

# WOMEN

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## Happenings of The Week

A tea was held at Government House on Tuesday afternoon when His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor T. W. L. Prowse and Mrs. Prowse, with the Premier, the Honourable A. W. Matheson and Mrs. Matheson received the ladies of St. Dunstan's Alumni Association and the wives of the Alumni. Later in the afternoon, the men of the Alumni were honored at a reception.

An informal reception honouring the Minister of Health and Welfare, the Honourable Paul Martin, was held at the home of Honourable and Mrs. B. Earle MacDonald on Monday evening, when approximately 40 guests were received. A basket of pink larkspur, snapdragons and gypsophyllis, illuminated with candles, made an attractive room setting.

Amongst the passengers disembarking from the S. S. Franconia at Quebec City yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Muttart, who for the past three months have been visiting the United Kingdom and European countries. Before returning to their home in Beauceville, they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Coult and children, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dunn of Somerset, Mass., arrived this week to spend a vacation with Mrs. Dunn's brother-in-law and sister, the Honourable and Mrs. B. Earle MacDonald. Mrs. MacDonald's sister, Miss Muriel MacLean of Toronto, has also arrived for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacPherson entertained on Wednesday evening at their home in Windsor for the Earl of Elgin and Lady Elgin and the Executive of the Caledonia Club. The tea table, attractively centered with summer flowers, flanked by tall tapers, was presided over by Mrs. Katherine Todd, assisted in serving by Mrs. W. Blair MacDonald and Mrs. W. H. Beaton.

The Honourable Paul Martin and his secretary, Mr. George Carly, were guests at Stanhope Beach Inn last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rogers entertained yesterday at the Charlestown Hotel in honor of Mr. T. C. Bowen, assistant general manager of the Bank of Montreal, and Mrs. Bowen, who have arrived from Montreal to spend a vacation at Cavendish. Amongst the guests were Mr. A. J. Ellis, superintendent of the Maritime Division, Bank of Montreal, and Mrs. Ellis of Halifax, who are holidaying with their family at Cavendish.

The Misses Lorna Chandler and Valerie Rogers arrived home Monday, following a month's vacation in Bermuda. Amongst several Martinis whom they met there, was Dr. Arthur Byrnes, former Charlestownian.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. MacPherson and Commodore and Mrs. G. M. Hibbard entertained Thursday evening at a cocktail party at "Kinnlock," the home of the latter.

Captain and Mrs. A. F. Coldwell of Halifax, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams of Ottawa, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lawson, Jr.

Major and Mrs. J. C. Laidlaw of Ottawa, are visiting the former's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Laidlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beer entertained Friday evening before the Charlestown Golf Club at a dance, when they honored Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Goodwin of Toronto.

Mrs. E. J. Porter and son, Robie, arrived from Halifax yesterday to attend the wedding of Mrs. Porter's grandson, K. Ross Parker to Miss Vodia MacKay, which is taking place today at Tryon United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Laidlaw and son, Craig, of Toronto, arrived yesterday to visit the former's brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Laidlaw.

Miss Elsie Brownrigg of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. George Fisher for the month of August.

The Past Mistresses Club of the L.O.B.A. were entertained Tuesday by Mrs. Mary MacLean, formerly of Charlestown, and now visiting from Toronto at the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. Earle MacDonald.

Mrs. Stanley Lancaster and daughter, Diane, and Patricia, sailed Wednesday from Liverpool, Eng., aboard M/V Newfoundland. They are expected to arrive home toward the end of next week.

Dr. George Fisher is spending three weeks in Yarmouth, N.S., where he is taking a course.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McCarthy of Washington, D. C., are returning by plane today, following a three-week visit with Mrs. John Garrett and Mrs. James McCarthy.

Mrs. T. A. MacMillan and Mrs. J. A. Lawson were joint hostesses Sunday at a supper bridge at Government House, honouring the Misses Margaret Gillan and Helen Worth of Vancouver, B.C., who are spending the summer at Stanhope.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Foster of Toronto and Mrs. S. J. Foster of Montreal, are spending the week-end at Stanhope Beach Hotel.

Miss Ella G. Squarebrigg, Everett, Mass., is visiting her aunt, spending a vacation at Stanhope Beach Hotel.

Miss Joan MacMillan of Brighton Beach, and Mrs. J. W. MacMillan of Toronto, are spending the week-end at Stanhope Beach Hotel.

