

Dropped Between Stitches

By Jean

On Friday afternoon at the Golf Club, the Ladies held a Winners Vs Non-Winners Competition. A very high wind and rain did not keep the ladies off the course, but it did make the play more difficult. Mrs. A. S. Porter was the winner among the winners, and Mrs. Karl Eyre was 1st among the Non-Winners. The first round of the Fogg Trophy was also played.

Another wedding of interest this month will be that of Miss Mary MacLeod, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. MacLeod, 75 Mountjoy St. S., who leaves some time this week for Prince Rupert, British Columbia, where she will become the bride of Mr. Albert Petterfer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petterfer Delnite Mine. The young couple, both well-known in town, will reside there, and the best wishes of all will go with Mary from here, for a long and happy life together.

An extra "surprise" was in store last Friday evening at the surprise shower held at the Cowan home on Balsam

South, in honour of Miss Mary MacLeod—Mary's twin sisters, Dorothy and Doris, who were celebrating their 11th birthday that day—were presented with a beautifully inscribed birthday cake. To say the girls were "pleased" is putting it mildly.

Tuesday was an important date in the lives of thousands in this district when the school children began the trek back to school after the summer vacation. The brand new students who were marking a milestone in their lives, all "spruced up" and mostly accompanied by their mothers were looking a little more pleased at the prospect of going to school than some of the older children who still insist that the order of things should be reversed. Two months school—ten months holiday.

The members of the newly formed Twixters Club of St. Matthew's Anglican Church are all very pleased with the success of their first "tea", which was held at the home of Mrs. McChesney, 20 Hart Street, on Saturday afternoon. It was a very pleasurable afternoon for all concerned, and there's no doubt about the members who are in Active Service being pleased about the parcels to be sent them with the proceeds.

A grand social evening and corn roast was held last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Viola Harnden, 212 Elm St. South, when a number of young people gathered there to honour Miss Catharine Jardine, who leaves on Monday for Toronto to study at the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Dancing was enjoyed, and a general good time was had by all. Last week the Harndens were on holiday and the corn was brought up from the South especially for the occasion.

The Gold Nugget Rebekah Lodge meetings began again this (Thursday) evening. It is hoped that there will be a good turn-out on account of the nominations.

Another surprise party we heard about was held last Friday night at the home of Mrs. David Fox, 59 Cherry St., in honour of Miss Mary Cotnam, who is being married on the 16th of this month. An interesting feature of the evening was the fact that just as Mary came in to the strains of the Wedding March, Mrs. Fox's daughter, Mrs. W. J. Lingenfelter, of Kirkland Lake, phoned home and she heard the first of the merriment, even though she was unable to be present.

An engagement of much local interest just announced, is that of Miss Phyllis McConnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McConnell, of 82 Birch St. S., and Mr. Rino Marin, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Marin, 215 Cedar St. S. Phyllis is the attractive brunette in the Sullivan and Newton office, and is wearing a lovely diamond solitaire. Wedding plans are indefinite as yet, so more later. In the meantime

very best wishes are extended to this popular young couple.

Winners of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion Whist Drive on Tuesday, were as follows: Ladies; Mrs. Stenhouse, Mrs. H. McQuarrie, Mrs. G. Beaulne Gentleman; Mr. M. Barkel, Mr. A. Levine, and Mr. R. Backhouse. And then on Wednesday afternoon the Ladies Auxiliary held their regular Wednesday Tea. There was a very good attendance, and among the visitors, was Mrs. Bridgeman of Montreal, a former member of the Club.

Congratulations and very best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leppan, whose wedding has just been announced. Mrs. Leppan is the former Miss Elsie Franks and is well-known in town as one of our Public Health Nurses here. Mr. Leppan is one of the teachers at our Timmins High and Vocational School. The couple were married recently in Kitchener, and have taken up residence here in town.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to another young couple who took their vows in the Church of Nativity on Tuesday morning. The bride was Miss Mary Brosko, of Cobalt, and the groom was Mr. Paul Blain of 78 Birch St. S. The young couple have taken up residence in town.

Twixters Club of St. Matthew's Church Issue Neat Paper

Honour Roll of Over 150 Names Being Published. New Paper Full of News of Church and Affairs

The Twixters Club of St. Matthew's Church, Timmins, has issued a new little newspaper that is of more than passing interest. It bears the title, "St. Matthew's Church News," and the first issue, which The Advance has just received, justifies the title, for the little newspaper has made good coverage of the news of interest to the congregation.

