

# CLEARANCE!

## Accessories

Ladies' LEATHER BAGS—To clear ..... 1-3 OFF  
 Ladies' Chamisette GLOVES, reg. \$1.95—Clearing \$1  
 Ladies' White Wool GLOVES, reg. \$1.35—Clearing at \$1

## Coats & Dresses

Ladies' COATS ..... 1-3 OFF  
 One Rack of Ladies' DRESSES ..... 1/2 PRICE  
 Corduroy DRESSES ..... 20% OFF  
 Wool DRESSES ..... 20% OFF  
 Crepe DRESSES ..... 20% OFF

## Cosmetic Department

COLOGNES, reg. \$2.35 for ..... \$1.00  
 DUSTING POWDER, reg. \$2.25 for ..... \$1.00  
 NAIL POLISH, reg. 65c—To clear at ..... 25c

## Ladies' & Children's Wear

All Children's COATS—Clearing ..... 25% OFF  
 Balance of Children's SKIRTS—Clearing ..... 20% OFF  
 1 Lot of Children's OVERALLS up to \$1.98—Clearing \$1  
 Ladies' Wool SCARVES, values to \$2.50 for ..... \$1.00  
 Ladies' BLOUSES—Clearing at ..... \$1.98  
 Ladies' SWEATERS, reg. \$5.50 for ..... \$3.95  
 HOUSECOATS, reg. to \$7.95—Clearing at ..... \$4.95  
 HOUSECOATS, reg. to \$14.50—Clearing at ..... \$8.95  
 Ladies' SWEATERS—on sale at ..... \$2.95  
 Ladies' Wool HOODS, values to \$2.75 for ..... \$2.00  
 Velour and Fur Felt HATS—Clearing at ..... 1/2 PRICE  
 Rack of HATS—Clearing at ..... \$1.00  
 Clearing Lines SLIPS—all sizes— ..... \$2.98  
 Clearing Lines of PANTIES—in sizes S.M.L. .... 85c  
 Clearing Lines GOWNS ..... SPECIALLY PRICED  
 Clearing Lines of BRAS ..... \$1.00 and \$1.50

Nylon HOSE, reg. \$1.95 and \$1.79—Clearing ..... 98c  
 RIPONS, reg. \$1.59—Clearing at ..... \$1.19  
 All-Wool ANKLETS, reg. \$1.00—Clearing at ..... 59c  
 Cotton ANKLETS, reg. 65c—Clearing ..... 59c  
 Wool HOSE, reg. \$1.50—Clearing ..... 89c

## Men's & Boys' Wear

Men's and Boys' Winter OVERCOATS, PARKAS, and STATION WAGON COATS ..... 25% OFF  
 Men's Silk SCARVES—Clearing at ..... 89c  
 Men's Wool SCARVES—Clearing at ..... \$1.00  
 Men's SWEATERS—Clearing ..... 25% OFF  
 Men's GLOVES with fur backs ..... \$4.00  
 Men's SHIRTS ..... \$1.69  
 Men's SHIRTS ..... \$2.98

## Basement

Boys' Winter PANTS, SKI PANTS, BREECHES—LESS 20%  
 Men's Winter CAPS, reg. \$1.50—On sale ..... 98c

MANY, MANY MORE BARGAINS NOT LISTED

# S. A. McDONALD'S

IT'S OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE EVENT



**SWEATING OUT CHRISTMAS TRIPS**—Huddled on the floor of Lockheed Air Terminal at Los Angeles, this group of service men, many of them Korean veterans, "sweat out" flights home for Christmas on non-scheduled airlines, many of which seemed to have trouble getting their passengers into the air. Many GIS all over the country wasted as much as a week of their leaves waiting for planes to show up.

## Annual Meeting of P. M. Club L. O. B. A.

The annual meeting of the Past Mistresses Club, of Memorial Lodge, L. O. B. A., Charlottetown, was held on New Year's eve at the home of Mrs. Annie Darrach, Queen St., with fifteen members in attendance. One new Past Mistress was admitted into membership. The president, Mrs. Mary MacDougall presided.

