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Coming Events

The Ladies' Aid of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, of Brownsburg, will hold their Annual Sale of Fancy work and Home made Cooking etc., on Saturday afternoon, November 28th., 1931. Further announcement later. Please keep this date open.

The opening meeting of St. Simeon's Club will be held on Thursday, Oct. 1st., in McArthur's Hall, at 8.15 p.m. It is hoped that all the members will be able to attend.

A Shooting Match of Geese will be held at Anthony Hall's Dalesville, on Saturday, October 3rd., at one o'clock p.m.

A Raffle of ten Ducks also a Dance will be held at Silverson's Hall, Lakefield, on Saturday, October 3rd. Admission, 2 tickets for 50c. Ladies free.

The Regular Monthly Meeting of the Lachute Red Cross Society will be held in Victoria Hall, at 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 7th.

Miss J. Lavigne has returned after spending a pleasant visit with friends in Montreal and Sorel.

Dr. Lalande of the County Sanitary Unit left on Sunday last to take up further study in Public Hygiene, at the University, of Toronto. He will be away until the latter part of May, during which time Dr. R. Deschenes will assume charge.

School Sports

On Saturday next the Annual Field Day will be held on the Academy Grounds. The young men of our Academy have made some splendid showings at various meets during the past year and deserve great credit for their promotion of Clean Manly Sport. There is sure to be some splendid work done on Saturday and the programme has been slightly varied from that of previous years. It is hoped that the parents and all interested in Sport will turn out in goodly numbers and so encourage those who are taking part.

Ford's Millionth Car is soon to make its appearance in Lachute. To manufacture one million cars is quite a business proposition, and reflects great foresight on the part of the gentleman who started out with somewhat of a crude model not so many years ago. His success however is due largely to his local agents, among whom Geo. Y. Deacon is one of the foremost. During the six years in which he has had the agency, he has disposed of some 684 cars and trucks which is very creditable.

On October 6th. the Millionth Car will be in Lachute, so watch out for it.

KIWANIS MEETING

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For some time past there has been a movement on foot for the formation of a local branch of Kiwanians. For this purpose a delegation from Montreal among whom were President O. J. Callary, E. Cousens, Wm. Hodgson, Dr. Centre, Dr. Patterson and F. C. McCracken, District Trustee, visited town and a meeting was held in the Court House, on Tuesday evening. Some 30 attended from this vicinity and the pro's and con's were discussed with the result that adjournment was made until next Thursday when a decision will be made.

The Kiwanis Club is a splendid organization standing for Service and Goodfellowship and one which accomplishes splendid work, as is evidenced by the many Clubs now in existence. Just whether it would prove feasable in this district is a matter for consideration, as already there are a number of Clubs, Lodges, and other institutions which take up considerable of one's time. Should it be started and the right principles exercised for its advancement, it undoubtedly will be a success. The following are just a few of the ideals set forth.

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"Although we have no politics we believe in Good Government"

"Although we are not educationalists we believe in Good Schools."

"Our Association is Non-Sectarian and Non-Racial."

Orangemen Attend Divine Service

On Sunday last the Orange Members again attended Divine Service in St. Aidan's Church, Louisa, and was largely attended by visiting brothers and sisters throughout the County. The Rev. W. J. H. Lummis, of Valleyfield, gave a very fine address on "Truth." Rev. J. A. Lackey of Lachute, assisted in the service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mrs. John Hope, of Lachute, Que., announces the engagement of her daughter Mary Margaret to Dr. Trenholm Lawrence Fisher, son of the Rev. Lawrence H. and Mrs. Fisher, of Ottawa, Ont. The marriage to take place quietly the middle of October.

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The engagement is announced of Doris, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Smith and the late Mrs. Smith, of Carlisle, Eng., to Mr. Jas. Keith Christie, youngest son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Christie, of Lachute. The wedding to take place in Lachute, on Saturday, Oct. 17th. at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Wm. H. Lamb.

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Local news of the Week

Mr. Jas. Bennett, of Harrington East, was in town on Friday last.

Miss Muriel Walker, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon this week.

Miss Allison Cottingham, of Montreal, spent the week-end with friends in town.

Mr. D. Helynch, of Montreal, was in town on Monday, attending the Licop--Forget wedding.

Mr. J. S. Giles left last week on the Empress of Britain for a few weeks visit with relatives in England.

Mr. Hugh Mitchell of Brownsburg, motored to Potsdam, N. Y. last week and visited his daughter, Mrs. G. Goodenough.

Mr. Andrew Walker returned home on Wednesday last, after a three week's visit with his son John, in London, Ont.

The Rev. W. J. H. Lummis & family of Valleyfield, visited friends in Morin Heights and Lachute over the week-end.

Mrs. Roy Crabbe, Mrs. Alfred Howe and Mr. Sidney Howe of Ottawa, were welcome visitors at the home of Mrs. J. S. Giles on Tuesday.

Messrs. James Logan, Raymond Underhill, Gordon McOuat, and Miss Freda Mason left this week to resume their duties at McGill University.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Walker and son Kenneth and Miss Hazel Grovier, of London, Ont., were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker over the week-end.

A record was certainly established this week when the news reached us that on Wednesday, three quarts of raspberries had been picked on the mountains by Mrs. Noe Robinson.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian Missionary Society were greatly cheered on Saturday afternoon last, when notwithstanding the dreary weather their tea and sale of home made cooking resulted in $45.00.

Rev. A. Penman preached farewell services in the Regular Baptist Churches of Lachute, Brownsburg and Dalesville on Sunday last, removing with his family early this week to their new home in Long Branch, Ont. Mr. Wishart who has been their guest for the summer months left by S. S. Letitia for his home in Scotland on Friday last.

A local meeting of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers covering members of Lachute Sub-Division presided by Mr. P. D. Lessard was held at Desjardin's Hotel, on Sunday, Sept. 27th. A large number were in attendance, the meeting was called by local chairman R. M. Phaneuf, of Three Rivers, for the purpose to discuss the cut in wages ordered by the Canadian Pacific Railway to take effect October 1st.

Contest Proves Popular.

The Contest put on last week by the Brandram-Henderson Paint Company through their local agent G. Y. Deacon, proved very successful and there were a large number of guesses made as to what two colors were used in the painting of the Breakfast Set. This set, by the way, which consisted of a table and two chairs, was the coveted prize for the right guess and was won by Denis Paquette, the combination being Orchid and Delph Blue.

Road Still Too Narrow.

At least it would seem to be for some people. On Monday evening last a small truck while making the turn on the newly widened curve at Patterson's on the Brownsburg Road, found the road all too narrow and after crashing into Mr. Langille landed in the ditch on the wrong side of the road. There is absolutely no excuse for such reckless action, which endangers the lives of innocent and careful drivers and the best cure in such cases is to take away their license.

WEDDING BELLS

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Blondin — Desjardins

On Thursday morning last the marriage of Isabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philias Desjardins to Mr. Armand Blondin, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Blondin, of Shawbridge, was solemnized. The Rev. E. L. Marsolais officiated. The bride who was given away by her father, wore a gown of brown chiffon velvet with hat to match and brown fox fur. She carried a shower bouquet of American Beauty Roses.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the groom's parents. Later Mr. and Mrs. Blondin left for Ottawa. On their return they will reside in St. Hippolyte.

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Licop — Forget

A very pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride, when Evelyn daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Forget, of Marelan, Que., was united in marriage to Mr. Geo. O. Licop, of Lachute. The Rev. Geo. Peck, of Montreal, officiated. The bride who was given in marriage by her father was unattended. She wore a pretty model of white flat crepe with corsage of pink roses. After luncheon was served, Mr. and Mrs. Licop left on a motor trip to Fossmill, Ont., followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

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Macomb — Dobbie

The marriage took place on Wednesday, Sept. 30th., at St. Luke's Church, N. D. G., of Ruth youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dobbie, of Cushing, to Herbert Macomb, son of Mr. Robt. and the late Mrs. Macomb, of St. Chrysosthome, Que. The Rev. DeWitt Scott officiated at the ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of seal brown satin back crepe, with hat and shoes to match, with ivory trimmings, and gloves, fur trimmed coat of browncloth.

Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple left on a motor trip to Quebec and other points.

A reception will be held at their home in St. Chrysosthome, Que., on their return.

OBITUARY

The late Mrs. John MacLean

The death occurred on Sunday of Mrs. John MacLean, at her residence, 441 Kent St., Ottawa, Ont., following an illness of eight months duration.

Widow of John M. MacLean, well known employe of the C. N. R. whose death occurred in July 1930.

Mrs. MacLean was very well known in the Capital and her death will be widely mourned.

Born 69 years ago in Quebec, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Joss. Mrs. MacLean formerly Ellen Joss, received her early education there and then moved to Wolsely, Manitoba, where she was later married to John MacLean. The couple moved to Ottawa 23 yrs. ago. She was a member of the Metropolitan Tabernacle, and her death will be particularly mourned in that congregation.

The funeral was held from her residence on Wednesday afternoon, where the service was conducted by Dr. Wiseman

Interment was made in Beechwood cemetery.

Mrs. MacLean is survived by two daughters Beatrice and Blanche; Mrs. MacLean, of Ottawa; one sister, Mrs. William Green, of Edmonton; one brother, James Gauld, of Iowa, Illinois, and many nieces and nephews.

Who said Raspberries were Done?

Such is not the case for Mrs. J. P. Larocque and Mrs. Berniquer of Lachute Mills, went out the early part of the week and picked three quarts along the Mountain-side, and they were nice ones too. Rather exceptional for this time of year.

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The Captain's Corner

Now Boys ! take a jump on to This Page.

For a few weeks now, our Boys' and Girl's Page has been conducting itself, I trust quite properly and respectfully, in the Watchman, and from letters received and in other ways I know it is enjoyed very much by many of our young readers. This is as it should be and the interest is GROWING. But I note with a little regret that some of the elder boys are lacking in their support.—Come boys, though we look after the kiddies, the page is NOT for them alone it is also for YOU.

The School Story, "The Coming of Timothy" will soon be ready to make its first bow to you. In the meantime send in YOUR Contribution. For a start I offer

Three Splendid Pocket Knives

this week for the Three Best Compositions on "My Spare Time Hobby." If you collect stamps — Write about them. If you build model Aeroplanes, write about them. If you play games, write on the one you like best. Take a little trouble and win

A SPLENDID KNIFE FOR YOURSELF

Do not make your Composition too long. Its not the length but the quality that will make you a winner. The Captain.

THE EXPLANATION

Take three slips of paper all exactly alike and ask someone to give you three names so that you can write one on each slip. Perhaps he says, Jack, Henry and Thomas. When you have written on the slips fold them up and ask your friend to take one, The other two you tear up and throw away. When your friend has looked at his slip you can surprise him by saying that it is one on which Jack is written. The explanation is that you have written Jack on each slip.

LOOK UP.

There are bridges to cross, and the way is long,
But a purpose in life will make you strong;
Keep on your lips a cheerful song
And always look up, look up ! (Contributed.)

WILLIE WONDERS

Where the deepest Well in the World is ?

It is believed that the deepest well in the world sunk to obtain water is at Putman Heights, Connecticut, U. S. A. This well goes to a depth of more than 6000 ft., so it is more than a mile deep. In Australia there are wells nearly as deep which supply daily more than a million gallons of water. In England there are wells much less deep which yield a daily supply of about seven million gallons of water.

THE CAPTAIN'S WEEKLY LETTER

Sunnyside Beach, Toronto, Ont.

Dear Boys and Girls :—

As I write I feel very far from you indeed, and by the time you read this letter shall be still further away; but in between a lot of hard work and long hours of travelling it gives me ever so much pleasure to send you a message and hope you will enjoy receiving it.

If you were able to see me now, you would discover me sitting on a bench, facing the beautiful waters of Lake Ontario, a pad on my knee and a pencil in my hand. Away out in the distance is a small sailing boat. It is making for harbour and I am sure that the crew are hoping to reach there safely; for though the sun has only just set, and the sky is clear enough above, behind them, on the horizon is a large black storm cloud which is slowly but surely getting nearer to their little ship.

Since I have put down all this I see they have changed their direction and are making for a point or two further West This they have done in order to capture all the wind they can, so they may cover the distance that still remains before they reach port. When they are well within the shelter of the Coast they will doubtless bring the head of their ship round again and then their work will be finished. All of which reminds me that on board this little ship must be the Skipper. His is the hand that holds the wheel. His the eye that watches the sails and the sky, and he it is who knows the water currents and direction of the wind. Where would the others be without him ? If he speaks they listen so as not to miss a word, and, should he give an order, all run to obey him without question.

It is the same with us dear boys and girls. We all can't be leaders. Let us then see if we can be the next best thing. Simple and faithful followers. I do not think there ever has been a time, certainly not in this present generation, when the world more needed humble and trustworthy followers than it does now. Their service is of value and beyond all price.

In conclusion may I remind you that life is just a voyage and if we would bring OUR ship safely into harbour we must never fail our Supreme Captain whose hand is ever at the wheel.

Though very far away from most of you.

I am, Your very affectionate friend,

THE CAPTAIN.

GIANT HAILSTONES

The hailstones we know are usually small, and do very little damage, But in some parts of the world hailstones do about as much damage as an earthquake would.

On one occasion in India, hailstones as big as eggs killed over two hundred people. Some were pounded to death, but most were knocked unconscious and died of exposure..

Recently in a European town more than a million window panes were smashed during a hailstorm that lasted less than fifteen minutes, but that pleased some people — the makers of glass.

HOW WORDS ARE MADE

Nearly 3000 new words are added to our dictionaries every year. These arise through discoveries, inventions, new sports, etc. You can understand how new inventions add many words when you think how wireless has given the English language about 6000 new words.

.... *YOUNG WORKERS IN SIAM.*

Children of Jungle Villages in Siam are taught to work very early. The beast of all work is the water-buffalo, who has huge wicked looking horns. Though he looks so fierce he is really very tame and even the smallest child can easily handle him.

THE KIDDIES BED-TIME STORY.

Well Kiddies, all set and quite comfortable ? That's good. Now to get on with our story.

With breathless interest and not a little par, both Mickey and Teddy watched the approach of the strange animal.

"Why," burst out Mickey "I do believe, Yes it is. Oh, Teddy its a dog !"

But Teddy was not convinced, "Chip, Chip," he said. Did you ever see a dog without any hair on, except round its shoulders and on the tip of its tail ?"

"Yes I have," retorted Mickey; "Ever so long ago, and a lady, who pulled it about on a string, called it "her darling poodle"

Teddy rolled over and over on the grass, choking with laughter, "Great Snakes and little Worms" he chortled. "Poodle What a name ! I can make poetry about that; just listen." And sitting up, trying to keep a very grave face, he sang—

"There was a dull dog called Poodle,
"Theré was nothing at all in his Noodle
"He was lean and not fat
"Of hair he did lack !
"O poor little, dumb little, poodle !"

"Did you say that was poetry ?" enquired Mickey in disgust; "because I've never heard such piffle in my life."

Mickey laughed. "Sorry, my cousin, I should have remembered you would not know good poetry from bad and—"

Woof ! Woof ! interrupted the Newcomer "I hope I have not scared you, but I am a stranger in the parts, and am looking for my friend Bunny Rabbit. Have you seen him ?"

"Not lately" replied Mickey politely, but getting the words out with difficulty, for he was not a little frightened of this strange looking intruder. "He does not live here, you know, but miles and miles and miles away in a meadow, down by a stream."

"Why don't you talk to me ?" broke in Teddy plaintively "I don't like people who keep ALL the conversation to themselves. I do happen to be here, you know; and its not miles and miles away where Bunny lives. Mickey is all wrong, as I am always telling him.

"I am sure he is very grateful to you for always telling him he is wrong, but as YOU appear to know where Bunny Rabbit does really live; perhaps you will be good enough to guide me to him" said the fierce looking creature.

"Of course I will," began Teddy eagerly, and then he stopped, for a thought came into his head, that after all this new comer WAS a stranger, and he would not have any harm come to his dear little friend if he could help it. So he changed his tone and continued harshly. "But I don't know you. Who are you ? Where do you come from ?"

"That's right" agreed Mickey, backing his cousin up "That's exactly right. Who, the thousand jolly nuts are you ? Give an account of yourself, for if you don't I'll get Teddy to recite a few rhymes, because he's a poet—a tame poet I mean— And if you get some of his poetry, you won't like it. I know because he has made me iisten to miles and miles of it."

The New Comer opened his mouth and yawned; at the same time showing a gleaming set of sharp teeth. "You want to know who I am," he said scornfully. "Well I'm a dog; hear this, And he gave such a loud "Woof" that our two little friends nearly jumped out of their fur.

"But, protested Mickey as soon as he had recovered from this terrible shock "You can't be a dog for, excuse me, they have more hair on than you have."

I said dog, not common dog," was the severe reply "My hair is cut, combed, and brushed for me every day; thats why I look so nice." "And," he added with dignity, "My name is Archibald."

Hearing a gasping sound Mickey looked round and saw his cousin rolling again on the grass.

"Are you ill Teddy ?" he asked anxiously.

"No, not ill, came the choking reply. "But oh Mickey, did he say his name was ARCHIBALD. Its too, too funny I shall die" and poor Teddy rolled over once more, unable to control his mirth. Suddenly he sprang up. "I have it" he cried "Listen to this.

