

Social and Personal News of the Day

Group of Hostesses Arrange Shower For Georgina Carson

In honor of Miss Georgina Carson, bride-elect of this month, a shower was held Friday evening by Misses D. and E. Fuller, R. McCulloch and E. Robinson at the home of Miss Robinson, 25, The Wakefield. The invited guests numbered twenty. Mrs. J. A. Brandon, aunt of Miss Carson, presided over the tea table, which was decorated with pink and white streamers and ivory tapers. A presentation of crystal was made to the guest of honor.

MRS. Eileen Govan, Cordova street, will be hostess at a trousseau tea, Thursday evening, in honor of her daughter, Miss Helen Govan, whose marriage to Flying Officer Richard Carlton Stovel will take place Saturday.

Dr. Ann Stewart arrived Saturday morning from New York to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. M. Stewart, Stradbrooke avenue.

In honor of Miss E. May Smith, bride-elect of December, Mrs. J. O. Smith entertained at a shower Tuesday at the home of Mrs. George Cutting, 439 Banning street. The presentation was made by Miss Joyce Cutting. Guests numbered 21.

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Quarters Are Found For 764 By Y.W.C.A. Rooms Registry

WITH 764 persons placed between October and December, and 473 homes still registered at the Y.W.C.A. alone, housing in Winnipeg has been considerably helped during the past two months, according to reports of the rooms registry department of the Y.W.C.A. service committee. This department is under the convenship of Mrs. Alfred Brown.

During this period, the Y.W.C.A. has placed 594 persons in 347 homes. Of this number 162 were civilians, the remaining 432 being relatives of men of the three armed forces. The Y.M.C.A. has placed 134 men over week-ends as transient guests and the Airmen's club has placed 36 men. This does not include all the hospitality provided by Winnipeg citizens through the Central Volunteer bureau, but is a report

of placements in paying guest homes alone.

The need at present, according to the rooms registry department, is for homes which will take in guests who can do light housekeeping on a two-burner plate or range, and also homes for families with children. Miss Irene McMillan, at the Y.W.C.A., is registrar.

Of the 473 homes now registered at the Y.W.C.A., visits have been made to 316, to obtain descriptions of the rooms and services available, by the volunteer committee.

Two Brides-elect Share Guest Honors At Y. W. Luncheon

In honor of Miss Alison Preston and Miss Mae Smith, brides-elect of December 24, the staff of the Y.W.C.A. entertained at luncheon Thursday. The table was decorated with a miniature bride scene and cellophane bells. Miss Mary Eadie, general secretary and Mrs. Charlotte Pearson proposed the toast to the honor guests. A silver and crystal compote was presented to each guest by Mrs. Marion Edmondson and Miss Caroline Wood. Mrs. Lillian Welch McKay led carol singing. Members of the Y.W.C.A. specialized service training class, under Miss Nora Cherry, served luncheon. The guests were: Misses Smith and Preston, Mrs. C. M. Pearson, Mrs. Lillian McKay, Mrs. Norman Young, Mrs. Elsie Patterson, Mrs. Marion Edmondson, Mrs. E. B. Wright, Mrs. T. R. Walker, Mrs. D. Kavanagh, Mrs. R. Blundell and the Misses Mary Eadie, Mamie Paynter, Betty Browne, Irene McMillan, Nora Cherry, Ruth Raver, Lucille Syme, Georgina Jensen, Kay McPherson, Maxine Brownlee and Carolyn Wood.

In honor of Miss Elsie Stewart, the Business Girls' Camera club held a no-hostess handkerchief shower Thursday evening at the home of Miss Audrey Bartlett, Cornwall apartments.

Bridegroom-elect Given Kitchen Shower By Business Friends

Misses Margaret Scullion, Bea Ross and Ruth Thompson were joint hostesses Friday evening, entertaining at a kitchenware and gadget shower, at Miss Thompson's residence on Kylemore avenue, in honor of Mr. Bud Horton, whose marriage to Miss Molly Moscarella will take place in December. An attractive arrangement of china and glassware centred the tea table. The guests who numbered 39 were business associates of the honored guest.

Engagements

MRS. R. McCarthy, of Port Arthur, Ont., announces the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Doherty, to Mr. Robert Johnson Cameron, of Port William, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Alexander Cameron, Winnipeg, the wedding to take place December 26.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Thompson, of Oak River, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean, to Mr. Robert Albert O'Dowda, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. C. O'Dowda, of Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Coombes, 1122 Ridgeway street, Port William, Ont., announce the engagement of their daughter, Phyllis Irene, to Mr. Arthur Morell Ford, son of Mrs. Ford and the late Mr. J. W. Ford, of Winnipeg, the marriage to take place in Port William the latter part of December.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Farrell, of Brandon, Man., announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Dorcia, to Mr. William Thomas Burke, elder son of Mrs. Burke and the late Mr. T. F. Burke, of St. Louis, Missouri, the wedding to take place quietly the latter part of December.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Slater announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Fanny Hamilton, to Leading Aircraftman Douglas Francis Gibbs, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Gibbs, of Sturgeon Creek, the wedding to take place at St. Andrew's church, Dec. 20.

