





Prologue to Love

By MARTHA OSTENSO

CHAPTER I

For one of those minutes that are not reckoned as time, but rather as a curious vessel to hold experience...

shaking his shoulders as she smiled up at him. "Forgive me, child," he said.



"Your education is complete, I see," he laughed. Autumn laughed too, and ate another cake in one mouthful.

"That was what startled me when I saw you at the door. You are her image."

"He moved to the couch that faced the fireplace, seated himself, and clasped his hands between his knees."

"There's nothing wrong, my dear. It's just the surprise, I suppose. It has knocked me quite silly. How are you going out?"

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Lovely New Wash Prints Make It Fun to Sew for Children

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



With floral overprinting are catching the eye. Add wearableness to their prettiness and you will readily see why this fabric is so popular.

DOTING mothers that take pride in decking out little daughters at first hint of spring in refreshingly colorful prints, hurry up and take a look at the lovely materials just out.

Time was when buying cotton and other washable weaves was more or less a gamble.

It certainly is a grand and glorious feeling for mothers to know that the dress they have so painstakingly made will not prove a case of "leak at labor lost."

Then, too, little daughters come in for a share of good fortune in that no longer will they have to be submitted to the humiliating ordeal of wearing a size large, or made, that is a size-two large in order to allow for shrinking.

Novel Knit Items



The idea of a sweater with a hood carries big appeal. This gay design is knit of a heavy yet soft yarn, and on large needles so that the fetching checked pattern develops magnificently.

Gray for Day and Evening. From soft dove shades to dark gunmetal tones gray is an important color for every sort of daytime and evening outfit.

Costume Sweaters Spring Into Style

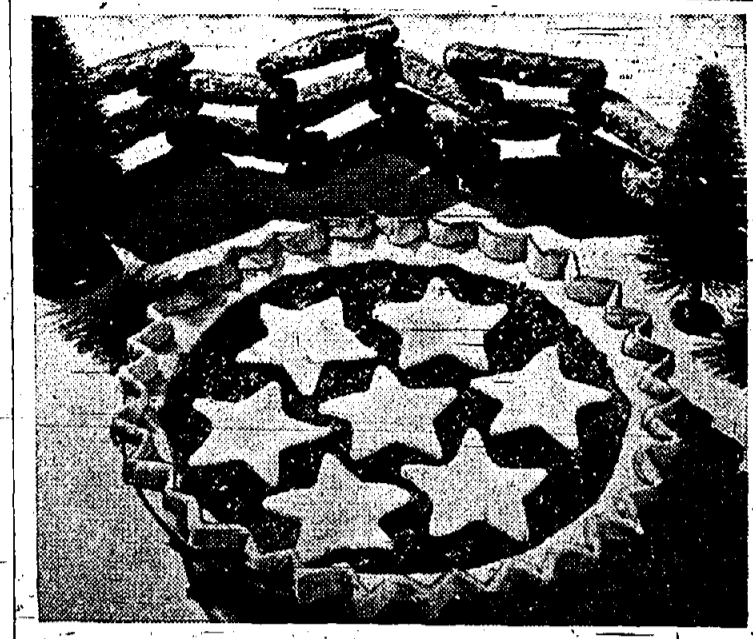
A new type of sweater, which is neither a tailored sports style nor an elaborate evening affair, has sprung into fashion.

Skating Ensemble Is Very Fetching

A skating ensemble is made of soft white yarn hand-embroidered with bright work.

Picturesque Wraps

Inspired by the picturesque fashions of the South in Civil war days is the group of evening wraps shown by an American designer.



Household News

By Eleanor Howe

SERVE A MODERN FRUIT PIE AND A CANDY RAIL FENCE IN HONOR OF LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

See Recipes Below

For Patriotic Parties. February, with its two famous birthdays, is a grand month for a patriotic party.

Lincoln, the biographers tell us, had a keen "sweet tooth." Children could always be sure he'd have a bag of bonbons in his pocket when he dropped in to visit.

Chocolate Fence Rails. "Chocolate Fence Rails" are a novel sweet that will pay double tribute to Lincoln's rail splitting fame and his "sweet tooth."