After the routine business, and the reading of the annual report by the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Gladys Downe, R. W. G. M. conducted the election of officers for the year 1952 as follows: President, Mrs. Margaret Shaw; Vice-President, Mrs. Annie Darrach; Secretary, Mrs. Janet Beaton; Treasurer, Mrs. Mae King; Chaplain, Mrs. Emma Alley; Sick Committee, Mrs. King and Mrs. Shaw; Social Committee, Mrs. Helen Turner, Mrs. Alice Jewell and Mrs. Darrach.

At the close of the meeting lunch was served by the lunch committee and a friendly hour enjoyed is looking forward to the New Year and bringing to memory past years when loved members who have since passed away were still alive. The Club was called on to mourn the loss of a faithful and true member, in 1951 when Mrs. Grace Bell passed away.

### SOURIS LINE ROAD W. I.

"Fourteen members of Souris Line Road South W. I. met at the home of Mrs. Hugh MacAulay on Dec. 5th, to hold their regular monthly meeting. Meeting was called to order by the President and opened by members singing "Institute Ode", followed by reading and adoption of minutes of previous meeting. Roll call was answered by members exchanging Christmas gifts. Secretary reported \$48.50 proceeds from previous card party, also that a bracket lamp had been purchased for school and capsules from Red Cross. The Sick Committee then reported, and Mrs. Joseph MacAulay and

Mrs. Lorne Keays were appointed as the new sick committee. The School Committee reported that blackboard brushes, dustbans and soap should be purchased. Mrs. Cyril MacDonald was appointed to visit the school.

It was then moved and seconded that \$5 be given the teacher to buy a Christmas treat for the children at the school concert, also that \$10 be sent to St. Vincent's Orphanage as a Christmas donation.

Correspondence was then read and discussed, and members decided to continue home nursing program at next meeting, also to write to the Public Utilities Commission concerning increased rates of electricity. Several members stated they wished to purchase Institute Cook Books. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. John McCormac, with roll call to be responded to by "Exchange of Recipes for Winter Suppers." Lunch was then served by the hostess after which all present enjoyed a game of bingo which netted \$2.20. A vote of thanks was tendered the hostess.

## It's A Man's World In Korea, Newsman Says

OTTAWA, Dec. 31 — (CP) — It's a man's world in Korea, where a fellow can have as many wives as he likes and can tell them to "go home to mother" any time he wants.

In Korea sons don't shake hands with dad or smoke or drink in front of him. Engagements to marry are arranged through an exchange of horoscopes between families. Koreans never enter hatch-roofed homes with their shoes on and the girls change hair styles with marriage.

These and other facts about the 512-mile Korean peninsula and its 28,000,000 people are told by Bill Boss, 34-year-old red-whiskered Canadian Press correspondent in Korea. He tells them in a 30-page booklet interspersed with cartoons and designed to tell Canadian troops how best to get along in the strange, oriental land where they've been fighting for a year.

The pamphlet carries a foreword by Defence Minister Claxton. He says that the Korean war is to show that aggression will be resisted; that the enemies of the free world will have no easy way to conquer defenceless nations one by one.

The United Nations defence of Korea "may well be the means of preventing a third world war," said the minister.

**Thousands of Copies**

Thousands of copies of the red-and-blue-covered pamphlet, written by Boss while on a month's leave from the Korean front last September, have rolled off the presses. The Defence Department is sending them to Korea and some will be distributed by Mr. Claxton who left by plane yesterday to inspect Canadian forces there.

The booklet is similar to one written by Lionel Shapiro, Canadian newspaper man and author, for the 27th Brigade in Germany.

Boss tells about the country, its climate, its customs and relates that while Koreans may appear backward, they're not. They developed the world's first cannon and the first submarine.