Lieutenant-Governor Plans Twin Dinners For Legislators

THE Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. R. F. McWilliams will entertain veteran members of the legislature at dinner Tuesday and Wednesday, at Government House. Tuesday the guests will be Hon. John Bracken, Hon. Dr. L. Campbell, Hon. St. J. Farmer, Messrs. W. J. Breakley, N. V. Bachinsky, W. H. Mooney, N. A. Hryhorczuk, W. W. Wilson. Wednesday, the guests will be Hon. S. S. Garson, Hon. William Morton, Hon. James McLenaghan, Dr. E. J. Rutledge, Dr. J. A. Munn, Messrs. D. M. MacCarthy, S. Sigfusson and A. Boivin.

FLIGHT-LIEUT. Edward H. Sharpe and Mrs. Sharpe, with their son, Gary, arrived from Toronto, Sunday morning, to be the guests of Mrs. Sharpe's mother, Mrs. G. A. Broadbent.

Miss Edris Seale, who has been taking a post-graduate course in New York, will return to her home in Winnipeg for the Christmas season.

Dr. and Mrs. John Joseph Elliott, of Lewistown, Mont., will arrive, shortly, to spend Christmas with Dr. Elliott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Elliott, 179 Ash street.

Miss Maxine Newlin will be a hostess Monday evening at a shower for Miss Helen Govan, whose marriage will take place later this month.

MRS. Ralph Hendershot, with her baby daughter, Alice Neville, will arrive shortly to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Hamilton, McMillan avenue.

Hostesses Arrange Pre-Bridal Party For Agnes Colvin

Combining their hospitalities, Mrs. F. Hawkins and Mrs. S. F. Stevens entertained at the home of the latter in North Kildonan Thursday evening in honor of Miss Agnes M. Colvin, whose marriage to Mr. Leonard Johnson will be an event of late December. A novel arrangement of a watering can decked with streamers carried out the colors of the navy. The tea table was centred with gaily decorated miniature Christmas trees, flanked by tall white tapers. A corsage of roses marked the guest of honor's place. She was presented with a coffee table. The guests numbered 20.

MISS Betty Vernon, Edith Johnson and Mary McKenzie entertained at a kitchen shower, Friday evening, at the home of Miss Vernon, 11 Sheridan apartments, in honor of Miss Iris Robbins, a bride-elect of next Saturday. Mrs. John Cuthbert presided at the supper table which was centred with a basket of pink and white chrysanthemums and lighted by pink tapers. Guests numbered 20.

Pease-Lee Vows Made Saturday

THE marriage of Nancy Roberta, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee, Elmwood, to Leading Aircraftman Stanley H. Pease, R.C.A.F., youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pease, Durham, England, took place Saturday evening at St. Matthew's church. Canon G. R. Calvert officiated.

The bride wore a dress of wedding blue crepe with navy and a corsage of pink roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Elsie Lee, who wore ming gold crepe with black. Her corsage was of American Beauty roses. Mr. James Matthews was best man. A reception followed at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Wm. Ashcroft, Magnus avenue.

The Highland association of Winnipeg held a whist drive and dance, Saturday evening, in the Majestic hotel. The following were the prize-winners at cards: Mrs. J. Hunter, R. Jack, W. MacDonald and Mrs. D. Bell. The next whist drive and dance will be held on January 10th.

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MISS SHERRIE HIMELFARB, from Chicago, Ill., is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Himelfarb, 257 Manitoba avenue, Winnipeg. She will return to Chicago early in January.

Edna Sutherland Is Guest of Honor At Studio Club

Miss Edna Sutherland was the guest of honor at the Roberto Wood Studio club Thursday evening. The programme was devoted to Christmas music. Miss Sutherland presented a one-act play, with a background of soft choral singing. Dr. Kenneth Neaby introduced the guest of honor, and a vote of thanks was extended to her by Mrs. T. Herbert Hancock. Miss Sutherland was presented with roses. A buffet supper was served.

In honor of Miss Joyce Wilson, a bride-elect of this month, a number of friends entertained at the home of Mrs. E. B. McKenzie, Cunningham avenue. A gift was presented to Miss Wilson. The supper table was centred with a silver bowl of yellow and mauve pompons offset with matching tapers and streamers. Mrs. Stuart Wilson presided.

MISS Jean Vinson entertained at luncheon Saturday, at the Winnipeg Winter club, in honor of Miss Helen Govan, a bride-elect of December 20.

Miss Gwen Yates will entertain at a shower, Wednesday, in honor of Miss Helen Govan, bride-elect of Flying Officer Richard Carlton Stovel.

