

Service Clubs To Stage Shows

Rotarians and Gyros are to get together in sponsoring a couple of special entertainments this spring.

One will take the form of a variety concert some Sunday night in the Capitol Theatre, the proceeds to be divided between the clubs for their community service funds. Plan is to specialize in talent coming from the ranks of the two clubs.

The other will be a minstrel show to be held about two months hence, the Gyros having agreed at their luncheon yesterday to co-operate in sponsoring the two night and matinee presentation to be held at the Civic Centre auditorium.

Discussion of these concerts and other matters occupied the Gyros at their monthly business luncheon yesterday with President Don Forward in the chair.

Biz-Pros Talk World Affairs

After dinner in the Civic Centre Dining Room, the Business and Professional Women's Club adjourned to the Ladies' Lounge for their monthly meeting.

Among Business and Professional Women's Clubs, February is set aside as International Month and a time for thinking of other Business and Professional Women's Clubs the world over. Accordingly at this month's meeting a message was read from Dame Caroline Haslett, D.B.E., president of the International Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, stressing the important part women in such an organization can play in maintaining world peace and bettering world conditions.

Mrs. Arnold, newly appointed Chairman of the United Nations Committee for the Canadian Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, read the Declaration of Human Rights.

One new member, Miss Mary Landry, was initiated.

Don Forward visited the club and requested aid in selling tickets in connection with the recital of Miss Virginia Davis, to be held March 29, 1951. The members decided they would do all they could to help make this event a financial success.

The meeting ended with the reading of a play and the decision to put an entry in this year's Music and Drama Festival.

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Cambrai Chapter— Mrs. McLean New Regent

Nineteenth annual meeting of Cambrai Chapter, Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. G. G. Withers.

Various reports were read. The Chapter had a very active year. 15 parcels were shipped overseas; knitted garments were also sent to "Provincial" for overseas shipment. Hampers and gifts were distributed to several families at Christmas.

Officers for 1951 were elected as follows:

Regent—Mrs. G. C. McLean
First Vice-Regent—Mrs. M. Van Cooten
Second Vice-Regent—Mrs. C. P. Lyons
Secretary—Mrs. C. Stokoe
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. M. Gormely

Treasurer—Mrs. L. Griffiths
Educational Secretary—Mrs. W. A. McBroom.
Echoes Secretary—Mrs. C. G. Ham

Standard Bearer—Mrs. A. Bill. The monthly raffle was won by Mrs. C. G. Ham. The Chapter's birthday will be celebrated March 3 in the form of a dinner dance.

Mrs. G. G. Withers, retiring regent, was presented with a pair of beautiful crystal candle holders with sterling silver overlay.

Stewart Moose Ladies Visit

At a regular meeting of the Women of the Moose, with Mrs. F. Parette in the chair, two visitors from the Portland Canal Lodge were welcomed.

One application for membership was accepted.

A satisfactory report was read by Mrs. C. McIntyre on the tea held by the Hospital Guild committee. Plans were again discussed for the spring bazaar.

Mrs. R. B. Skinner is to be the delegate to the Women's Coordinating Council.

Bishop Speaks on Lenten Subject

The Lenten theme was the subject of an address by Rt. Rev. James B. Gibson of Caledonia, in speaking before the Prince Rupert Rotary Club at today's weekly luncheon. Douglas Frizell and Jack Mussallem were received as new members. President A. B. Brown was in the chair.

Social

Ladies' Orange Lodge Meeting

More Families But Smaller

Mrs. W. Thomson, worthy mistress, presided over a regular meeting of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association which was held in the Oddfellows' Hall and at which further plans were made for the spring tea and sale to be held March 21. A new application for membership was approved and the initiation will be held February 22. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

IOOE Founders Day Tea-Sale

Municipal Chapter, Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, held a very successful Founders' Day tea Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Thornton, 4th Avenue West. Receiving many callers was Mrs. G. R. S. Blackaby, Municipal regent.

The tea table was set with a hand-crocheted table cloth of red, white and blue with accessories of flowers and tapers.

