

DROPPED Between STITCHES

by Alice Gadsby

Things aren't quite the same around the office these days. The editor, that's the fellow who monopolizes the outside column on Page one, wears a harassed and perplexed look of uncertainty, the reason being that our Social editor, Miss Phyllis McCoy, decided to change her name to Moyle, on Tuesday of this week. Quite the natural thing to do, Ron is a grand fellow, and we are sure they will be happy. That is not what is worrying the editor as much as what kind of conglomeration this column is going to turn out, in view of the absence of Phyllis. Can't quite figure out what Phyllis has that we lack, except of course, an ability to write, which is of primary importance from an editor's point of view. Here's hoping our readers will show the same tolerance and forbearance for a couple of weeks!

Lawrence, one of our linotype operators, set us off to a very bad start by stating, in no uncertain terms, that setting type for the weddings is "the bunk" anyway, they're all the same except for the names. Maybe he'll change his mind about these things some day.

Executives of the Porcupine Ski Club are uttering low moans at the loss of a very capable and energetic secretary in the person of Miss Rita Prout, who left town last Sunday, transferred from here to Sault Ste. Marie by District Services Ltd. with whom she has been employed for the past several years. Rita was a favourite with the junior members as well as the seniors of the Ski club who will join her many other friends in wishing her success and happiness in her new surroundings.

The children of Central School staged another interesting and successful fair on Monday. Flowers, vegetables, needlework, homebaking, art, writing and manual training were among the many attractive exhibits. Members and the committee of the Central Home and School Association are to be commended on the time and effort involved in organizing the fair, and the children are to be congratulated on their work and creative ability.

Excuse us if we continue to refer to Phyllis and her marriage, but we cannot refrain from mentioning the gifts received by this fortunate young couple. The room in which they were displayed looked like a very over-crowded store. There was everything, including a complete set of crystal for eight, a complete set of Wedgewood chinaware in the lovely Morning Glory design, a complete cabinet of silverware, electric kettle, pressure cooker, five lamps, nine Kenwood blankets, a silver tea-service, hand-drawn sheets and pillow cases, a pretty green glazed chintz bedroom chair, a beautiful living room mirror, cups and saucers galore, odd plates, a pewter tray, three tables, an enormous hassock, relish dishes, salt and pepper shakers and a raft load of towels and linens, everything for the kitchen (except a can opener) and many many more practical and lovely gifts far too numerous to mention.

Attending the reception for Mr. and Mrs. Ron Moyle which was held in the McIntyre Lounge, immediately following the wedding ceremony, we had an opportunity to glean a little news of local interest.

Chatting with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Keene, who, incidentally, are looking better following the long siege of illness endured by each of them. We heard that Mickey Splane, who was on the engineering staff at the Hollinger mine and was one of Timmins' most eligible bachelors, has joined the ranks of the benedicts, having married a very charming girl from London, England, and they now reside in Matachewan. Mr. Keene reports that Mr. and Mrs. Splane are quite settled and very happy and she should know, as Mr. and Mrs. Keene recently visited them in Matachewan.

Could not help noticing how attractive some of the young wives looked at the reception. There was Mrs. Lionel Boni, Mrs. R. B. Taylor, Mrs. R. Bentley, Mrs. Doug Bracken, Mrs. Don Hogarth, Mrs. Arthur Moyle and Mrs. Henry Charlebois. The cares of housekeeping, ration cards and shopping for goods in short supply do not appear to worry these happy young brides.

Some people appear to have the secret of perpetual youth. Speaking to Mrs. Art Moran one would hardly guess that she has a married daughter (Mrs. Lionel Boni). Mrs. Roy Dunbar, very attractive in powder blue crepe and smart black hat looks very young to be the mother of four children, the eldest of them, Carlyle, being a fourth form high school student. Mrs. Alec Cadman, also fresh looking, is the mother of three attractive daughters who all resemble their mother very strikingly, in appearance. Then there was the mother of the bride whose appearance certainly belies the fact that she will be celebrating her twenty-sixth wedding anniversary in the near future.

Aunt Jose (Mrs. H. H. Sinclair of Toronto) was looking as smart as tomorrow in a rose-colored dress adorned with a single long strand of pearls, and wore a small pink hat and three-quarter length coat in pale blue. Her snow-white hair was immaculately dressed and she looked like a piece of fragile china, so petite and dainty.

Orchids to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. H. Simms who also seem to have captured the secret of eternal youth. They are young in mind and spirit. Mrs. Simms told us that she and her husband were present at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. McCoy, almost twenty-six years ago, and they were reminiscing about the house on Balsam street south where Phyllis was born. Mrs. Simms was wearing a smart black crepe dress trimmed with turquoise and black sequin.