"Oh Archibald you've lost your hair,
What is the use of standing there ?
You look so funny————"

"Be quiet" interrupted Mickey sternly. "Look what you have done." Teddy looked and all his fun melted away. Great tears were streaming down a doggy face, Archibald was CRYING.

Good-night sleepy-heads. More about Mickey and his friends next week.

FROM OUR MAIL BAG

Brownsburg, Que., Sept. 26th., 1931.

Dear Captain :—

I am a little boy nine years old, and wish to join your Birthday Club. I live on a farm, for pets I have a dog called Buster and a cat called Snowball. I have three cows and a calf. I help to look after them. I am your loving friend,

GEORGE HUTCHIN.

Thanks George, I am glad that you young folk of Brownsburg are taking the opportunity extended to you. See if you can win one of our pen knives this week. You sure have a great chance to live up to our principle of kindness to animals, with all the pets you have. *Captain.*

Lachute, Que., Sept. 18th., 1931.

Dear Captain :—

I would like very much to join. I will try and keep the rules. I hope to be one of the first members of the club.

Your loving member,

ALVIRA WARD. *Age* 13.

Here are a few riddles for the part of our Watchman.

1. What is the difference between a boy studying his lessons and a farmer watching his cows ? One is stocking his mind and the other is minding his stock.

2. Why are watches like grasshoppers ? Because they move by springs.

3. What is the first thing a woman sets in her garden each spring ? Her foot.

4. Why does a sailing ship resemble a bed ? Because it has sheets.

5. Why do gentlemen prefer blondes ? Because nobody likes to squeeze a black-head.

6. When does a leopard change his spots ? When he moves from one spot to another.

7. What word of ten letters means a hold-up ? Suspenders.

From Alvira Ward.

That's the idea Alvira ! I hope we enroll many more members like you,—real live wires, so to speak. Tell your chums about our friendly columns, and the good times we've had, and the many more pleasant surprises to come. Thank you for jokes.

Captain.

Wimmer, Sask., Sept. 15th., 1931.

Dear Captain :—

I wish to become a member of the Birthday Club. My full name is Donalda Estelle Campbell. I will be 13 years old on 13th. day of October.

From Donalda E. Campbell.

Very pleased Donalda to add your name to our long list of Birthday Club members, especially when you live so far away. I sincerely wish you have a very happy birthday and that your 13th. anniversary will be a lucky one. *Captain.*

The Joke Corner (Conducted this week by Violet Hughes age 11)

Manager—"You want a situation as a sardine packer ? Have you had any experience ?
Youth—"Yes Sir, My other job was conductor on a tram-car."

Storekeeper—"Any orders while I was away ?"
New Assistant—"Just one. Two gentlemen ordered me to put up my hands while they took the cash register."

Inspector—"Tommy what is a collision ?"
Tommy—"Two trains trying to pass each other on the same line."

Professor—"Everything has its uses. I challenge you to tell me a useless article."
Small Boy—"Well Sir, what about a glass eye at a keyhole?"

Teacher—"Tommy, why are you late ?"
Tommy—"My mother bought me a pair of boots and forgot to cut the string."

Smith—"And do the people next door borrow much from you ?"
Jones—"Borrow ?" Why, I feel more at home in their house than I do in my own.

You notice that every week the Joke Corner is conducted by one of our young readers. Send in 5 or 6 and conduct the corner. A prize will be given every week to the reader whose jokes are printed. Send your age please. *The Captain.*

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Modern Fire Protection.

By C. W. THOMPSON, Fire Chief of Vancouver, B. C.

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An interesting Paper read at the 31st. Annual Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities held this month at Vernon, B. C.

Mr. President & Members :

I have been asked to speak to you on Modern Fire Protection. Fortunately for you I am unable to appear personally at this time. However, I would ask your Secretary or someone to read this report for me.

The question of *Modern Fire Protection* is in itself a rather large field, and I do not believe your desire at this time would be to listen to a long drawn out treatise of the question.

Fire Fighting of to-day is vastly different to what it was a few years ago, when water and more water was the only agent employed to extinguish a fire. But with the advancement of our mode of living there has developed hazards never before experienced by old time Fire Brigade and there were some good ones, too.

What with the introduction of the Motor-cars, spraying liquids of a dynamic nature, the internal combustion engines, the use of Gasoline and Oil for commercial purposes in the home, the factory, and in almost every move we make these liquids are used and they introduced one of the most dangerous foes with which Fire fighting organizations have had to cope with.

The problem of controlling these fires was one in which a great deal of thought was necessary. And development of a means to control--these have received years of study and research by the best engineers in the country and today the millions of gallons in daily use are handled and controlled by new methods of control, both in installation and means of extinguishment. Liquid fires are controlled by smothering the fire either by using a liquid gas or a dry powder and chemicals which forms a sort of blanket effect over the liquid, thereby shutting off the oxygen in the air. Liquid gas does the same and has the same soothing effect upon the Fire.

Modern Fire Equipment would mean a well organized Fire Department, be it full paid or volunteer, with efficient officers and men sufficient to handle your equipment. An adequate water system with mains of sufficient capacity to supply your hydrants and standpipes at all times is required.

There should be a Fire Alarm System to insure a quick response to a Fire day or night; do not rely on the telephone *alone* for reporting a Fire - that is not good enough in Modern Fire protection.

Should the water pressure be insufficient for Fire fighting purposes, pumping engines would be required to boost the pressure, the number and capacity depending entirely upon the size of the City or Town as well as the class of buildings with respect to conflagration hazards, etc.

These requirements would be best solved by competant engineers, who would study the Insurance redits which would be allowed your City.

Some Cities and Towns depend upon the cheapest kind of Fire equipment when purchasing, forgetful of the fact that Fire is one of the most dangerous foes that man has to battle with. Fire is Man's best friend when properly handled but his worst enemy when not controlled - and to be ever ready to control Fire we must prepare our Defence. Do not rely upon one line of defence, but have a second and third line of equipment ready should the occasion arise; even in the smaller Towns a second line of defence is desirable.

Your equipment in the way of Fire apparatus and Hose should be the very best that money can buy. No makeshift will answer for this emergency, because it is an emergency and always will be; life and property is depending upon this equipment at all times, and every hour, day and night, remember that your Fire Department of today has advanced with the progress of the times. It has become a fact that more efficient work can be accomplished in fire extinguishment by intelligent men.

A modern fireman, to be efficient, must be conversant with every phase of the extinguishment of Fire and with a knowledge of Chemicals, Engines and appliances used by their Department

The Public are beginning to realize that loss of lives and property are to a large extent preventable, and that special skill and training are necessary to extinguish fire.

In recent years educational facilities have been discovered whereby Firemen can take up a short course in Fire Fighting and Fire Prevention. In almost every state in the U.S.A. short courses are being held utilizing the resources of their Universities, and they are doing yeomen service. With the engineering facilities at these institutions combined with their knowledge of chemicals co-operating with their local Fire Departments who give demonstrations and put the graduate through all the evolutions required in the Modern Fire Department, are :

Pump and Ladder evolutions.
Resuscitation and First Aid.
Chemistry.
Hydraulics.
Care of Fire Equipment.
Inspection and Fire Prevention, etc.

These short courses give the student an opportunity to study and learn the technics of his profession by qualified Professors who know their subjects and can convey that knowledge to the Student, who in turn takes it home and instructs his men what he himself has been taught.

In conclusion - Modern - according to the English Dictionary - means the present time, or not long past, to conform to Modern or latest ideals.

Modern Fire Protection means the best Fire Department you can establish with the most Modern Equipment obtainable with capable officers and men sufficient to cope with and control any conflagration which may break out in your City or in your town.

FEDERAL ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN TO ATTRACT TOURISTS IS URGED

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The election of Hon. A. C. Stewart, minister of highways for Saskatchewan, as president of the Canadian Good Roads Association; lengthy discussions as to the part urban centers should bear in the maintenance of the country's highways; a review of the tourist traffic and its consequent "invisible export" of Canadian scenery and pleasures, and debate on level crossings featured an active closing day of the association's 18th. annual two-day convention at Lucerne.

The selection of Hon. W. R. Hibbs, minister of public works, Newfoundland, as first vice-president, called forth from S. L. Squire, Toronto, chairman of the executive, the remark that he ventured the idea that as roads spoke a common tongue the interest displayed by the Newfoundland government in the association might be the first step to confederation between the Dominions of Canada and Newfoundland.

Elimination of Crossings

Further federal aid for the construction of highways and the elimination of level crossings was recommended in resolutions adopted by the association. Another resolution advocated federal expenditure on an advertising campaign to attract an increased number of tourists to Canada.

Taxation for commercial vehicles should be much higher, S. W. Fairweather, director of the Bureau of Economics of the Canadian National Railways stated. Canada had invested over $900,000,000 in its roads and the annual budget for maintenance; interest charges, new construction and so forth was about $600,000,000. He sounded a warning against the country plunging too deeply into highway expenditures without making adequate plans for a return on the investment.

Inasmuch as urban centers benefited far more from highways than rural citizens, the cities should contribute more to the construction and maintenance of the permanent commercialized highways, stated Mr. Squire.

Dangers of Carbon Monoxide

Every year at this time the Province of Quebec Safety League issues a warning against the dangers of carbon monoxide gas poisoning but it seems fatalities resulting from this hazard increase each year," said George A. Savoy, president of the league recently.

"I hope that this year will be an exception and that the warning will be taken more to heart than usual.

"With the coming of cold weather motor car owners have a tendency to work in their private garages with the doors closed. The engine is left running and after a while the owner is found dying or dead on the floor of his garage. The pernicious gas has made him its victim.

"On no account should a motorist leave his auto engine running when he has the doors of his garage closed. When he must run the engine to locate a trouble of some kind he should open the doors and windows to make certain he will not be caught. Even when there is no work to be done and the object of running the motor is simply to warm the engine before leaving for a trip, the doors at least should be left open or there might well be no trip in the auto. It only takes a few seconds more to warm up the engine with the doors open and these few seconds are not worth a human life.

"Then there is the matter of the gas water heaters in homes. If these have not been equipped with flue pipes to take off the gas the pipe should be installed at once. In the summer when the windows of the house were all wide open there was little danger but as the weather gets colder there is the habit of closing the windows to say nothing of the need to do so. Then the carbon monoxide gas does its work if the equipment is not there to eleminate the danger.

"The fall season also entails other extra duties for motorists. They must see that their brakes are in the best of condition because of the fact that roads are more likely to be in a slippery condition during the season than in summer when streets are dry. Fallen leaves also add to the danger of skidding and then the early coming of darkness calls for the proper condition of lights.

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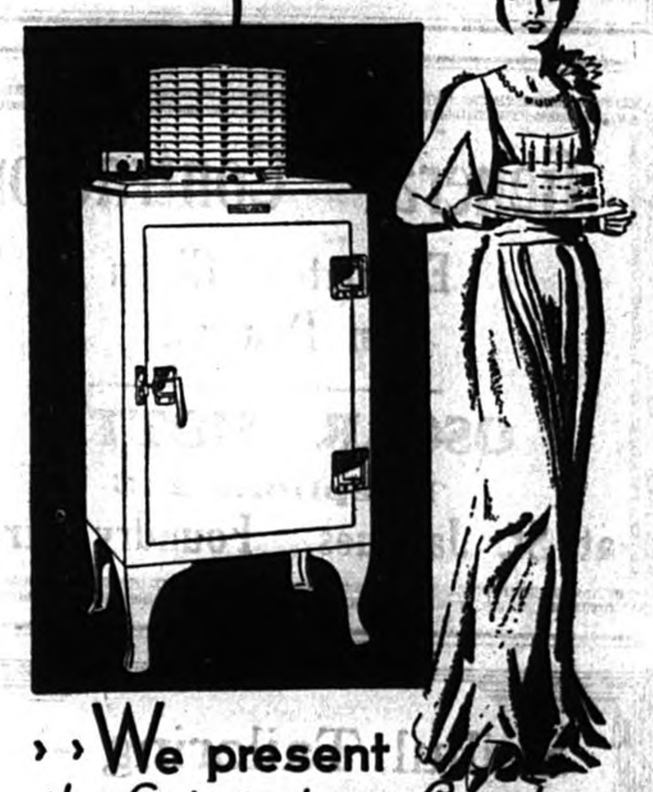

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FEWER CROSSING FATALITIES

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The law which calls upon all vehicles to come to a stop before driving over a railway crossing has vindicated itself in Quebec, according to statistics furnished by Arthur Gaboury, secretary-general of the Province of Quebec Safety League. Mr. Gaboury makes comparisons with Ontario, where there is not stop law in order to make his case. He says that in that province there were 22 fatalities at crossings for the first eight months in 1930, and 42 for the same period this year. In Quebec, on the other hand, "with the law only partly observed," to use Mr. Gaboury's words, only ten lives were lost at crossings in the first eight months of 1930, while the deaths this year were only seven. This is a very great improvement and seems to be an answer to those persons in Quebec who wish to do away with the restriction. There is a decline in the crossing deaths in this province, while the opposite is the case with Ontario.

Mr. Gaboury's admission that the law is only partly observed in this province is very significant. Drivers generally are aware that quite a large proportion of motorists disregard the level crossing law & most other regulations. All the advice and warnings periodically issued seem to have no effect on such people. It is a common experience for a motorist who stops at a railway crossing to be hooted at by cars behind, which will then pass him and cross the rails even in the face of a rapidly-approaching train. Such reckless and law-disregarding individuals trust to their driving skill and the power of their engines to beat a train. Now and again they miscalculate and the whistling and bell-ringing locomotive strikes the car, with dire results. They take chances in the face of wig-wagging and bell signals, and when they come to grief there is no one to blame but themselves. It is quite probable that if the crossing law were wholly observed there would be but one or two crossing fatalities in the season in Quebec province, instead of the small number of seven which has been this year's eight-month record.

It is a reflection on the intelligence of a minority of motorists that they seem to think themselves above all regulations except when city or highway police are in evidence. Not long ago, the Royal Automobile Club urged motorists to observe the law providing for lights on vehicles parked at night in the dark. Saturday night was dark and wet and on many streets, cars were parked on both sides of the roads, very few of which had their park or tail lights on. In the rain and darkness this made driving in the remaining space very difficult, and when a driver was faced with a blazing glare light the going was little short of perilous. It speaks well for the skill of drivers in general that there were not more week-end accidents than those reported. If this law was observed by all there would be no night risks as regards lights & the accidents would be comparatively few. The improvement as regards railway crossings in Quebec shows the benefits of law observance and careful driving by the majority. There is no reason why the better record should not be extended to every line of motoring. It is for the motorists themselves to bring the desired reform.

CUSHING

Miss Iris Snair, of Verdun, was the guest of Miss Ruth Dobbie on Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Gaston spent Tuesday with friends in Hawkesbury

Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Weir & son Bobbie, of St. Anne de Bellevue, spent Sunday in Cushing with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradley of Carillon, also Mr. and Mrs. P. Dobbie, and family, of Lachute, were guests also.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCallum and daughters, of Harrington, were guests on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham.

Mrs. R. Pinkerton, Mrs. K. J. Cooke and daughter Muriel, of Cushing, also Mrs. J. Harcourt, and daughter Gertrude, of New Glasgow, were guests of Mrs. John McMeekin on Monday.

We take pleasure in reporting the fact that Miss Helen Maclean R.N., who has been very ill at her home here is well on the way to recovery.

We are pleased to welcome back to Cushing for a short time Mr. Harold Houston of Vankleek Hill.

The Frontier Women's Institute will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Archie Murdoch, of Mabel.

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The accompanying letter I have just received from the chairman of the Flower Mission and as it shows a keen appreciation of the efforts of the Lachute workers I hope you will publish it.

As usual the Americans have taken advantage of the financial crisis, in England to depreciate the Canadian dollar to the tune of 10, 12 and 15 per cent, therefore it behooves all patriotic Canadians to refrain from in any way patronizing the United States either by touring or purchasing. It is a long lane that has no turning, and ours will come sooner than is at present anticipated.

K. S. Massiah.

572 Lansdowne Avenue,
Westmount,
Sept. 19, 1931.

My Dear Mrs. Massiah,

Although the report of our summer's activities will not be mailed to you until, after the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Council on September 28th., I feel I must write you a note to say how much your flowers were appreciated, they were always so beautiful and fresh.

You have no idea what a help you and your workers have been to the committee. We thank you most heartily for your co-operation and trust you will be able to help again next season.

I only wish you could follow your blooms into the homes, you would be amply repaid for all your trouble.

Yours very sincerely,
Rhoda P. Rowat.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Somery and Mrs. Harry Naylor are visiting at Rosemount.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stole and family motored from Montreal, to their charming place here for the past week-end.

The overcast weather of last Sunday did not hinder a goodly number from meeting in Holy Trinity Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Overing and young son are spending a three week's vacation at the summer home of Archdeacon Overing.

Misses Doris and Eleanor Armstrong R. O'Brien, Christina MacKenzie, Margaret Canning, and Mr. Stuart Armstrong of Lachute Road, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Brien, of Chatboro, on Friday evening last.

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CUSHING WEST

Mr. D. G. Greig spent the latter part of the week with his family at Greece's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McMeekin, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with the former's parents at Stonefield.

Mrs. Dr. Allen and Miss Fisher, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Miss C. L. White at Mascot Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cutten and Miss Olive Hartley of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Hartley Sr.

