

# Across the Kitchen Table

By MRS. MAC

I've had some assistance with my column this week. This time it comes from Mr. Joy and it is so good that I'm going to use it as a monolog for some of our programs. Mr. Joy says that he enjoys my write-ups about weddings but they are too one-sided, so he sent me the following clipping, which speaks for itself; (I never knew, I'll admit, that so much good could be said about mens' attire.)

"Mr. Wilkins was attended by Mr. Dubbs as groomsman. As the groom approached the altar he was the cynosure of all eyes. He was charmingly clad in a suit, consisting of a hat, vest and pants. The coat, of dark material, was draped under the arms. A pretty story was current among the guests that he coat had been worn by his grandfather on HIS wedding day. The vest was sleeveless and met in the front. It was gracefully fashioned with pockets and was held together at the back with a strap and buckle. Conspicuous across the front of the vest was the groom's favorite piece of jewelry, a large watch, the bride's gift to the groom, which flashed and gave the needed touch of brilliancy to a costume in perfect taste and harmony. The groom's pants were of dark worsted and were suspended from the waist, falling in straight lines almost to the floor. Their severe simplicity was relieved by the right pant leg, which was caught up about four

inches by a garter worn underneath, revealing an artistic glimpse of leather shoes fastened with laces of the same color. The effect was very chic. His neck was encircled by a collar and around the collar, a tie was loosely knotted so that it rode up under his left ear with that studied carelessness that marks the supreme artistry in dress. Mr. Dubb's costume was essentially like that of the groom, and as the two stood at the altar, a hush of admiration enveloped the audience at the complete harmony of their raiment. Neither Mr. Wilkins or Mr. Dubbs wore a hat.

As Miss Wright led her groom from the nuptial ceremony, it was noted that she wore a conventional veil and orange blossoms."

I must find out when Mr. and Mrs. Joy are having a wedding anniversary and be prepared to do him justice. Thanks again, Mr. Joy.

I looked out of the window the other day and saw what looked like a huge bird's nest blowing across the street. Then I saw a pair of legs under it and when it had progressed a little farther, I discovered it was a man (?) wearing a large straw hat with straw fringe about six or seven inches long all around it, flapping gaily up and down in the wind. Women's hats are crazy??????

"A tendency to look back can be costly.

Lot's wife looked back and turned into a pillar of salt.

A motorist on a winding road looked back and turned into a pillar of cement."

I read a smart editorial in the Christian Science Monitor recently on signs of summer. It was called "Under the Hot Dog Sun", and among other signs it mentioned the irregular buzz of lawn mowers and the intermittent buzz of flies, oil sales down, gasoline and charcoal sales up, bathing suits flapping from car door handles and wet, sandy tracks from the front door to the refrigerator. It also added that there is just as much news of grimness in the world as there was last winter, but we seem to be able to see the available good things better in the light of the summer sun.

It is always nice to receive a letter from one of the pioneers of the town and this week I was pleased to receive one from Mrs. Sam Craig, who came to Haileybury in 1904. In her letter she spoke of the "Old Cemetery", which was in use when she arrived and the land for it, she believes, was donated by C. C. Farr. She understands that some work has been done in it to improve its looks and suggested that the name, "Pioneer Cemetery" be used to designate it in future.

She has also suggested that a record of it be made for the Haileybury Women's Institute Tweedsmuir History. Thank you Mrs. Craig, for writing to me.

(Intended for last week)

This week I have received a program of the ACWW conference which Mrs. Beach and I will be attending in Edinburgh and it is a very full program and excep-

tionally interesting and instructive. Its theme is "Looking Ahead" on roads to a better world through understanding each other, each other's cultures, the youth of today and through technical assistance. There will be many discussions on these topics and we have asked to be placed on different subjects in order to compare notes later, thus getting more out of the discussions.

There is a pageant on August 7, which will trace the history of Scotland for hundreds of years and will take in members of all Institutes in Scotland; a civic garden party at Lauriston Castle; a special church service; a day's outing by steamer, down the Clyde River on August 10, (my birthday) a half day tour to meet the Institutes around Edinburgh; an address by Rt. Hon. John Scott MacLay, secretary of State for Scotland; and on the final day, August 15, (my wedding anniversary), there will be a Beat Retreat by massed bands at Edinburgh Castle, followed by a farewell party at the Assembly Room and Music Hall. All this plus the full sessions every day. Sounds like a busy thirteen day period, doesn't it?

## Instruction School For Rebekah Lodges

On Wednesday, May 20 the School of Instruction for Rebekah Lodges was held in Haileybury with Northern Light Lodge of Haileybury as hostess lodge. Past President Mrs. Anderson of North Bay presided. A memorial service was conducted by Silver Rebekah Lodge of Cobalt and the Service of Reconciliation by Northern Beacon Lodge of Englehart. During the evening Northern Light Lodge conferred the Rebekah degree on two candidates. Representatives were present from Golden Gate Lodge, of Kirkland Lake, Northern Beacon Lodge of Englehart, Lakeside Lodge of New Liskeard, Silver Rebekah Lodge of Cobalt

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We have a new shipment of blouses in too. One group that is getting "ohs" and "ahs" of appreciation, is of finest white cotton, embroidered in Switzerland and is a summer delight because of the minimum of care required to keep them in spotless condition

June is the month of weddings and we expect that you will be needing several wedding gifts. If you are looking for something out of the ordinary, you should see our "Scotian Craft" afghans. They are woven in Nova Scotia of virgin wool and come in multicolor stripes or a combination of shrimp, pale green, natural and brown. Nothing could be nicer for the chesterfield when you are snatching those occasional "forty winks."