For those who do not know about the Twixters Club, a word of explanation may not be amiss. This explanation is briefly but clearly given in the first issue of St. Matthew's Church News, as follows:—"Now, to introduce ourselves in the form of a newly-organized group called the 'Twixters'—a contraction of 'betwixt',—which serves the dual purpose of defining our principal function, i.e., keeping contact 'betwixt' the Church and its members in the forces, and also to explain that we are the age group 'betwixt' the rather young and the older members of the congregation.

A perusal of the first issue of this church newspaper suggests that "St. Matthew's Church News" may prove to be a sort of liaison officer 'twixt young and old, those here and overseas, and 'twixt the Twixters themselves, all to the general benefit and happiness.

"St. Matthew's Church News" starts with an appropriate emblematic title page. The design is simple but impressive. It is a line drawing by Mr. Frank Huckerby, of the Hollinger. The design is in the form of a tablet, with a sketch of St. Matthew's Church inset at the upper left. Inside the tablet is a large Anglican Church cross with the words, "St. Matthew's Church News" superimposed below the arms of the cross. In small letters at the bottom of the design is the name of the new rector of St. Matthew's Church, Rev. A. R. Chidwick, L.Th.

Four of the ten pages of the first issue of St. Matthew's Church News are given over to names on the honour roll of St. Matthew's Church. This lists 104 names of members or adherents of the church who are serving King and Country and the faith. There are approximately fifty more of these names to be published. For a small church the number of men and women on service from St. Matthew's is remarkable.

Another special feature of the issue is a friendly, genial letter from Rev. Mr. Chidwick, in which he asks for the friendship of all, knowing that friendship and understanding mean co-operation and strength.

The news features of St. Matthew's Church News cover a wide field and seem to include everything of interest. Space does not allow even the mere mention of all items of news in the issue. Just to name a few, however, may give an idea of the competence of the news coverage:—Re-organization of the A.Y.P.A.; meetings of the Men's Club; casualties among those on St. Matthew's honour roll; District Fire-

Afternoon Tea and Sale by Twixters' Club Big Success

A very successful afternoon tea and sale of home baking was held at the home of Mrs. McChesney, 20 Hart St. on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 2nd, this being the first money-raising project to be launched by the Anglican Twixters Club. The tea was an outstanding financial success and the officers, convenors and members of the club extend sincere thanks to those who contributed so generously to the bake table and the tea.

Summer flowers and tall tapers adorned the table at which Mrs. G. S. Lowe and Mrs. A. R. Chidwick poured tea.

Miss Jean McChesney and Mrs. Helen Lake received the guests and Mrs. W. Cook, Mrs. Fred Martyn, Mrs. Russell Brown, Mrs. J. Harris, Mrs. Fred Wolno and Miss Gedge assisted in waiting on the visitors.

Mrs. W. Harris was the kitchen convenor, assisted by Mrs. C. Johnson and Mrs. F. Lacy.

Presiding at the bake table was Mrs. F. A. Wharton, Mrs. H. Read, Mrs. N. Andrews and Mrs. R. Skeithorn. Miss Audrey Paice, the club treasurer, was in charge of cash receipts. The proceeds of the tea are to be used for comfort parcels for members of the church and parish who are serving in the forces.

Twixters Club Enjoy Pleasant Social Evening

The regular weekly meeting of the Anglican Twixters Club was held in St. Matthew's Church Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 4th.

After a short business meeting, at which Mrs. Helen Lake was chairman, the members engaged in the work of preparing the first issue of their bulletin for despatch to members of the congregation and parish who are serving in the forces.

A social evening was then enjoyed. Many games including table tennis, darts and Chinese checkers provided part of the evening's entertainment and Mr. Ray deGruchy really did a fine job in providing the music for community singing.

The entertainment committee served hot dogs, coffee and cookies as the grand finale to a most enjoyable evening.

Pleasing Surprise Shower in Honour of Miss M. MacLeod

The Young People's Society of the MacKay Presbyterian Church, were hostesses last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. Cowan, 78 Balsam St. South, when a surprise shower was held there in honour of Miss Mary MacLeod of 75 Mountjoy Street, South, who is being married this month in Prince Rupert, British Columbia.

A very enjoyable evening was spent playing games, singing, and musical selections. The making of a scrap book depicting Mary's life, up to the present was the cause of much amusement and hearty laughs.

The room was pleasingly decorated with an abundance of fresh cut flowers. Then a charmingly decorated doll-carriage was wheeled into the room, by Dorothy and Doris MacLeod, twin sisters of the bride-to-be. The carriage contained, among other lovely and useful gifts, a beautiful chenille bed-spread.

