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THE GIRL WHO WENT PLACES  
—A FABLE IN SLANG

"Observer" Writes on the "Sweet Young Thing"  
Who Belonged to "The Best People"

**A Fable in Slang**  
(With apologies to George Ade)

There was once a Sweet Young Thing who went to all the Parties. She belonged to what was called Good People. That is they were among the Best People of the town. She could trace her family back. Her Grandfather, after he had robbed the local branch of the Bank, had been traced as far as China before the trail was lost. So you see she had ancestors. This Bright Little Trick had been brought up to believe that Social Success depended on how many times you got Asked Out. When she was in the lower grades of school she and some more Clucks just like her had their Bridge Club. They met every Friday night. Their fond Mammas used to see to it that the meetings were chronicled in the local papers. They said, "Isn't it just too cute?" This particular Mess was named Genevieve. When Genevieve got into High School she was allowed to join two more Bridge Clubs, because, you see, she was Growing Up. She now had a Boy Friend, a hopelessly Dumb Cluck named Freddie, whose only claim to fame was that he knew all the Answers. He was a Snappy Dresser, had a Good Line, and knew all the hockey and baseball scores. Freddie used to take Genevieve places.

But Freddie couldn't keep up. The trouble was that his Ancestors couldn't be traced at all. He didn't even know who his Dad was. So Freddie was given the gate by Genevieve's Mamma. Two or three other Gay Lads tried to horn in but they were Too Late, because Genevieve had rather Play Bridge. She didn't finish high school because she found it took too much time from her Parties. So her Dad got her a job in a Government Office where educated people are not required. Genevieve found she could go to all the Evening Binges to which she was invited, and

sometimes her Boss would let her go to the Afternoon Tea Fights. At first he didn't want to let her off but Genevieve found a way to Get On the Good Side of Him.

At first Genevieve was too busy grabbing the Cake and Sandwiches and shuffling the Pasteboards to think about getting Hitched. But one morning she woke up and realized that she was no Chicken any more. Genevieve had passed Thirty-five Summers and some of them had been Hard Ones. To make matters worse, she had been chasing up the Wedding Shower business pretty hard lately, and it had actually made her Think. She began to look around for a Man. She didn't know where to look because all the men of her acquaintance were only Temporary. They had been like ships that Pass in the Night. She didn't think they were the kind that could supply her with Cake and Java for life. Most of her parties had been Hen Parties. But she made a good play and succeeded in landing a few Heavy Dates. She tried like Hell to talk to these Guys. She told them all about her partner not taking her out in No Trumps at the last Bridge Fling. She told them just how good this boy Culbertson was. Her boy friends being Solid Guys, did not play bridge, and didn't know who Culbertson was. They thought she was Two-Timing them. They gave her the Air. After trying her Damndest for six months Genevieve found she was Out For the Count. She gave it up.

She now found she had missed a lot of parties. She had to go to work and throw half-a-dozen parties herself so she would get some invitations. She was afraid she had been Slipping. She worked so hard that she began to get Scrawny, and her eyes Popped Out. She even began to angle for Bids to parties she would not have attended before. By and by she began to have to Sleep in mornings to recover from last night. Her Boss began to get Nasty again and couldn't be pleased so easily as Genevieve didn't fill the Eye as well as she had once. She was on a Spot.

One day the telephone rang in Genevieve's house, and a girl friend asked her if she had got a Bid to the Binge at Dolly's tomorrow night. Genevieve shrieked and fell to the floor. She was Out Cold. The local Sawbones was called but the case had him Stymied. They waited for her to come out of it. On the fourth day she Rallied a little and opened her eyes. They could see she was Passing Out. She tried to speak, and her family leant over to hear the Last Message. They said, "What is it, tell us his name and we will have him horse-whipped." She said, "It isn't that, no such luck. Oh, it's terrible, I don't think I can say it." But she made a Gallant Effort and whispered, "Dolly didn't ask me to her bridge and she owed me." And Genevieve took the count.

Moral—If a girl doesn't want to lose out on the bridge parties she's a dim-wit to take time out on eating, sleeping, and looking for a husband.  
—OBSERVER.

## WILL MOVE SEPT. 15

Dr. P. G. Thompson, who has one of the best equipped dental parlours in the Maritime Provinces, has found it necessary to move to the new Ryan building to accommodate his rapidly increasing clientele. The new office will open Sept. 15.