Mr. Franklyn Keatley, of Ottawa, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Jas. Watson and other friends here over the week-end.

Messrs. S. and E. Whelehan and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley of Montreal, were week-end visitors at Mr. E. Whelehan.

Mr. C. F. Kains who is acquiring considerable celebrity as an antiquarian recently disposed of some of his rare books in Montreal and at the same time added to his collection some interesting old volumes.

Mrs. Usher left last week for Belleville, where she will be the guest for some time of her daughter Mrs. Geo. Wishart. Mrs. Usher made the journey by motor and was accompanied by Mrs. Murray, of Pt. Fortune.

Mr. Dorema Lemay found one of his horses dead in the pasture last week, having been shot either by a stray rifle bullet or by some over-zealous hunter mistaking it for a deer (which it did in no way resemble however) so the latter proposition seems rather unlikely.

Mrs. A. J. Kahala, of Inkerman, Ont., with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kahala guests of the forer's brother, Mr. A. M. Derrick at Carillon, and also visited a number of old friends in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson, of Stonefield Heights, motored to Montreal on Tuesday, accompanied by their aunt Mrs. Elvira Connor, who is en route to her home in Boston, Mass., after a visit to her relatives in this locality.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Adria Barclay is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. W. Robertson.

Miss Edith Johnson, of Ottawa, is the week-end guest of Miss H. V. Wales.

Miss Bessie Woods has gone to take charge of a school at New Glasgow, P. Q.

Miss Evelyn Wales has gone to Durham, P. Q., to be nurse in charge in St. Helen's School.

Misses Helen and Dorothy Weir, of Cushing, spent Friday and Saturday with Grace and Freda Wales.

Mrs. Gilbertson & Miss Bidewell left on Saturday to reside in Montreal. They will be greatly missed here.

The concert in the Town Hall on Saturday evening was a very enjoyable affair, and was well attended considering the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Ferguson, of Peterboro, Ont. spent a few days here at home of Mrs. Patton.

Miss Elizabeth Wales went to Montreal on Monday to take up her studies at McGill. She is in the first year B.A. course and residing at the R. V. C.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Roach, of Hillsboro, N. B., were visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. Charman on Thursday last, en route to London, where Dr. Roach will enter upon some post-graduate studies.

The Christ Church W. A. held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Harland McEwen and at this meeting Mrs. Gilbertson and Miss Bidewell, who are leaving St. Andrews were presented with purses of gold.

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Mr. Weymonth Gaudry of Greenfield Park, visited his mother.

Miss Lillian Steele and Miss McVicar are attending Hawkesbury High School.

Mr. Fraser Carson of Ste. Agathe spent Sunday at his home in Grenville Bay.

Miss Lois Cooke has returned to Montreal, after two week's vacation spent in Pogan and Lowe.

Mrs. Lorne Cooke has returned home, after a very pleasant visit of several weeks at Pogan Falls and Detroit.

Mrs. W. Eaton, of Montreal, Mrs. C. Steele, of Grenville, and Mr. A. McPhee, of Outremont, motored up to Grenville this week.

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Baxter, have returned home from a most enjoyable visit in Toronto Hamilton and Woodstock with their parents and friends.

Rally Sunday will be observed in the Grenville Baptist Church at 11 o'clock. We trust that al lof the children and parents will enter into the spirit of Rally Day.

The many friends of Miss Robertson are glad to welcome her back to our village, after a pleasant visit of several weeks at her sisters, Mrs. Thompson's, of Grand Ligne.

COOKE — BRADSHAW

The marriage of Helen Elizabeth Bradshaw, eldest daughter of Mr. William Bradshaw, Jr. and the late Mrs. Bradshaw, and Rupert Fitzgerald Cooke, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooke, of Ottawa, took place at the rectory Grenville, on Saturday, Sept. 19th.; the Rev. J. Irving officiating.

The bride was given away by her father in the presence of her grandparents. After the ceremony, supper was served at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Picket, where she had lived for the last eleven years. The bride looked charming in her navy blue suit and silver grey fox scarf. Later in the evening they motored to Ottawa and spent their honeymoon with the groom's parents. They will reside in Ottawa.

BROWNSBURG

Miss N. Thorpe, of .N. D. G. is the guest of the Misses White this week.

Mr. J. Cropper, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. K. McGibbon.

The Girl Guides of Brownsburg had a camp fire supper on Friday evening, which everyone enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Flynn, returned to Montreal this week, after spending the summer at Lake Louisa.

Mr. Alex. McGibbon left on Wednesday to take up his second year in Science at McGill College, Montreal.

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All good government is based on truth, honesty and justice. These must be the controlling principles which guide our governing bodies in their relationship to those they represent and to each other. Immediately a man or a group of men assume office, politics as usually understood should cease to function.

It is frequently stated "If the Provincial Government was of a different political color it would receive more generous treatment from the Dominion Government and if the Municipality has elected a Council more friendly to the Legislature it's requests would receive more favorable consideration.

It is this party attitude of opposition and suspicion so far as it exists between the governing bodies of Canada which I deplore and would welcome a spirit of absolute confidence and cooperation in it's place. It is only under the influence of such a friendly spirit that the problems of government can be equitably adjusted.

Where there is government there must be money or taxes to pay for the services rendered.

In Canada we have three distinct governing bodies, Dominion, Federal and Municipal, and we should endeavor to divide our sources of revenue honestly and in true proportion to the services each government is called upon to render to it's people.

The Imperial Parliament in the British North American Act made certain well defined divisions between the Dominion and Provincial Governments regarding their respective sources of revenue and field of taxation.

The sources of revenue and taxation of the Municipalities are assigned to them by statute of the Provincial legislatures, the main source being the tax on real property which in many cases amounts to from eighty to eighty-five per cent of the total revenue, the remainder being made up of business tax, poll tax, licenses, fines, etc. which are collected under civic by-laws.

Early in the history of the country a reasonable tax of from 15 to 20 mills on a reasonable assessment of real property augmented by a small income derived from operation of civic by-laws provided the necessary funds for the municipality to carry on and meet it's current expenditures as the demands for community services were comparatively few.

Conditions have changed during the last twenty years. Education, social legislation and other demands have more than doubled our tax burden, at the same time assessments have fallen until municipalities must have additional sources of revenue if they are to function property. We have been laboring under the illusion too long, namely : that all it is necessary for the Council to do to increase it's revenue is to increase the assessment on real property, push up the mill rate and the dollars will come rolling into the Civic Treasury. It does not work out that way. Instead of increased revenue there is usually a decided increase in the amount of property which reverts back to the municipality through tax sale proceedings. It should be recognized by all municipal councils that there is a point beyond which taxation on real property can not go and be sound. When a resident cannot own his home and pay taxes and a fair return on the investment (say six per cent) and save twenty-five per cent on what he would have to pay for rent there is something wrong. The taxes are too high or he has invested unwisely. The earning power under normal conditions should determine the assessment. Is it not true however, that in most cities it is cheaper to rent a home than to own one which is not a desirable condition. A city of homes is always more permanent than a city of tenants. What is the remedy ?

1. Every municipality should revise it's assessment and tax rate on its real property to a fair revenue bearing basis, and ascertain fairly accurately what revenue they can rely upon annually from that source.

2. A conference not too large but representative, between the three governing bodies and a fair and just allocation made to each governing body consistent with services they are called upon to perform.

In the past ten years municipal councils have been endeavoring to keep down and have reduced municipal debts and expenditures.

There has been a continual demand for increased services and municipal revenue has been steadily decreasing which creates an impossible situation. At the same time the demands on the Provincial Treasurer have increased, their revenue has increased by leaps and bounds because of the new avenues of revenue they have been able to tap, but which are denied to the municipality.

I beg to submit that all taxes or revenues which are derived from sources directly within the municipality rightfully belong to the municipality, such as :

1. Real property taxes on a true valuation and a reasonable mill rate in no case to exceed 30 mills, including education.

2. All Police Court fines and costs.

3. The amusement tax.

4. Automobile licenses sold in the municipality.

5. Half the liquor profits. The Municipality usually has to give relief to the wife and family to take the place of the money the husband spends for liquor.

6. Succession duties. This money is usually made in the municipality where the deceased has lived and the Provincial Government has no rightful claim to any of the money.

7. License fees under Municipal by-laws.

8. Poll tax. Every adult citizen should make some contribution to the cost of Government.

9. Half the annual subsidy paid by the Dominion Government should be transferred on a per capita basis to the municipalities.

As our Canadian citizenship is national, not municipal, the Dominion Government should provide for its citizens who are unable to take care of themselves such as the aged and infirm, by pension or in institutions, all neglected children, all adult indigents, all hospitals and medical attention for those requiring the same and unable to pay for it, work for the unemployed and relief should be paid by Provincial and Dominion Governments. They are largely responsible for bringing these people to the country fit or unfit for many years. The municipalities have had no say and should not have to pay for it.

The wives and families of those put in jail for crime should be cared for by the government which put them there. The municipalities should be relieved of all these charges as they properly belong to the Dominion Government.

Next in importance to increasing our municipal revenue and being relieved of heavy responsibilities which do not belong to the municipalities as above outlined, is the question of collection of taxes and should not be overlooked in a paper on taxation. It is just as important to collect our taxes as it is to levy them and this is where our municipal system is weak. We have made it too easy to get in debt to the municipality and too hard to get out. We have been the bankers of the people too long. We have learned too much on tax sale proceedings to collect, and it has not worked out very well. Instead of the debt being paid the property has come back and we still have it. No business man could carry on long under such procedure, neither can a municipality. It is not good for the ratepayer, nor for the municipality. It should be made clear that taxes are just as much a debt as a grocery bill and should be paid just as promptly. Debt is our hardest master.

Another necessary reform in our municipal finance is a better control by the Council of our school expenditures. Education is costing too much and we are not getting our money's worth or the right kind to help our boys and girls to be independent and dig for themselves. There are too many subjects taught that have no practical value for the average boy or girl, time and money wasted.

The question of tax exemption is worthy of some consideration. It has an important bearing on municipal finance. In Brandon one third of our real property is exempt. The policy is unsound and should be abolished. It has been used as a lever by promoters between municipalities to find out how much the average community is willing to give away and has cost the people of Canada millions of dollars. If we would stand together this municipal habit could soon be overcome.

In further consideration of this subject we should keep these principles in mind :

1. Every tax should be based on the "ability to pay" which means an "equality of sacrifice."

2. Every tax ought to be levied at the time and in the manner in which it is most convenient to pay it.

3. Every tax ought to take out of the pockets of the people as little as possible over and above what it brings to the public treasury.

4. The municipality should receive a dollar's worth of value for every dollar spent.

Musical Cruisaders to Resume Travels

With its network of twenty-six broadcasting stations linking Halifax, Nova Scotia, with Victoria B.C., the Canadian Pacific Railway hour of music on Friday evenings gives a very complete coverage of Canadian radio listeners. The programmes planned for the winter season 1931-1932 will consist chiefly of musical travelogues, interpreting the music of various European and Mediterranean countries. Programmes on similar lines were provided last winter by the celebrated Ensemble known as the Musical Cruisaders, and these brought in so many letters from intending visitors to Europe who desired further information on this subject, and also from new Canadians of European origin settled in Western Canada, that this type of programme has been selected for the coming season as being useful as well as entertaining.

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This has necessitated a vast amount of research which has been undertaken for the Canadian Pacific Radio department by George M. Brewer, well-known organist and composer of Montreal. Each hour of music includes approximately 20 selections, so that for the series of 18 musical travelogues which has been planned, Mr. Brewer has had to select a total of 360 numbers, each with its special interest and each illustrating some particular phase of the country concerned.

These musical travelogues will be interpreted by the Musical Cruisaders, under the direction of Alfred Heather, assisted by Rex Battle's Royal York Concert Orchestra, supported by a specially designed studio organ built by J. E. Pepin, of Montreal. There will also be guest artists of various nationalities for certain of the programmes.

This series commences on October 2, with a programme of music from Norway, followed on October 9 by a programme of Danish and Icelandic music. There will be programmes of Spanish, French and German music, and concerts illustrating the music of Sweden, Finland, Italy, Belgium, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia, Greece, Turkey, Poland, Hungary, Egypt, Scotland and Ireland. Interspersed in these musical travelogues will be other general programmes—for instance, a programme of music rendered by a choir in London, Ontario, on November 20. This series of programmes will be of great educational interest as well as being highly entertaining, and will undoubtedly prove one of the major attractions of the coming season.

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Quebec Provincial Women's Institutes to be represented in Report of World Wide Amalgamation of Rural Women's Institutes.

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Quebec has been invited to fill a certain amount of space in this book, and a brief resume of Women's Institute activities in the Province has gone forward for this purpose. Each of the other provinces has received a similar request which will doubtless be taken advantage of.

The hope of the promoters of this organization is that, although quite informal in character, it may serve the useful purpose of welding the rural women's societies of the world into a common bond of friendship and service.

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FINAL INSTALMENT

"I have thought it over. I've been thinking it over since that night in Cheyenne—the first time we had to show the certificate. We won't have to show any certificate here. We're as free as the birds and the flowers."

"Rack and Ruff will expect us in tonight. They won't like it."

"They're not expecting us. I wired them two days ago that we wouldn't be home until Monday."

"Are—we going to stay here—until Monday ?"

"We are," said Peter firmly.

"Peter, Peter," said Rowena. "be careful, oh be careful ! If—you do this it—it will give me a grand chance to be mean to you—if I want to. I can make it hard for you to get a divorce--I can get alimony—"

"It'll be worth it," said Peter grimly. "Besides," he added smiling "even when you are Mrs. Peter Blande in fact, at heart you will still be just Rowena Rostand. You are immortal."

Rowena did a strange thing. She clasped both her hands tightly over Peter's arm and looked up into his face—deep, deep into his eyes—searchingly, for a long time and did not speak. Peter's fell at least before the intensity of her silent gaze but there was no diminution of purpose in his manner.

"And you ought to know by this time that when I make up my mind, it's made," he said doggedly. "So you needn't try to talk me out of it."

"I'm not going to try," said Rowena faintly.

He helped her out of the rumble and cautioned her to be careful of the rocky path up the hill.

"It's easy to get a twisted ankle here," he said.

He even asked her to help carry his bundles up from the car and filled her arms with them. At the foot of the steps that led to the wide unroofed piazza, he kicked over a stone and produced a big brass key that lay beneath.

"Look at this," he said. "The cabin's a sort of open house for everybody and his friend, and the key bears the household motto. 'Come easy—go easy'—see ?"

"Appropriate to week-end honeymooners, like us," she said quietly.

"You would say that," said Peter. "I assure you that was not the idea back of it."

The cottage, which consisted of but one immense room and a huge screened bath, with miniature kitchenette, was roughly finished with heavy oaken beams There was a great fireplace of natural stone and running end to end away from it on both sides were studio couches against the wall, comprising three full sides of the cottage.

Water was supplied by a wind mill among the rocks higher up the hill, and Peter invited Rowena up with him to witness the ceremony of chaining the wind.

"It's our one servant up here" he said. "Loosing the windmill is one of the real events of coming up. When there is a crowd they do it with a great processional, with incense and incantations. But our minds are on other things tonight so we won't bother."

Rowena followed him down the steep rocky path to the cabin again.

"Been here often ?" she asked casually.

"Yes." Peter was laying a fire in the grate.

"Were you here with crowds—or just—alone ?"

"Both."

Rowena walked about the cabin ruffling her bronze-bright hair with both hands. She looked at the pictures—the autographs—the candlesticks— the incense burners.

"Belongs to a woman, doesn't it, Peter ?"

"Yes."

Peter was opening up his bundles and putting the food supplies in their proper compart ments.

"Do you think she'll like your bringing another-woman-here?"

"I don't care whether she she does or not."

Rowena threw off her air of quiet moodiness. She rolled up the sleeves of her blouse and asked for a job.

"You can put the rolls in the oven," said Peter. "And you may as well get as much fun out of things as you can. There's no use to try to get away. You can't."

"I'm not going to try," she said.

Peter pressed the button that started the electric refrigeration pulled out the drop-leaf table & measured four cups of water in to the tea-kettle.

"I hope you're hungry," he said. "We're eating camp rations tonight. Tomorrow I'll show you some good country cooking for I'm really the cabins' star chef. But tonight my mind's on other things and I don't want to be bothered. Our fare will be quick and rough, & it will require an appetite to enjoy it."

"I'm just ravenous," said Rowena politely, although knowing very well that the smallest crumb would catch in her throat

Peter measured four tablespoonfuls of coffee into the pot and poured boiling water over it to drip. Then he set the table with silverware of sorts and paper plates —"We never wash anything but silver and pans up here," he explained, "and toss a coin to see who has to do it." He laid out slices of cold roast beef and liverwurst, potato salad, crackers and cheese. Then he opened a can of soup, adding an equal portion of water according to directions on the can.

"You see, when I think of providing for you as a good husband should," he said, "I can't get away from soup and crackers and cheese. The cheese trust ought to give you a discount. I wonder you haven't got a band of mice following you about. What a Pied Piper you'd be for Hamelin !"

Rowena laughed tolerantly, "Cheese is very good for one," she said.

Peter opened up a bottle of horse raddish, put salt and pep per on the table, and sugar, cursing softly because he had forgotten cream for the coffee. Then he filled a great bowl with fresh fruit for a center piece with candlesticks around it.

