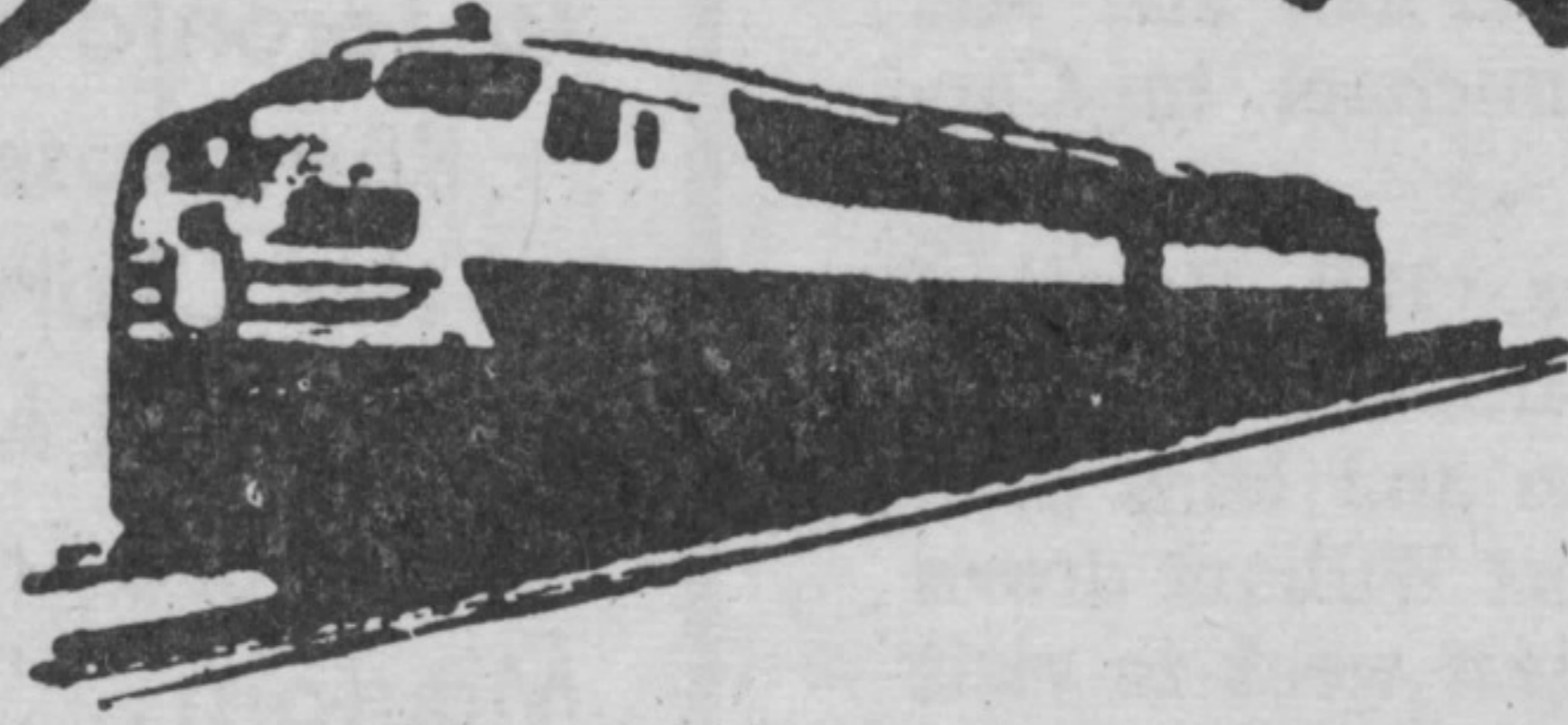


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Varied Cakes Record Life's Major Events

Mrs. Jack Corbett might well be called the Queen of Hearts in Schreiber since few are the brides whose wedding cake has not been one of her confections.

Not only are the cakes made for local customers, but for brides in the Lakehead, Vancouver, Toronto, the Maritimes, and one to England.

"Louie" as she is known to everyone in Schreiber, makes not only the traditional many-tiered wedding cakes, but equally beautiful and luscious, the many small ones which grace tea tables and rival any produced by professional caterers.

Twice the first prize in the Canadian Lakehead Exhibition has been won by Louie's cakes.

