

Dropped Between Stitches

By Phyllis

On Friday afternoon, at the Timmins Golf Club, about 20 lady members took part in the C.L.G.U. competition. . . Mrs. T. R. Langdon was the winner in the 1st Flight, and Mrs. H. Shook, the winner of the 2nd Flight. . . Mrs. E. L. Giblin won the 9-hole competition. . . Following the match, tea was served in the club house, where the players were joined by a number of other members for the remainder of the afternoon. . . Next Friday afternoon will feature another C.L.G.U. competition.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gravel who were married on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Church of the Nativity. . . Father Murray officiated at the ceremony and wedding music was provided by Norman Amadio. . . The bride is the former Kathleen Demers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Demers, 161 Avenue Rd., and the groom is son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gravel, 108 Hollinger Ave. . . Witnesses at the ceremony were Leo Demers and Rose Anne Demers.

There will be a special meeting of the Rehabilitation Reception Committee held this evening (Thursday) in the McIntyre Auditorium at 8 p.m. . . Whitney, South Porcupine, Schumacher and Timmins will be represented at the meeting, and all Ladies Organizations are asked to appoint a delegate to attend. . . The gathering is for the purpose of discussing ways and means of receiving service men and women from overseas back into civilian life. . . the meeting of trains, dis-

tribution of literature, and the possibility of holding periodical dinners for their reception. . . A large attendance is urged.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Vivian Pierce entertained a number of her friends at her home, 61 Birch St. South, in honour of Miss Muriel Beach, of Quebec City, who is visiting here for two weeks. . . Afternoon tea and an especially dainty and delicious lunch was served by the hostess, and a very pleasant social time was spent. . . Tea served from a lace covered table centred with fresh and coloured summer gladioli, was poured by Mrs. W. Ecclestone. Present were Miss M. Adams, Miss Anne Sullivan, Miss Phyllis McCoy, Miss Marie Rodgers, Mrs. W. Ecclestone, Mrs. A. Smiley, Mrs. Len Godin, Miss Babe Bader-ski, Mrs. E. Cavanagh, Mrs. T. Towers, Miss Agnes Evans, Mrs. H. Kelneck, Mrs. F. Fortner, Mrs. J. McFadden, the guest of honour Miss Muriel Beach, and the hostess, Miss Vivian Pierce.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held yesterday at the Hollinger Hall with president Mrs. W. Johnson in the chair. . . Mrs. J. Kinsey, convener for the day's programme presented a very interesting paper on Citizenship. . . Plans were discussed for the Institute's annual picnic to be held this year on August 23rd, in the McIntyre park at 2 o'clock. . . Plans for the bazaar to be held in October were also discussed. . . The ladies then exchanged favourite recipes and enjoyed several piano selections before the meeting was brought to a close.

Shower in Honour of Miss Daphne Gay

Mrs. W. Jardine, 111 Cedar Street North, last week gave a shower in honour of Miss Daphne Gay, bride of next month, and the event was a delightful one throughout. The home was charmingly decorated for the occasion, one special feature being the umbrella with its gay streamers of blue and white that hung from the ceiling and contained the large array of beautiful and timely gifts.

In addition to the social features of the evening, music lent added charm to the occasion. There were several piano selections by Mrs. Jardine's daughter, Miss Catherine Jardine, and these were much enjoyed by all. A solo, "Love's Old Sweet Song," by Mrs. F. Stonehouse, was a charming number while the duet, "Whispering Hope," by Mrs. T. Gay and Mrs. H. McCulloch, was a specially pleasing selection. Mrs. G. A. Gibson added to the interest and amusement of the evening by her capable tea cup reading. Community singing was another happy feature of the occasion.

A delicious lunch was served during the evening by the hostess, Mrs. Jardine, assisted by her daughter, Miss Catherine, and by Mrs. G. A. Gibson

and Mrs. E. Tomlinson.

