Chatting

with M. H. B.

years . . . say about six-ish, mum and

dad like to sleep in an extra half hour

on Sunday morning. And sometimes when they do, weird and wonderful

Things happen in the kitchen. One

young mother we know came down

stairs Sunday morning and her 7-year-

old, son proudly announced he had

prepared breakfast for himself and

his brother. The menu? . . . Reddi-

Whip on toast . . . Methinks she has

another Duncan Hines in the making.

. . . But the years when the family

are all together are happy ones to

recall late on in life when the child-

ren grow up and go their separate

ways. Then the years slip by at an

alarming rate, with reunions seldom

when Mr. A. E. Dawson and his two

sisters were together again after a

separation of forty years. Travel by

air, with the planes zooming half-way

round the world in a few hours, made

. . . One sister, Mrs. Geoffrey Willan,

flew from Sydney, Australia, to Van-

couver, B.C., with only one stopover

in Hawaii. When she arrived in Van-

couver, her sister Mrs. Jim Reynolds

had just arrived by plane from Los

Angeles, California a short time be-

fore. At midnight the same night,

their brother, Mr. A. E. Dawson, came

in on the plane which had left Toron-

to that morning. And this reunion

marked another anniversary in Mr.

Dawson's life. It took place on the

50th anniversary of his arrival in Can-

. . . Wra Reynolds has been living in

Los ngeles for the past 40 years, and Mrs Willan has lived in Australia for

Mrs. Willan took the plane for the

East, stopping off to visit with son

Donald Dawson and his family at

Calgary, Alberta, and daughter Dar-

ryl and her family at Edmonton. They arrived home in Georgetown a

week ago Sunday night, and Mrs.

Willan will be visiting for a month

. . . It is not the first visit to Canada

for Mrs. Willan, however. She came

out here from England in 1913, when for a short time she nursed at the Wellesley Hospital in Toronto. When

war broke out, she returned to Eng-

land, and after her marriage, went

about the weather down there, and learned that right now they're having pretty much the same kind of weather that we're having here. The

days are warm and the nights cool.

But down there, it's autumn. And

they have just had the hottest summer they have ever experienced. The temperatur was a sweltering 100 in

. . . Living in the vicinity of Sydney, Mrs. Willan says the temperature is never really cold, even in their winter months of July and August. That is why all the houses in that section

of Australia are built in ranch style, with no central heating. When heat

is required, it is supplied by fire pla-

twilight we enjoy. A glance at a map will show you that Australia is much

closer to the equator than we are and

so there is very little twilight at any time. When the sun dips below the

horizon, darkness falls almost immed-

The countryside-around Sydney is

very fertile and growth is luxuriant.

Most homes have gardens of their own where they grow such things as oran-

.... We feel quite proud of our own

country side right now, bowever,

ges, lemons and bananas

intely . . .

ONE THING Mrs. Willan had missed since leaving home to

live in Australia, is the long

the shade for weeks on end.

REMEMBERING THAT Aus-

tralia's seasons are just the

opposite to ours, we inquired

with Mr. and Mrs. Dawson.

to live in Australia . . .

ada from England . . .

40 years.

the happy occasion possible . . .

ONE VERY HAPPY family re-

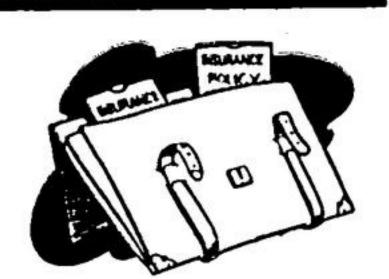
union took place in Vancouver,

B.C. a week ago Wednesday,

possible in many cases . . .

SOMETIMES, when the young-

sters are getting on a bit in



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Before leaving the office girls presented her with a Schaeller Snorkel pen, which had her name engraved on it. On Friday evening, prior to her departure, some friends gathered at the home of Miriam Grace for a party, when they gave her a purse, and leather travelling alarm clock trimmed with gold. She also received many presents from friends wishing her well. .

In West Palm Beach Miss Price will. be staying with Mrs. W. E. Brooks, the former Muriel Nodwell of town, who is married to a lieutenant in the United States air force.

THREE VIE FOR ROXY FIDDLING HONOURS

Donald Dolson was first prizewinner in an Old Tyme Fiddlers' competition which was a special feature of the Fri-

day night show at the Roxy. Three fiddlers competed for a prize list of \$36 donated by merchants.

Second and third prizewinners were Mervin McPherson, Orangeville and Clarence Varey, Silvercreck, the latter accompanied on the piano by his daughter liene.

An extra feature of the program was an exhibition of step dancing and playing the "bones" by a veteran local entertainer Joe Martin.

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We are sure that Mrs. Willan will enjoy her stay here in Canada . . .

SPEAKING OF PEOPLE from distant lands visiting us, did you happen to see the picture of the premier of Thailand, Field Marshal P. Pibulsonggram, in the Globe and Mail a week ago, when he and his wife crossed over the Rainbow Bridge in Niagara Falls for a visit? Mr. and Mrs. Graham Farnell, Carroll and David, and Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Faram happened to be having dinner in the Rainbow Room of the Brock Hotel in Niagara on Mother's Day, when the premier and his entourage also arrived for dinner. Quite a large space in the dining room had been reserved for them and the Farnell children found the RCMP officers who were stationed on guard in their colourful uniforms, quite as fascinating as the glamorous visitors . . .

THEIR FARM having been included in the Delrex Development, Mr. and Mrs. George Cleave will be moving in to town shortly. They have bought the house at 5 Young Street, where Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sykes have been living and Mr. and Mrs. Sykes are moving back to their former home on Church Street where they will occupy the ground floor apartment, tenanted until a few weeks ago by Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh and their 3 children. Mr. and Mrs . Walsh are living in their new home in the Cloverdale subdivision . . .

AND IN THE subdivision at the eastern edge of town, we still have a few more families, . After their few hours together in to list who reside on Byron Street. Vancouver, Mrs Reynolds returned to They are: Mr. and Mrs. William D. Los Angeles, and Mr. Dawson and Williams, Mr. and Mrs. David T. G. Greene, Mr. and Mrs Ray Strodder, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Little, Mr. and Mrs. Packolok.

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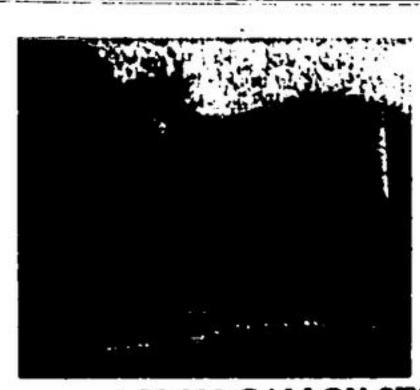
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