Individual Sandwich Leaves. Cut 2 1/2-inch rounds from thinly sliced white bread, allowing 4 rounds for each sandwich.

Watercress or shredded lettuce. Ground ham, sweet pickle, and mayonnaise.

Salad Sandwich. Roll long, plump, soft rolls down the center, not quite through.

Cherry Tartlets. Melt chocolate in top of double boiler. Add sweetened condensed milk and stir over rapidly boiling water five minutes.

Magic Chocolate Logs. 1 square unsweetened chocolate. 1/2 cup sweetened condensed milk.

Apple Pie. 1 1/2 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca. 1/2 cup sugar.

Send for Copy of "Easy Entertaining." "Entertaining" often plan with care, and have the best time of anyone there.

To Western Home Plant. When a house plant, especially a fern, is dying, pour a tablespoon of castor oil around the roots.

Prologue to Love TO LOVE A Dramatic, Moving Serial by MARTHA OSTENSO Here is a truly great love story, written with the depth of understanding which characterizes Martha Ostens...

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SPRINGFIELD STATISTICS

Population, 1939—5,000; 1938—4,715. 1937—4,450. 1936—4,200. 1935—3,950. 1934—3,700. 1933—3,450. 1932—3,200. 1931—2,950. 1930—2,700.

OLD AGE RETIREMENT

February 1 will be a big day from many an elderly American. For on that day the United States Treasury will make its first old age retirement payments.

So government "social security" is now a going endeavor. But that doesn't mean the problem has been settled. The present system, in the view of most economists, is unwieldy and may prove unworkable.

COMING EVENTS

- Jan. 26 (Fri)—Lions Club, weekly supper meeting, Half-Way House, Route 29, 6:30 P. M.
- Jan. 28 (Sat)—Basketball, Regional vs. Plainfield, home, 7:15 P. M.
- Jan. 29 (Sun)—Boy Scouts, meeting, Methodist Church, 7:30 P. M.

Mountainside Activities

"Happy Birthday" greetings this coming month from the SUN to the following residents of Mountainside: JANUARY: 26—Robert Mullin

TAXPAYERS TO MEET The annual meeting of the Mountainside Taxpayers Association will be held Tuesday at 8 P. M. in Borough Hall.

DEVELOPMENT EXPECTED MOUNTAINSIDE—A proposed project which will result in erection of 100 homes in the borough within the coming year was outlined to the Council Tuesday night.

PERSONAL MENTION Recorder Albert J. Benninger will return Sunday from a ten-day trip to Georgia, where he is visiting U. S. Army carrier pigeon farms.

SEEK RE-ELECTION Three members of the Board of Education, whose terms expire this year, will seek re-election February 13.

SCHOOL BUDGET DOWN The Mountainside Board of Education last Thursday night adopted a 1940-41 budget of \$40,318, of which \$27,750 will be raised by taxation.

Rambling Around Town

(Continued from Page One) titioning of the Town Hall auditorium into offices, took a bow, which he justly deserved.

5 Years Ago This Week in the SPRINGFIELD SUN

JANUARY 26, 1935 The body of an unidentified Negro, about 40 years old, was found under a bridge in Metisel avenue.

REALTY TRANSFERS The following deeds have been recorded at the office of County Register Edward Bauer, at the Courthouse, Elizabeth:

ESTATE TO WIDOW The estate of Lawrence Kammer, deceased of 48 Mountain avenue, who died January 3, is willed to his widow, Theresa, according to a report this week from Surrogate Charles A. Otto, Jr., at the Courthouse, Elizabeth.

PLAN HOLIDAY SUPPER Plans are being arranged for the annual Washington's Birthday turkey supper of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church.

RYTEX HYLITED WEDDINGS, SPRINGFIELD, N. J. ANNOUNCEMENTS. 25 FOR \$1, 50 FOR \$2.25, 100 FOR \$4.75. Springfield Sun Phone Millburn 6-1256.