The changes in toppings for wedding cakes during the past 50 years are well recorded in pictures of Louie's cakes from

an imitation frosting form to plastic, and more recently, satin and other fabrics, and of course the real flower decoration which still remains the favorite of many.

For those who cling to tradition, the decoration used on mother's or grandmother's cake can be cleverly refurbished to do service again.

During vacations, Mr. Corbett never is alarmed when his wife disappears. He simply follows his nose to the nearest bakery where she will be found studying new designs in cakes.

Louie's cakes form a delightful record in community life — first the wedding cake, then christening cake, the various anniversary cakes, and in recent years, new retirement cakes for the men of the railroad.

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SURPRISE PARTY ARRANGED FOR MRS. PARCHEM

Mrs. A.R. Parchem was given a surprise farewell party by members of the Women's Auxiliary and the Evening Group of St. John's Anglican Church who met in her home Thursday evening.

On behalf of the W.A., Mrs. J. Corbett presented a decorative swan in Canadian Pottery and from the evening group Mrs. Richard Spicer presented matching smaller swans. Mrs. Spicer also presented a personal gift, revealing herself as Mrs. Parchem's 'unknown friend' in the Rebekah Lodge. Mr. Parchem showed films taken on holidays in western Canada and at various spots in eastern Ontario.

A cold plate lunch was served to end the pleasant occasion.

BRIDE-ELECT FETED

Miss Bonnie Gordon, whose marriage to Victor Costa takes place on July 25th was honored by her friends at a shower tea arranged in the Guild Hall on July 15. Hostesses were Mesdames Dominic Figliomeni, Tony Speziale, Bill Miller and Miss Frances Speziale.

Receiving with Miss Gordon were her mother, Miss Frances Speziale and Mrs. Jas. Costa, her fiancee's sister-in-law. Servitors were the Misses Teresa and Rosa Speziale, Cathy O'Brien, Crystal Kusik, Brenda Lideak, Sharon Weeb, Brenda Duncan and Mrs. Scott Skinner.

Mrs. Larry Parchem attended the guest book and Mrs. T. Speziale the gift table. Tea was poured by

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LONG-TIME RESIDENT SUCCUMBS

The funeral of the late Mrs. Olga Pelto, whose death occurred in hospital on July 15th was conducted in St. Andrew's United Church on July 15 by Rev. Fraser Muldrew.

Jack Gordon was Organist and the hymns chosen were 'Breathe On me Breath of God' and 'Abide With Me'. Honorary pallbearers were Edward Lawson, Manuel McCouan and Baptiste Fournier and active pallbearers were Wallace Richardson, Edward Singleton, David McLellan, Wallace McCouan, Tom Lawson and Ray Neimi. Interment was in Schreiber Cemetery.

Mrs. Pelto was pre-deceased by her husband, John, in 1959 and by two sons, Eino and Bill.

Immediate survivors are, two daughters, Lila, Mrs. F. Korpela of Sudbury and Lillian, Mrs. John Parent of Schreiber and three sons, Sulo and John of Schreiber and Uno of Fort William.

Mrs. Pelto, who was 75 years old, was born in Finland, coming to Schreiber in 1907 and had lived here since.

Attending the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Korpela and Miss Linda Korpela of Sudbury; Jack Korpela of Toronto; Uno Pelto of Fort William; Mr. and Mrs. George Lehto and Miss Doris Lehto of Terrace Bay.

OLD FRIENDS HOLD RE-UNION

It was a brief but happy re-union for two old Navy friends this week when a former Service Chum whom R.T. (Coke) Campbell has not seen since 1943 looked him up.

As he neared Schreiber the friend suddenly recalled it was Mr. Campbell's home town but the only name he could remember was "Coke". He inquired and found, to his surprise, that "Coke" is the name everyone here uses. During the visit Coke was pleased to hear that his chum had been chief telegrapher on the destroyer escort for the Britannia when The Queen was in Canada. It was Coke who first taught him his trade.

DIANE VERDONI GOES TO MOSCOW

Miss Diane Verdoni, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Verdoni, has gone to Moscow where she will be employed on the clerical staff of the Canadian Embassy. Miss Verdoni's interest in government affairs began some years ago when she was sent to Inuvik by the Dept. of Health and Welfare. On her return to Ottawa she went into the External Affairs Dept.