Pouring were Mrs. C. H. Elkins, charter member of the Municipal Chapter; Mrs. D. C. Stuart and Mrs. J. P. Cade, two first members of Queen Mary Chapter; Mrs. T. W. Brown, a first member of the Cambrai Chapter; Mrs. D. H. Stewart, charter member of the Duchess of Edinburgh Chapter, and Mrs. George Mitchell, only charter member of Cambrai Chapter left in Prince Rupert.

Servitors were Mrs. G. E. Moore, Mrs. H. A. Breen, Mrs. J. M. E. Van Cooten, Mrs. R. W. Whidden, Mrs. A. C. Gillis and Mrs. E. Barton. Homecoming table was in charge of Mrs. W. J. Lineham, Mrs. J. Moran and Mrs. McDonald.

Cashier was Mrs. J. A. Teng. Mrs. Blackaby was general convener, assisted by Mrs. G. G. Withers, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Breen.

Scholarship Is Available

A Booth Memorial High School graduate student in Grade XI or XII again this year can become eligible for a \$100 scholarship. Municipal Chapter, IOOE, announces.

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1951 Census Will Reveal Interesting Facts

OTTAWA.—Changes in the number and average size of Canadian families will be revealed by the ninth decennial census of Canada, to be taken in June this year. During the 10 years from 1931 to 1941 the average number of children per family decreased. Since 1941 the number of families has risen far more than during the 1930's but it is probable that the average number of children per family has decreased further in spite of a marked increase in the birth rate. Exactly how much each has changed will be shown by the 1951 census.

The 1931 census enumerated 2,149,000 families, while at the 1941 census 2,525,000 were recorded, an increase of 17.5 per cent. Judging by estimates for years since 1941, the 1951 census will show a still larger proportionate, as well as numerical, increase over 1941. The estimated number of families in June, 1949, the latest date for which such an estimate is available, was 3,187,000, an increase of over 26 per cent since 1941.

Regarding the factors in family formation, there has been an average of 106,800 marriages yearly over the period 1941-49 of persons marrying for the first time, while in the period 1931-40 the yearly average was 75,200. There has also been a considerable immigration of families into Canada since the Second World War.

In 1931 there were 4,965,000 children in families, an average of 2.3 per family. In 1941 the number was up to 5,200,000, but

This Comedy Is Different

A different type of comedy, the picture "Francis," coming to the Capitol Theatre this Friday and Saturday night, deals with an Army mule which carries Donald O'Connor, an Army lieutenant, to safety when the young officer gets lost from his command and is wounded by Jap gunfire in the Burma jungle.

The mule, according to the hilarious story, takes a liking to Donald and tips him off to Jap planes several times, resulting in Donald becoming a hero. But each time he explains that the mule tipped him off, the lieutenant is tossed into the psych ward. Patricia Medina is a pretty spy with whom Donald nearly falls in love but who is arrested before things go too far. Then the war ends and Donald and his mule live happily together.