In Korea marriages are contracted about the age of 14, for a boy has to prove himself a man as soon as possible. And a man can have as many wives or concubines as he feels he can afford.

While single girls leave their hair down, either loose or in braids. But when they marry, up goes the hair into a knot at the back of the head, held in place with a silver pin. The women are fashion-conscious, but their clothes have no pockets and they carry odds and ends in their baggy, full sleeves.

The fortune-teller is counted on for all kinds of predictions. Even

marriages are arranged through an exchange of the formula worked out by the family fortune-teller. The boy's parents send it to the girl's parents. If they think the boy is good enough for their daughter, they send the girl's horoscope back to the boy's family. Both families then consult their fortune-tellers for guidance as to compatibility.

The matter of "face" is all-important. Boss advises that the Korean hates to lose "face" and it's better to criticize him in private than in front of his friends. When Korean friends meet, the respect one holds for the other is measured by the decency of his bow. Now a handshake also has been introduced into such greetings, but the bow is still the thing.

**Pipe Indicates Status**

Both married men and women smoke pipes. And the length of the pipe — for the man at least — is another indication of social status. The pipe lengthens when the smoker advances from the status of a father to a grandfather and great-grandfather.

Boss says a Canadian invited into a Korean home should take off his shoes before entering. Once inside he'll find that only his host

will eat or drink with him. Only when he is accepted will the other men in the house join in entertaining him. The women never join in eating or drinking.

The booklet contains warnings against the hazards of Korean liquor, which can produce blindness and death.

Boss says though the Koreans may be odd to Western eyes, they are hard-working people, cheerful despite the solemn, mask-like faces they present. They enjoy a good joke and laugh like everyone else.

Their games range from baseball, basketball and football to a "stone fight". This is arranged between villages by challenge. The challenge "invariably is accepted, and the time and place agreed upon, the opposing sides lay to with gusto."

"The aim is sure and damage is plenty — and it's all considered good fun."

### CLINTON W. I.

The regular monthly meeting of Clinton Women's Institute was held on December 11th at the home of Mrs. Leslie Paynter, with the president in the chair. Meeting opened by singing the

"Ode" and repeating the "Creed" in unison. Thirteen members answered the roll call and here were two visitors present. Minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved, and signed.

Two dresses, one sweater, one pair pyjamas, one pair socks were passed in. The sick committee for the January meeting are as follows: Lunch — Mrs. Bruce Clarke, Mrs. Ian Henderson and Mrs. James MacKay; Programme — Mrs. Wilfred Pickering and Mrs. Leslie Paynter.

It was moved and seconded that \$5 be sent to the T. B. League. A letter from the Red Cross was read stressing the greater need for clothing for the coming year.

It was moved and seconded that the secretary write a letter in protest against the increased rates for electricity.

Mrs. James MacKey and Mrs. Charles Woodside are to get a treat for the children of the district.

Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. George MacKay with roll call to be answered with a joke. One member paid her fees. Collection was taken amounting to \$1.00.

Mrs. C. B. Goss entertained the members with a "Hidden Animal" contest which was much enjoyed. Meeting closed with the "KING" after which lunch was served by the hostess and her committee.