Mrs. Jim Purdie always manages to surprise her friends by appearing in something that is just-a-little-different. For the wedding on Tuesday she wore a very smart grey outfit, the highlight of which was the hat with two tall red wings soaring up from either side which gave her the appearance of being all set to "take-off".

Greeting Councillor "Bill" Roberts, who was making his first public appearance in Timmins since his return from London Sanatorium, we were pleased to note how much better and more rested he looked. While in Toronto, following his discharge from the San. Councillor Roberts received an invitation from Mayor Saunders of Toronto to attend a civic reception and banquet in the King Edward Hotel which was held in honor of Field Marshall Montgomery. Councillor Roberts had an opportunity of talking with the popular "Monty" and found him to be as we would expect, a strong personality and a fine soldier.

Chatting with Mrs. E. H. King, who was wearing a swish black hat that looked most becoming over her lovely white hair, we learned that her daughter Patricia was terribly disappointed at not being able to attend the wedding as she and Phyllis are very close, lifelong friends. Patricia is now the mother of a bonny young boy named Arthur who will be one year old next Sunday. Mrs. King also told us that she had her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, and their son Larry visiting her. John will be remembered by many readers as he attended school here prior to his enlistment in the R.C.N.V.R.



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DROPPED BETWEEN STITCHES, Cont'd

Also noticed among the guests were Mrs. J. E. Newton and son Kevan, former residents of Timmins, who have been spending a holiday in town, visiting friends and renewing acquaintances. They overstayed their visit to attend the wedding.

There is something very warm-hearted and loyal about the people from South Porcupine and the Dome. They seem to watch their young people grow up, choose their life partners and marry, with the kind of personal interest not to be found elsewhere. The very very beautiful gifts from these grand people were an indication of the esteem in which Ron and his family are held by their many friends and relatives at the Dome. Guests attending the wedding from the Dome and South Porcupine were: Mrs. R. E. Dye, Mr. and Mrs. Kemsley, Mrs. C. H. Libby, Mrs. B. Webb, Mrs. G. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. A. Yeomans, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. F. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. A. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Andrews, Mrs. Gordon Cross and Mrs. Camsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Baker, attending the reception, were also among the folk we noted who do not appear to show the passing of time. One can hardly realize they are the grandparents of two husky youngsters, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hawkins.

The Canadian Young People's Club, sponsored by The British Isles Victory Club, will be holding a dance on Saturday, September 14th, in the Hollinger Hall. All interested young people are invited to attend.

The Porcupine Music Teachers Association met recently to discuss and plan their winter activities. Music lovers in the district are looking forward to hearing some more of the fine recitals similar to those presented in the past by this very active group of musicians. Can we look forward to hearing Mr. Reginald Geen and the New Liskeard Girls' Choir again this season?

Last Sunday evening the Youth Welfare Council held a rally in the Empire theatre. Although the meeting was not scheduled to commence until 8:30 p.m., the theatre was crowded to capacity at 7:45 p.m. and it is estimated that approximately 600 young people were turned away owing to lack of accommodation.

A teen-ager who happened to be among the latter group was telling us of her disappointment and when asked what she did to fill in the remainder of the evening she replied that she and a group of her friends visited around in several restaurants until it was time to go home. Neither a profitable or elevating pastime for the youth of a town which prides itself on being modern and progressive.

In the course of a conversation with Miss Lois Kelly of the Porcupine Health Unit we heard that there has been a substantial increase in the number of new students enrolled in our schools this term. They will grow up to be teen-agers and future citizens -- no one need worry that money expended on a building to house these and our present generation of young people, during their leisure hours will be wasted. Healthful sport and clean recreation are far more conducive to good citizenship than wasted hours in restaurants.

The cleaning and redecorating of the interior and exterior of the Church of the Nativity is completed. The interior looks completely rejuvenated with its fresh, pale green coat of paint. We now hear a rumor that some ambitious person has suggested the idea of raising funds to install a pipe organ in the church.

The parishoners of Sacred Heart Church must be very proud of their new Hammond Electric organ which was donated by Mrs. Bardesson in memory of her husband, the late Pete

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CATHERINE LANG MARRIES IN OTTAWA

Miss Catherine Jane Lang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson Lang, became the bride of Frank C. Harrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harrington of Saint John, N.B., in a lovely ceremony conducted recently in St. George's Church, Ottawa West.

