

Princesses Today Are Apt To Romp As Well As Work

Princesses growing up today are almost as much rompers as they are workers. They are being reared as girls instead of young ladies.

In England, the six-year-old Princess Anne is wearing dresses cut down from the Queen's. In the Netherlands, the heiress to the throne walks to university classes carrying her books in a basket.

In Sweden, a royal princess will quillify soon as a gymnastics trainer. In Japan, the emperor's favorite daughter is a jazz fan.

In short, the business of being a princess isn't what it used to be.

NORMAL LIVES
Sweden's four attractive blonde princesses have been reared under the democratic principles of their grandfather, King Gustav VI. Their father, Gustav Adolf, is dead. They go shopping or skating or ice skating without any security arrangements.

Margaretha, now 23, attended a housewifery school in England for a time and a convent school in Paris. At the latter she was too tall for ordinary French beds and had to sleep diagonally the first night.

Her younger sister, Birgitta, 20 and shapely ranks top among 35 classmates at the Institute of Gymnastics in Stockholm. She will become an instructor next year.

The two younger girls, Desirée, 18, and Christina, 13, are sports enthusiasts. Desirée won a local tennis championship and is school champion in slalom skiing. She also loves Dixieland jazz. Christina studies ballet, does on ice skating.

CASUAL VISITS
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politeness and controlled emotions is Anne of Britain.

At the age of 6, she studies French and the Bible. She has two hours of piano instruction each week.

FEW CLOTHES
Queen Elizabeth insists that Anne have relatively few clothes and toys. Bulging wardrobes and toy-scattered nurseries, she maintains, spoil a child.

Not long ago, Buckingham Palace visitor admired the princess' pretty yellow dress.

"Thank you," Anne replied, "but it isn't new. It's been cut down from Mummy's."

She shares her mother's passion for horses, rides a bicycle, and visits back and forth with other children in the palace circle.

When he is 8, she may be allowed to go to school outside the palace as her brother, Prince Charles, is doing now. This is a revolution in the palace culture. Margaret were taught by governesses and tutors.

APARTMENT GUARDED
A princess whose public appearances are becoming more ceremonial is 19-year-old Beatrix, heiress to the Dutch throne.

But she still works to her sociology classes at Leyden University, carrying her books in a basket. Like other students, she lives in an apartment near the school. But unlike the others, her apartment is under uniformed guard day and night.

Beatrix, like her mother, Queen Juliana, is plump. She likes to draw, sculpt, sail, ride horseback and go on skiing holidays. She also loves dancing and, like Christina, studies ballet, does on ice skating.

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CHEERY

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harkness and family of Summerside motored to Springfield West recently, and were the guests of Mrs. Harkness' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collicutt.

Friends of Miss Kathleen Smallman are glad to see her home, after being a patient in the Prince County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Horne and family of Bloomfield, were guests of Mrs. Daisy MacNeill, and Mr. and Mrs. Raynal MacNeill in Mt. Royal.

Mrs. Jack Meggison of Hills River was a visitor to O'Leary recently, where she visited her mother, Mrs. Dorcas Gay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacIsaac and family of Dunblane, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ellis in O'Leary recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams, and Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Adams of Knutsford were recent visitors to Summerside.

Several O'Leary residents, motored to Summerside on Tuesday night to take in the Community Concert.

Mr. Dan MacDonald of Summerside was a visitor to the home of his brother, Mr. George MacDonald in O'Leary recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton MacIsaac of Hebron, motored to Piusville recently and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Corcoran.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas, a family of Cascumpeque motored to Summerside to visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Laird.

Miss Shirley MacMillan, who spent the weekend with relatives and friends in Knutsford and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Wallace and little daughter, O'Leary, were visitors to Summerside guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ashley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gamble and family of Unionvale had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oulton of Brae.

The members of the O'Leary Women's Institute met in the school for their meeting on Tuesday night with the president, Mrs. Ray Jelley in the chair. Lunch committee for next time will be Mrs. Ira Ellis, Mrs. George Dewar, Mrs. Alton Rayner and Mrs. Upton Seaman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Moir of Greenwood, N. S. were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacDougall in Unionvale recently. They also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ellis in O'Leary.

Mr. D. E. Brownrigg, of Greenwood, N. S. has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ellis in O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Jelley, and family of Charlottetown motored to O'Leary on Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Francis MacQuarrie and family of Reid's Corner, were visitors to Howlan recently guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Carruthers and family.

Mr. John Lewis of Woodstock, has gone to Halifax where he will receive treatment his many friends wish for him a speedy get well.

Miss Olive Jelley and Mr. Bill Parker of Summerside were Sunday visitors to O'Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Jelley, Unionvale, were visitors to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Banks in Popular Grove recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison MacDougall and family of Springfield West were visitors to O'Leary and vicinity recently.

Miss Vera Williams who is employed at Malgarnet Dairies in O'Leary spent the weekend with relatives in Emsdale.