"Here you are, Mrs. Blande," he said jauntily, and held a chair for her.

Rowena sank down, a little breathless, rather pale.

Just the barest fraction of an instant Peter hesitated. Then he lifted her face with a very determined forefinger—and touched his lips to hers, faintly, almost timidly at first and then with a stubbornly rising courage crushed them roughly. It was with quite an air of bold bravado that he went to his own chair opposite, but his face flushed and his eyes did not meet hers.

Rowena threw off her nervous ness in forced laughter.

"Oh, Pumpkin Eater," she said gaily, though her voice was that of one who has too little breath for a torrent of tumbling words, "fancy all this furoo after three solid months of marriage."

"You won't be laughing about it three days from now," he said grimly.

"Oh, maybe I will," she answered cheerfully. "I'm one of the grandest little laughers you ever saw in your life."

He smiled at her suddenly. "Yes, you are, I'll say that for you. You are just great about—things like that."

Deftly he served a portion of salad and meat on a paper plate for her, and poured the coffee.

"Sorry to have nothing better than canned cow for your wedding-night," he said.

"Oh, I adore canned cow. I always ask for it at all my weddings."

She was glad to have the coffee and drank it steaming hot although it scorched her throat. But she could not eat.

'Why don't you eat, Rowena ? he demanded.

"I'm not hungry."

"You're not nervous, I hope—not frightened or anything."

"Not in the least. I'm just not hungry."

"Why, aren't you hungry ? You haven't had anything to eat for hours," he persisted stubbornly.

I never have much appetite, Peter. You know I never eat much."

But you haven't eaten anything. You usually eat something. You didn't even eat adored soup. You're not sick, are you ?"

"No." She smiled at him, the friendly warm smile that was genuinely Rowena. "I think maybe it's because I feel so sorry for you, Peter."

"Sorry—for—me"

"Yes. Because you're doing such a very stupid thing and putting yourself in my power like this. I can do quite terrible things to you—after this—if I want to.—And I can be most frightfully mean—if I want to."

"Yes, I know that."

"You don't know anything yet," she assured him.

"Oh, well, I'm taking the chance."

When they had finished supper he cleared away the dishes quickly and shoved the table into its corner. Then he drew the big, high-backed divan before the smoldering fire and heaped it with cushions, and turned out all the lights but left two candles glimmering on the mantel.

She did not hesitate but went over at once and sank down among the cushions in the corner of the big divan. Peter sank beside her and drew her into his arms, and Constantine crouched at their feet. Rowena made no resistance. For some time they sat there, motionless and silent, both staring, a little awed and very sober, into the flickering fire. It was very still—the stillness seemed to touch them, to make them one with it. The light was low. Little soft scents of wood and pine, and smoke crept out to them. Little soft sounds of night in the hills crept in to them. The chirr of katydids filled the air.

Suddenly Peter lifted his hand and drew her face toward him until her lips lay against his throat. His hand caressed her shining, bronze-gold hair.

"Close your eyes," he said. "It's quite dark here and I will not talk. Maybe you can forget it's only Peter and think it's some one you like."

Rowena lay very still, scarcely breathing, against him. He could feel her lips upon his throat quivering ever so little.

"Peter," she said.

"Mmmmm," he murmured indistinguishably.

"Who—Whose cabin is it?"

He laughed softly. "Do—do you care ?"

Unconsciously she stiffened a little in his arms, her quivering lips grew firm. But she pressed more closely into the curve of his arm.

"No," she said firmly.

"It's my mother's", he said. "She likes this sort of thing."

Rowena relaxed and laughed a little, tremulously. And the throbbing silence enfolded them warmly.

After a long while—"Peter", she said again.

"Mmmmmmm."

"It's the third and last warning.—You'd better take me to town—take me right away quick—as fast as ever you can—"

"It's too late now."

"Too late is better than—never," she said. "And pretty soon it will be never." Unconsciously their voices had fallen to whispers. "It's never really too late—until it really is—too late," she added enigmatically. "Peter—believe me—you'd better—"

Again he laughed softly. Why Rowena, why ?—You are my wife—"

"Because if you don't-I warn you, Peter !—I'll never let you go again—never--as long as you live—and it will be too late for ever."

Even against the straining of her arms about him she wondered breathlessly if he would rise up at that and go away. But of course he didn't. He laughed again, an odd pleased laugh, and pressed his lips to her fragrant hair.

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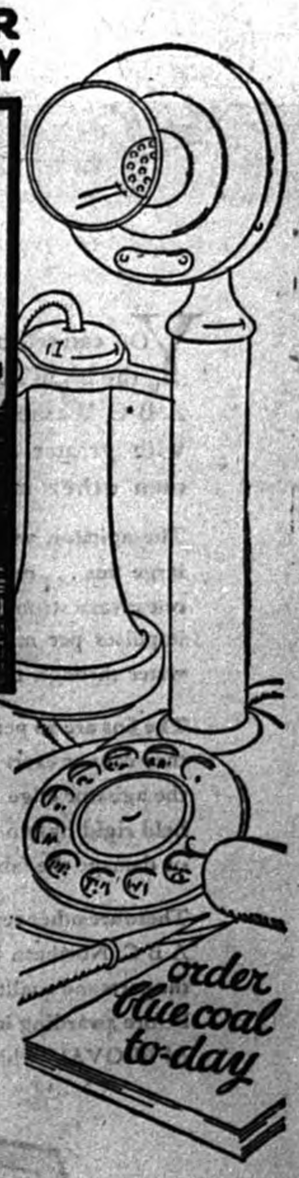

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11 a.m., Church Service.

Chatham West Church :
2 p.m., Sunday School.
3 p.m., Church Service.
Tuesday, 7.30 p.m., Quarterly Business Meeting.

Brownsburg Maple Ave.
10 a.m., Sunday School.
7 p.m., Church Service.
Subject : "A Sermon from the Dishpan."

Monday, 8 p.m., Quarterly Business Meeting, Wednesday 8 p.m., B.Y.P.U.

IN MEMORIAM

GAULEY,—In loving remembrance of our dear brother, Gordon, who passed away on Sept. 29th., 1927.

The silent grief in the soul,
No human eye can trace,
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Ever remembered by his two sisters, Flossie and Euphemia

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Lesson for October 4

THE MACEDONIAN CALL

GOLDEN TEXT—Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 15:36-16:15; Romans 15:18-21.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul Takes the Gospel to Other Lands.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul Takes the Gospel to Europe.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Christianity Came to Europe.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—What Took Paul to Europe.

I. Finding an Assistant for Paul (Acts 15:35-16:5).

1. Contention over John Mark (vv. 36-41).

a. Paul's proposal (v. 36). This was to revisit the scenes of their missionary endeavor to find out what progress the believers were making in their Christian life.

b. Determination of Barnabas (v. 37). This was to take with them John Mark. Mark was Barnabas' nephew (Col. 4:10).

c. Paul's opposition (v. 38). He was suspicious of Mark because of his desertion on the first journey (Acts 13:13).

d. Their separation (vv. 39-41). Their contention was so sharp that they separated. Paul's leadership under God in the evangelization of the world presumably entitles him to a clearer understanding of Mark. Mark should have another chance, but Paul's very sternness brought him to his senses. God overruled this incident to the wider extension of the work. Barnabas took Mark and sailed to Cyprus. Paul chose Silas.

2. Finding Timothy (16:1-5).

a. The place (v. 1). It was the very place where Paul on his first journey had endured cruel stoning. The conversion of this young man may be regarded as fruitage of his testimony at that time.

b. His parentage (v. 1). His mother was a believing Jewess and his father a Greek.

c. His character (v. 2). He had a good reputation in the church at Lystra and Iconium.

d. His circumcision (v. 3). Timothy had not been circumcised, doubtless because his father was a Gentile. In order to avoid offense among the Jews, Paul circumcised him.

e. The ministry of Paul and Timothy through the cities (vv. 4, 5). They went through the cities and delivered the decrees which had been ordained at the Jerusalem council (Acts 15:19-24).

II. Forbidden to Preach the Word in Asia (16:6-8).

The inclination of Paul was to tarry in Asia Minor preaching the word, but contrary to this inclination they were hurried along. We have here a fine example of divine guidance. The Holy Spirit is just as active and faithful in closing as in opening doors.

III. The Call to Macedonia (vv. 9-12).

The time had now come for the gospel to begin its conquest of another continent. The crossing of the gospel from Asia to Europe determined the entire history of the Church.

1. The vision (v. 9). Being hemmed in on all sides, a vision was given to Paul of a man of Macedonia pleading for help. This made clear to him the meaning of the closed doors.

2. The advance (vv. 10-12). As soon as the divine way was known, they moved forward. Visions must be quickly translated into aggressive action, or they are blotted from our skies.

IV. The First Convert in Europe (vv. 13-15).

The devout people were accustomed to worship at the riverside. To a humble gathering of this kind Paul came and preached. Lydia, a business woman from Thyatira, believed his message and was baptized. The steps in her conversion are worthy of note for they are typical

1. Atendance at the place of worship (v. 13).

2. Listened to the preaching of the word of God (vv. 13, 14). The instrument used in the conversation of sinners is the word of God (Romans 10:17).

3. Her heart was opened by the Lord (v. 14).

4. She was baptized (v. 15). Everyone whose heart the Lord opens desires to confess him in baptism.

5. Her household believed (v. 15), and immediately proffered hospitality to those who had brought blessing to them.

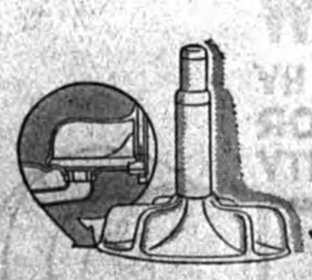
V. Preaching the Gospel Where Christ Was Not Named (Rom. 15:18-21). This was Paul's missionary program. As the apostle to the Gentiles, his work was to be on an independent basis.

Upon Your Knees

A marble cutter, with chisel and hammer, was changing a stone into a statue. A preached looking on, said: "I wish I could deal such clanging blows on stony hearts." The workman made answer: "Maybe you could, if you worked like me, upon your knees."—Contributed by Verta M. Naylor.

A Consistent Life

A constant life honors God and yourself.—John Timothy Stone.



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(N.B.—Field Day previously advertised for September 26th., was postponed on account of the bad weather.)

The next meeting of the St. Simeon's Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Miller. East ward, Lachute, on Thursday, October 15th.

A Jiggs' Supper, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Lachute United Church will be given in the Hall of the Church, on Friday evening, the 23rd. of October at 6.30 p.m.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Lachute Presbyterian Church intend holding their Annual Fall Sale and tea on Saturday, the 21st. of November next.
O-11-1-p.

The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, No. 943, will hold their Anniversary Dance in Louisa Hall, Friday, Oct. 16th. at 8.30 p.m. Admission 35c. Refreshments served and a good time for all. O-16-2-c.

A Raffle will be held at River-Side Hall, on October 15th., 1931 on a 38.55 winchester. H. Reilly, Prop. No drinking allowed.

A Dance and Drawing for Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens will be held at Grand View Hall Lakefield, Tuesday, Oct. 20th. at 8.30 p.m. Tickets 50 cents, includes dance. Tickets on sale at Hall.

A Dance will be given by the Young People of Lachute, on Friday evening, October 9th., in the Geneva Community Hall. Refreshments will be served. Come and enjoy yourselves.

Large Wolf Shot.

For some months past in the district of Monalea, just south of St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, a number of sheep have been disappearing and from this fact and the strange howling heard at night it was conceded that there was a wolf in the district. Keeping watchful look-out Mr. Wm. H. Robert saw the animal nearing his house about 2.30 a.m. and with a well aimed shot soon put an end to the existing terror. We are sure the residents of this district will now feel much more at ease, thanks to Mr. Robert.

Masons Visit Buckingham.

On Thursday last a delegation from Lachute attended Acacia Lodge, Buckingham, on the occasion of the Official Visit of the District Deputy Grand Master, Bro. Cooper. Among others it was our pleasure to renew acquaintance with our old school friend Harcourt Church, who is now a Doctor at Aylmer, and also has the honor of being Grand Senior Warden in the Grand Lodge of Quebec. All were loyally entertained and hope to make another visit.

Interprovincial Bridge to be Named in Perley's Honor.

The long talked of and eagerly anticipated Interprovincial Bridge between Hawkesbury & Grenville is soon to be a reality. It is now nearing completion and a tentative date of October 20th. has been set for its opening, at which time there will be an impressive ceremony to mark the occasion.

The name "Perley Bridge" will be in honor of our member, Sir George H. Perley, who has faithfully represented Argenteuil county in the Upper House since 1904 and who has worked so hard to have this necessity accomplished.

The cost of this undertaking is approximately $500,000 and is being equally shared by the Federal and two Provincial Governments and will it is hoped help to bind Quebec and Ontario more closely together in both social and business activities.

Staniforth's Store Robbed.

A somewhat daring robbery took place early this morning when Wm. Staniforth's Store was broken into, entrance being made through the rear. The culprits were apparently in no great rush for they carefully selected a $35. Overcoat, three Suits, four pairs of Boots, Socks four leather coats and sweaters. Evidently they believe in the rumor that its going to be a hard winter and are making due preparation. The loss runs over $150.

Old clothes were found in a C. P. R. Box car this morning along with several tags and tic kets which had been clipped from the stolen goods.

Provincial Headquarters were notified immediately the discovery was made and it is to be hoped that arrests will follow shortly.

DEATH

MUIR,—At the Montreal General Hospital, on October 3rd. Richard Fulton Muir, in his 77th. year.

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Local news of the Week

Mrs. P. Monette spent last Friday visiting friends in town.

Mrs. L. H. Fisher, of Ottawa, spent a few days this week the guest of Mrs. John Hope.

Mrs. Isaac Fulton is in the Montreal General Hospital, undergoing an operation.

Miss J. Rodrigue spent the week-end in Ahuntsic the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rodrigue.

Miss Jessie Logan spent the week-end in Montreal, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones.

Miss Pearl McMahon of Ste. Eustache, was the guest of Miss Gertrude McMahon over the week-end.

Mrs. J. S. Giles and Miss K. Giles spent the week-end with friends in Montreal and Ahuntsic.

Mr .and Mrs. Wm. Deacon & daughter Louise spent the week-end visiting friends in Morin Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsworthy and daughter Louise spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carpenter, of Copper Cliff, Ont., spent their holidays here with Mr. & Mrs. Jas. Carpenter.

Mr. Jos. Berniquer tendered a banquet to the Lachute and Brownsburg Bowlers. Speeches were given and a pleasant evening spent.

Miss Emily MacGown of Lachine, and Mr. Neil McGillis, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of their grandmother, Mrs. J. Mackie.

Mrs. James Logan returned home, after spending two week's holiday with her daughter, Miss Ada and Mr. Frank Rowe, of Clarence.

After a three year stay in Lachute, Mr. Palmer Dupras has been transferred to the Head Office of the Bank of Montreal at Quebec and left on Saturday last to resume his new duties.

If those who have potted slips and ferns to send to Montreal in connection with the Flower Committee will send them to Mrs. Squires' home before Oct. 14th., they will be shipped from there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McKeen and family, of Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKeen and family, of Ottawa; Mr. H. Brooks, of Belleville; and Mr. Jim Dawber, of Montreal, spent the week end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McFaul.

NOW FOLK ! Here is something that you are going to like. Its very original,—first time in Lachute. The famous JIGGS' Supper is going to be served by the Ladies of the United Church on October the 23rd. Plan to be there. Its going to be good, so tell your friends about it. Don't forget !

Among those who attended the McComb--Dobbie wedding were Mr. R. Roy Dobbie, of Cushing; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon; Miss Maud Dobbie of Lachute; Mr. Robert McComb, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McComb, Mr. Wesley McComb, Mr. and Mrs. Mannagh, all of St. Chrysosthome; Mr. J. McComb, of Montreal.

The Junior Choir of the Lachute Presbyterian Church has again resumed its practice. The attendance was very encouraging to its director, Rev. Henry Cousens, who is planning a programme that will be very interesting throughout the season. Officers for 1931-32 were elected resulting as follows:--President Janet Hay; Vice-President, Wilson Gall; Sec.-Treas., Helen McFaul.

A meeting of the Literary and Dramatic Society will be held in McArthur's Hall, Tuesday, Oct. 13th., at 8.30 o'clock. The meeting will consist of a General and Literary one. The remainder of the evening will be spent in a social manner. Literary program - Lytton Strachey and modern biography. All interested in any way with the Literary and Dramatic Society are kindly asked to be present.

OBITUARY

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The Late Richard Muir

Death has removed from our midst a life long and highly respected citizen in the person of the late Richard Muir, who passed away at the Montreal General Hospital, on October 3rd. Deceased gentleman who was 77 years of age was born here and farmed during his life time in Upper Lachute, retiring some 14 years ago and taking up residence in the East Ward. He was married to Anna McFarlane, who predeceased him in March 1927. Seven children are left to mourn the loss of a loving and devoted father Mrs. K. McKay, of St. Urbain, Chataguay; Mrs. R. McAdam, Lachute; Mrs. G. S. McDonald, Flint, Mich; Mrs. Thos. Nicoll, Port Arthur and Mrs. A. McLean, Lachute; also two sons Ross and George, of Lachute. One sister Mrs. G. Hills and a brother James, of McGregor, Man., also remain.