A very delicious lunch was served at the close of a very happy evening. Among those who attended were:—Mrs. Stewart MacCauley, Mrs. R. D. MacLeod, Mrs. B. Sydor, Mrs. Jas. Cowan, Mrs. A. Wood, Mrs. N. MacInnis, Mrs. S. Palmateer, Mrs. George Aitken, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. J. Banich, Mrs. Gordon Strong, The Misses Jean Cowan, Marguerite MacKenzie, Uriel MacMillan, Hazel Palmateer, Margaret Gells, Muriel Troyer, Marion MacLeod, Peggy MacLeod, Stella Rao, Kay MacInnis, Dorothy and Doris MacLeod, and the guest of honour, Miss Mary MacLeod.

Among those sending gifts but unable to attend were:—Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. Gus Kallioikiski, Mrs. Roy Fraser, Mrs. Dick Parsons, Mrs. L. Morley and Mrs. B. Kirk.

fen's tournament; Sunday School picnic; change in time of holding Sunday School; tennis; retirement of Ven. Archdeacon Woodall after 42 years of service to the church; new rector at South Porcupine, new duties of Rev. Canon Cushing; new rector at St. Matthew's; leaving of Rev. David Mitchell for mission work in Far North; Flying Officer Tommy Stonehouse home on leave after two and a half years' service in North Africa and Italy; visit home of Ordinary Seaman John Newsham, R.C.N.V.R.; Flying Officer Bill Shields safe in England after being on the missing list for ten weeks.

Editorially, St. Matthew's Church News has been very creditably handled. The editorial page is both interesting and informative. Mrs. Gadsby is to be congratulated on an excellent piece of work as editor.

Those who have received a copy of the first issue of St. Matthew's Church News will be looking forward with keen anticipation to the next number.

A feature that should not be overlooked in the first issue is the number of new and humorous stories that are used to brighten the publication.

Sudbury Star:—Woman is the strangest of all sexes. She thought that "Minsk Falls" meant a drop in fur coat prices.

Ten Births Registered During the Past Week

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Turgeon, 107 1/2 Cedar Street North, on August 16th, 1944,—twins (Marie Simone Paulette and Marie Leone Colette).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poulin, 69 Elm North, on July 31st, 1944—a daughter (Marie Diane Denise).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Votour, 44 Wilson Ave., on August 9th, 1944—a daughter (Anita Marie Brigitte).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Real Lortie, 13 Golden Ave., at St. Mary's hospital, August 3rd,—a daughter (Marg. Paulette Lydia).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest St. Amour, North Road, Mountjoy Township, on August 11th,—a son (Armand Alfred Joseph).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Aurel Cloutier, Wick's Mill, on August 27th,—a son (Gerard).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Edward Scott, 78 Fifth Ave., at St. Mary's hospital, on July 29th,—a daughter (Evelyn Ann).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Boychuk, 23 Borden Ave., on August 26th, 1944,—a son (Gerald Robert William).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Weir, 174 Pine Street North, at St. Mary's hospital on July 27th—a daughter (Judith Ann).

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weber, 118 Fourth Ave., Schumacher, at St. Mary's hospital—a son (Wayne Allen).

Miss Mary MacLeod Honoured by Friends

A surprise party was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacInnis, 69 Kent Avenue, in honour of Miss Mary MacLeod, 75 Mountjoy St. South, who is leaving on Friday for British Columbia to be married.

The party was a gathering of a number of old-time friends of the family who wished to take this opportunity to present Mary with a beautiful pair of Kenwood Blankets, and to wish her all happiness in her new home; this was the sentiment as expressed by Mrs. Weir, as the gift was being presented by little Gail Banich and George Martin.

A very delicious lunch was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Murray Martin and son George; Mr. and Mrs. J. Weir and daughter, Joy; Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Mayhew; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Morrison; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacLeod; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parent; Mr. and Mrs. Aronine Wood; Mrs. George Howard; Mrs. John Banich and daughter, Gail; Peggy and Marion MacLeod; Kay, Norma and Randall MacInnis; Mr. and Mrs. Rupert MacLeod; Mrs. I. Rao; the guest of honour, Miss Mary MacLeod; and the host and hostess, Mr. and

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Among those who also contributed to the gift but were unable to attend were: Mrs. C. Robertson, Mr. Charlie Sykes.

Tremors of Earth Felt Slightly at S. Porcupine

South Porcupine, Sept. 6th. Special to The Advance.

Many people here experienced the slight shock and tremor attributed to seismic causes at 12.45 on Monday night.

Although few at the time really knew what the trouble was—some attributing the tremor to a passing truck—others imagining their house was sinking on its moorings!—All realised the unusual. Clocks wavered on shelves and pictures swayed on walls but it lasted so briefly that many turned over and went to sleep again without comment.