## Snelgrove-Cox Nuptials Today

At St. John's United Church Marie, at three o'clock this afternoon the marriage of Miss Lois Elizabeth Cox, daughter of Mrs. Lloyd S. Cox and the late Mr. Cox, Morell, and Mr. Alan Clark Snelgrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Snelgrove of Windsor, Conn., will be solemnized. Rev. Russell A. MacLeod will officiate, using the double ring ceremony. Miss Louise Cox cousin of the bride, will play the traditional wedding marches and Mrs. David Peat will sing "O Perfect Love" during the signing of the register.

Miss M. Helen Cox will be her sister's honor attendant and Miss Joan E. Fraser, Montreal will be bridesmaid.

Mr. Edward F. Snelgrove, brother of the groom, will be best man, and Messrs. David A. Cox, brother of the bride and Don Anderson, cousin of the bride, will be the ushers.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Dr. Lloyd Cox, will be gowned in white chantilly lace made with a nylon tulle yoke on the off - the - shoulder neckline. Fitted bodice and bouffant skirt. She will wear a fingertip veil of illusion caught to a cap trimmed with seed pearls and carry a white Bible adorned with an orchid and stephanotis.

The attendants will wear matching cocktail - length gowns of ice blue crystalline acetate and silk. Their hairdresses of bands of pleated matching material will be caught back with a short veil. They will carry small cascade bouquets of carnations and sweet peas.

A reception will follow at the home of the bride where mothers of the bridal couple will assist in receiving. Mrs. Cox chose for her daughter's wedding a dress of slate blue nylon mesh with navy accessories and a corsage of Queen Elizabeth roses. Mrs. Snelgrove will be wearing a flowered silk dress with white accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

On return from a wedding trip of unannounced destination, the young couple will reside at 119 Washington St., Hartford, Conn. For her going away costume the bride has chosen a light wool grey suit with white accessories and white orchid corsage.

The bride - to - be is a graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital School of Nursing, Montreal, and for the past two years has been on the staff of the Hartford Hospital.

Mr. Snelgrove is a graduate of the College of Business Administration, Boston University.

Out - of - town guests attending the wedding will be: Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Snelgrove, Windsor, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. David Peat, Gardiner, Maine; Mr. and Mrs. Stewart MacDonald, Belmont, Mass.; Miss Barbara McLeod, Cambridge, Mass.; Miss Joanne Cox, Haldimand, Que.; Miss Joan E. Fraser, Montreal, Que.; Miss Jennie Fraser, Westville, N. S.; Miss Naomi MacLeod, Moncton, N. B.; Miss Donald McTavish, St. John, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Carmody, Halifax, N. S.; Miss Rosemary McLean, London, Ont.; Miss Grace MacDonald, Belmont, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Porter of Brookline, Mass., returned by car yesterday following two weeks at Stanhope.

Mrs. Arthur Mould entertained Tuesday at a luncheon in her home, Brighton Road.

Miss Helen Tidmarsh, R. N., is leaving today for Montreal, following a week's visit with Dr. and Mrs. Wendell Tidmarsh.

Major and Mrs. Edwin D. Bowman, Arlington, Va., arrived Tuesday to spend a holiday with Mrs. Bowman's mother, Mrs. W. G. Sutherland and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. MacLeod at their summer home in Keppoch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunt of Malden, Mass., are visiting their niece, Mrs. R. Bell and Mr. Bell.

Tea hostesses at the Charlestown Golf Club this afternoon are Mrs. Jack Brown, Mrs. P. W. MacNevin, Mrs. Reg Mahar, Mrs. Ted Bradley, Mrs. Joseph Molloy and Miss Lois Arsenault.

Mrs. Wilfred Swanson of East Natick, Mass., arrived here Tuesday evening on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Harry Matheson. She was accompanied by her daughter, Betsy. Her son, Alan, has been visiting his grandmother for the past three weeks.

Amongst the members of St. Dunstan's Alumni and their wives who are guests at Keppoch Hotel are Lieut. Col. and Mrs. S. C. Parent and two sons from Quebec City, Dr. and Mrs. George Daigle of Quebec City, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Deschamps of Grandmere, Que.

Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Van Patter and two children are arriving this week-end on a visit to Mrs. Van Patter's mother, Mrs. Helen Porter and her aunt, Miss Edna Ross. They will occupy a cottage at Stanhope during August.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold A. Kennedy and daughter, Dorothy Ann, of St. Ann's, Cape Breton, are vacationing with Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Fairchild and family, of Lachine, Que., have arrived to spend their third summer at Keppoch Beach Hotel.