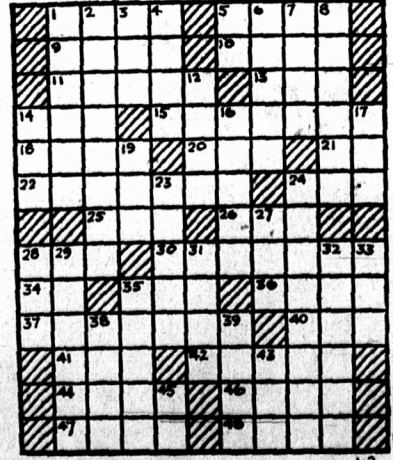
## DAILY CROSSWORD

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|--------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| <b>ACROSS</b>            | <b>DOWN</b>                | <b>23. Dry, African tableland (var.)</b> |
| 1. Vipers                | 1. Place of retreat        | 24. Slopping                             |
| 5. King of Amalekites    | 2. Firmer                  | 27. Wine receptacle                      |
| 9. Portico (Gr.)         | 3. Blue grass              | 28. Kind of fish chalcadony              |
| 10. Mister (Ger. title)  | 4. Reddish yellow          | 29. Biblical mount                       |
| 11. Periods of time      | 5. Exclamation             | 31. Possesses                            |
| 13. Marshy meadow        | 6. Cold                    | 32. Ropes with running knots             |
| 14. Guido's highest note | 7. Region                  | 8. Farm with its buildings               |
| 15. People of Dacia      | 8. Farm with its buildings | 12. Identical                            |
| 18. Impolite             | 14. Bitter vetch           | 33. Obtain                               |
| 20. Insane               | 16. Freight                | 35. Bear mug                             |
| 21. Depart               | 17. Male offspring         | 38. Bondage                              |
| 22. One who smirks       | 19. Blunder                | 39. Old Dutch liquid measures            |
| 24. Japanese coin        |                            |  |
| 25. Epoch                |                            |  |
| 26. Beach                |                            |  |
| 28. Vehicle              |                            |  |
| 30. Lodging              |                            |  |
| 34. Gold (Heraldry)      |                            |  |
| 35. Female pig           |                            |  |
| 36. Genus of the lily    |                            |  |
| 37. — Beach (Fla.)       |                            |  |
| 40. Fate                 |                            |  |
| 41. Spawn of fish        |                            |  |
| 42. Hindu garments       |                            |  |
| 44. Related              |                            |  |
| 46. Belonging to me      |                            |  |
| 47. Canvas shelter       |                            |  |
| 48. Droops in the middle |                            |  |



Yesterday's Answer

- 43. Narrow inlet (geol.)
- 45. New Testament (abbr.)



## DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

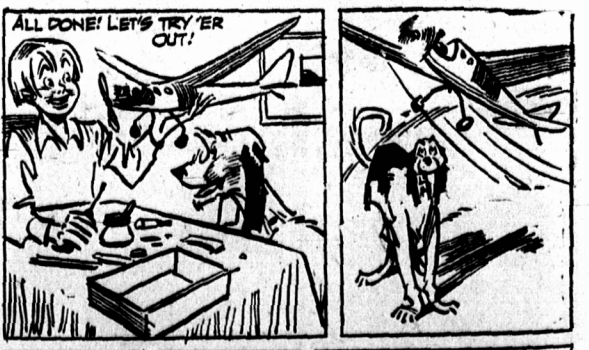
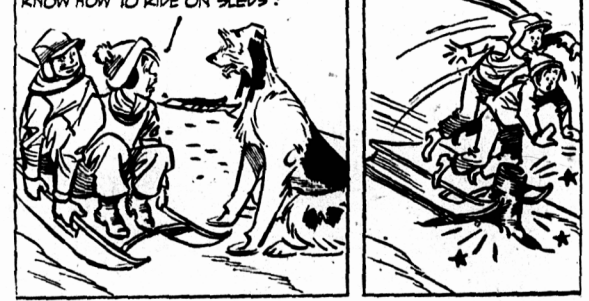
AXYDLBAAXE  
is LONG FELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

**A Cryptogram Quotation**  
 JV JFX FC FNLKRS OCPCOMOWNV  
 CUYBHCFCMV SK YFAOCH FCAWKXA—  
 SJFMVGF.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THEY HAVE EATEN POISONOUS WORDS; THEY ARE MAD AND HAVE NO SHAME—SWINBURNE

## Napoleon and Uncle Elby By Clifford McBride



## There Ought To Be A Law



## By Fagaly and Shorten



**OWBRIDGE'S TONIC**

**COUGHS - COLDS**