What SUN Advocates

- 1. Sidewalks wherever needed.
- 2. 5c bus fare to Union Center.
- 3. Equitable telephone toll charges to Elizabeth and Newark.
- 4. Postal-carrier delivery.
- 5. Federal Post Office.
- 6. Removal of dilapidated buildings which are sore spots.
- 7. An active Board of Trade to stimulate "Buy in Springfield."
- 8. Full-time position for the Township clerk's office.
- 9. Encouraging clean industry, to increase tax rates.
- 10. A county park.

Legion's Contest Headed By Frost

Gregg L. Frost of Springfield, State Americanism director, is directing the third annual New Jersey high school oratorical contest of American Legion posts and auxiliaries.

WIN STATE HONORS Students enrolled in the recently organized agricultural course at Regional High are doing exceptionally well in their new course of study.

THIRD CONFERENCE ON YOUTH WELFARE

The third annual conference of the Union County Youth Welfare Council will be held at the Court House, Elizabeth, next Tuesday starting at 2 p. m.

LEGION PLAN DANCE

The seventh annual dinner dance of the American Legion and Auxiliary will be held April 6, in the Elizabeth Elks' Auditorium.

Regional Reports

DRAMATIC NOTES The Dramatic Club, directed by Miss Betty McCarthy and Miss Ethel M. Barrett, has been divided into five groups, each headed by a director.

MOVIE CLUB PLANS Regional's Movie Club, sponsored by Max R. Perlman, have been contacting various film studios, under the direction of Michael Lictra of Garwood, program chairman.

SEND IN YOUR NEWS Readers of the SUN are invited to send in news. Clubs, organizations and other bodies are also extended an invitation to make use of the columns of this newspaper.

CLASSIFIED ADS

RATES: Minimum Price for insertion, 50 cents for twenty-four words. Other rates on application.

WANTED TO BUY

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Chow Mein Luncheon To Aid Talent Drive

A chow mein luncheon will be served on Thursday of next week between 12 noon and 1:30 o'clock in the Methodist Church.

INITIATION CEREMONY

Pioneer Chapter, Future Farmers of America, will hold an initiation ceremony for new members Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Regional High School.

National Self-Service Market

266 MORRIS AVE. Mill. 6-0385. Managed by BOB MORRIS.

- TENDER Green Beans 2 lbs. 25¢
- TENDER CALIFORNIA CARROTS 2 bu. 9¢
- NEW SOLID HEADS OF CABBAGE 3 lbs. 14¢
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- U. S. KILN DRIED Sweet Potatoes 3 lbs. 10¢
- FRESHLY WASHED SPINACH 2 lbs. 19¢
- TENDER Red Beets 3 bu. 10¢
- Large Onions 3 for 10¢ (for slicing)
- Large Thin Skinned Grapefruit 5 for 25¢
- TREE RIPENED ORANGES 20 for 25¢
- SWEET JUICY Tangerines 2 doz. 19¢

WATCH FOR BICYCLE CONTEST

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PERSONAL MENTION About People You Know

The almost earliest you can show your guests is to have their names mentioned on this page... Mrs. Herald A. Jones of 446 Morris avenue left last Thursday for Friendship, Maine...

ner and theatre party Wednesday evening in New York City. They attended a performance of "Margin For Error"...

OUR LIBRARY Use Your Library

Among the new books in the library is a complete up-to-date cook book, compiled by the Herald Tribune Institute, called AMERICAN COOK BOOK...

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Presbyterian REV. DR. GEO. A. LIOGETT, Pastor... St. James' Catholic REV. DANIEL A. COYLE, Rector... Methodist Episcopal REV. JAMES K. BASKLEY, Pastor... St. Stephen's Episcopal REV. HUGH W. DICKINSON, Rector... Union Chapel REV. HOLLAND O'NEILL, Pastor...

Cancer Booklet Sent To Library

A booklet entitled "Answers to the Public's Questions on Cancer" has been sent to every public library and to every newspaper in New Jersey by the New Jersey State Cancer Committee...

Standard Time. The polls at said meeting shall be open until 9 p. m. Standard Time, and as much longer as may be necessary for those present to cast their ballots...