Hostesses at the Charlestown Lawn Tennis Club this afternoon are Mrs. Ken Judson and Miss Joan Storey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Wells of Cincinnati, Ohio, arrived Tuesday to spend a holiday with Mrs. Wells' mother, Mrs. Austin Judson at Stanhope Beach, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chauvin of Montreal, arrived by car this week, guests of Mrs. Chauvin's sister, Mrs. Dora Campbell.

Commander and Mrs. W. E. Simpson of St. John's, are spending the week-end at Keppoch Beach Hotel.

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## Home Economist Demonstrates Salad Preparation



"Here's how to make that salad crisp and pleasing to the eye," demonstrates Miss Alta Prowse, home economist (above) who showed ladies how to prepare salads at the Co-op and Atkinson's during Salad Week, which ends today. Salad fares, however, will continue in most homes all year round.—(Garnham Photo).

## That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M. D.

### A WORD TO THE AGING PARENT

Yesterday we discussed some of the problems which arise with the aging parent and will continue today with some words of advice to the aging parent who goes to live with a grown son or daughter or family. You, the parent, have the biggest adjustment to make and it comes at a difficult time of life for you. This is the reason we so strongly recommend that older persons should cling to their own home as long as they can. Perhaps this could be accomplished by your children providing a weekly cleaning woman or a visiting housekeeper to help with the heavier domestic chores. Perhaps they could to your shopping for you. Perhaps provide a telephone by your bedside which may be an actual "panic" button in summoning needed aid and is always a welcome link with family friends.

### ROMANTIC GIRLS

However, if circumstances are such that you must move in with one of your children, remember they are in their own home, in their own way, while you will have to adjust to theirs. Try not to criticize your children's way of life, however much it irks you; don't offer advice unless asked. Don't hark back to the "good old days" unless you can tell an interesting story about them. The younger generation have to live in their own time and it irritates them to be told how much better things were in your day. Some things may have been, but they know that other things were not - medical science for one. Make an effort to see ways in which life (even house-keeping) has improved since your time.

3. Have fun with your grandchildren; you can enjoy them more than your own children because you are not responsible for their discipline; but don't disregard family rules which have been set down for them by their parents.

4. Try to keep up a life of your own - keep up with your old friends and make new ones if you can. Cultivate some personal interests such as reading, music, a course of study, a handicraft. This will help you with the next suggestion.

5. Pay attention to your looks and dress. Don't become careless about them.

6. Don't DEMAND consideration because you are older. Don't indulge in self pity and lean on others. Give and take in conversation.

I agree these suggestions are difficult but they will reward you well if you will give them a real trial and make living happier for you and those around you.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Fordham and daughter, Kathleen, have arrived from Toronto, Ont., to spend a vacation at Keppoch Beach Hotel.

Miss Bessie Seaman has as her guest, Miss Alma Law of Oak Point, N. B. this week.

Mrs. William Clark entertained at her home in Emerald on Tuesday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of her granddaughter, Miss Muriel Ann Sinnott, whose marriage to Mr. Louis Murrigh, takes place August 17. Mrs. C. Murphy and Mrs. P. Clark assisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Innocent and family who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scantlebury at Rosebank, are vacationing at their home in Waterbury, Conn.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer E. Ashley and daughter, Mary Jane, of St. Catharines, Ont., arrived Wednesday to spend their annual vacation on the Island. They are visiting Mrs. Ashley's father, Mr. W. H. Drake, Waterside, Pownal.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Robichaud who were guests of this week at the latter's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Gallant, Boston street, left yesterday for their home in Boston.

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## DOROTHY DIX

### Her Chilly Sweetheart

DEAR MISS DIX: Jim and I have known each other for four years, and have been engaged for about twelve months. He's a wonderful fellow, considerate in every way willing to do anything for me, such as running errands, taking me where I want to go, etc. What I miss is a little affection. He very seldom holds my hand, especially if someone is around. He rarely puts his arm around me or offers any of the endearments a girl loves to hear. I have spoken to him about this, but he says I must take him as he is, or not at all. He assures me of his love. Can I make him change, or must I resign myself to his lack of attention?