Rev. John Harrington of St. Alphonse's Seminary, Woodstock, Ont., brother of the groom, performed the ceremony.

Miss Jean Murtagh of Montreal attended the bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. Henry Page.

Mr. Frank J. Graham, cousin of the groom, was best man and Mr. William Draper was usher.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page and the bride and groom left on a motor trip to the New England States and the Maritime Provinces. The bride travelled in a suit of dark raspberry wool with black accessories.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. A. Wilson Lang, Timmins; Miss Gertrude Behan, Pembroke; Mrs. C. Delahunt, and Mr. D. Delahunt Timmins; Mrs. W. J. Harrington, Saint John; Mrs. G. A. McGillivray, Montreal.

Bardesson.

Heard a heated discussion in the back printing office the other day. Apparently Earl is a devotee of Stephen Foster melodies with some boogie woogie and jive to add a little variety. Quoth Earl: "I ain't no highbrow". Lawrence prefers what Earl disdainfully refers to as "horse opera" which, translated, means cowboy songs. Both adhered to their point that their own particular choice was the best. One point on which both agreed was that "soap operas" were

That just about ended the first period of music appreciation hour!

The Past Matron's Club of Arbutus Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will hold a meeting tomorrow (Friday) evening at the home of Mrs. Malcolm McMillan, McIntyre Property, Schumacher.

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Harvest Thanksgiving services were conducted in St. Matthew's Anglican Church last Sunday. The church was most appropriately and artistically decorated and the choir boys were present which marked their first appearance since the summer recess.

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Charles Cushing who recently took their marriage vows in a quiet ceremony at St. Matthew's Anglican Church.

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HARGREAVES-CUSHING WEDDING

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Lois Skelly presided at the organ while Canon Cushing conducted the ceremony against a background of gladioli.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attired in a dress of light navy with black accessories and she wore a corsage of Talmisan roses.

Mrs. A. Davey attended the bride at matron of honor and she wore a navy blue suit, black accessories and a corsage of roses.

Mr. William Mitchell, uncle of the groom, was best man.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother following the ceremony.

Prior to her marriage the bride was entertained by Mrs. Wm. Patterson, Miss Bunny Bailey, Miss Madge Webb, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Martin.

LADIES GUILD HAS THANKSGIVING TEA

The ladies of St. Matthew's Anglican Church Guild held their Annual Thanksgiving tea yesterday afternoon in the church hall, which was tastefully decorated with summer flowers.

Mrs. F. Melville, president of the Guild, greeted the guests upon their arrival.

The work table on which was displayed attractive and useful articles was convoked by Mrs. T. Glaister and Mrs. J. Knell.

Mrs. J. Webb, Mrs. H. Gridley and Mrs. F. Read, who presided at the bake table, had little chance to display their home made delicacies as the baked goods were sold just as fast as they arrived.

The tea tables were covered with white linen cloths and centred with vases of sweet peas, and were convoked by Mrs. P. Reid, assisted by Mrs. R. Jackson, Mrs. E. Lawry, Mrs. C. Lacy, Mrs. J. Thomas, Mrs. T. Everly and Miss Elsie Hawkins.

Busy as bees in the kitchen were Mrs. Walter Kevan, Mrs. B. Richards, Mrs. L. Mason, Mrs. L. Nicholson and Mrs. C. Rodda.

A large number of ladies attended the tea which was voted a decided success.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. P. Lawrence and Miss M. Lawrence of North Bay are visiting at the home of Mrs. Lawrence's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Chenier, Patricia Blvd.

Roy Jenkin of 114 Tamarack St., left on Sunday for North Bay where he will attend Normal School.

Moirs Larmer commenced her first year of study at St. Joseph's College, North Bay, last Monday.

Lucy Leach, Elinor Burke and Mary Thomson are attending Toronto Conservatory, where they will study for their A.T.C.M. All three young ladies are former students of Mr. George Jenkin, having completed their Tenth Grade in Harmony and History with Mr. Jenkin, prior to leaving for Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Young, and Miss Florence Farr have returned from an extended motor trip through the United States during which they visited Yellowstone Park.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Renison, M.A. D.D., Bishop of the Diocese of Moosonee, is attending the General Synod of the Church of England in Canada which is being held in Winnipeg.

Mr. S. A. Caldwell, K.C. Chancellor of the Diocese, returned from Winnipeg on Sunday after attending the General Synod being held in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webber returned last weekend from a three week's vacation spent in Bala and Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Osborn and daughter Ruth returned on Sunday from Winnipeg where they attended the funeral of Mr. Osborn's mother last Friday.