MISS Cecilia Panaro, 201 Gardfield street, entertained at a miscellaneous shower, Friday evening, in honor of Miss Agnes Forsberg, whose marriage to Mr. John Molloy will take place in mid-December. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of yellow sweetheart roses. There were 18 guests.

Miss Georgina Halliday left Thursday evening for Toronto where she will go in training in the Canadian Women's Air Force.

Puffin Club Plans Christmas Party

The Puffin Ski club will entertain Wednesday evening at a Christmas tree party and fashion show in the clubhouse. Members of the Winnipeg and Viking Ski clubs and a group of fair force men from No. 3 Wireless school will be guests.

Miss Beverley Latter, social convener of the club, is in charge of arrangements. Miss Patricia Whiting will be commentator for the style show. The models, who are club members, will include Misses Patricia Miller, Kay Boyd, Edna White, Shona Beham, Beverley Latter and Celeste Smith. The guests will be received by members of the executive and six hostesses for the evening who are Mrs. A. Cammell, Misses Phyllis Sara, Mary Ruttan, Bernice Josie, Jean McGeachy and Helen Bell. The Christmas tree party will commence at 8.30 p.m. and the fashion show at 9.30 p.m.

St. Mark's W.A. Reviews Year

St. Mark's Senior Woman's auxiliary held its annual meeting and election of officers Wednesday, Rev. L. Swallow presiding. Reports from the various officers were encouraging, progress having been made in all departments.

The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Mrs. L. Swallow; second honorary president, Mrs. W. Rolleston; president, Mrs. K. MacQuarrie; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. W. Mitchell and Mrs. W. Rutherford; first vice-president, Mrs. A. Lloyd Clark; second vice-president, Mrs. O. Keenan; third vice-president, Mrs. R. E. Hewitt; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. Staines; treasurer, Mrs. A. Harlan; recording secretary, Mrs. L. J. Sutton; doctress secretary, Mrs. C. Huffman; educational, Mrs. G. Graham; thank-offering and associate members, Mrs. A. Scott; Living Message, Mrs. H. Holland; prayer partner, Mrs. J. Melbourne; Little Helper, Miss S. M. Cox; social service, Mrs. G. Hamblin; Red Cross, Mrs. R. E. Hewitt; properties, Mrs. G. Johnston; kitchen, Mrs. J. Wiseman; Girls' W.A., Mrs. J. Wood; Junior W.A., Mrs. L. Swallow; Junior C.B.L., Mrs. W. Bardsley; delegates to annual diocesan meeting, Mrs. R. E. Hewitt, Mrs. A. Scott and Mrs. L. J. Sutton; delegates to diocesan board, Mrs. G. Ferguson and Mrs. G. Pink; sewing, Mrs. W. Mitchell.

The 13th Battery Ladies' auxiliary will hold a Christmas party for the children of the men of the battery, Friday, at 8 p.m., in the Salvation Army hut, Main street. Mrs. W. Rushworth, 848 Sherburn street, is in charge of the list of children's names.

Mrs. G. Manning, 168 Lenore street, assisted by Mrs. E. Campbell, Mrs. B. Bradley, Mrs. G. Fairbairn and Mrs. A. Scott were hostesses to the ladies of St. James Park Lawn Bowling club Thursday. There were four tables of bridge and prizes were presented to Mrs.

Helen Price Weds In East Saturday

Montreal, Dec. 14. (CP)—Helen Price, daughter of Major-Gen. C. B. Price, commander of the third Canadian division overseas, and of Mrs. Price, of Westmount, Que., was married Saturday, to 2nd Lieut. Giles Perodeau, Royal Montreal regiment, son of the late Horace Perodeau and of Mrs. Perodeau, of Montreal, in St. Mathias church, Westmount. Sqdn. Leader Canon Gilbert Oliver officiated.

St. Jude's Women's union, Tuesday, 2.30 p.m., in parish hall.

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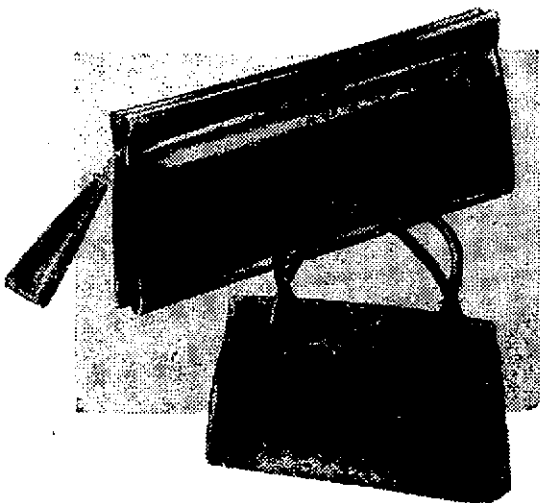
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