Those present for the event were: Mrs. A. Wilford, Mrs. F. Stonehouse, Mrs. P. Masters, Mrs. K. Cambridge, Mrs. E. Tomlinson, Mrs. J. Clatworthy, Mrs. G. A. Gibson, Mrs. E. McFadden and Elsie McFadden, Mrs. R. Backhouse, Mrs. D. Maxwell, Mrs. H. McCulloch, Mrs. J. Sears, Mrs. T. Gay (mother of the bride-to-be); Mrs. Jardine (the hostess) and her daughter Miss Catherine, and Miss Daphne Gay (the guest of honour).

Those unable to be present but sending gifts were Mrs. F. Kitcher, Mrs. J. Cunniffe and Miss Ida Williams.

Miss Daphne Gay, the guest of honour, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Gay, 170 Spruce Street South. She is to be married at the First United Church, Timmins, on Sept. 9th. The groom-to-be is Mr. Lester Ray Sibley, whose home is in Alton, Colchester County, Nova Scotia, but who has been in Timmins for some time.

Edmonton Journal.—Albertans are now asked to take their election orders from Ottawa, Toronto, Fort William, Regina, Vancouver and Tim Buck, too.

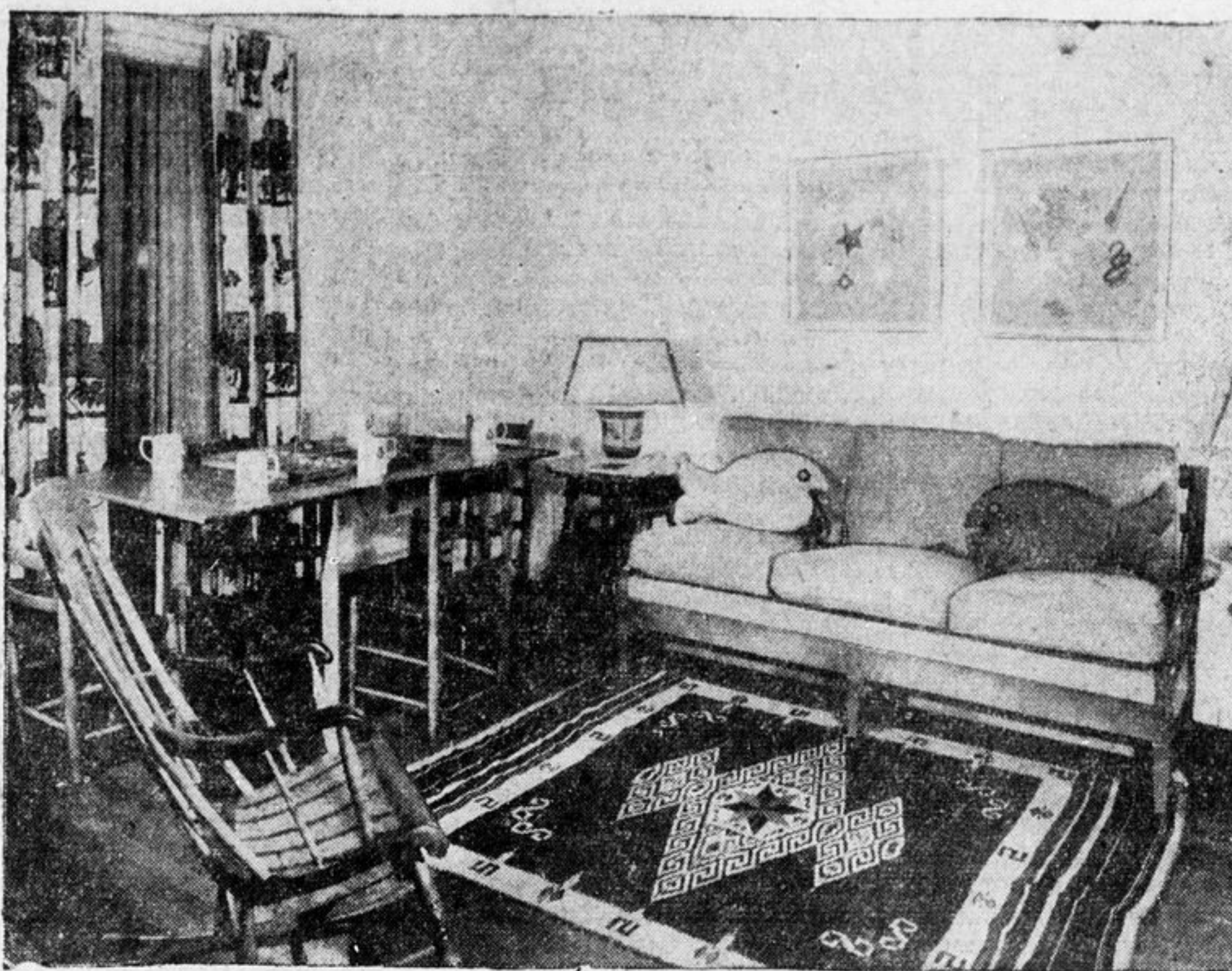
Ottawa Citizen.—A husband in Oklahoma has been awarded alimony by a judge. Now this is what we call real freedom of the sexes.



