★ PERSONALS ★

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Murray and daughter Christina, 665 Eighth Avenue East, left today by car for a three-week holiday in Vancouver and Seattle. While away Mr. Murray will attend a hotel directors' meeting in Penticton.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fraser of Miller Bay Indian hospital left the city last week to attend the 1956 nurses' graduation exercises yesterday afternoon in Vancouver when their daughter Mary Lou Ford Fraser received her diploma.

John Johnson, 141 Fifth Ave. East, left this morning by Canadian Pacific Airlines plane for a two-week stay in Vancouver.

Mrs. J. T. Harvey, 619 Fourth Avenue East, left today by car for Vancouver where she will attend the University of British Columbia graduation exercises May 15 when her son Peter Harvey will receive his B.Sc. degree. Mrs. Harvey plans to return within two weeks time.

Mrs. N. A. Beketov, 855 Borden Street, left the city last night by train for Winnipeg where she will attend the 1956 nurses' graduation exercises of her daughter Nadia Beketov at the Winnipeg Children's hospital.

SUMMER HAZARD

The poison ivy substance that causes a rash may remain active on shoes or gloves for months.

New Matron Meets Public At Hospital Tea Tomorrow

Mrs. Josephine Kelly, RN, superintendent of nurses at the Prince Rupert General hospital will be formally introduced to the public tomorrow afternoon when Mrs. Richard Ayres, president of the Women's auxiliary to the Prince Rupert General hospital receives the guests at the auxiliary's "Hospital Day" tea from 2:30 to 5 in the Nurses' residence.

The tea is being held in commemoration of Florence Nightingale, presently being honored throughout Canada by "Hospital Week."

Mrs. C. G. Ham is convenor for the affair while presiding at the pouring table will be Mrs. R. E. Gladding, Mrs. Sidney Elkins, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald and Mrs. A. Bruce Brown.

Embroidered Fabrics, Prints Popular For Sewing at Home

By ISOBEL JORDAN GUYOT

TORONTO—For many women the big sewing project of the year is making a special spring into summer costume.

The exciting variety of embroidered fabrics and the wide range of small patterned prints are favourite choices among dress materials.

Embroidered or printed fabrics are excellent choices for the new unbroken line, say sewing stylists because the simplicity of the line makes it possible to centre interest on the design in the material.

Besides being new, the embroidered fabrics require special attention from the home dressmaker. They should be handled much like printed material with a few additional precautions. Here are some tips prepared by experts in local Singer sewing centres for getting the best results.

As with printed material, allow a little extra yardage for embroidered fabrics for matching the pattern. Centre the design down the front and back. Watch to see that the design is matched as closely as possible on the long seams. Check this detail carefully when laying out the pattern.

If darts fall on a heavily embroidered section of the design, eliminate bulk by snipping darts open and pressing them flat. When pressing use a steam iron and work over a turkish towel to avoid flattening the design. Place fabric on the towel with embroidered side down and press on the wrong side.

A final word. Most of the new embroidered fabrics, though fragile looking, are washable. Sewing is easier than average on the new silhouette since seams are few and finishing is simple.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Yvonne Kildal

Bride-elect Miss Yvonne Kildal was feted last Saturday night when hostess Mrs. Alek Bill staged a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Kildal's marriage tomorrow night to Daniel S. Bill in St. Paul's Lutheran church.

When she arrived at the home of Mrs. Bill on First Avenue West the guest of honor was seated in a chair decorated with pink streamers and presented a new-city corsage by the hostess.

Games played saw Mrs. Martin Berg and Mrs. Edward Olson receiving prizes.

The presentation of beautiful gifts, arranged in a decorated basket was the evening's highpoint. Miss Nellie Bill, on behalf of the guests, assisted her sister-in-law with the presentation.

Assisting with refreshments were Mrs. Glenn Olson and Mrs. Michael Munizaba.

Other invited guests were Mrs. Dorothy Bill, Mrs. C. R. Postuk, Mrs. N. J. Gurvich, Mrs. Steve Comadina, Mrs. Marko Yager, Mrs. Dragan Ingish, Mrs. George Pavich, Mrs. Vida Vuckovitch, Mrs. John Gurvich, Mrs. Ganka Penoff, Mrs. Giga Duncan, Mrs. Jan Dunbar, Mrs. Carl Olafson, Mrs. Eric Moore, Mrs. Edward Olson Jr., and Mrs. Jacqueline Northouse.

Ex-City Girl Wins Three Nursing Awards

A former city girl won three awards when she graduated from Royal jubilee hospital in Victoria in graduation exercises held there Sunday, it was learned here today.

She is Margaret Stephen Strachan, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Strachan, longtime former residents of this city now making their home in Victoria. Miss Strachan received an award for the highest rating in tuberculosis nursing given by the B.C. Tuberculosis Society, an award for proficiency in pediatric nursing given by the active staff of the department of pediatrics and a special prize for pediatric nursing donated by Dr. N. L. Gordiviss. Miss Strachan received all her education in Prince Rupert and prior to leaving to take her nurse's training was employed on the office staff of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-Operative Association.