Mr. Muir had been ailing in health for some years and was removed to Hospital recently where an operation was performed and everything possible done to save his life, but without result.

The funeral which was held from his late residence was conducted by the Rev. H. Cousens, and was one of the largest ever known in this vicinity.

The pall bearers were Messrs. J. E. Walker, J. E. Bourbonniere, Thos. McGregor, William Morrison, Wm. McOuat, and Major S. E. Smith.

Interment was made in the Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

Mrs. Robert Robertson & son Donald, of Toronto, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Barker.

Mr. Claude Roby of the Montreal Technical School, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Roby.

The Fall Thank-Offering Service of the Women's Missionary Society of the Lachute United Church is to be held on Thursday evening, Oct. 15th., at 8 o'clock. The special speaker will be Rev. Frank Hoffman, B.D., L.L.D., Hungarian Missionary of the United Church to the non-Anglo-Saxons in Saskatchewan. Those who would like to learn about the present situation in Western Canada from one, who knows it in every detail, cannot afford to miss hearing Dr. Hoffman. All are welcome.

WEDDING BELLS

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Dixon — Swail

A very pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized at the Baptist Manse, Brownsburg, when Lulu Edith daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Swail of Arundel, Que., was united in marriage to Mr. Henry Howard Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Dixon of Dalesville, Que. The Rev. E. G. Baxter officiated. The bride who was given in marriage by her father was unattended. She wore a pretty model of sanmarco blue flat crepe with hat to match.

After luncheon was served Mr. and Mrs. Dixon left on a motor trip followed by the good wishes of their many friends.

Golf and Tennis Club Festival.

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Saturday next, will be a big Day at the Golf and Tennis Club Grounds, when a Grand Festival is taking place. There will be different forms of entertainment commencing at two o'clock and a real good time can be expected. During the afternoon the drawing for which a number of tickets are still for Sale will take place. The various prizes for the lucky numbers are on display in the window of Mr. J. W. Lefebvre and comprise among other beautiful gifts a Radio. Take a look at see for yourself, then buy some more tickets for everyone has an equal chance to win.

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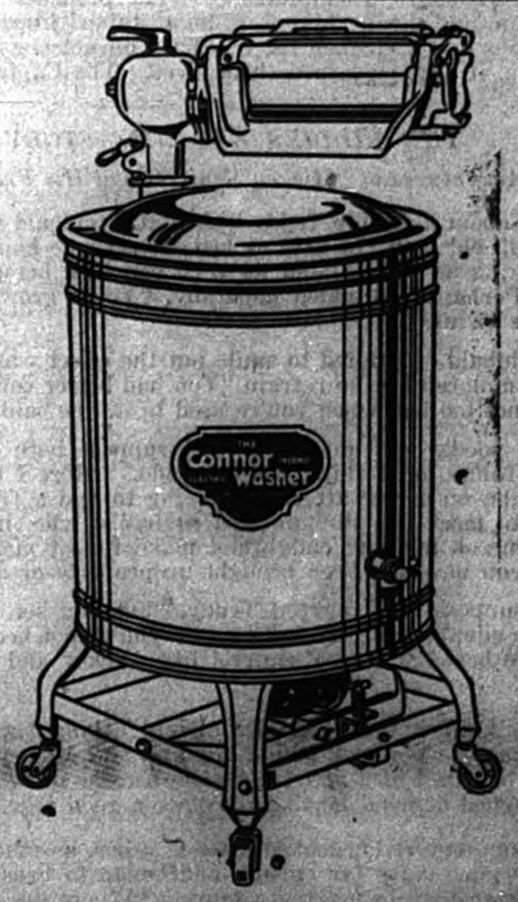

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The Captain's Corner

THE CAPTAIN'S LETTER

"On the Train in Ontario"

Dear Boys and Girls :

I am writing you this letter seated in a train, which is quickly carrying me towards the distant city in which I have to carry on my business.

On going down to the station at about half past eight, this morning—my train started at nine o'clock—I met many boys and girls carrying their books, as they made their way to school and I knew that quite a number of my young readers would be doing the same.

I have just looked out of the window and the trees, telegraph poles, fields and hills are passing swiftly by. This is because we are travelling over a long level stretch of ground, which if anything is slightly down hill. A little while ago we were moving very slowly, because the engine was climbing up a hill and has to pull a very large number of coaches, and not long ago we passed over a bridge under which flowed a beautiful winding river.

Now the reason I am telling you about the train, how we are travelling, and the boys and girls I met going to school is this—When YOU are in school you are just doing the same as I am doing at this moment—TRAVELLING. The only difference is that while I am moving along to a distant city, you are progressing towards, what is going to be the "City of your Opportunity," your future work and career when you grow up. We coast down hills, which we could quite properly name "Difficulty hills" then we need POWER. Lacking power we would both, I in my train, and you in your school, just remain stationary doing nothing, getting nowhere.

Very soon this long, winding, iron road will be covered, the bridges crossed safely, the hills all surmounted and my train will run into the depot and stop, it travels over for the time being. You have a much longer journey in front of you but remember. KEEP GOING.

"Its not the way, the distance or the goal,
That really matters, if our thoughts be true,
Its unison of body, mind and soul
That gives the POWER, that will see us through."

Your very affectionate friend,

THE CAPTAIN.

P.S.—I am hoping that some of my elder boy and girl readers, particularly those attending Lachute Academy, will read, and understand, my message in this letter. O. J. A.

WILLIE WONDERS

What British Gum is ?

You taste British Gum every time you lick a stamp to put it on a letter; all over the world the substance is much used for the purpose of backing adhesive stamps on account of its purity and adhesiveness. Another name for British gum is "dextrine". In appearance it is a pale yellowish powder which dissolves easily in water. Dextrine is made by subjecting starch to a very high degree of heat, which converts it into dextrine. Almost every plant in the world contains some starch; rice, for instance is nearly all starch.

IS THIS YOUR NAME ?

(Each line contains part of a boy's name)

The Madrigal to which the cats gave vent.
Lacked a pianoforte accompaniment.

A prize is offered for the first correct solution received by the Captain.

A RECORD

America holds a great number of queer records, and now they claim another—that for the longest sermon ever preached. It lasted 12 hours, 10 minutes ! The preacher was a negro clergyman, and during his effort he sustained himself with four lamb chops and a chicken leg ! (They do not say how the congregation, if any, sustained themselves. The Captain.)

THE KIDDIES BED-TIME STORY

Adventures of "Mickey Squirrel and His Friends.

For about a minute Teddy looked at Archibald with concern. "Cheer up old man" he said at last, "Everyone knows you can't help looking as you do, and its very bad luck being a dog anyway. "Perhaps" he added hopefully, "You'll grow better looking after awhile."

Archibald attempted to smile but the effect was so bad that Mickey implored him to refrain "You had better continue to look sad, its not too bad when you're used to it," he said kindly.

The poodle was disgusted. "I suppose both of you think you are funny but I think you are rude. Here I am, just taking a walk, on a nice afternoon, trying to find a friend, when I happen to meet two ill-mannered squirrels, who, instead of directing me on my way, laugh and make fun of me. It is quite evident you have not been brought up properly or at all nicely."

"I suppose not," agreed Teddy, "but you see we have not had your advantages. Well its a pity you've not been taught the difference between a tree squirrel like Mickey and a Chipmunk like me."

"Oh, I know the difference alright" flung back Archibald, "That's easy.' You look stupid and are, and Mickey doesn't look silly and is" ha ! ha ! and the poodle became quite happy again as he laughed at what he thought quite a good joke.

Mickey and Teddy looked at each other, as much as to say; "this has gone quite far enough and began to brush themselves down preparatory to making a move. "Where are you off to ?" asked Archibald, "I thought you were going to show me the way to Bunny Rabbitt."

"What ! After what you've said just this very minute," replied Mickey indignantly. "Now just listen to that ! Some people HAVE got nerve ! No, Sir, you'll just find your own way, if you can. We don't walk with rude people; do we Teddy?"

"I should just, jolly well think we don't, besides which, stupid people don't know enough to show the way to anyone" replied his cousin.

Archibald at once saw he had made a mistake. He knew that by himself he would never be able to find Bunny, and it was most urgent that he should do so quickly, on account of very private reasons of his own; so he decided that the best thing he could do would be to keep friends with his companions; But how?

Then a brilliant idea came into his head. "One moment," he pleaded. "I am very sorry I was rude a moment ago, I didn't mean to be, really, I didn't. Now, if you are going over to see Bunny Rabbitt and will let me come with you I would like nothing better than to hear our friend Teddy sing some of his rhymes."

"My Aunt !" gasped Mickey, hardly able to believe his ears. "You WANT to hear Teddy—You really mean you would LIKE to listen to his stupid rhymes ! Well if I had needed any further proof to convince me that you were slightly mad, you've just said it." But Teddy was appeased at once. "Oh, if that's the case, just come along with us," he said graciously, "I feel like singing," and he immediately raised his little voice and sang.

"We're on our way to see a friend,
Possessing seeds and nuts no end.
And underneath the earth below
He's lots of other things I know.
So hurry, hurry, lets be moving.
And of the best I'll have the choosing."

"Fine, fine," applauded Archibald, "Now I call that real poetry, lets have some more."

Mickey groaned as if he was going to be ill, but Teddy, highly delighted continued happily.

"I am glad you find my poetry good,
You know I rather thought you would;
Though you are looking badly mauled
You're still my friend oh, Archibald !
Its not your fault your face is funny
And there's no hair upon your tummy."

Now kiddies we must leave off here. No more space left. More fun with Mickey next week. Good night Sleepy-heads.

OUR JOKE CORNER.

(*Contributed this week by Arthur Newton*)

"Did you hear about the man who swallowed his teaspoon?"
"No, what happened to him ?
"He can't stir."

Foul Milk for Sale—Cow, giving six gallons also young turkey. Call East. 317.

Dangerous Business.—"I hear you rode on the Cow-catcher of a locomotive once. I bet you were scared."
"You bet ! I didn't know what minute I was going to be hit by an auto."

Why Oh Why ?—Sambo "Didn't you tell me that procrastinate means to put off ?

Rastus—"Dat am de signification of the word - yes Sir."

Sambo—"Den why did that street car conductor laugh when I says "Procrastinate me at twenty first street ?"

Genuine.—Biltmore Waiter—"What soup ?"
Bill Rogers—"Is it good soup ?"
Waiter—"Sure, fourteen carrot."

Heights of Sadness.—After all there is nothing more pathetic than a horse fly on an auto radiator.

Something to Ask Dad.—"What is the heaviest part of a fish ?"
"The Scales."

"What is black and white and read all over ?"
A newspaper.

"What bird can lift the heaviest weight ? The Crane !

Think of This !

For a long time there was a big argument in Georgia about whether alligators ate fish. Some said they did, while others were quite sure they didn't. To prove it one way or the other Dr. Griffiths, of the United States Public Health Department made an examination of an alligator which had been shot.

The "inside information" proved that the alligator does eat fish. The doctor found 286 fish in the alligator's stomach. It had apparently just had its dinner before it was shot.

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Greece's Point, Que.

Dear Captain :

I have been reading the Captain's Corner every week and I would like to become a member. I was thirteen on September 10th. My full name is Alice Dorothy Morrow and I am in grade seven at school. Alice D. Morrow.

Thanks Alice for your letter. Our Club Members are enrolling from north, south, east and west, and I am very pleased to see our friends from Greece's Point taking advantage of our club. Captain.

Greece's Point, Que.

Dear Captain :

I have been reading the Captain's Corner every week and thought I would write. I have a kitten for a pet. I am eleven years old. I would like to become a member of the birthday club. I promise to try and remember the rules.

Your true member, Helena Morrow.

Very glad that you find the Captain's Corner interesting, tell your chums about it, perhaps they would also like to join our club. Captain.

Lachute, Que., October 5th., 1931.

Dear Captain :

I am just longing to be a member of your lovely club. I'll try to keep the rules and I'm hoping to be one of the first members of the club. Your loving friend, Ruth Dawson. Age 13.

Here are a few Riddles for our Watchman :

1. What has always its heart in its mouth ? A cabbage.
2. When is a nut like a bell that will not ring ? When its cracked.
3. What has a lot of teeth and yet it never has toothache ? A Comb.
4. Why was the knife rude ? Because it cut the cake.
5. What made the orange yell "Oh yellow?" When it saw the lemon squashed.
6. Who was the first to leave the party ? The cracker, which suddenly went off.
7. What is that of which the common is the best ? Sense.

Ruth Dawson.

Pleased to hear from you Ruth, I know you will do your best to keep the rules. Encourage your friends to do so.

Captain.

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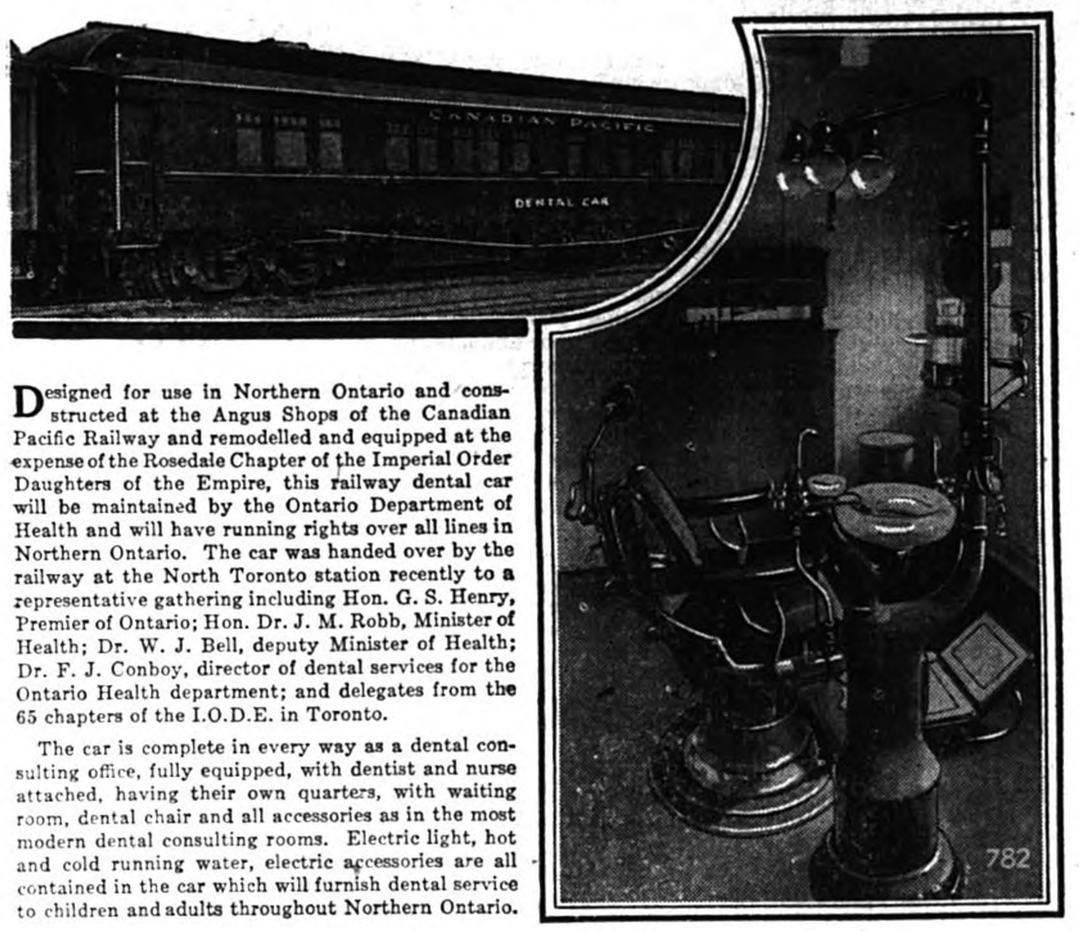

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Dangers of Carbon Monoxide

Deploring the death of a woman and her child, from carbon monoxide poisoning, as reported in the newspapers last week, George A. Savoy, president of the Province of Quebec Safety League, announced that the league will interview the city authorities with a view of having the present by-law governing flue pipes on water heaters made retroactive.

The president of the Safety League explained that the city had passed a by-law making it obligatory to install flue pipes with all such gas heaters but the by-law provided only for new constructions and there was nothing, he said, to cover previous installations. In February 1928 the League, at a meeting, had passed a resolution asking the city to make this by-law retroactive so as to cover old installations. For some reason, which the League has not learned, the city at the time, did not adopt the suggestion with the result that several mishaps have occurred.

Stirred by the latest case, members of the League executive gathered recently in special session, and the secretary general was instructed to take the matter up once more with the city and to press the League's demand that the by-law be altered so as to cover the situation fully.

Mr. Savoy issued an appeal to the citizens of Montreal to be careful in the handling of these gas heaters.

"Should the gas heater in your dwelling have no flue pipe" he advised, "hasten to have one put on connecting outside. In the meantime if there is no pipe, do not operate your heater particularly with the doors and windows closed."