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BEDUQUE

Mrs. Beatrice Sherwood, Saint John, N. B., was in this village recently, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murray. They also had visiting them, Mrs. Murray's sister, Miss Edith Wetmore of Sackville, N. B.

Miss Catherine Callbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Callbeck has returned home from Mt. Allison University, after completing the first year on her course.

Mr. C. Melville Johnson, Central Beduque left by plane on Friday, May 3rd, to spend some time, with his son Carmen in Kazabana, Quebec and his daughter also in Quebec.

Miss Georgina Leard returned to Quebec recently after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Amie Leard, this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor, who have spent the winter here, have returned to their home in Freetown. While here they cared for Mr. Taylor's father, Mr. Geo. Taylor, one of our elderly citizens.

Mrs. Carrie Leard, is spending several days in Moncton, N. B., with her friend, Miss Alice Harrington.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. Teddy Britten, son of Rev. Dr. C. A. Britten, Central Beduque, who has completed a very successful year at Truro Agricultural College.

Mrs. Mary Lord, who spent the winter in Boston and other parts of the States, has returned to reside for the summer at the home of Mrs. Carrie Schurman.

Church college Sunday, May 5th, was observed at the Beduque United Church. The pastor, Rev. G. A. Cowper-Smith delivered a splendid sermon suitable to the occasion. There was a large congregation.

Among those in grades 5 to 8 who won prizes in the National Temperance Course, was Miss Elizabeth MacCaul, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacCaul of Carleton Siding. Her prize was a beautiful book on the history of the bible.

At the Official Board meeting of the Beduque United Church held on Monday evening, May 5th, Mr. William Stavert was chosen as representative of the Beduque Charge for next year which begins on July 1st.

Rev. Ernest S. Weeks, Beduque, left by plane on Wednesday, May 8th for Ottawa to visit his son, Dr. E. P. Weeks and his wife who is critically ill.

Relatives and friends of Mrs. Edward Gardner, regret to learn that she is a patient in the Prince County Hospital. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Edward Gardner has as his guests, his daughters, Mrs. Arnold MacLean, Woodstock, N. B. and Mrs. Stewart Wright, and her husband, Charlottetown.

VISITS QUEEN
LONDON (Reuters)—Icelandic President Asgeirsson, on a private visit to London with his wife, Tuesday was received in audience by the Queen.

ALBERTON W. M. S.

Mrs. F. J. Carpenter was hostess to Alberton Presbyterian W. M. S. Tuesday evening. The theme of the worship, conducted by Mrs. Norman Oliver, had to do with Mother's Day. The guest speaker, Miss Margaret MacDougall, Regional Secretary for Christian Education, gave a most interesting and informative description of the various mission fields of the Church during the coming year.

The next meeting will be the annual one and will be at the home of Mrs. H. J. Larkin. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Alfred McLeod. The study will be presented by Mrs. Larkin and the roll will be answered with a verse of Scripture containing the word, "hope". Mrs. Fred White, Miss Margaret Forsyth and Mrs. David Hodgson were named a Nominating Committee.

ALBERTON AUXILIARY
Mrs. J. D. MacFarlane was hostess to Alberton Auxiliary of the W. M. S. of the United Church Tuesday afternoon. Opening worship was led by Mrs. MacFarlane, assisted by Mrs. Gordon Hardy, who read the Scripture.

A short article on Christian Stewardship was read by Mrs. William Aubrey and the study was presented by Mrs. Arthur Wright.

The June meeting will be at 8 p.m. in the church hall with Mrs. Roy Leard as devotional leader and Mrs. Fred Leard in charge of the study. To this meeting members are asked to bring contributions for a box to be sent to the Port Worker at Halifax.

At the close of the meeting the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Underhill Coughlin and Mrs. Charles Gordon.

ST. LOUIS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arsenault and two children accompanied by Mrs. Fabian Arsenault, have returned to their homes in St. Louis, after spending the last year in Toronto, Ontario.

Friends of Joseph P. Gaudet, will be sorry to hear that he is a patient in the Western Hospital, Alberton.

Mr. Edgar Gerrior accompanied by Mr. Alfred Doucet have left for Toronto where they will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Arsenault, have left for Montreal, Quebec, where they will visit for some time.

Mr. John S. Arsenault is spending some time in Duvar at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Peters. CR

PIUSVILLE

Mr. Walter Gallant, Toronto, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Fred Arsenault and Mr. Arsenault.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Gallant and family, Duvar, spent Sunday afternoon, visiting in Piusville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold MacGregor, Truro, and daughter, Bonnie, spent the weekend visiting relatives in Burton, Lot 7, and Piusville. They were accompanied on their trip by Mrs. Ambrose Corcoran and Mrs. Ernest MacGregor, who remained at their homes after spending the winter months in Truro, N. S.

Mr. Joseph S. Gallant, road overseer, with the help of some of the men of the district are filling holes and levelling off the rough places on the road which is now in very good condition for cars and trucks.

