair is vacant. Reading light aside, he visits at the house across the lane. He carried thither the old Atlas to revive for the children's mother, something of the history of Island farms, as recorded there.

"Ahem" Curiosity clears his throat, begging your attention... And at the window above the couch, the dark crowds.

And we recall that James commented only this morning: "We'll be getting a new moon tomorrow, Ellen. Let's hope it's a fair wind that brings it."

"It's a lost word I'm looking for" Curiosity sighs. "I just don't seem to recapture it."

"Oh?"

"You see, while I napped, a verse came into my dreams or rather" he twinkled, "a

Move To Sussex Ocasions Party At Legion Home

A going-away party was held at the Souris Legion Home on Feb. 8 for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wright, who are moving to their new position in Sussex, N.B. in the near future.

Over 100 friends listened at the president, Mr. Milton Fitzpatrick, read an address honoring Mr. and Mrs. Wright for their past contribution to community activities, and for Mr. Wright's active participation in the administration of the regional high school of which he acted as president on the board of trustees. Mr. Wright demonstrated keen interest and knowledge in the affairs of the community, giving his full support to any and every activity.

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AVA AT THE BULLFIGHTS

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