"The danger is great unless proper care is taken, though the heater is the most harmless thing in the world if there is a proper flue pipe to take care of the carbon monoxide generated"

The league's resolution passed in 1928 and to which President Savoy referred was moved by J. C. Petitclerc, seconded by E. A. Cunningham, as follows: "That the city authorities be asked to enact such by-law that they may deem necessary to prohibit the connection, by anyone, of a gas water heater without having first obtained a permit from the city hall; that this permit be issued only after a thorough inspection has been made of the condition of the piping and possibilities to connect a flue pipe to the chimney: that such retroactive by-law be passed to order in the installation of flue connecting pipe with a vent pipe on the chimney to the open air; that a heavy fine be imposed upon any violation of this clause of such by-law enacted for the benefit of the safety of the citizens of Montreal; that no building permit be issued unless provisions has been made to install in the construction, such vent pipe necessary to connect such gas pipe with the outside."

CUSHING

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Weir of St. Anne de Bellevue, Miss E. and Master Bobbie Weir spent Sunday at their Cushing home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Weir, of Montreal, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. T. Weir Sr.

Mr. W. Robert, of Monalea, succeeded in shooting the wolf on Sunday night that has been using Monalea and vicinity as a summer resort.

Mrs. A. Graham left on Monday evening for Sutton, Que.

Mr. Roy Dobbie, of Cushing, also Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bradley Jr., of Carillon, spent Wednesday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gaston accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Watson, of Point Fortune, on a week-end motor trip to Val Morin.

Miss Francis Douglas, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas.

Miss A. Robertson and Mr. Floyd Innes, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Innes.

Mr. & Mrs. A. Graham, Miss Jean and Mr. John Graham also Mr. Archie Graham and D. W. Candlish were Sunday guests guests of Mrs. Andrew Graham Sr.

Mr. M. Burton, Mrs. G. Burton and the Misses Mary and Betty also Ruth Burton, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jas. Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bradley and son Ian, Mr. J. Bradley Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. Chambers were the guests of Miss B. Nicholls on Sunday.

Mr. D. W. Candlish, of Montreal, was the guest of Miss C. Graham on Sunday.

Mr. W. McCormick, of California, brother of the late Mrs. Canning, of Cushing, is visiting friends in Stonefield.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Croll and son Donald also Mr. J. Reid of Montreal, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Fuller on Sunday.

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While still a young man, the tide of public opinion turned against Him. His friends ran away. One of them denied Him He was turned over to His enemies. He went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed upon a cross between two thieves. His executioners gambled for the only piece of property. He had on earth while He was dying and that was His coat. When He was dead He was taken down and laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.

Nineteen wide centuries have come and gone and today He is the centrepiece of the human race and the leader of the column of progress.

I am far within the mark, when I say that all the armies that ever marched, and all the movies that ever were built and all the parliaments that ever sat & all the kings that ever reigned, put together have not affected the life of man upon this earth as has that One Solitary Life.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Templeton have rented a cottage at Rosemount for a vacation period

There was a well attended meeting of the ladies of Trinity W. A. at the home of Mrs. A. E. Mount on Thursday, Oct. 1st. Much business was transacted and, it was unanimously agreed that the Gibb Parish Hall be put into good repair and a kitchen be built as soon as possible. Mr. Albert Scott is in charge of the work; which is a guarantee that it will be well done.

The meeting of the farmers' club and Q. W. I. held at the residence of Mr. Wm. Wood, on Friday evening, Oct. 2nd. was a great success. After the usual routine business, refreshments were served and pleasant recreations brought the evening to a close.

Miss Grace Copeland is visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Miles Copeland's home.

The unusually beautiful weather was greatly enjoyed by the many visitors to our lovely countryside during last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Overing and son returned to Montreal last Saturday.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Silverson's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. David Bates and family of Lachute; Mr. H. Shears, of Harrington; Mr. and Mrs. F. Slater, Miss Joyce and Donald Slater of Montreal West.

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Miss Winnie Silverson of Toronto, is visiting her parents.

The Raffle and Dance in Silverson's Hall, on Saturday night proved a big success, as every one came from far and near to try and win a duck.

To the Electors of the
TOWNSHIP OF CHATHAM,
County of Argenteuil

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Again there is a considerable stir on the tapis about the division of the above named Township into two separate municipalities.

For what reason no one I have seen though in favor of it can give me a clear explanation of any authentic reason for the same (old Mr. dubious who is such a scruplously good man,—Yes you may catch him napping if you can.—he would not in a premptory tone declare the nose upon his face his own. His evidence were he called to law to swear to some enormity he saw for want of prominence or just relief would hang an honest man and save a thief; but just why it would be better no one seems to know, one thing we are certain of is it would cost more to run two municipalities; and another certainty is when our forefathers erected this municipality they built better than they knew and they built so well at their beginnings that there is no need now to tinker with the underpennings for there are no cracks in it and I understand that we are in a strong unique position financially so why put cracks in our foundations. Fools are natural born coxcombs are born wise but later make fools of themselves. Let us beware for there is no use to cry after the milk is spilled. Would it not be better for the electors of this township to get together in a friendly way and talk over our difficulties and merge them by putting our hands on the weak places and make them strong, as I have said before a number of times. We are a free people, we govern ourselves, we choose our own governors and we tell them how we wish them to govern us and what we want is a frugal government that will prevent us from doing any ill to our neighbor while it leaves us in every other way free.

I would be pleased to hear that some one had called such a meeting and to do all in my power to help make it a success.

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QUEBEC HIGHWAYS SHOULD BE SAFE.

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Reckless disregard of all traffic rules has become so pronounced and constitutes so serious a danger to sane drivers and to pedestrians, that the Government cannot be unaware of it, or of the need for effective remedial measures. The week-end records of fatal accidents are impressive evidence of the manner in which driving rules are violated, but, bad as these records are, they do not tell the whole story. The marvel is that the toll is not far greater, having regard to the enormous risks which are being taken constantly on all the highways of the province. The practice of speeding continues practically without check; the same is true of "cutting in," while the very wise law which requires the driver of an automobile to stop before a railroad crossing appears to be honored more in the breach than in the observance. The dangerous use of glare lights is still another abuse and has become one of the most serious menaces to safe travel on the highways after dark; to this evil may be ascribed by far the majority of accidents occurring after nightfall, yet the practice shows no signs of diminution, but appears rather to be on the increase.

The very large expenditure of public money which is being made upon the provincial road system is expected to give Quebec a highway system unsurpassed anywhere. It is to be apprehended, however, that the improvements which are being made, and which involve this heavy outlay, will afford a tempt ation to the speed maniac which he will not be able to resist unless drastic means are applied to his education. Quebec has made a strong bid for tourist business by the highways expenditure already made, and is making the appeal still stronger by additional outlays. These efforts, however, are certain to be nullified, in large measure, if the province is to be given a bad name bp reckless drivers. On the other hand, nothing could be more valuable to the province as an attraction to tourists than a good road system coupled with a reputation for safety.

It is perhaps too late in the present season for the adoption of such measures as will give the province a reputation of this kind, but arrangements can be made for next year, for application as soon as the roads are open. If the existing laws are inadequate they can be and be strengthened by amendments at the forthcoming session of the Legislature. To have the laws, however, is not enough it is necessary that they be enforced in all instances, vigorously and impartially. To this end it is desirable that the highways be patrolled throughout the day, and at least part of the night, by a largely augmented force of traffic police whose duty it should be to act in every instance of a violation of traffic rules. Special attention might be given to the operations of motor trucks and buses, carrying both passengers and freight. Their exceptional width and weight give them an advantage over lighter vehicles which is to often abused and they travel at a speed which is a constant menace to the safety of other traffic. They should be made to respect the law, to run within the speed limit, & to allow passage for lighter traffic moving in either direction. The wear upon the highways through the operation of these trucks and buses is an addition to the cost of road maintenance which alone should justify the authorities in imposing and enforcing the most rigid regulations.

In the case of the first offence if it be a minor one, a warning may suffice, but for successive violations the law should provide for the cancellation of licences and ultimately for imprisonment; and it should be enforced. In no other way will it be possible to ensure the safety of those who are willing to obey the law, but who, under existing conditions, find themselves at the mercy of reckless drivers of both sexes. And the law, be it said, and those charged with its enforcement, should make no exception as between one driver and another, women offenders being as numerous as reckless male drivers, in proportion to their number. The roads of Quebec should be made as safe as is humanly possible. The hazards which are inseparable from motor travel are sufficiently numerous, and sufficiently grave, without the addition of recklessness on the part of potential killers, and the Government can render the province no better service than in so regulating highway traffic as to ensure, at least within reasonable limits, the safety of law-abiding drivers and those who travel with them.

LACHUTE TOWN COUNCIL

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The regular monthly meeting of the above Council was held in the Council Rooms on Wednesday evening last, there being present, Mayor Dobbie and Aldermen Speight, Miller, McKimmie, Rice, Raymond, Laurin and Morrison.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter was received from the various Hotel-keepers, drawing attention to Article No. 34, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1925, which reads as follows,—"Notwithstanding any special act to the contrary, no municipality may, by by-law, resolution or otherwise, levy any tax, import or duty for keeping a hotel, restaurant or a lodging-house" and asking that a reimbursement be made them. It was moved and seconded that this matter be referred to the Town Attorney for Legal advice.

Application was received from the C.P.R. asking for a renewal of the five year contract for water supplied them by the town. It was moved by Ald. Rice, seconded by Ald. McKimmie that a renewal contract be given at the same rate.

Alderman Miller gave notice of Motion that at the next meeting he would introduce a by-law to levy "A special tax for the payment of the sewer on Lachute Road, Bedard Boulevard and Bethany Road, according to the frontage of property."

Notary Lavigne addressed the meeting proposing that a delegation be sent to both Upper and Lower Parliaments, putting before them the different works which have to be done here during the near future and asking for Government assistance for the unemployed which help he stated was available. A suggestion was made that if the proposed water-works, under this system could be taken to Lake Sir John, and not cost any more with the Government help, than the Pollock Site under ordinary conditions, that the former plan should be adopted, thereby giving more pressure which is surely needed, and also giving longer work to the unemployed of our town.

This suggestion was however met with a storm of indignation from several of the Council who stated that Pollock's Site was THE PLACE and plenty of improvements could be found elsewhere to give work to the unemployed.

A committee comprising the Mayor, Alderman McKimmie, Messrs Lavigne & Legault were then appointed to go to Ottawa and Quebec for the purpose of seeing what assistance could be obtained.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned until Friday.

WEDDING BELLS

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BRADFORD—CROOKS

A quiet but very pretty wedding took place at the Church of England Rectory, Lachute, on Monday afternoon last, when Hazel May, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford, of North River, was united in marriage to Mr. John Jervis Crooks, eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crooks of Grenville. The bride who was given away by her father, wore a long gown of white silk crepe and lace, with shoes and stockings to match, and carried a boquet of white orange blossoms. The bridesmaid, Miss Pearl Bradford wore a gown of cream colored crepe and Mr. Harris Tompkins the bride's uncle, acted as best man.

After the ceremony which was performed by the Rev Mr. Lackey the happy couple along with several guests sat down to a tasty supper served at the bride's home, after which they attended a reception given in their honor at the home of Mr. Herb. J. Bradford. They were the recipients of many cheques and handsome presents.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

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Mr. Alex. McPhee, of Cowansville, was visiting friends here on Saturday last.

Dr. Will and Mr. Keith Pitcairn and Mr. Jack Muir were visiting their parents over the week-end.

The Women's Guild met in the United Church Hall, Thursday afternoon, and packed two boxes of clothing in response to a special call from the West. The W. M. S. is packing another box to be sent a little later on.

Mrs. Hollywood and young daughter are visiting Mrs. Hollywood's mother, Mrs. Elder for a few weeks.

A large and interested gathering in the United Church, greeted Dr. Wales Friday evening when giving his illustrated travelogue of the memorable New Outlook Maritime Tour of 1929.

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It should be understood that all seed and grain samples, if they are not already selected, will have to be found in crops of this year. All exhibits must be received by the Exhibition authorities on or before March 1, 1932.

Of vital importance to the advancement of Canadian agriculture will be the winning of World Championships in 1932 by farmers of Canada. Their seed and grain exhibits must demonstrate to the world the quality of Canada's field crops.

Select the classes from the prize list most suited to the crop you grow, then select your samples from the best you have.

It is best to make your entry NOW.

Your sample for exhibit must be in the hands of the Secretary at Regina on or before March 1, 1932.

Valuable information relating to the preparation of grain and seed for exhibit may be secured by writing to the Secretary of the Provincial Committee, World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, care Department of Agriculture, your own province.

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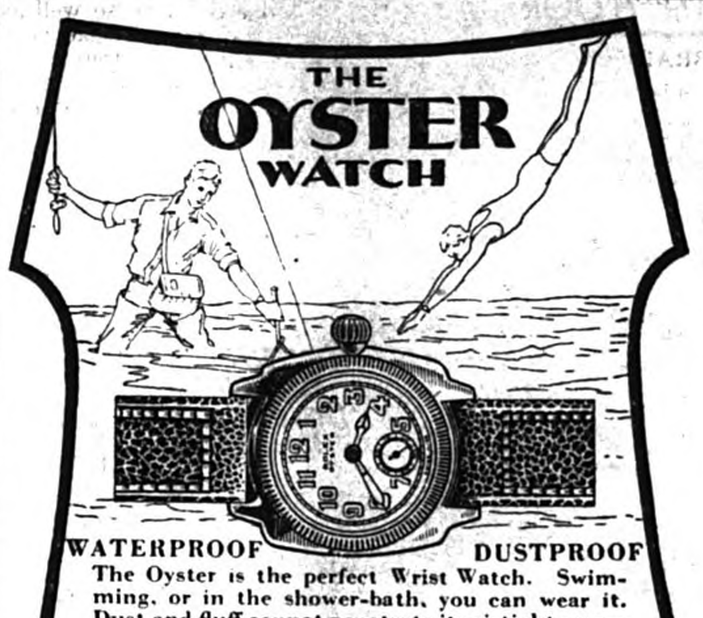

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A highly popular and esteemed resident of Calumet, P. Q., passed away very suddenly early Sunday morning, August 30th., in the person of George Harry Garland, in the forty-fifth year of his age, the news of Mr. Garland's death was received with widespread regret in Lachute & district, where he was very popular in business for many years, and many will remember him as a kind friend in time of sorrow and a true gentleman always.

The funeral was held on Wednesday Sept. 2nd. from his late home to the Parish Church, Grenville, Que., where a solemn requiem Mass was chanted by Rev. Father Brosseau, parish priest, with Rev. Father Mondeville, as Deacon and Rev. Father Belanger, as sub-deacon.

He leaves to mourn his great loss one daughter Miss Fern; a loving mother; five brothers Thomas, Richard and Frank, of Point au Chene, P. Q.; John R., of Chicago, Ill; Philip of Calumet, Que., and one sister.

The many mass cards received showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held by his many friends who extend their sincere sympathy to the bereaved family. The remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery, beside his loving wife who predeceased him seventeen years ago. The pall bearers were his five brothers and Thos. Garland nephew. "May His Soul Rest in Peace."

ACADEMY SPORTS

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On Saturday last the Annual Field Day of Lachute Academy was held on their Grounds. There was a large turn out of scholars, parents and others interested and a splendid exhibition of sports was presented, during which several records were broken. The addition of a new track has made a big improvement and is a big help to those taking part.

Sir George and Lady Perley were welcome visitors and expressed their pleasure at being present at such a splendid exhibition of sports.

Later in the afternoon the Ball Match which was greatly enjoyed by all present. young ladies put on a Basket-

The distribution of prizes took place as follows :

Throwing Baseball,—Joey Berniquer, Melvin Langille.
High Jump,—Harry Lister, D. Hay.
High Jump, Inter.—Cyril Drew Kenneth Falconer. Record broken by Drew 5 ft. 2 in. Previous record 5 ft.
High Jump, Sr.--Joey Berniquer Winston Drew. Record broken by Drew 5 ft. 7½ in. Previous record 5 ft. 6½ in.
Broad Jump, 8 and under,—B. Langille, Edmund McFaul, J. Cousens. Record broken by Langille 10 ft. 3 in. Previous record 10 ft.
Broad Jump, 8 to 10,—Lister Connelly, Jack MacKimmie.
Broad Jump, Jr.—Lister Connelly, Harry Lister.
Broad Jump, Inter.--Cyril Drew, Kenneth Falconer.
Broad Jump, Sr.-Winston Drew Joey Berniquer.
Shot Put,—Joey Berniquer, W. Drew.
Hop, Step and Leap, Inter.—K. Falconer, Cyril Drew.
Hop, Step and Leap, Sr.—Joey Berniquer, Winston Drew.
Vaulting,—W. Drew, Joey Berniquer. Record broken by Drew 10 ft. Previous record 9 ft.
75 yards dash, 8 and under,—Buddy Langille, Orvan Ralph, E. McFaul, Equal Record.
75 yards dash, 8 to 10,—Douglas Hay, Lister Connelly, Gerald Riddell.
100 yards dash, Jr.—D. Picken, L. Armstrong.
100 yards dash, Inter.—Kenneth Falconer, Cyril Drew.
100 yards dash, Sr.—Joey Berniquer, Winston Drew.
Old Boys' Race,—George Connelly, Raymond Underhill.
440 yards, Inter.—Cyril Drew, Kenneth Falconer.
440 yards, Sr.—Winston Drew, Howard Jones; broken by Drew 1 min. 6 secs; previous record 1 min. 7 secs.
50 yards, girls 8 and under,—Florence Jenkins, Joan Stansfield, Willow Jones.
50 yards, girls 8 to 10—Margaret MacKenzie, Ruth Armstrong, Lorna Carpenter.
75 yards, girls 10 to 12,—Gwen Moore, Elsie Boyd, Margaret Graham.
75 yards, girls 10 to 12,—Edna Aitkin, Alice Berniquer, Isabel Hay, Equal record.
75 yards, girls 12 to 14,—Betty Clunie, Gertie Morrison, Gertie Scott.
110 yards, Hurdle Race, Inter—Kenneth Falconer, B. Miller.
110 yards, Hurdle Race, Sr.—Winston Drew, H. Jones.
Girls' Broad Jump, open,—A. Berniquer, Betty Clunie.
Girls High Jump open,—Lulu Miller, Alice Berniquer.