PLEASANT HOMES

by Elizabeth MacRea Boykin

EARLY AMERICAN BLENDS WITH PAN AMERICAN
The Brilliant Colourings, the Dramatic Designs of Central and South American Origins are Stimulating with New England Maple



Early American furniture is pleasant and different with Pan-American accessories. In this picture, for instance, a hand-woven Guatemalan rug is gayly informal with maple and homespun upholstery. Note the amusing fish shaped cushion in bright yellow and in bright green. The drapery fabric is cotton with a tree and rooster design.

(By Elizabeth MacRea Boykin)

The American way is not something out and dried that stays the same forever more. It is constantly growing and changing and developing—therein lies its vitality. This is the special quality that makes early American furniture so endearing and so symbolic of our civilization. . . its versatility, its congeniality with so many things.

Cosmopolitans

Right now the forthright charm of American maple furniture is again demonstrated this cosmopolitan character—by fraternizing with buoyant accessories from Good Neighbor countries to the south. The reason our staunch maple does go with so many different sorts of things is not hard to find—first, it was made for use and so its design follows direct and practical lines, its very simplicity giving it what today we think of as almost modern and making it easy to combine with almost anything at hand—second it was made by people who sailed the seven seas and brought home treasures from manylands, so naturally from its beginnings our early American furniture grew upon easy terms with foreign things.

Now when confronted with the con-

temporary taste for rugs and fabrics from Guatemala, Mexico, Chile or wherever, this world-view of our own native furniture comes in good stead. Brilliantly colored straw matting rugs, bizarre striped curtains, bright blue glassware, pottery of free design—how oddly charming these are with New England maple chairs and tables and beds! And how modern and refreshing is the combination of these two so-different American cultures, one out of Pan-American from Indian and Spanish ancestry.

Wonderful Colours

The black-out of imports from Europe and Asia has of necessity focused our decorative interest on Central and South American wares, and that's a blessing in disguise, for these countries have much that is exciting and provocative to our eyes. Their delightful colours—palette alone gives our decorative backgrounds a change. . . the bright pinks, the bold greens, the sharp yellows, the wonderful blues, the daring ensembles are stimulating, and they have a certain informality that accents and complements the unpretentiousness of our colonial furniture.

It is equally interesting to realize how dynamic these Good Neighbor accessories are with modern American furniture too—despite their old age heritage, Pan-American colours and the designs have a fine feeling that enlivens and somehow fits with the simple clean lines of contemporary furniture.

Even more formal rooms sometimes acquire distinction by the use of South American or Mexican details—but here is not the place for casual peasant wares of course. The old silver and the grand relics of fabulous eras have all the elegance anybody could want for rooms of dignity. . . and more American are collecting such things.

Most of us think only of the bright simple designs in connection with our Good Neighbor countries, but antiques of splendor are to be found there too and are increasingly making their way to the United States.