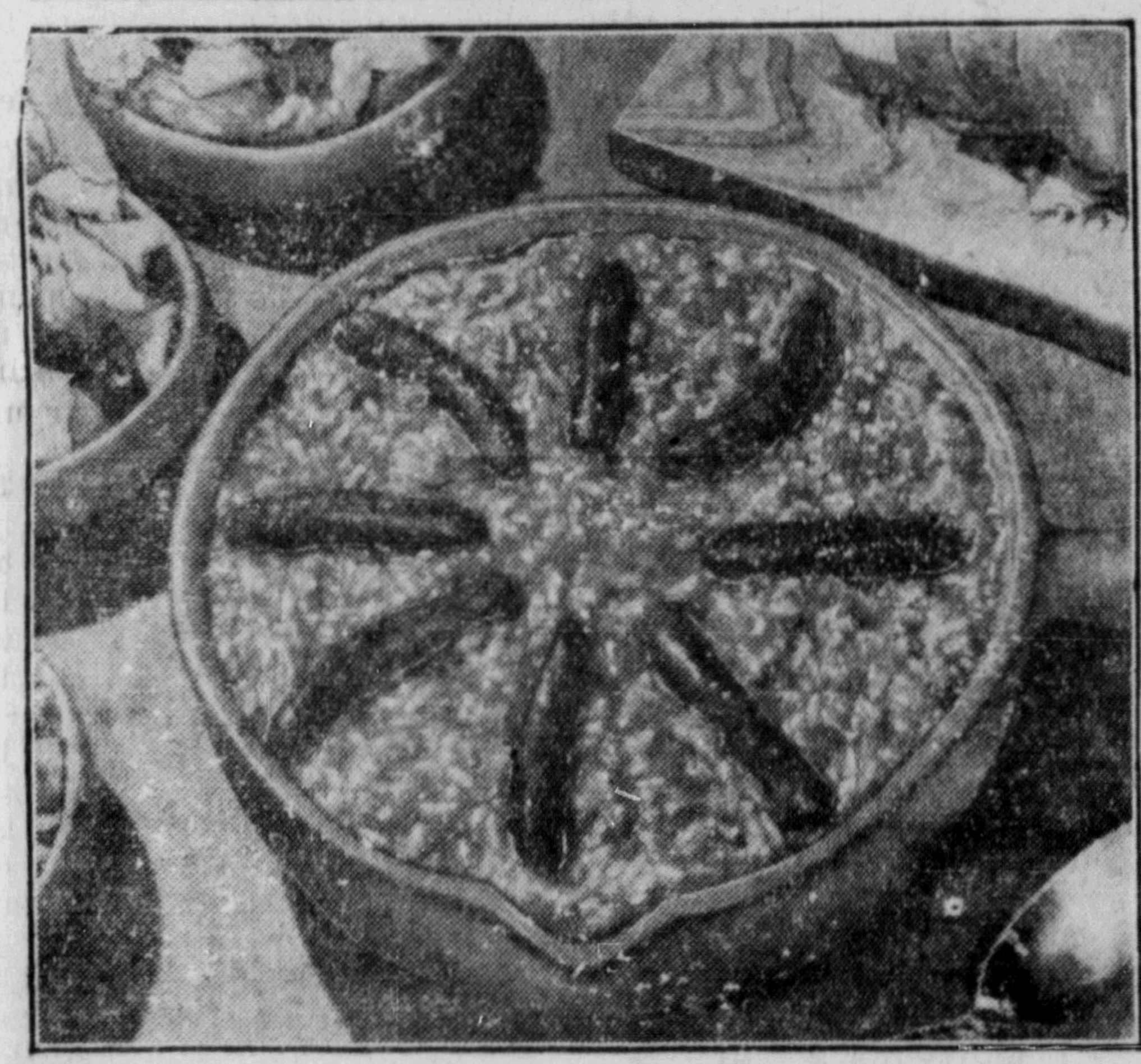
Zazu Pitts is her old laughable self as an Army nurse, Ray Collins is a comical colonel and John McIntire is a general.

The average per family was down to 2.1 children. The reduced 1941 average reflects the lower birth rate of the 1930's, the average birth rate for this period being 20.9 per 1000 of the population as compared with 24.1 for 1900 over the period 1926-30.

Since the 1930's the birth rate has risen; for the period 1941-48 the yearly average was 24.9 per 1000. However, the increase in the 1940's was due largely to the increase in marriages and, consequently, in first and second births, and not to a relative increase in the birth, say, of fourth, fifth and later children. Accordingly, while the 1951 census will show a considerably larger number of both children in families and of families with children, the average number of children per family is not likely to exceed the average for 1941.

The famous "Long Room" of the Customs House at London, England, is 100 feet long.

Sausage-Tomato Scallop



AN OVEN-SUPPER dish to fit nicely with your hurried winter schedule is this: Rice baked in condensed tomato soup and topped with well-browned little sausages.

The soup gives a good moistness to the rice. And there's flavor aplenty from the smooth tomato sauce, savory sausage, and onion. You'll dish it all up in no time, once the family gets a taste of this combination.

Sausage-Tomato Scallop

1/2 cup uncooked rice
1 can (1 1/2 cups) condensed tomato soup
1/2 cup water
2 tablespoons chopped green pepper
1/2 cup chopped onion
8 link sausage

Stir the rice into the soup and water which have been blended together in a casserole. Mix the chopped green pepper and onion through the soup-rice mixture. Bake 1 1/2 hours in a moderate oven (350°F.). After the first half hour of baking, stir up the rice in the soup; then place the pre-browned sausage

on top of the rice-soup mixture and bake for remaining time. Serves 4.