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Fire Prevention Week.

A measure adopted for the prevention of fires is a splendid idea and something to which we should all give our help. Carelessness, of which we are all guilty, is the chief cause of most fires, and whilst we in Lachute have been extremely fortunate in the small loss by fire, let us not sit back and think that we are immune from such catastrophies.

There are some very bad sections in here and veritable firetraps. Let us therefore be careful and endeavour to keep up the high standard which now exists in our town. A little care exercised at the right may save life, property and a heap of trouble.

Ford's Millionth Car.

On Tuesday last the Millionth Car produced by the Ford Company of Canada made its appearance in town and was the object of much admiration from many onlookers. Fitted with many accessories including a Radio it is the last word in an up-to-date model. Moving pictures were given in Mr. Deacon's Store which were most interesting and showed the growth of The Ford from the first car made in 1904, until the present splendid models.

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Among those accompanying the Millionth car on its tour were Messrs. K. Smith, Harry Graham and P. Tremblay.

CUSHING WEST

Mrs. R. Pinkerton was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Harcourt, at New Glasgow last week.

Mr. Ray Dawson and C. F. Watson motored to Montreal on Saturday, returning accompanied by Mrs. Dawson who had been spending the week with friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hardy and Miss Hardy of Brownsburg, were visitors at Miss C. L. White's on Sunday.

Messrs. Owen and Franklyn Keatley of Ottawa, paid a flying visit to their friends here on Sunday.

Mr. Wilfred and Miss Olive Hartley of Montreal, were the guests of their mother Mrs. S. O. Hartley for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ranger, of Greece's Point, and Mrs. A. Viau also Mrs. A. Desforges and family motored to Montreal and spent the week-end with friends there.

Dr. Cushing & daughter Miss Marjorie spent Sunday at their residence the latter having as her guest Miss Isabella Ritchie, of Montreal.

Guests of Mr. and Miss Whelehan on Sunday were their sister Mrs. R. Funcheon also their nephew Mr. W. H. Robert, of Monalea, Mr. T. Derrick, of Carillon and Mr. Kenrick Dorion, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomalty, of Mt. Maple and Miss Maude Warwick, of Lachute, were guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. Weir on Sunday.

The Misses MacDowell and Mr. Jack MacDowell, of Montreal, who returned recently from a motor trip through the Eastern States spent Sunday at their Cushing residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robinson and Mrs. Charters, of Montreal, were guests of Mrs. Hartley on Sunday, whilst motoring through to visit friends in Buckingham.

The mysterious lone wolf which has haunted the woods & fields in the vicinity of Monalea during the past summer had his career cut short early Monday morning by a shot fired from the bedroom window by Mr. W. H. Robert whose farm appeared to be his favorite hunting ground. The body was pronounced by experts to be that of a genuine wolf and for a day or two Mr. Robert's place was a center of attraction to those wishing to see the animal whose mysterious prowling had disturbed the neighborhood so long.

The Frontier's Women's Institute are holding a social evening to which members and their friends are invited at the home of Mrs. Jas. Murdock on the evening of Friday the 9th. inst.

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The Gold Standard

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Someone has said that "Humanity has been crucified on a cross of gold", and now the Bank of England has suffered the same fate. The money exchanges of the world have been acting like a barometer in an earthquake since England abandoned the Gold Standard a few weeks ago, and the chancellories of Europe and America are reported watching the fluctations with eagle eyes, ready to act with promptitude, and precision should the needs of their own particular country demand it. Yet not one of those currency experts can tell what the ultimate result may be. Leading economists have thrown up their hands in dispair because England has discontinued this panacea for all economic and monetary ills, while equally famous financiers breathe relief that the witch's curse of trade and commerce has been removed.

The Gold Standard is a monetary system which has for a standard of currency, a gold coin whose weight and fineness is fixed by the laws of the country, other coins of other metals are also used as legal tender but their use is limited to a small amount, chiefly small trading of less value than the Standard Gold coin. The sovereign weighing 123.25 grains (slightly more) is the English standard coin. This coin is composed of twenty-two carats (parts) of pure gold and two carats of alloy.

Twenty years ago the soverign was quite a common coin in circulation at least to see if not to have. In recent years a sovereign was as rare as a comet, and just as difficult to see. The Bank of England had called in all the Gold in circulation during the war years, except the hoards throughout the country that periodically became unearthed on the death of some recluse or miser. The Bank issued out currency or bank notes, of a value equal to the amount of Gold stored in its vaults, or gilt edged securities, which were in every respect equal to gold. For every pound note issued the Bank held against it a gold sovereign payable on demand by this means the stability of the value of the notes was secured. The price of an ounce of Gold of standard fineness was £3-17-10½ and the bank was prepared to buy or sell gold at this figure.

Mr. Snowden's embargo on the export of gold has changed all this. The Bank of England may now purchase Gold if it so desires but no Gold can be purchased from the Bank for export. The currency note or bank note is not now backed by its face value of gold, and nothing prevents the Bank from issuing unlimited quantities of bank notes which could be very little more value than the paper they are printed on. We have seen German marks and French franks of unheard of denominations selling and not purchased for a copper. This is what is called inflation.

We have said nothing prevents the Bank issuing unlimited quantities of bank notes, that is right in theory but very much amiss in practice. The prudence of the Bank and the prestige of England are just as ample a security behind the currency notes as if every pound note were backed by a soverign. To check the fall in prices there must be a certain amount of inflation how far it may proceed depend on too many causes to be analysed here, but one thing is certain that the world is bound to profit by the change.

The effect of the Gold Standard in market operations, for which it was primarily adopted, disregarding tariffs and transport costs, is that prices are held at an international level. If a country raises the price of some exportable commodity, exports of that community tend to fall, as purchasing countries will buy in a cheaper country. If cheap goods are dumped or imported into a country, that country soon finds itself with an adverse trade balance, this may be discharged by the export of gold but such operations are limited to the supply of gold held in that country. Exporting gold means restricting credit at home because there is less gold to secure credit ,and restriction of credit means a lowering of prices until they reach the international level. This international level (all countries of any trading importance except Spain, India and China; Russia is in the happy position of not been governed by this financial incubus, were, until the recent deflection of England on the Gold Standard) cuts both ways, the very disease it was adopted to combat, it spreads with a desolating thoroughness. Restriction of credit and tumbling prices in one Gold Standard Country quickly affected another Gold Standard country & so on till its effect became world wide.

Previously England held the greatest amount of gold, but when the surplus tended to become too great, huge loans were shipped to other countries to further England's interests and incidently, to preserve the international balance, of late years this exportation has become so great that England's Bismarck had to announce to the League of Nations that England could no longer be the milch cow of the nations." In the week preceeding the abandonment of the Gold Standard by England one thousand millions was exported from England in Gold. There was then £351,617,567 Bank of England notes in circulation, whilst there was £135,573,752 in Gold and the balance in securities held the Bank.

The present crisis is chiefly due to the huge accumulation of Gold in America and France & the lack of Gold reserve to back credit in the other countries. Other countries had to restrict credit and consequently there was a fall in prices. With practically all the Gold accumulated in two countries this depression became pretty general. War debts and reparations are the root of the present trouble, which could be avoided much to the betterment of all concerned, if France and America offered their gold as a basis of credit, instead of decorating their vaults with the precious metal.

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Here and There

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Saskatchewan ranks second to Ontario as an egg-producing province with an estimated production last year of thirty million dozen eggs. Total value of poultry products to Canadian farmers in 1930 was $30,000,000.

United States motor traffic to New Brunswick for the current season up to July 31 was 12 per cent. heavier than for the corresponding period of last year, according to a tabulation just issued by the Provincial Government Bureau of Information and Tourist Travel.

What is regarded as probably the highest park in the world is the National Park on Mount Revelstoke in the Canadian Rockies, on the main line of the Canadian Pacific trans-continental system. It covers an area of 100 square miles and is above the clouds. There is a new motor road to the summit of the mountain.

Evangeline Memorial Park, Nova Scotia, with its chapel and museum dedicated to the memory of the heroine of Longfellow's poem and of the Acadian pioneers, has been visited by more than 94,000 tourists since it was opened in 1924, it is announced from Dominion Atlantic Railway headquarters.

Steady development of young Canada's interest in farming has increased to the point where a Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls Club Work has been formed to co-ordinate the junior agricultural movement as a whole. The programme has been broadened to include practically every line and department of modern farming in Canada.

Harassed officials of the Canadian Pacific Express Company at Vancouver played nurse recently to a mother and her family of 14 when "Fanny," a sad-eyed retriever, carried by the company from Nelson, B.C., became the mother of 14 puppies. Hurry-up calls were put through for the consignee, a Vancouver youth, who was overjoyed to find the unexpected parcel.

When Dr. Josef Wielawski, surgeon of the S.S. Polonia, suffered an attack of appendicitis his life was saved by the intervention of Dr. A. B. Taylor of the Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Richmond, who attended him after a boat had been lowered and the stricken physician taken on board the Duchess. The incident occurred recently when the Duchess of Richmond was 300 miles off the coast of Ireland.

With a jammed rifle and a rearing grizzly, a few yards distant, Dr. L. B. Kingrey, of Portland, Oregon, guest at the Banff Springs Hotel, on a hunting expedition in the Palliser River section of the Canadian Rockies, had a narrow escape. The huge animal delayed its attack long enough for the doctor to clear his rifle and shoot it. His bag on the hunt was two grizzlies, four black bears, three goats and two elks. (781)

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Now, however, the handicrafts are being revived, and several classes, under the most skilled teachers it has been possible to secure, are being taught weaving, making of rugs, concocting dyes and turning out beautiful handmade articles which are commanding wonderful prices from buyers who appreciate these artistic results of the pupils of the school.

So rapid has been the growth and so great the revival of interest in handicrafts, it has been found necessary to provide permanent quarters for the school, and this has been done by the purchase of property on the Grande Allee, in close proximity to the Parliament Buildings.

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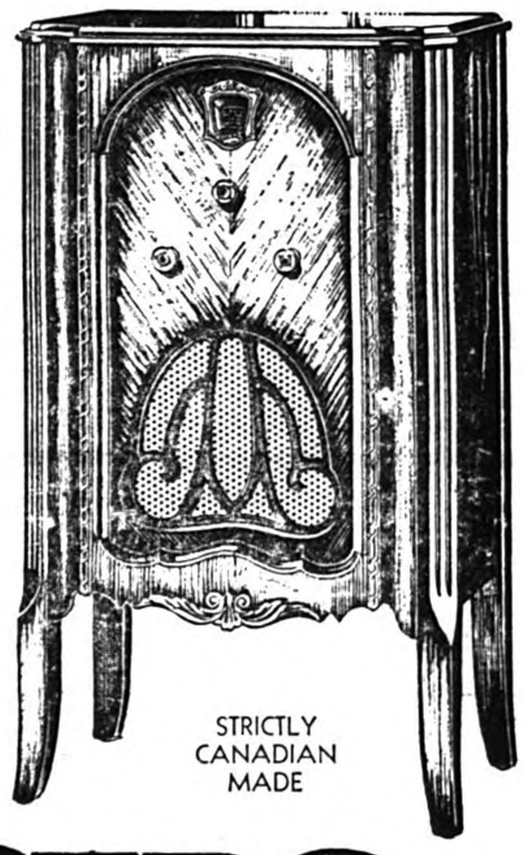

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FIRST INSTALMENT

The rather extraordinary story revealed by the experiments of the Neighborhood Club have been until now a matter only of private record. But it seems to me, as an active participant in the investigations, that they should be given to the public; not so much for what they will add to the existing data on physical research, for from that angle they were not unusual, but as yet another ex ploration into that still unchart-ed territory, the human mind.

The psycho-analysts have taught us something about the individual mind. They have their own patter, of complexes and primal instincts, of the unconscious, which is a sort of bonded warehouse from which we clandestinely withdraw our stored thoughts and impressions They lay to this unconscious mind of our all phenomena that cannot otherwise be labeled, & ascribe such demonstrations of power as cannot thus be explained to trickery, to black silk threads and folding rods, to slates with false sides and a medium with chalk on his finger nail.

In other words, they give us subjective mind but never objective mind. They take the mind and its reactions on itself and on the body. But what about objective mind ? Does it make its only outward manifestations through speech and action? Can we ignore the effect of mind on mind, when there are present none of the ordinary media of communication ? I think not.

In making the following statement concerning our part in the strange case of Arthur Wells, a certain allowance must be made for our ignorance of so-called psychic phenomena, and also for the fact that since that time, just before the war, great advances have been made in scientific methods of investigation. For instance, we did not place Miss Jeremy's chair on a scale, to measure for any loss of weight. Also the theory of rods of invisible matter emanating from the medium's body to move bodies at a distance from her, had only been evolved; and none of the methods for calculation of leverages & strams had been formulated, so far as I know.

To be frank, I am quite convinced that even had we known of these so-called explanations, which in reality explain nothing we would have ignored them as we became involved in the dramatic movement of the revelations and the personal experiences which grew out of them. I confess that following the night after the first seance any observations of mine would have been of no scientific value whatever, and I believe I can speak for the others also.

Of the medium herself I can only say that we have never questioned her integrity. The physical phenomena occurred before she went into trance, and during that time her forearms were rigid. During the deep trance, with which this unusual record deals, she spoke in her own voice, but in a querulous tone, and Sperry's examination of her pulse showed that it went from eighty normal to a hundred and twenty and very feeble

With this preface I come to the death of Arthur Wells, our acquaintance and neighbor and the investigation into that death by a group of six earnest people who call themselves the Neighborhood Club.

The Neighborhood Club was organized in my house. It was too small really to be called a club, but women have a way these days of conferring a titular dignity on their activities, and it is not so bad after all. The Neighborhood Club it really was, composed of four of our neighbors, my wife and myself.

We had drifted into the habit of dining together on Monday evenings at the different houses. There were Herbert Robinson and his sister Alice--not a young woman but clever, alert, and very alive; Sperry, the well-known heart specialist, a bachelor still in spite of much feminine activity; and there was old Mrs. Dane, hopelessly crippled as to the knees with rheumatism but one of those glowing and kindly souls that have a way of being a neighborhood nucleus. It was around her that we first gathered with an idea of forming for her certain contact with the active life from which she was otherwise cut off. But she gave us, I am sure, more than we brought her, and, as will be seen later, her shrewdness was an important element in solving our mystery.

In addition to these four there were my wife and myself.

It had been our policy to take up different subjects for these neighborhood dinners. Sperry was a reformer in his way, and on his nights we generally took up civic questions. He was particularly interested in the responsibility of the state to the sick poor. My wife and I had "political" evenings. Not really politics, except in their relation to life. I am a lawyer by profession and dabble a bit in city government. The Robinsons had literature.

Don't misunderstand me. We had no papers, no set programs. On the Robinson evenings we discussed editorials and current periodicals, as well as the new books and plays. We were frequently acrimonious, I fear, but our small wrangles ended with the evening. Robinson was the literary editor of a paper, that his sister read for a large publishing house.

Mrs. Dane was a free-lance. "Give me that privilege," she begged. "At least, until you find my evenings dull. It gives me, during all the week before you come, a sort of thrilling feeling that the world is mine to choose from." The result was never dull. She led us all the way from moving-pictures to modern dress. She led us even further, as you will see.

On consulting my note-book I find that the first evening which directly concerns the Arthur Wells case was Monday, November the second, of last year.

It was a curious day, to begin with. There come days, now & then, that bring with them a strange sort of mental excitement. I have never analyzed them. With me on this occasion it took the form of nervous irritability, and something of apprehension. My wife, I remember, complained of headache, and one of the stenographers had a fainting attack.

I have often wondered for how much of what happened to Arthur Wells the day was responsible. There are days when the world is a place for love and play and laughter. And then there are sinister days, when the earth is a hideous place, when even the thought of immortality is unbearable, and life itself a burden; when all that is riotous and unlawful comes forth and bares itself to the light.

This was such a day.

I am fond of my friends, but I found no pleasure in the thought of meeting them that evening. I remembered the odious squeak in the wheels of Mrs. Dane's chair. I resented the way Sperry would clear his throat. I read in the morning paper Herbert Robinson's review of a book I had liked and disagreed with him. Disagreed violently. I wanted to call him on the telephone and tell him that he was a fool. I felt old, although I am only fifty-three, old and bitter, and tired.

With the fall of twilight, things changed somewhat. I was more passive. Wretchedness encompassed me, but I was not wretched. There was violence in the air, but I was not violent. And with a bath and my dinner clothes I put away the horrors for the day.

My wife was better, but the cook had given notice.