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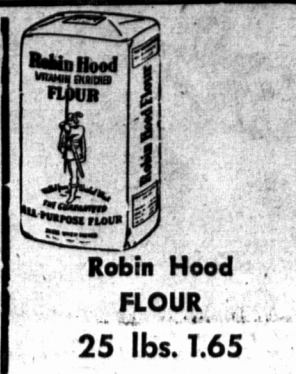
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Room Service Is A "Tricky" Business Finds Grandmother

By CAROLYN WILLET
Canadian Press Staff Writer
OTTAWA (CP)—Mrs. Mabel Egan has spent half her life as the unseen voice at the end of a hotel room-service line.

The jolly grandmother has been supervisor in the busy Chateau Laurier's "private service" department, as it is known in CNR hotels, for the last 34 years. And she's 67.

The moment Mrs. Egan answers "private service" into an insistent telephone, jots down orders and booms out a waiter's name, a guest's order is under way.

ENERGETIC BOSS
An Ottawa of Irish ancestry, Mrs. Egan throws about 200 pounds, a businesslike or bantering voice and boundless energy into marshalling the constant flow of waiters and trays from the hotel's huge basement kitchen to 550 guest rooms above. She is on duty during normal meal hours, but works extra time during large conventions.

The Canadian National Railway's hotel averages more than 7,000 room-service orders a month. During a recent convention, Mrs. Egan took nearly 1,000 orders in one day.

It's a "tricky" business, says Mrs. Egan who promotes service with a capital "S."

She memorizes each day's menu "from A to Z." She's quick with joshing conversation with her 24 stewards and waiters. But she also calls the tune.

NO TALKING BACK
"You've got to be tough to keep up the service," said Mrs. Egan, when interviewed in her narrow, glassed-in cubicle at the edge of

the kitchen. "No waiter ever talks back to me and if he does . . . Few men dare argue. Mrs. Egan's sharp, hazel eyes probe each outgoing order. A turn of her black-haired head brings her white-coated crew into quick and critical focus.

As well as her ability to get things done, she has uncanny talent for recognizing telephone voices, and remembering the names that go with them.

"I know everybody's voice and if a guest comes back six months later I'll still know him . . . and what he'll want to eat."

Regular guests sometimes try to fool her. It doesn't work and "they could crown me."

CAREER HIGHLIGHT
For a woman who rarely takes holidays, a highlight of Mrs. Egan's career came in 1939 when she was posted to Hotel Vancouver to direct room service for the late King George VI and Queen Elizabeth.

A widow with a son and a four-year-old grandson in Ottawa, she likes to "shop and look at people and things" during her off-duty hours.

She contends there's magic in dress shop mirrors—clothes never fit the same when she gets them home. Chocolate ice cream, she adds, is her "weakness."

Leaning over a battered desk with pink-painted fingernails grasping a pencil and a telephone, Mrs. Egan says "this is a busy and happy life."

She doesn't mention retirement. "There isn't time with a jangling telephone demanding her familiar answer: "Private service . . . yes sir . . . right away."

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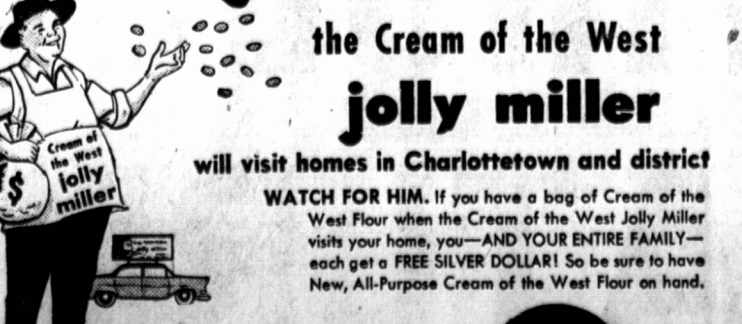
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KEEP IN TRIM

Don't Blame Teen Age Bulges On Your Parents

By IDA JEAN KAIN
So your mother makes you eat! From the mother, you overweight teen-agers are prone to blame the whole thing on family meals. You eat heartily between meals and regard wholesome meals as too, too fattening.

This dietitian feels quite safe in promising that if you will eat only the food your mother insists you eat and skip the candy bars, sodas and between-meal sweets, you can be normal weight before your next birthday. . . well, in three months, anyway. And if you will swing into a few calisthenics to nip in the waist, slim down the hips and spruce up your posture, you can have a figure that will wow the stag line.

Many of you get the mistaken notion that good nutrition is fattening. That goes for potatoes, bread and butter, milk and breakfast. You're not so apt to include fast-food desserts, soft drinks, ice cream and chocolate.

GOOD BREAKFAST
If I could tell you on the idea of protective eating to slim down, it's the best possible healthy pack. I could give you more, it would help you to keep your weight normal all your life.

The first thing I would try to get across is the importance of eating a good breakfast. Breakfast is the most important meal of the day. It gives you energy and helps you to concentrate in school or work.

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