

Chatting

By M.H.B.♥

the whole town . . . A. terrifie least, pottery-making. water crisis, and a terrific election most interesting, don't you think? campaign all at once, setting the whole town rocking on its heels. the staff of both Carroll's and . By the way, dld you ever realize the Dominion Store within the before just how very lucky we are last couple of weeks. Miss Edna to be able to turn a tap and get all Aitken has resigned from the staff the water we want? . A week ago at Carroll's, to work at Provincial Monday, a good many women Paper Ltd. Replacing her, is Miss inelted down snow for household Marjorie, McEnery, formerly of the uses One housewife we know Dominion Stores. Then, completrummaged in the attic till she ing the circle, Aubrey Kerr is the found her almost forgotten-about new man on the Dominion Stores snow-shoes, and after struggling staff . . . into them, trekked down to the , . . There has been a change at creek running through her back- the Royal Bank, too, caused when yard, for water. And the situation the accountant, Art. Reinhardt was was pretty desperate for those with transferred to the Leamington small babies . . . Do I hear some branch. Taking his place is D. A. faint male voices saying isn't 'that V. "Vine" Jones, who comes here like a woman-does she ever from New Liskeard. Mr. Jones is think how industry would be af- living at the home of Mr. and Mrs. fected by an acute water short- A. G. M. Bruyns . . age-and the answer is yes, most emphatically, and a great big orchid to all industries in town for cal period of the shortage .

And now that the new water supply is in operation, and the election campaign simmering nicely, our thoughts are turning to the activities of a busy pre-Christ- studying shorthand at the High mas season. . We know we are not School, and intends staying on in alone in finding that Christmas Canada, she likes it so much . . shopping, and baking the rich . . . The ways of the movie indus-Yuletide goodies, worked in beand teas, make the next three weeks excellent book-of-the-month ralltween attending concerts, bazaars pretty full ones, albeit the happiest ed "Vespers in Vienna", and now and most exhilarating of the year. they have made a movie of it, but

on your "must" list. In addition to tive . . . With our thoughts still the usual display of beautiful on books-of-the-month, we're handiwork, which is in itself al- reading one now " The Egyptian" ways worth seeing, there are go- by the Finnish novelist, Mika ing to be special demonstrations of Waltari . . . Haven't finished it how those pretty china flowers yet, but have read enough to know we've all admired in brooches, etc. that never will we be guilty of

HASN'T IT BEEN an exciting | are made; leather tooling; weavweek? Excitement involving ing; spinning; and last but not . . There have been changes on

MET A CHARMING visitor from Holland the other day, in - the person of Miss Julie E. their cooperation during the criti- Ledeboer, who is staying with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. DeVries at their farm on R. R. 3, just outside Georgetown . . Julie, who speaks English perfectly, is

try are unfathomable at times. For instance, some time ago, we read an THE ARTS AND CRAFTS story to "The Red Danube". Can't Exhibit and Sale coming up imagine why, because to our mind, shortly, should be something the second title isn't even attracsaying "What's this younger geneyation coming to!" Written about the B.C. era, and product of a great deal of research into those times and customs, it brings ancient history to life very vividly. end demonstrates the fact that human nature dojesn't change much down through the centuries, but if anything, is improving . . . A fas-

> ENJOYED THE HOCKEY Club Annual Formal last Friday night . . . Noticed a lot of beautiful evening gowns. The leaders of fashion--whoever they might be-are doing their best to rersuade us gals to switch from floor-length to ankle-length, or ballerina length, evening dressesout there were only a couple in evidence Friday night. Doubtless when, and if, everyone invests in a short evening gown, the dictators of fashion will decree that henceforth one must have it floor-length in our opinion, the hiking of the temline is the hardest fashion

cinating book, but strictly adult

whim to cope with It s good to hear that Mrs. A. Cowie, King Street, who underwent an operation recently in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, is convalescing just now at the home of, a relative in Toronto . . . Mrs. W. V Grant is in the General Hospital in Toronto and ours is a very sincere "get-well-quick" wish

. . A recent visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott. Queen Street, was Mr. Max Freilich, and, girlfriend from San Salvador, and now of Toronto. Many will remember Max, who worked at Smith & Stone Ltd., for some time after the war was over. He had, as most of you doubtless know, quite an exciting career, as a Jewish refugee to Canada -- then back to .Germany as an interpreter for the Canadian Army-and back to Canada again. Mrs. Scott says size enjoyed her visit with the young lady from South America, too. Seemed odd to have someone remark that they couldn't get used to the abundance of apples in Canada. Apparently in San Salvador they are a luxury fruit, os many of their tropical fruits are in our country.

STEWARTTOWN

The Little Helpers of St. John's Church held their annual meeting in the school a week ago Saturday afternoon. The meeting opened with prayers and the hymn. "Jesus Loves Me." Seventeen members answered the roll call and from their mite boxes \$7.20 was realized. There are nine new members. Prayers followed and all joined in singing the hymn "When He Cometh". Lois Mileham rend a short paper explaining how the money is used among the missionaries. Games were enjoyed for a short period and Rev. J. E. Maxwell told a story about Peter the Eskimo boy, with illustrations on the blackboard. Lunch was served and Mr. Maxwell thanked all those who had helped make the meeting a success, and closed the -neeting with prayer. Visitors included parents of the Little Helpers, members of the Junior and Senior W.A.



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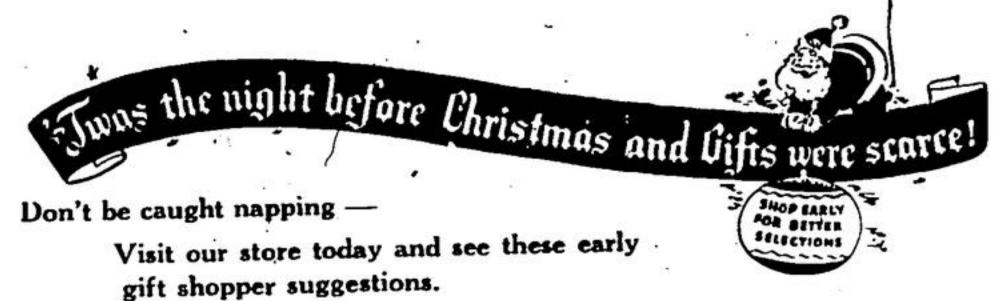
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