Also graduating from Royal Jubilee hospital were Patricia Martin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Martin, 620 Seventh Ave. East and Margaret Claire Malcolm (nee Ritchie) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Don Ritchie, 1077 First Avenue West.

Three city nurses who were among the largest graduating class of nurses in the history of Vancouver General hospital received their diplomas yesterday at the Armory at the University of British Columbia. They were **Margaret Evelyn Giske**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Giske, 235 Fifth Avenue East and **Mary Lou Ford Fraser**, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fraser and **Heather MacKenzie Brewer**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Brewer, 730 Fourth Avenue East.

Geese Spotted

A large flock of low-flying geese were seen over the city this morning on their way north.

The flock, reported flying at a height of only 1,500 feet passed over the city directly above Third Avenue in a large wedge, estimated by observer D. G. Frizzell to contain more than 500 birds.

Noted Pianist Visiting City

Noted concert pianist Maxim Schapiro of San Francisco arrived in Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon for a two-day visit.

The Prince Rupert Concert association will entertain Mr. Shapiro tonight at a reception in the Civic Centre when he will renew acquaintances with old friends.

Mr. Schapiro leaves tomorrow for Kitimat.

Teen Talk

By SHANNON PALLANT

Our first Teen Council meeting on May 4 opened with the election of officers.

Bob Jensen was elected chairman; **Barbara Smith**, secretary; **Len Griffiths**, treasurer and Shannon Pallant, publicity officer.

It was brought to our attention that one of the town's 'teen groups' was not represented on our council. Alf Strand will be approached to fill the position.

Rusty Thain suggested it would be a good idea to have adult sponsors for our group. If you know of anyone who would like to do this kind of work and would be willing to give some of their free time for a worthy cause, please let one of us know.

Red Faulkner, former scout leader, has agreed to be one of the sponsors. Rod, also being a local radio announcer, is interested in starting a Radio club.

Don MacDonald will help organize an orchestra and anyone interested should give their name to **Alleyn Ritchie**.

Come on girls, get out your cottons! "We're going to have a **Spring Dance.**" It will be held in the Main Lounge on **Friday, May 11**, dancing to start at 9. **Freddy Lang** and his boys will provide the music. **The dance** is open to all at a **nominal fee.**

NAME SOUGHT

We had quite a time thinking of a name for this club so we decided to put up a suggestion box at the dance for this purpose. We don't want to call it 'Teen Town' because the last effort seemed to be a flop. Also it's been suggested that we try and keep the word 'teen' out of the name since it seems to be connected with so much crime lately. Put on your thinking caps! Have you anything to offer? The winner will receive a prize.

Are you all ready for the Teen Roadeo? It's open to all people who drive, between the ages of 16 and 21. The closing entry date is tomorrow, so if you're not enrolled pick up an entry form from either Bo-Me-Hi, Vernon Ciccone, the Personnel Department at Watson Island, or the Civic Centre. Awards will be given to the safest driver. This roadeo will be similar to the truck roadeos. All other information will be available at places stated above.

Teens! We need all the support we can get! Let's not let the adults win this Saturday's competition. Limber up those muscles we're not to be beaten again! Remember, Adults versus Teens this Saturday night.

Our next **Teen mass meeting** will be held **May 25**, so mark it on your calendar. In the meantime be thinking of some bright ideas for our future "Teen Room."

Don't forget the Hill-billy Hoedown Friday night at the Centre. Make it a night. See the Hoedown then go to the dance afterward. We want to make this dance a success.

Come, sign the registry and start this club in full swing. **Only you can do so!**

READERS

● BASEBALL DINNER

All sports fans are invited to attend the first annual pre-season dinner of the Prince Rupert Baseball Association to be held on Friday, May 11 at 6:30 p.m. at the Elks Hall. Guest speaker will be Dick Beddoes—Sports Columnist for Vancouver Sun. Tickets are limited and may be procured from Esquire Men's Wear, W. F. Stone's or members of Baseball executive. Deadline May 9.

P.R. Baseball Association. (109)

● Why wait in line? Buy your show tickets at the Grand Cafe. This week we have Barbecued Duck, Deep Fried Prawns, Wantun and Chicken. Phone orders Dial 3215. (109)

● S.O.N. Smorgasbord, Program and Dance, Legion Auditorium, Friday, May 11, 7:30 p.m. Everybody welcome. Tickets $3.50 available at the door. (110)

● L.O.B.A. Past Mistresses Tea, May 10 at home of Mrs. Vic Morrison, 1440 8th East, 3-5 p.m. (109)

● Mother's Day Cards and Gifts at Peter Pan Gift Shoppe. (109)

● FRIDAY, Annunciation Recreation Club, 8 o'clock. (110)

● Valhalla meeting, Thursday, May 10, 7:30 p.m. Bingo. (110)

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