Mrs. Harry Bates, Toke Street, returned last weekend from her vacation in Toronto and Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hogarth returned to Kingston yesterday, where Don will resume his studies at Queen's University.

Mrs. L. J. King and daughter Eve sailed from Halifax last Saturday on Board the liner Aquitania. They will make their home in London.

Mrs. C. Jardine, motored to Toronto where they attended the Grand Chapter sessions of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Miss Kay MacInnis left by car yesterday for Toronto where she will be employed.

Geoffrey Caldwell left on Monday for Port Hope, where he will resume his studies at Trinity College School.

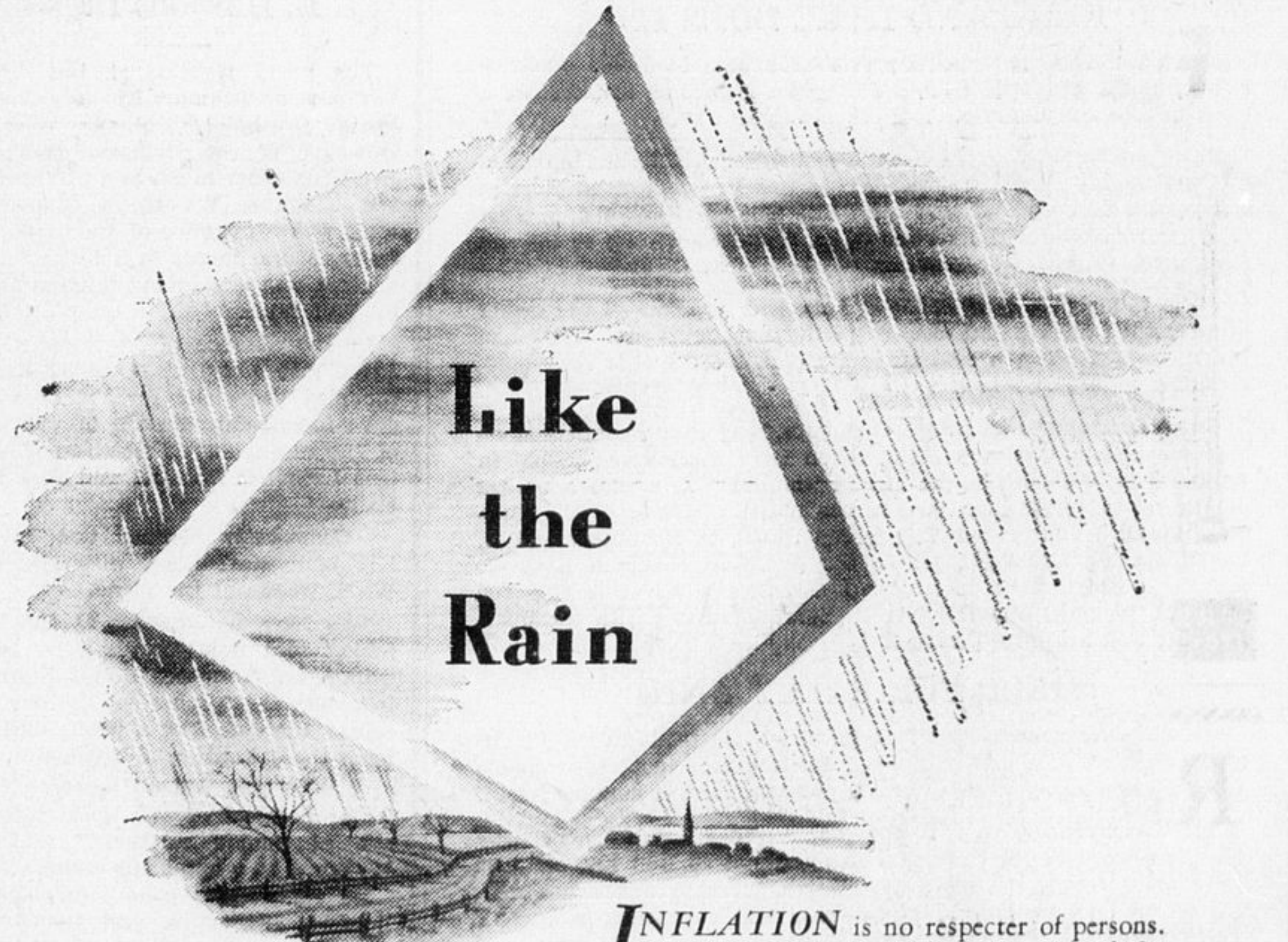
Corinne Haystead is attending Normal School, North Bay. She left Timmins last week end to commence her studies there.

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