St. Mary's Journal—Argus:—"The underground" is getting under the skin of the Nazis these days.

Harvest Thanksgiving Services at St. Matthew's

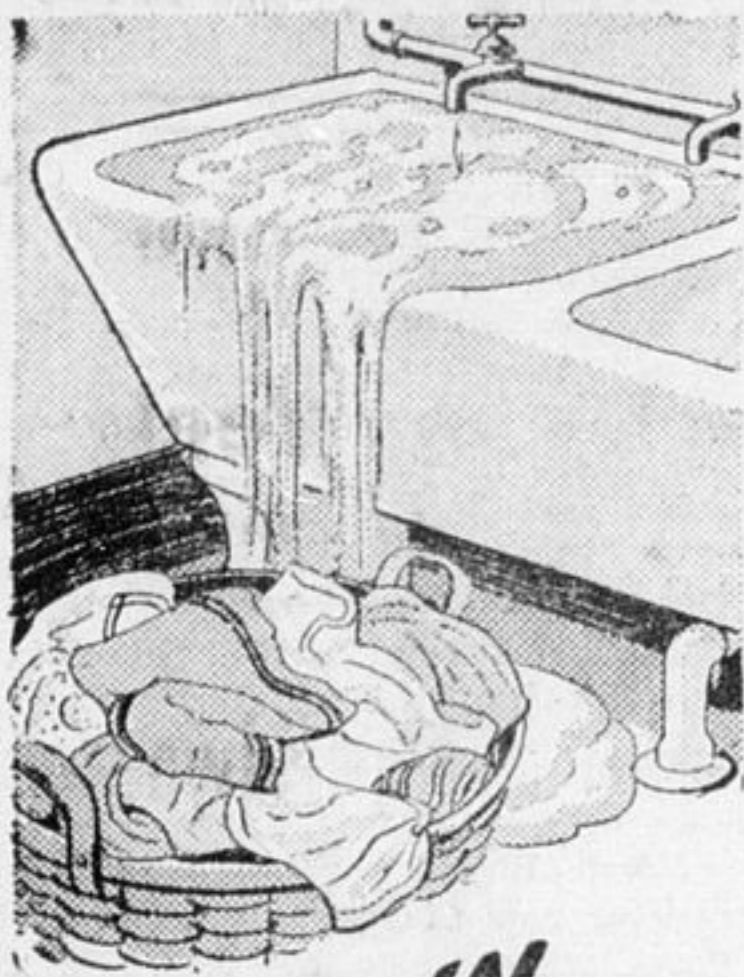
Special Harvest Thanksgiving Services are to be held in St. Matthew's Anglican Church on Sunday, September 10th.

The morning service which commences at 11 a.m. is to be broadcast over Radio Station C.K.G.B. Special music will be selected for the occasion. The Rector, Rev. A. R. Chidwick, L.Th., will conduct both morning and evening services.



