

Special Notes of the Week



The week following New Year's is always a busy one socially, particularly for the younger set, in consequence of the short holidays granted the students at the different schools and colleges. This week has proved no exception and numerous entertainments, formal and informal, have been given for the pleasure of young and old alike, but in every case in these troublesome times the refreshments have become a secondary consideration, quite the opposite to conditions of former years, when hostesses vied with each other in quantity and variety of dainties. Times have indeed changed and the entertainment of one's friends is less of a labor today and is therefore more enjoyed by the busy hostess as well as her guests.

Mrs. Percy W. Thomson was the hostess at a delightful afternoon tea on Tuesday this week. The hostess received her guests in the drawing room, which was bright with quantities of pink carnations, and were a becoming group of white taffeta with bodies of white embroidered geometric crepe and pearls. In the dining room the prettily appointed table had in the center a silver vase of pink carnations, and was presided over by Mrs. Maurice Forbes White. Assisting with the refreshments were Mrs. L. W. Barker, Mrs. Heber Vroom, Mrs. Roy Skinner, Mrs. R. H. L. Skinner, Mrs. T. Escott Ryder, Mrs. J. M. Christie and Mrs. Alexander Fowler. Among the guests were Mrs. Horace Porter, Mrs. Frank Young, Mrs. deBrisay, Mrs. William Vassie, Mrs. J. A. MacKegan, Mrs. John Sayre, Mrs. E. E. Church, Miss Alice Hagan, Miss Schofield, Miss Laura Hazen, Miss Gladys Hagan, Miss E. Kimball, Miss Doris Bridges, Miss Miriam Knowlton, Miss Marion Cruikshank, Miss L. Robinson, Miss Isabel Jack, Miss Mignon Kerr, Miss Frances Kerr, Miss Jean White, Miss Louise Anderson, Miss Jean Anderson, Miss Bullock, Miss Kathleen Foster, Miss Blizard, Miss Dorothy Blizard, Miss Clemmie, Miss Joannette Bridges, Miss Emily Sturdee, Miss Kathleen Sturdee, Miss Ethel Emerson and Miss Alice Fairweather.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. H. Teed, Hazen street, entertained on Tuesday evening at an enjoyable bridge in honor of Mrs. Philip Palmer of Dorchester. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. Reginald Wright and Mr. William Church. The guests were Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Reginald Wright, Miss Edith Magee, Miss Kimball, Miss deSoyres, Miss Dorothy Teed, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Robinson, Miss Marguerite Wright, Mr. M. G. Teed, Capt. Farrar, Mr. Hamington and Captain Hayes.

Mrs. A. P. Paterson entertained a party of young people at a sleigh drive, followed by a dance and supper at the Manor House in honor of her son, Mr. Pierce Paterson. Music was provided by an orchestra for the programme of dances. The supper table was attractively arranged and had in the center a bowl of yellow narcissus. The guests were Miss Katherine Skelton, Miss Josephine Morrison, Miss Helen Fleming, Miss Mary Robertson, Miss Elsie Nevins, Miss Caroline Page, Miss Edith Paterson, Miss Mary Armstrong, Miss Helen Cudlip, Miss Marjorie Sanction, Miss Eileen Morrison, Miss Mary Barnes, Miss Edna Logan, Miss Leslie Skinner, Miss Frances McInerney, Miss Marjorie Robertson, Miss Hortense May, Miss Katherine Wilson, Miss Katherine Holly, Mr. John McCready, Mr. Nelson Hopper, Mr. Frederick Macneil, Jr., Mr. Douglas Scott, Mr. Jack Holly, Mr. Henry Morrison, Mr. Charles Burpee, Mr. L. Diago, Mr. J. Armstrong, Mr. D. Armstrong, Mr. Leslie Peters, Mr. A. Diago, Mr. Harold Climo, Jr. and Mr. Eric Thomson.