Going camping? Fishing? Swimming? We have Slim Jims in cotton Chino, and also bathing suits in sizes up to 42.

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and the hostess lodge Northern Light of Haileybury. At noon a delicious dinner was served by the W. A. of Haileybury United Church and at the close of the evening session refreshments were served. Attending from Cobalt were N. G. Mrs. Agatha Cameron, V. G. Mrs. Carrie Birtch, Mrs. Alice Riley, Mrs. Yola Mulligan, Mrs. Louise Richards, Mrs. Muriel Tresidder, Mrs. Jenny Pacher, Mrs. Phyl Greening, Mrs. Evalina Morgan, Mrs. Marie Greensides, Mrs. E. Fleming, Mrs. Isabelle

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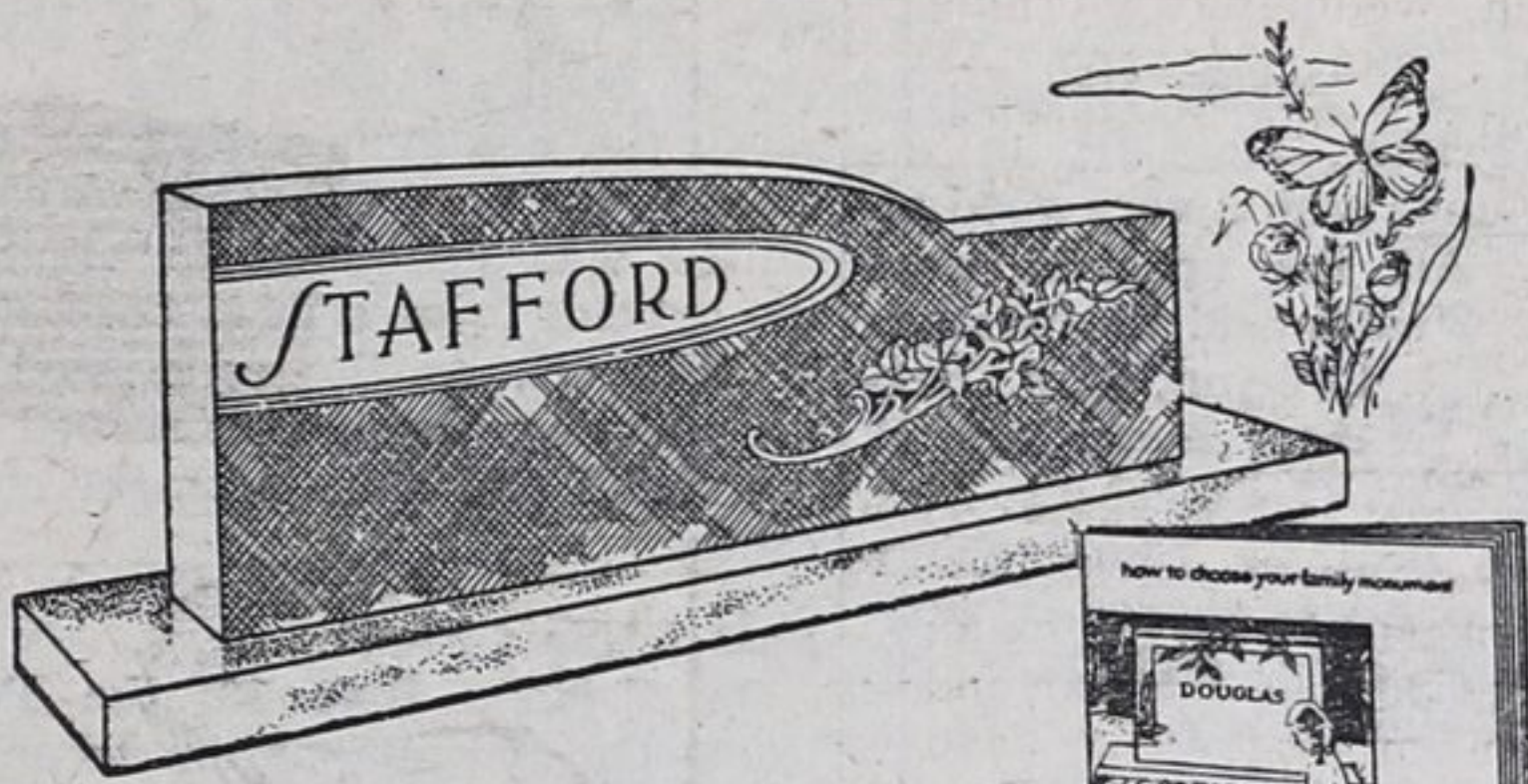
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