### ROMANTIC GIRLS

ANSWER: Most girls yearn for romantic sweethearts with the attention of a movie hero, but not many attain this ideal. Men usually aren't too demonstrative in their affection, and failure of a wife to realize this fact has led to much unhappiness. True devotion is shown in the willingness to support and cherish a girl, to give her consideration rather than gushing attention. Most men shy at showing their feelings in public. Your fiance takes every opportunity to prove his love with thoughtfulness, kindness to your mother, willingness to do everything you ask - what further proof do you need? He has the qualities that will make a fine husband; I think you can forego the public exhibition of hand-holding and such.

The superficialities of love have lured many a girl to the altar in the belief that she was wild about the world's greatest lover, only to discover after the ceremony that her romantic paragon couldn't support her, didn't have the patience to endure children, couldn't resist other women, and was, in brief, completely incapable of accepting responsibility. Stop nagging your sweetheart about his shortcomings, learn to make the most of his fine qualities - or give him up.

DEAR MISS DIX: I have just been graduated from high school and plan to be married in the fall. Would it be proper for me to invite my teacher and his wife? I have not met his wife but he was my teacher for five years and I would like to have him at my wedding.

ANSWER: It would be a very nice gesture to invite the couple I'm sure they'll be happy to receive the invitation.

DEAR MISS DIX: I met Jerry a year ago and we have dated occasionally ever since. After growing very fond of him, I learned he was engaged. The more I try to forget him, the less I succeed.

ANSWER: It's a very cheap trick for a young man to lead a girl become attached to him, when he is engaged to another. Just try to realize that a boy really deserving of your devotion would never have been guilty of such inconsideration and deceit.

## How Can I?

By Anne Ashley

Q. How can I darn a canvas shoe?  
A. If the ankle of the canvas shoe has a hole in it, try using crochet cotton and darn the hole as you would a stocking. It will last until some other part of the shoe is worn.

Q. How can I prevent butter from sticking to the mold?  
A. The butter will not stick if the mold is scalded, then rubbed thoroughly with salt and allowed to cool in cold water.

Q. How can I destroy ant-beds in the lawn?  
A. By stirring them up with a stick, then pouring boiling water over them.

## Morning Smile

By Roberta Lee

An elderly lady, after long trips through impressive hallways and an hour of waiting, was permitted to see a high-up assistant in the Agriculture Department.

Woman: But I want to see the Secretary of Agriculture himself.  
Official: He's not in just now, madam. Can't you tell me what it is you want to see him about?  
Woman: Well, I have a geranium that isn't doing so well.

## Household Scrapbook

By Roberta Lee

Jelly Bag Holder  
A good jelly bag holder can be made by sewing off the back of an old kitchen chair, inverting the chair, then placing the vessel inside and tying the bag to the four inverted legs.

Aluminum  
For cleaning aluminum apply a mixture of ammonia, borax and water with a soft cloth. Or wash in warm, soapy water, then dry and polish with whiting.

Dust Cloths  
Old discarded lisle stockings, or silk or rayon stockings, make excellent dust cloths when several of them are padded together.

## The Stars Say

By Estrellita

### For Tomorrow

A SPLENDID day for outdoor recreational activities such as sports, picnics, boatrides, and so forth. It is a day, too, in which you can safely confide in others, especially where persons of influence are concerned, seek favors and depend on co-operation and sympathetic advice, if it is needed.

### For the Birthday

If tomorrow is your birthday, your horoscope promises a constructive year if you follow conservative methods and go out of your way to maintain the good will of business associates and superiors. Their co-operation may be essential to your plans.

Romance, courtship and social affairs will be favored during the fall months and some exceptionally interesting situations may be experienced in these phases of your life. Guard health and avoid nervous tension during October.

A child born on this day will be imaginative, aggressive and extremely self-reliant.

### The Day After Tomorrow

Guard against loss of important papers or documents on Monday, and be careful of valuables. Where personal affairs are concerned, this will be an excellent period for handling overdue correspondence and participating in group activities. Avoid controversial subjects, however, both in speech and in writings, since even small differences of opinion could lead to serious argument.

### For the Birthday

If Monday is your birthday, the months ahead promise satisfactory progress if you follow conservative lines. There is a possibility that you may have to sign some legal papers during the next two months. If so, use caution. Do nothing without careful study.

During the same period be on guard against questionable persons and risky propositions. Do not indulge in extravagance or engage in speculative ventures during November. In fact, it would be better for you to conserve all the cash possible for the balance of the year, since some good opportunities, which may require a financial outlay, are promised early in 1955.

A child born on this day will be dependable and conscientious but will at times be too brusque and demanding of others.