So despite the fact that technically there's nothing really new in home furnishings during these war times, we often see rooms that are new. And when we analyze them we find that it is a matter of fresh combinations, and more often than not a bit of detail of Mexican or South American origin.

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Five Births Registered in Timmins Last Week-end

Born—On July 25 to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Donovan, 105 St. George, Toronto—a daughter (Mary Jo-Anne Patricia).

Born—On July 21 to Mr. and Mrs. D. Cotnam, 155 Elm N.—a daughter (Mary-Ann Marie).

Born—On July 26 to Mr. and Mrs. T. Byck, 69 Patricia Blvd.—a son (Theodore, Raymond).

Born—On Aug. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Russchen, 121 Cedar N.—a daughter (Joan Linda).

Born—Aug. 3 to Mr. and Mrs. H. Belec, 77 Bannerman Ave.—Twin sons—(Joseph Emilie Leo) and (Joseph Camille Leon).

Toronto Globe and Mail.—Australian observer says Canadian girls are handsomer than those in his own country. This is a striking tribute though it may give the commentator a few bad half-hours at home.

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Presentation to Mrs. Canie Prior to Leaving Timmins

Mrs. Canie was entertained at a farewell party by her many friends who gathered at the home of Mrs. Germain, Aug. 9th, at 44 Fifth Ave.

Mrs. Canie left Aug. 11th, for Sarnia where she will reside.

The evening was spent in playing bingo. Prizes were won by Mrs. Leclair, Mrs. Lamothe, Mrs. Black, Mrs. T. Giroux and Mrs. Charbonneau.

At the close of the evening a delicious lunch was served and Mrs. Canie was presented with a pleasantly filled purse as a token of the esteem in which she is held by wide circles of friends.

Among those present were:—Mrs. H. Lepine, Mrs. Tremblay, Mrs. G. Legouffre, Mrs. C. Brochu, Mrs. E. Geroux, Mrs. S. Boucher, Mrs. M. Cote, Mrs. A. Deneau, Mrs. R. Leclair, Mrs. Black, Mrs. A. Bouchard, Mrs. J. Barbarie, Mrs. Fournier, Mrs. Gem, Mrs. D. Charbonneau, Mrs. L. Charbonneau, Mrs. Y. Vaillancourt, Mrs. F. Boissonneault, Mrs. F. Benard, Mrs. L. Blais, Mrs. V. Charbonneau, Mrs. G. Candie, Mrs. A. Bergeron, Mrs. A. Goudreau, Mrs. T. Geroux, Mrs. Y. Giroux, Mrs. J. Lamothe, Mrs. A. Godin, Mrs. M. Coudin, Mrs. J. Proulx, Miss Germain, Anita Canie, Rita Hamelin, Mirthle Mousseau.

Those who contributed to the gift but were unable to attend were:—Mrs. C. Lachapelle, Mrs. R. Lambert, Mrs. P. Riche, Mrs. Larcher, Miss L. Larcher. Acting as hostess were:—Mrs. Latour, Mrs. Cote, and Mrs. Germain.

Timmins. For a short time thereafter he settled on a farm at Connaught. The late Mr. Vesala was a naturalized British subject.

To mourn his loss, he leaves: his wife and their three sons: Trooper Kauko Isaac (21 years), who has been wounded twice in action and is now in New Zealand Hospital in England, and is soon expected to arrive back home; Sapper John Kullervo (23 years), who also has been wounded in action, and is now in Italy. The third son, Kalervo (18 years), is at home with his mother taking care of the farm. One brother, Vaino Vesala, is living in Canada and five brothers in Finland. His parents died in Finland several years ago.

The pallbearers were: Isaac Jussila, Hannes Soini, Felix Huhta, Matti Rauhala, Jack Kosola and Niilo Han-nula.

Many beautiful floral offerings were received from friends living all over the Porcupine Camp.

The interment took place in the South Porcupine Cemetery, the Rev. A. I. Heinonen officiating.

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