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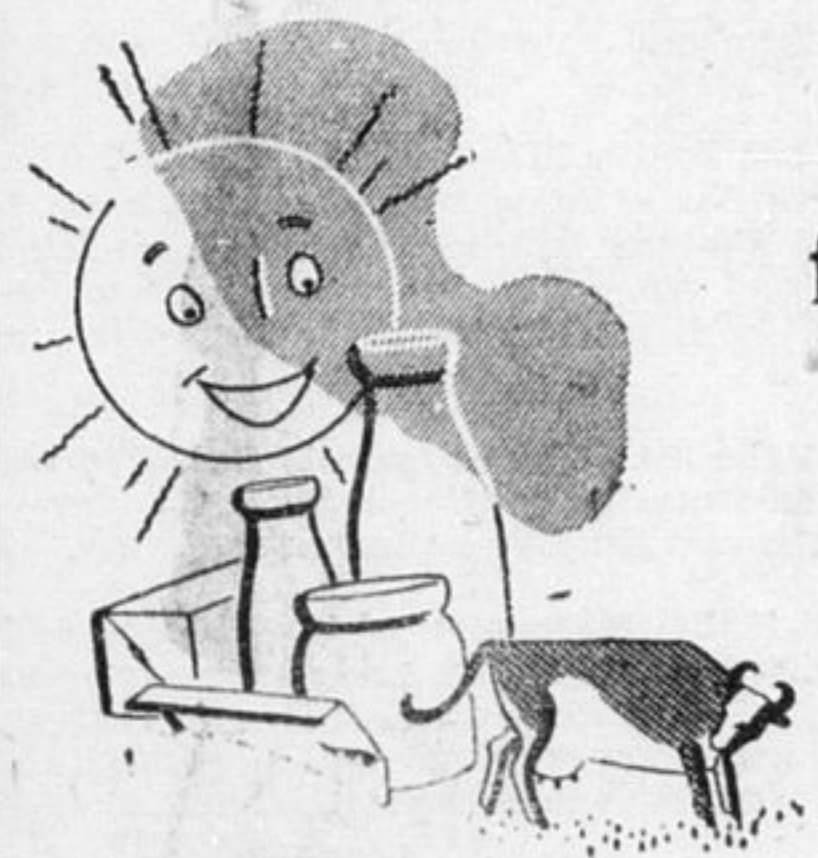
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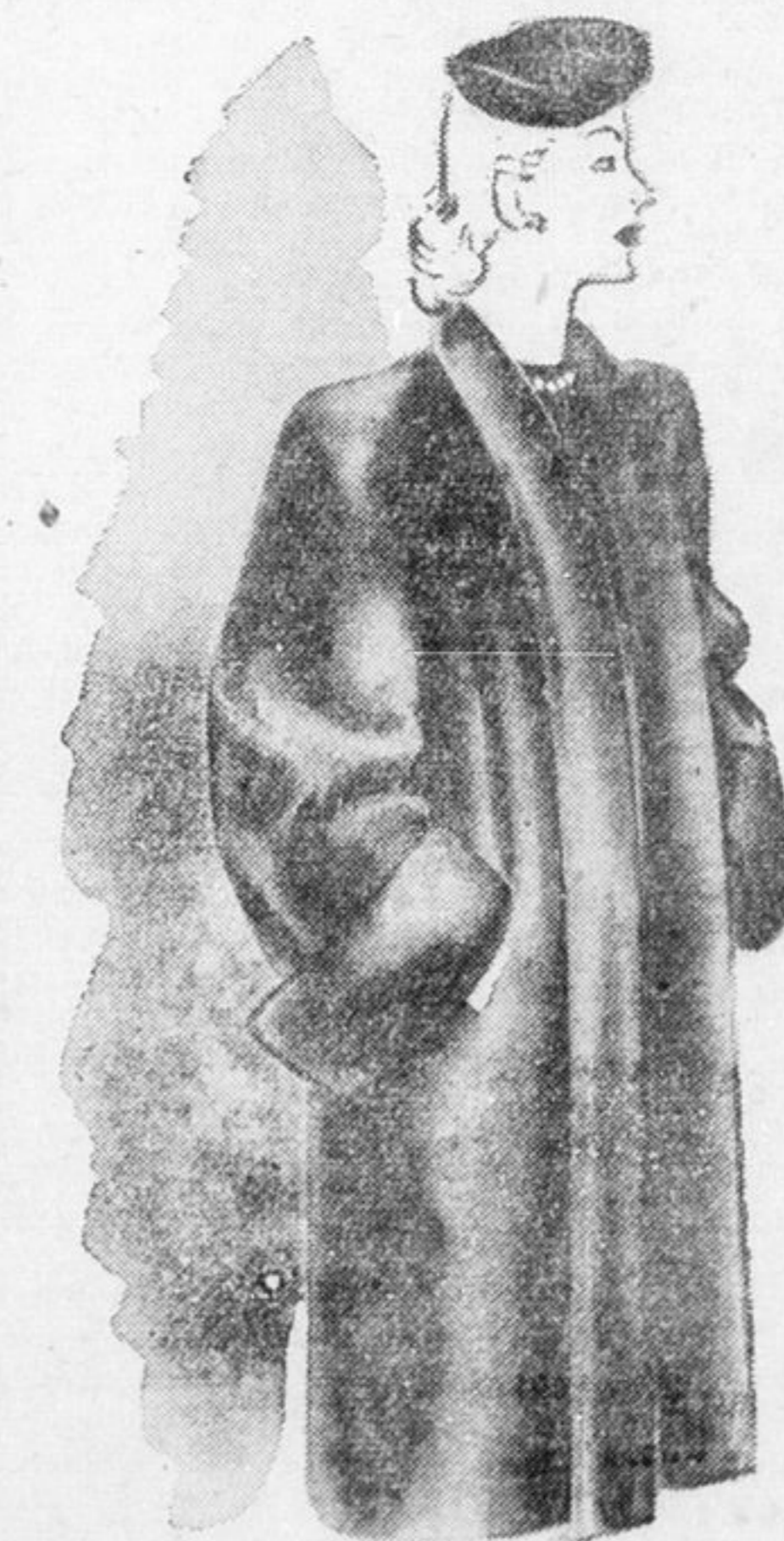
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