SOUP SCOOPS

Lunch In A Hurry: More than half the lunches prepared are "last minute" affairs, according to 3,100 homemakers who took part in a recent survey. And one popular quick lunch is big bowls of hot soup and a dessert. A good combination of this type is vegetable soup and apple pie.

Measuring Tip: There are 1 1/2 cups of soup in each can of the condensed soups. Keep this figure in mind when you're planning to serve soup to the family or guests.

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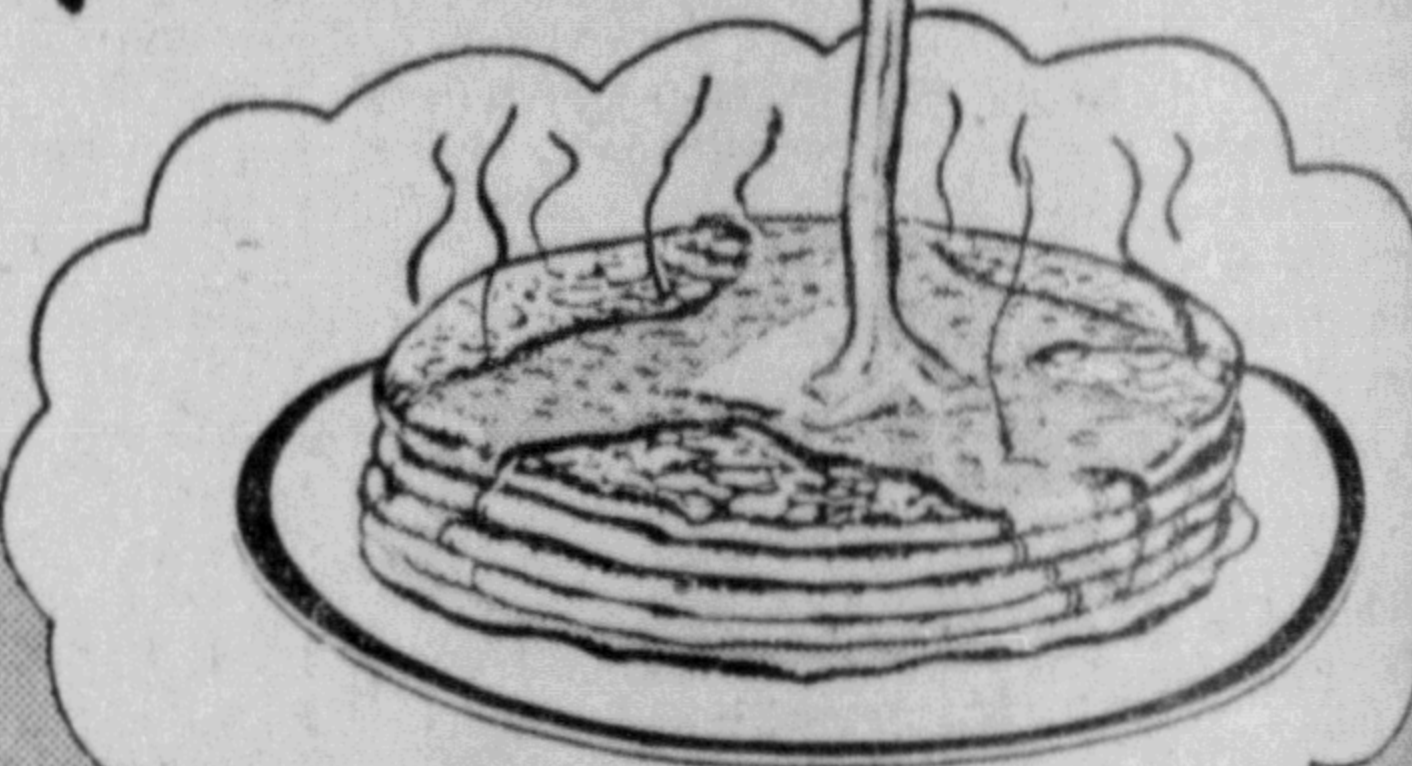
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