## Morning Smile

By Roberta Lee

Travel Size TOOTH PASTE Tooth Brush in Case BOTH FOR 59c

## JENKINS PHARMACY

The REXALL Store

## ELLEN'S DIARY

By an Island Farmer's Wife

We number them now, telling them over one by one, the hours of the week about past, this time not in eager anticipation but over that stretch of time that is gone... Whom of these have we good cause to recall, think we, as we relive them, touching each tenderly again? One or indeed many, in which with tinkling sound as innocent and free as the melody of a little brook that finds its clear sunny way over smooth pebbles, we listened to children's laughter? Or dealt with the sadness of their tears—deep momentarily their wounds of heart yet with the God-given, enviable wisdom of childhood, so soon over and forgotten?

Into the time of this week did some one come back to us out of the old dim years? Perhaps a schoolmate of once, home now on holiday, "An old pal of yesterday" and good friend. To make that day especially sweet as with them we caught up on the years between.

Or for us farm-bound in the haying, were the old familiar scenes given to us once more to see and remember in a nice repetition of other hayings we had known? Full of work, it is true, but done amid pictured surroundings of sunny meadows and blue skies; of merry haying-winds, perfumed with rare fragrance of woodland and field—and in old shore-fields scented with the tang of the brine... And to

pipe a last load of day down farm-lane in the edge of the twilight, crickets' tunings.

Down the years that sound come to us now, fading in with that hoof-beats down the farm-lane drawing the laden hay-wagon creaking to be sure, bringing first harvest of summer to the barns.

What a thrill to ride there, afternoon sun or through the echantment of a dusking hour! With the magic and mystery of passing summer day about... May be one day, we shall ride with James in a fine limousine, or handsomely upholstered, equipped with every modern gadget and device, swirl in line, an altogether impressive machine (Not that James himself taken up with his farm would afford it much notice)... But we doubt if any conveyance on earth could give us more satisfaction and comfort than that which we enjoyed in those years, when amused in a depression in the new hay, with James for our rein man, we rode on a hay-wagon drawn by "the old mare of a down the lane to the old barn of Home."

So we on Island farms are busy with the haying-taking note of the signs of earth and sky to catch some warrant of its progress. Not knowing what a day may bring forth in achievement of purpose yet remembering that our lot has been set in pleasant places, of round of living is wholesome and good... Knowing too that whatever may be of winds and weather or of fate "Whose trusteth in happy is he."

"The heart that trusts forever sings. And feels as light as it had wings. A well of peace within it springs. Come good or ill, Whatever today, tomorrow brings. It is His will!"

Until Monday ———— Good-night

West downer. Both sides vulnerable. Both sides 40 on score.

▲ J108754  
▲ 52  
▲ 74  
▲ 643

▲ Q88  
▲ 108  
▲ Q10  
▲ 2  
▲ K55

▲ 32  
▲ KQ8  
▲ 43  
▲ 653  
▲ Q72

The bidding:  
West North East South  
1 ♠ Pass 1 NT Dble.  
2 ♣ 2 ♠ Pass Pass  
Dble. Pass Pass 2 NT  
Dble. Pass Pass Pass

Naturally, the part-score situation had a large bearing on the bidding, but South was nevertheless most ill-advised to take out his partner's two-spade bid. North had presumably heard the bidding, and if he elected to bid West's suit, he should have been given credit for knowing what he was doing. Two spades doubled would have been a relatively good contract for North-South — at any rate, much better than two trump doubled!

West conserving his strength, opened the ten of hearts. East put up the queen and South, not possibly hoping that West would not dare take the trick, South laid down the spade king, but this was a silly hope. West did take the trick, and he then cashed the spade queen and led the heart nine.

East ducked this time, and it would have been an excellent idea for South to do likewise, but he won with the jack. Then, forced to lead a club or a diamond, he chose the diamond king. West won and boldly laid down the club king, his idea being to establish a possible entry in his partner's hand if East had the club queen. Once, more, South should have held up, but he didn't. He took his club ace and returned the jack. To his dismay, it was East, not West, who gained the lead, and East cashed three heart tricks. The last of these squeezed South and he never took another trick. Down five — 1400!

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Mrs. Roy P. Gormley, Montague, E.R. No. 4 (Walking Doll)

Mrs. Robert Killen, 90 Pine St., Moncton, N. B. (Nylon Hose)

Mrs. James Rae, 584 4th Street, P. O. Box 485, Seville