FOR SALE—Stube, long and short wave Stewart-Warner Radio. Cabinet model in good condition. Ray Parent, Lower St. Mary's.

## SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

In honor of Miss Eleanor Bartlett, who is to be married next week, an informal party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McLellan, when several members of the Lansdowne Court presented her with a silver compote. Bridge and Monopoly were played during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Chapman and children William, Geraldine, Douglas and Eric have returned from a ten day trip to Boston and vicinity. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Chapman's sister, Mrs. Francis McFealey and baby son Donald, who will be their guests for the next few days.

Mrs. W. J. Bate was yesterday afternoon hostess at an enjoyable tea and garden party at her home at Pine Hill Cottage in honor of Mrs. A. F. Bate prior to her departure to Saint John. The Right Hon. the Countess of Ashburnham presided over the tea cups and Mrs. Harold Bate of Springhill replenished. Assisting were, Miss Marjorie Lee, Miss Constance Campbell, and Miss Crocker of Rothesay. Little Anne Crocker admitted the guests. The house was bright with summer flowers, and the guests enjoyed a chat on the lawn.

Last evening, Miss Molly Burt and Miss Josephine Burt entertained at a shower for Miss Verna Hickson, a bride of the near future. Bridge and bingo were played after which Sonny Leslie, cousin of the bride dressed as an expressman arrived with a large parcel for Miss Hickson, which contained a variety of lovely gifts, for which Miss Hickson kindly thanked her friends.

Miss Lena Carten and Miss Dolly Carten left this morning for Saint John, where they will attend the closed retreat at Torryburn.

Edward Carten and Miss Rita Carten are spending the week-end in Saint John.

Mrs. F. P. Hat has returned from a few days visit to Moncton.

Mrs. J. B. Kinghorn has as her guests, her sister, Mrs. Hill of Victoria, B. C.

Professor F. W. Harrison and son Alex, have returned from a motoring trip through Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Annie Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John Todd and two children of Dorchester, are visiting Mrs. Charles Allen, King Street.

## Ackerson-MacKay

A very quiet and interesting wedding took place Wednesday, Aug. 19, at the Pentecostal Mission at Ripples when Miss Marjorie Ackerson, daughter of John Ackerson and the late Mrs. Ackerson, of Ripples, and Leonard McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Justus McKay, also of Ripples, were united in marriage by Rev. Samuel Steeves. Many friends and relatives were present, wishing them much happiness. The happy couple will reside in Ripples, where the groom is employed.

Miss Shirley McAdam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McAdam, Montreal, who has been the guest for the past six weeks of her aunt, Mrs. F. P. Lister and Mr. Lister, has returned to her home.

Miss Phyllis Neilson of St. John is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fowler of Woodstock were in the city today and were guests of their daughter, Miss Claire W. Fowler.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Ryan, who with their son and daughter, Jack and Billie, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Owens, left this morning for their home in Tracadie. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Owens who will enjoy a holiday trip.

Jack Sinclair of Port Hawkesbury, Cape Breton, returned home recently after spending some time in Marysville, the guest of Percy White.

Mr. and Mrs. Edridge Harrison and son, Harry Harrison, of Marysville returned recently from an enjoyable trip to Boston, Mass.

Mrs. A. E. Hanson and Mrs. John Lounsbury were recent visitors in Saint John.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tapley and daughter, Eleanor, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. George Tapley and Miss Vella Tapley, Marysville, left recently for New River Beach where they will spend a short vacation.

James Trites, Toronto, returned home recently after spending some time the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Anna Stennick and daughter, Bernice, of Detroit, Mich., and Miss Violet Stennick, R.N., of Canton, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Miss Stennick's mother, Mrs. J. Stennick, North Devon.

## Labor Officials

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into private conference with Hon. Mr. Pirie and officials of the Department of Lands and Mines, and also A. W. Barbour, and officials of the Department of Public Works. Matters pertaining to both Departments were gone into in detail. Afterwards the federal visitors were motored to D. Coy Inn, where luncheon was served, with about twenty being present. Among those attending the luncheon besides the federal party were W. G. Clark, M. P., Hon. F. W. Pirie, Minister of Lands and Mines; Mayor G. Willard Kitchen, Aldermen J. S. Mundle and David McCaughey, C. F. Bailey, superintendent of the Experimental Station; W. G. Glen, S. S. Miller, president of the Board of Trade; A. W. Barbour, deputy minister of public works; G. H. Prince, deputy minister of Lands and Mines, and others, including press representatives.