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING OF THE UNION COUNTY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1 STATE OF NEW JERSEY on February 6th, 1940.

LEGAL NOTICE TOWNSHIP OF SPRINGFIELD AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF CERTAIN LANDS NOT REDEEMED FOR PUBLIC USE...

To Give Children's Symphony Concert A special symphony concert for children, the first children's concert to be presented by the Griffith Music Foundation, will be given by the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra...

Surrogate's Work Heavier In 1939 In a yearly statement issued last week, Surrogate Charles A. Otto, Jr., reported that 717 wills were probated in the Union County Surrogate's office during the year 1939...

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Griffith Foundation Events for February February 7—Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, under direction of Arturo Rodzinski, 8:40 p. m., Mosque Theatre, Newark...

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Strange Facts

Plowing the Sea Real Bell Ringers! Benign Deafness

To eliminate the annual damage of \$500,000 to submarine cables by fishing trawlers off the coast of Ireland, the lines are now buried in the ocean bed by means of a new sea plow that automatically makes a deep furrow, inserts and covers the cable, even at a depth of 2,400 feet.

The record for bell ringing is held by the men who rang, from memory, 21,000 changes of eight bells each in a little more than 12 hours in All Saints' church in Loughborough, England, on Easter Sunday, 1908.

People get so used to seeing their faces reversed in a mirror, with the right side of it on the left and vice versa, that they almost invariably select, when given a choice, a reversed photograph of themselves in the belief it is "the better likeness."

In several British munitions plants, only deaf men are employed in the shot-blasting departments because the roaring, clanging noise would soon make physical wrecks of those with normal hearing.—Collier's.

Relief At Last For Your Cough

Cremulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to loosen germ laden phlegm, increase secretion and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Cremulsion with the understanding that you are to like the way it cures all the cough or you are to have your money back. CREAMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

Virtue's Resources Virtue has resources buried in itself which we know not of till the invading hour calls them from their retreats.—Bulwer.

Children's Colds... Temporary Constipation... MOTHER GRAV'S SWEET POWDERS

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THE SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE

Clean Comics That Will Amuse Both Old and Young

Comic strip 'BIG TOP' by ED WHEELAN. Panels show characters talking about a rainstorm and a man named Jeff.

Comic strip 'LALA PALOOZA' by RUBE GOLDBERG. Panels show a man named Lala and a woman talking about a hydrocar and a professor.

Comic strip 'SMATTER POP' by C. M. PAYNE. Panels show a man named Pop talking about shoes and a radio.

Comic strip 'MESCAL IKE' by S. L. HUNTLEY. Panels show a man named Mescal Ike in a chaotic scene.

Comic strip 'POP—Explanation Demonstrated' by J. MILLAR WATT. Panels show a man named Pop explaining something.

Comic strip 'SNOWBALLER' by GLUYAS WILLIAMS. Panels show a man named Snowballer and other characters in a snowy setting.



IF THE FUERHERER IS REALLY A MARRIED MAN... Adolf Hitler is married, according to a national magazine.—News Item.

Adolf—I find you very annoying at times, my dear. Wife—I wish I could be as moderate as that in my reply.

Adolf—You're just like any other woman; if this war was a big success for me you'd claim all the credit.

Adolf—Anyhow, if you can't give me encouragement keep your mouth shut. Wife—You can't talk like that to me. I'm not Poland.

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Easy to Remove Stopper—Dip the stopper of a mullage bottle in paraffin before putting it into the bottle and it will not stick.

Baked potatoes will be more mealy if a piece is cut from either end of the potato.

Sift the Flour—Flour has a tendency to pack down, especially fine wheat flour.

A porous pot allows water to evaporate and this is a bad feature in warm dry houses.

Left-Over Sweet Potatoes—Left-over baked or boiled sweet potatoes can be converted into appetizing dishes.

Save Christmas Cards—Little folk can spend many a happy hour cutting out figures from Christmas cards.

HOW ARE YOUR NERVES? Cranky? Restless? Can't sleep? The really worried man to find functional relief...

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