Mrs. Frederick C. Macneil entertained a number of the young friends of Mr. Frederick Macneil, Jr. at her residence, Germain street, on Saturday afternoon. Dancing was enjoyed, after which refreshments were served. The guests were Miss Annie Armstrong, Miss Mary Armstrong, Miss Angela Magee, Miss Phyllis Kenney, Miss Althea Hazen, Miss Christian Edwards, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Jean Anderson, Miss Agnes Anderson, the Misses Crosby, (St. Johns); Miss Katherine Wilson, Miss Eileen Morrison, Miss Josephine Morrison, Miss Katherine Skelton, Miss Katherine Holly, Miss Leslie Skinner, Miss Ethel Powell, Miss Marjorie Sanction, Miss Grace Kubring, Miss Mary Barnes, Miss Edith Paterson, Capt. Hayes, Lt. Powell, Mr. Stuart White, Mr. Pierce Paterson, Mr. Charles Burpee, Mr. Alexander Baird, Mr. L. Diago, Mr. A. Diago, Mr. John McCready, Mr. Ives Angus, Mr. Alister Morrison, Mr. John Moore, Mr. Gordon Peters, Mr. Leslie Peters, Mr. Jack Holly and Mr. Murray Skinner.

A very delightful surprise party was tendered Miss Marion Campbell, Leinster street, by about thirty of her friends on Saturday evening in honor of her approaching marriage. The event was arranged by Miss Helen Russell, Miss Edith Miller, Miss Marjorie Belyea and Miss Blanche Beatty. Miss Campbell was presented on behalf of her approaching marriage. The event was arranged by Miss Helen Russell, Miss Edith Miller, Miss Marjorie Belyea and Miss Blanche Beatty. Miss Campbell was presented on behalf of her approaching marriage. The event was arranged by Miss Helen Russell, Miss Edith Miller, Miss Marjorie Belyea and Miss Blanche Beatty. Miss Campbell was presented on behalf of her approaching marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick John Gilmore, Kiverton, have issued invitations for the marriage of their only daughter, Miriam Isabel, to Major Arthur O'Brien, on Monday, the twenty-first of January, in Trinity church, at four o'clock. A reception will be held after the ceremony at 154 Sydney street.

Mrs. W. G. Smith, Princess street, invited a number of friends on Friday afternoon last week to a sewing party in honor of her sister, Miss Henderson, of Boston, who is her guest. At the tea hour the hostess was assisted by Miss Helen Smith (St. Stephen), and Miss Faith Henderson. The floral decorations were red geranium. Among those present were Mrs. H. A. Goodwin, Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Thomas Hall, Mrs. H. H. L. Skinner, Mrs. John McLean, Mrs. Horace Black, Mrs. E. Walker, Mrs. John Lawrence, Mrs. Daniel, Miss Mabel Barbour, Miss Prichard, Miss Gardner, Miss Hea and Miss Alice Hea. Delightful music during the afternoon added much to the pleasure of the guests.

The Hon. W. E. Foster and Mrs. Foster entertained at the temporary St. David's Presbyterian church, King street east, on Wednesday morning, when Miss Marion Douglas Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Wilford Campbell, became the wife of Lieut. Harold G. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Evans, in the presence of the immediate relatives and hosts of friends of the young couple. The Rev. J. A. MacKegan performed the ceremony. The bride, who was unattended, entered the church, which had been prettily decorated with roses and ferns, with her father to the strains of the wedding march and wore a becoming imported suit of navy blue broadcloth with a smart hat of cloth of gold, natural lynx furs, and carried Killarney roses. During the service

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Mrs. Erminie Climo sang very sweetly "O Promise Me," and was accompanied by the organist, Mrs. F. Archibald. After the ceremony an informal reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, Leinster street, after which Lieut. and Mrs. Evans left on the C. P. R. for a short wedding trip, followed by the best wishes of many friends. On their return they will reside at 75 Sydney street. The groom was a popular officer of the 44th Battalion and was wounded at the battle of Lens, on June 2nd last year, rendering him unfit for further active service, and is now on the staff of Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity. Many beautiful gifts testified to the popularity of the young couple.