## Praises Capital

Hon. Mr. Rogers commented on his arrival on the beauties of the St. John river which he saw en route here. Coming here via the Geary route, the Federal Minister of Labor briefly investigated the farm settlements on the way here. Since his visit here is for special investigation of labor problems as they pertain to these provinces, Hon. Mr. Rogers was expected to make some comment on this particular matter at the luncheon.

## Greeted When They Arrived

Arthur B. Purvis, chairman of the National Employment Commission; A. G. McLaughlin and Mr. Barbour, when they arrived, were greeted by W. G. Clark, M. P., who introduced the Ottawa officials to those who had gathered to welcome the party.

## Met Premier Yesterday

Hon. Mr. Rogers and party conferred with Nova Scotia Government heads in Halifax yesterday and at that time met Premier A. A. Dymally of New Brunswick, who was at Halifax attending the Canadian Bar Association meetings. From here the party will proceed to Montreal and thence back to Ottawa.

Mr. Purvis was very much impressed with the beautiful scenery of the St. John river and both he and Mr. McLaughlin were loud in their praise of this section of the province which they flew over this morning.

Before the arrival of Hon. Mr. Rogers the others were taken on a short tour of the Dominion Experimental Station by S. S. Miller, president of the Board of Trade.

## Cabinet Told

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Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, as the devastation in the Southern portions of these Provinces is more serious this year than it ever was in the past. Some northern sections also have suffered, including the Prime Minister's constituency of Prince Albert.

Senator Daniel Riley of High River, Alberta, estimated today that 50 per cent. of the 300,000 beef cattle on the ranches of Southern Alberta will either have to be slaughtered or moved to greener pastures elsewhere. Senator Riley is a neighbor of his Majesty's "EP" ranch in the Alberta foothills country, and has some 2,500 head of cattle for which feed is not available in Southern Alberta. Other ranchers are in a similar predicament.

Free shipment of fodder into the drought-stricken areas of the West was virtually decided upon by the Federal Government this afternoon, according to a reliable source.

## Church Services

Christchurch Cathedral  
Sunday services at 11 a.m., and 7 p.m., Reverend Dean W. H. Moorhead will preach at both services. 11th Sunday after Trinity.

## Gibson Memorial United Church and United Baptist, South Devon

Miss Eunice Peters, returned Missionary will speak in the morning at 11 a.m., Gibson Memorial. Service at Nashwaaksis at 3 p.m., Service at Kingsley at 11 p.m., Evening Service 7 p.m., United Baptist. Rev. W. A. Burge will preach. Theme: "Inexhaustible." Based on the Third Commandment. Minister W. A. Burge will preach at Kingsley, Nashwaaksis and United Baptist, Devon.

Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church  
Rev. George E. Ross, D.D., Minister, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Public Worship, conducted by the Minister. A cordial welcome to all.

Keay's Fruit Market has recently been opened and able to supply the most fastidious buyer with all kinds of fresh fruit. It is situated at 72 York street.

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## Board of Trade

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see our wonderful Province but to spend many days vacation.

There is much, very much, to commend such an undertaking but before definitely proceeding, the views of your Board, together with all suggestions and criticism would be greatly appreciated. If the reaction from the various organizations, to which a copy of this letter is being forwarded, is favorable, then it is planned to have a "get together" with every county being represented by two delegates in order that the undertaking may be duly gone into and definite action taken to insure the success of the venture.

Just as an afterthought the writer might mention that he has interviewed several theatre managers in this connection and they have intimated their willingness to pay from two dollars to five dollars more for material of this nature.

The actual taking of the "travelogue" is proposed to take place either in the month of June or July, 1937, just when nature is at her best. As intimated above, your comments will be greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to offer suggestions or criticism.

Thanking you sincerely for your kind attention, I remain,  
Yours Very Truly,  
H. C. Carter.

Everyone should plan to attend this year's Exhibition to be held in Saint John city, Sept. 5 to 12—Labor Day week. A bumper showing of livestock and other agricultural exhibits is being planned. Industries in the province will be amply represented and, of course, there will be the fun and festivities that always feature the Loyalist City's fair. There is a place for all the family at the Saint John Exhibition.

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