Mrs. James F. Robertson entertained at luncheon on Thursday at her residence, Carleton street, in honor of Mrs. Herbert Taylor of Edmonton. The table was artistically arranged for the occasion and had in the center a vase of pink and white carnations. The guests were Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Gordon Fairweather, Miss Hooper, Miss Alice Fairweather, Mrs. Dorothy Jack, Miss Isabel Jack, Miss Edith Miller, Miss Helen Russell, Miss Blanche Beatty, Miss Barbara Jack, Miss Gertrude Fleming and Miss Dorothy Blizard.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. E., in their rooms, Germain street, on Thursday evening, Mrs. Clarence Allen, first vice-regent of the chapter, on behalf of the members presented Mrs. E. Atherton Smith with a life membership of the First Division Association of the order in appreciation of her faithful and untiring work in the interests of the chapter. The life membership pin and an engraved certificate accompanied the address. Mrs. Smith was greatly taken by surprise and in her usual clever manner thanked the ladies for their thoughtfulness. The usual business of the chapter at their quarterly meeting at the United Club, which has been kindly offered for the occasion, on Tuesday next.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Stella Sherman, formerly of Fredericton, but now of Toronto, to Mr. William B. Howard, district passenger agent of the C. P. R., Toronto, formerly of this city. Congratulations are being extended from interested friends.

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Mrs. Marie on the death of Mr. Esau, which occurred on the evening of January 5th at Rothsay.

The regular monthly meeting of the Loyalist Chapter, I.O.O.E., was held in their room at the Board of Trade Building on Monday evening, with Miss Schofield, the first vice-regent, in the chair. After the business of the meeting plans were discussed and committees formed in connection with the 1918 review, which is to be given at the Imperial Theatre on February 7th. Former entertainments of this nature have been greatly enjoyed and the one in preparation is being anticipated with keen interest.

That a number of St. John officers had been decorated on New Year's day, for their good work on the field of battle, was received with great pleasure by their relatives and many friends. Among those to receive such high honor were the following: Major Frederick McKean, D.S.O.; Capt. Harold Wood, M.C.; Capt. Wm. Vassie, M.C.; Bombardier Wm. Ingraham, Military Medal; Brig. Gen. Frederick Barker, D.S.O.; Major Lawrence Kebley, M.C.; while Lieut. Colonel W. H. Harrison of the First Division Ammunition Column, has been awarded the D.S.O.

Mrs. Arthur W. Adams, Mecklenburg street, was a hostess at the tea hour on Thursday, in honor of Mrs. Wilkes, wife of Colonel Wilkes and of Mrs. Wilkes' daughter, Mrs. Armstrong, wife of Colonel Armstrong of Ottawa, now overseas. Miss Ethel Sidney presided at the prettily appointed tea table and was assisted by Mrs. Rudolph deBrisay, Mrs. T. Escott Ryder, Mrs. Alexander Fowler and Miss Ethel Eddy. Mrs. Wm. H. Harrison, Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Mrs. Ward Hagen, Mrs. Ambrose, Mrs. Silas Al-

ward, Mrs. Frank Starr, Mrs. George Coster, Mrs. Charles Coster, Mrs. Walter White, Mrs. J. D. Seely, Mrs. Gordon McDonald, Mrs. Wm. Vassie, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. F. E. Sayre, Miss N. Jack, Miss Katherine Dabrow and Miss Laura Hazen.

At the regular meeting of the Soldiers' Wives League this week it was announced that Mrs. Ernest Barbour would address the next meeting on her experiences as a nursing sister overseas. The address is being anticipated with interest.

Brigadier-General Macdonnell entertained informally at dinner at his residence, Queen street, on Friday evening.

The regular monthly meeting of the Brunswick Chapter, I.O.O.E., was held on Monday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Wetmore, Lancaster Heights. Mrs. Mersereau, a visiting regent, gave an interesting talk on the work of her chapter. The usual reports of the chapter's activities were read and several sums of money voted in answer to appeals.

The annual meeting of St. George's Society was held on Tuesday evening and officers were elected for this year. After the business of the evening had been concluded the members adjourned to Bond's where they were entertained by the president, Mr. R. W. Frink.

Mr. Wm. Warren Gerow and Mrs. Gerow left on Tuesday evening for St. John, Quebec, where Mr. Gerow is a member of an engineers corps and expects soon to go overseas. Mr. and Mrs. Gerow will be in the city with the guests of Mrs. George W. Gerow, Sewall street.

Canadian Machine Gun Corps and was severely wounded.

Following from the Ottawa Citizen is of interest: "Lieut. Governor of New Brunswick and Mrs. Wm. Engley had luncheon on Saturday at Government House with the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire."

Mr. and Mrs. E. Atherton Smith have returned from Boston and New York.

Miss Jean E. Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Willard Smith, left this week for New York to resume her studies at the Art League.

Mrs. Kent Scovell returned yesterday from a pleasant visit to Boston.

Mrs. Ralph Robertson, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Fredericton, has returned to her home on Mecklenburg street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hamilton returned on Tuesday from Stewiack and Halifax.

Mr. S. A. Thomas left on Wednesday for Poland Springs, Me., to recuperate after his recent operation for appendicitis. Mr. Frederick Crosby accompanied Mr. Thomas on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harding and Mrs. John H. Thomson left on Wednesday evening for Florida.

Mr. Angus McLean, Miss May McLean and Miss Emily McLean of Bathurst, were visitors in the city on Wednesday, en route to Boston where the young ladies will continue their studies at Dana Hall.

Mr. Ronald M. Carson of Calgary is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Murdoch, Leinster street.

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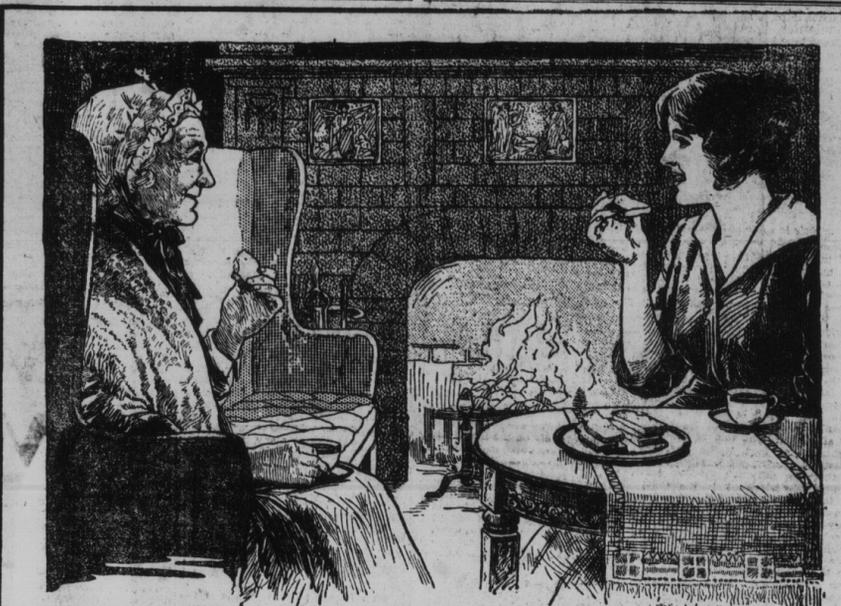
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What Aunt Margaret Learned

"How do you like my bread, Aunt Margaret?" "Splendid," answered she whose many years of experience qualify her to render expert judgment. "What are the qualities by which good bread is judged, Aunt Margaret?" "Flavor, silky and even crumb, good brown crust and whiteness of crumb, large shapely loaves, and of course, the amount of nourishment. I must say your bread meets this standard just splendidly! We couldn't bake bread like that when I was a girl. How in the world do you accomplish it?" "When you were as young as I, Aunt Margaret, there wasn't any

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