"There has been quarrelling among the servants all day," my wife said. "I wish I could go and live on a desert island."

We have no children, and my wife, for lack of other interests, finds her housekeeping an engrossing and serious matter. She is in the habit of bringing her domestic difficulties to me when I reach home in the evenings, a habit which sometimes renders me unjustly indignant. Most unjustly, for she has borne with me for thirty years & is known throughout the entire neighborhood as a perfect housekeepr. I can close my eyes and find any desired article in my bedroom at any time.

We passed the Wellses' house on our way to Mrs. Dane's that night, and my wife commented on the dark condition of the lower floor.

"Even if they are going out," she said, "it would add to the appearance of the street to leave a light or two burning. But some people have a public feeling."

I made no comment, I believe. The Wellses were a young couple with children, and had been known to observe that they considered the neighborhood "stodgy." And we had retaliated, I regret to say, in kind, but not with any real unkindness, by regarding them as interlopers. They drove too many cars, and drove them too fast; they kept a governess and didn't see enough of their children; and their English butler made our neat maids look commonplace.

We went on to Mrs. Dane's.

We were early, as my wife is a punctual person, and soon after our arrival Sperry came. Mrs. Dane was in her chair as usual, with her companion in attendance, and when she heard Sperry's voice outside she excused herself and was wheeled out to him, and together we heard them go into the drawing room. When the Robinsons arrived she and Sperry re-appeared and we waited for her customary announcement of the evening's program. When none came, even during the meal, I confess that my curiosity was almost painful.

I think, looking back, that it was Sperry who turned the talk to the supernatural, and that, to the accompaniment of considerable gibing by the men he told a ghost story that set the women to looking back over their shoulders into the dark corners beyond the zone of candle-light. All of us, I remember, except Sperry and Mrs. Dane, were skeptical as to the supernatural and Herbert Robinson believed that while there were so-called sensitives who actually went into trance, the controls which took possession of them were buried personalities of their own released during trance from the sub-conscious mind.

"If not," he said truculently, "if they are really spirits, why can't they tell us what is going on, not in some vague place where they are always happy, but here and now, in the next house ? I don't ask for prophecy, but for some evidence of their knowledge, Who are going to be the next candidates for president ? Is Horace here the gay dog some of us suspect ?"

As I am the Horace in question, I must explain that Herbert was merely being facetious.

"Physical phenomena !" scoffed the cynic. "I've seen it all —objects moving without visible hands, unexplained currents of cold air, voice through a trumpet—I know the whole rotten mess, and I've got a book which tells how to do all the tricks. I'll bring it along some night."

"As a matter of fact, Herbert." Mrs. Dane said, "we intend to put your skepticism to the test tonight. Doctor Sperry has found a medium for us, a nonprofessional and a patient of his, and she has kindly consented to give us a sitting. She is a total stranger to all of us except the doctor, and is a newcomer in town."

The butler wheeled out Mrs. Dane's chair, and led us to the drawing-room doors. There Sperry threw them open, and we saw that the room had been completely metamorphosed.

The room had been dismantled. It opened before us, walls and chimney-piece bare, rugs gone from the floor, even curtains taken from the windows. To emphasize the change, in the center stood a common pine table, surrounded by seven plain chairs. All the lights were out save one, a corner bracket, which was screened with a red-paper shade.

Mrs. Dane watched us with keen satisfaction. "Such a time I had doing it !" she said. "The servants, of course, think I have gone mad. All except Clara. I told her. She's a sensible girl."

As the purely physical phenomena obtained proved relatively insignificant, it is not necessary to go into the detail of the room.

As I said at the beginning, this is not a ghost story. Parts of it we now understand, other parts we do not. For the physical phenomena we have no adequate explanation. They occurred. We saw and heard them. For the other part of the seance we have come to a conclusion satisfactory to ourselves, a conclusion not reached however, until some of us had gone through some dangerous experiences, and had been brought into contact with things hitherto outside the orderly progression of our lives.

But at no time, although incredible things happened did any one of us glimpse that strange world of the spirit that seemed so often almost within our range of vision.

Miss Jeremy, the medium was due at 8.30 and at 8.20 my wife assisted Mrs. Dane into one of the straight chairs at the table, and Sperry sent out by her, returned with a darkish bundle in his arms, and carrying a light bamboo rod.

"Don't ask me what they are for," he said to Herbert's grin of amusement. "Every workman has his tools."

Herbert examined the rod, but it was what it appeared to be, and nothing else.

Some one had started the phonograph in the library, and it was playing gloomily, "Shall we meet beyond the river ?" when Miss Jeremy came in.

She was not at all what we had expected. Twenty-six, I should say, and in black dinner dress. She seemed like a perfectly normal young woman even attractive in a tragic delicate way. Not much personality, perhaps, the very word "medium" precludes that. A "sensitive," I think she called herself. We were presented to her and but for the stripped and bare room, it might have been any evening after any dinner with bridge waiting.

We all liked her, and Sperry, Sperry the bachelor, the iconociast, the anti-femminist, was staring at her with curiously intent eyes.

Miss Jeremy gave the room only the most casual of glances.

"Where shall I sit ? she asked.

Mrs. Dane indicated her place and she asked for a small stand to be brought in and placed about two feet behind her chair, and to chairs to flank it, and then to take the black cloth from the table and hang it over the bamboo rod, which was laid across the backs of the chairs. Thus arranged, the curtain formed a low screen behind her, with the standbeyond it. On this stand we placed, at her order, various articles from our pockets — I a fountain pen, Sperry a knife; and my wife contributed a gold bracelet.

We all felt, I fancy, rather absurd.

We arranged between us that we were to sit one on each side of her, and Sperry warned me not to let go of her hand for a moment. "They have a way of switching hands," he explained in a whisper. "If she wants to scratch her nose I'll scratch it."

We were, we discovered, not to touch the table, but to sit around it at a distance of a few inches, holding hands and thus forming the circle. And for twenty minutes we sat thus, and nothing happened. She was fully conscious and even spoke once or twice, and at last she moved impatiently and told us to put our hands on the table.

I had put my opened watch on the table before me, a night watch with a luminous dial. At five minutes after nine I felt the top of the table waver under my fingers, a curious, fluid-like motion.

"The table is going to move," I said.

However, curiously enough, the table did not move. Instead, my watch before my eyes slid to the edge of the table and dropped to the floor, and almost instantly an object, which we recognized later as Sperry's knife, was flung over the curtain and struck the wall behind Mrs. Dane violently.

One of the women screamed, ending in a hysterical giggle. Then we heard rhythmic beating on the top of the stand behind the medium. Startling as it was at the beginning, increasing as it did from a slow beat to an incredibly rapid drumming, when the initial shock was over Herbert commenced to gibe.

"Your fountain pen, Horace," he said to me. "Making out a statement for services rendered, by its eagerness."

The answer to that was the pen itself, aimed at him with apparent accuracy, and followed by an outcry from him.

"Here, stop it !" he said. "I've got ink all over me !"

We laughed consumedly. The sitting had taken on all the attributes of practical joking. The table no longer quivered under my hands.

"Please be sure you are holding my hands tight. Hold them very tight," said Miss Jeremy Her voice sounded faint and far away. Her head was dropped forward on her chest and she suddenly sagged in her chair. Sperry broke the circle and coming to her, took her pulse. It was he reported, very rapid.

"You can move and talk now if you like," he said. "She's in trance, and there will be no more physical demonstrations."

Mrs. Dane was the first to speak. I was looking for my fountain pen and Herbert was again examining the stand.

"I believe it now," Mrs. Dane said. "I saw your watch go, Horace, but tomorrow I won't believe it at all."

"How about your companion? I asked. "Can she take shorthand ? We ought to have a record."

"Probably not in the dark."

'We can have some light now' Sperry said.

There was a sort of restrained movement in the room now. Herbert turned on a bracket light, and I moved away the roller chair.

"Go and get Clara, Horace", Mrs. Dane said to me," "and have her bring a note-book and pencil." Nothing, I believe, happened during my absence. Miss Jeremy was sunk in her chair and breathing heavily when I came back with Clara and Sperry was still watching her pulse. Suddenly my wife said:

"Why, look ! She's wearing my bracelet !"

This proved to be the case, and was. I regret to say, the cause of a most unjust suspicion on my wife's part.

"Take down everything that happened pens Clara, and all we say," Mrs. Dane said in a low tone. "Even if it sounds like nonsense, put it down."

It is because Clara took her orders literally that I am making this more readable version of her script.

For some five minutes, perhaps Miss Jeremy breathed stertorously, and it was during that interval that we introduced Clara and took up our positions. Sperry sat near the medium now where Herbert had been.

The rest of the party were as we had been, save that we no longer touched hands. Suddenly Miss Jeremy began to breathe more quietly, and to move about in her chair. Then she sat upright.

"Good evening, friends," she said. "I am glad to see you all again."

I caught Herbert's eye, and he grinned.

"Good evening, little Bright Eyes," he said. "How's everything in the happy hunting ground tonight ?"

"Dark and cold," she said, "Dark and cold. And the knee hurts. It's very bad. If the key is on the nail— arnica will take the pain out."

Herbert, who was still flippantly amused, said :

"Don't bother about your knee. Give us some local stuff. Gossip. If you can.

"Sure I can, and it will make your hair curl." Then suddenly there was a sort of dramatic pause and then an outburst.

"He's dead."

"Who is dead ?" Sperr asked, with his voice drawn a trifle thin.

"A bullet just above the ear. That's a bad place. Thank goodness there's not much blood Cold water will take it out of the carpet. Not hot. Not hot. Do you want to see the stain ?"

"Look here," Sperry said, looking around the table, "I don't like this. It's darned grisly."

"Oh, fudge !" Herbert put in irreverently. "Let her rave, or it, or whatever it is. Do you mean that a man is dead ?"— to the medium.

"Yes. She has the revolver. She needn't cry so. He was cruel to her. He was a beast. Sullen."

"Can you see the woman ?" I asked.

"If it's sent out to be cleaned it will cause trouble. Hang it in the closet."

Herbert muttered something about the movies having nothing on us, and was angrily hushed.

"Now then," Sperry said in a businesslike voice, "you see a dead man, and a young woman with him. Can you describe the room ?"

"A small room, his dressing-room. He was shaving. There is still lather on his face."

"And the woman killed him ?

"I don't know. Oh, I don't know. No, she didn't. He did it !"

"He did it himself ?"

There was no answer to that, but a sort of sulky silence.

"Are you getting this, Clara?' Mrs. Dane asked sharply. 'Don't miss a word. Who knows what this may develop into ?"

I looked at the secretary and it was clear that she was terrified. I got up and took my chair to her. Coming back, I picked up my forgotten watch from the floor. It was still going and the hands marked nine-thirty.

"Now," Sperry said in a soothing tone, "you said there was a shot fired and a man was killed. Where was this ? Where was this ? What house ?"

"Two shots. One is in the ceiling of the dressing-room."

And the other killed him ?"

But here, instead of a reply we got the words, "library paste."

Quite without warning the medium groaned, and Sperry believed the trance was over.

"She's coming out," he said. "A glass of wine, somebody." But she did not come out. Instead she twisted in the chair.

"He's so heavy to lift," she muttered. Then : "Get the lather off his face. The lather. The lather."

She subsidded into the chair and began to breathe with difficulty. "I want to go out. I want air. If I could only go to sleep and forget it. The drawing-room furniture is scattered over the house."

"Can you tell us about the house ?" somebody asked.

There was a distinct pause. Then : "Certainly. A brick house. The servants' entrance is locked, but the key is on a nail, among the vines. All the drawing-room furniture is scattered through the house."

"She must mean the furniture of this room." Mrs. Dane whispered.

The remainder of the sitting was chaotic. The secretary's notes consist of unrelated words often being childish.

On going over the written notes the next day, when the stenographic record had been copied on a typewriter. Sperry and I found that one word recurred frequently. The word was "curtain."

Of the extraordinary scene that followed the breaking up of the seance, I have the keenest recollection. Miss Jeremy came out of her trance weak and looking extremely ill, and Sperry's motor took her home. She knew nothing of what had happened and hoped we had been satisfied. By agreement, we did not tell her what had transpired, & she was not curious.

Herbert saw her to the car, and came back, looking grave. We were standing together in the center of the dismantled room, with the lights going full now.

"Well," he said, "it is one of two things. Either we've been gloriously faked, or we've been let in on a very tidy little crime"

It was Mrs. Dane's custom to serve a Southern eggnog as a sort of nightcap on her evenings and we found it waiting for us in the library. In the warmth of its open fire, and the cheer of its lamps, even in the dignity and impassiveness of the butler there was something sane and wholesome. The women of the party reacted quickly, but I looked over to see Sperry at a corner desk, intently working over a small object in the palm of his hand.

He started when he heard me, then laughed and held out his hand.

"Library paste !" he said. "It rolls into a soft, malleable ball. It could quite easily be used to fill a small hole in plaster. The paper would paste down over it, too."

"Then you think—?"

"I'm not thinking at all. The thing she described may have taken place in Timbuctoo. May

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be the plot of some book she has read."

"On the other hand," I replied "it is just possible that it was here, in this neighborhood, while we were sitting in that room."

"Have you any idea of the time ?"

"I know exactly. It was half past nine."

"It was five minutes after nine when my watch fell."

"Then it would have been about half past when the trance began ?"

At midnight, shortly after we reached home, Sperry called me on the phone. "Be careful, Horace," he said. "Don't let Mrs. Horace think anything has happened. Arthur Wells killed himself tonight, shot himself in the head. I want you to go there with me."

"Arthur Wells !"

"Yes, I say, Horace, did you happen to notice the time the seance began tonight?"

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A Thanksgiving Service will be held in each Christian Science Church in Canada, Thanksgiving Day Monday, October 12, 1931.

Among the Bible readings comprising the Lesson-Sermon is the following from David's Psalm of Thanksgiving (1 Chronicles 16 : 8, 9.)

"Give thanks unto the Lord, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the people."

"Sing unto him, sing psalms unto him, talk ye of all his wondrous works."

The following is selected from citations to be read from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

"The rich in spirit help; the poor in one grand brotherhood, all having the same Principle, or Father; and blessed is that man who seeth his brother's need and supplieth it, seeking his own in another's good." page 518.

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Mr Mansiel Wilson has just completed a successful summer's work with a Geological Survey Party in Northern Ontario, and has resumed his studies at the Toronto University.

The Millionth Ford gave us a friendly call on Tuesday after noon.

Miss Alma Fletcher who has been spending her holidays at her home here has returned to Montreal to resume her duties in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. John Stewart who recently underwent an operation for tonsilitis, has returned home much improved in health.

Miss Grace Moncrieff spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. & Mrs. Robert Cruise and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Campbell, of Carleton Place, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Robbins last week-end.

Mr. Wilbur Hardie and Mr. Clarence McKiddie ,of Ottawa, were visitors at their parent's home last week-end.

The Chatham Council met on Monday in the C. I. Club Rooms with a fairly good attendance.

Many people gathered around Mr. Robert's car as he parked in front of the Club house on Monday for in it was a fine big grey wolf which he had shot near St. Philippe. Wolves are not often seen in Brownsburg.

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Brownsburg School Sports.

On Saturday last the Annual School Sports were held in Brownsburg at which there was a splendid turnout. The weather was ideal and there was much competition. Mr. H. Calder the new Principal, expressed himself as being very pleased with the events of the day, results of which follows :—

30 yards Boys under 8 years,—Ernie Witham, Harold Hewitt Gordon Taylor.
30 yards, Girls under 8 years,—Rita Racine, Enid McAdam, Hilda Boyd.
40 yards, Girls 8 and 9,—Phyllis McAdam, Dorothy Doran, Lillian Devine.
40 yards, Boys 8 and 9,—Willie Murdoch, Sydney Stewart, John Morrow.
50 yards, Girls 10 and 11,—Jane Hardie, Myrtle Hazel, Merle Bourne.
60 yards, Boys 10 and 11,—D. McCullough, Willie Hewitt, Paul Leroux.
75 yards, Girls 12 and 13,—Jennie Tilsley, Reta Leroux, Elizabeth Hutchin.
75 yards, Boys 12 and 13,—Russel Martin, Willie Campbell, Wilfrid Racine.
High Jump, Girls under 14 yrs.—Reta Leroux, Gladys Mott, J. Tilsley.
High Jump, Girls 14 years and over,—Margaret Murdoch, W. Seary, Beryl Stewart.
High Jump,—Russel Martin, D. McCullough, Bill Campbell.
100 yards dash,—Erwin Martin Frank Steere, Harry White.
100 yards dash, Girls 14 and over,—Margaret Murdoch, D. Steere, Catherine Murdoch.
Three Legged Race, under 14 years,—Mary Devine & Russel Todd. June Morrow and Douglas Dixon. M. Taylor and Robert Taylor.
Three Legged Race, 14 years & over,—Frank Steere & Cecilia Martin. Irwin Martin & Geraldine McQuaig. William Campbell & Doris Bourne.
220 yard Race, Boys 14 and over,—Irwin Martin, Harry White, Chester Fletcher.
Broad Jump, Girls under 14,—Reta Leroux, Merle Bourne, Phyllis McAdam.
Broad Jump, Girls 14 years and over,—Beryl Stewart, Margaret Murdoch, C. Martin.
Broad Jump,—Boys under 14 years.—Willie Campbell, D. McCullough, Russell aMrtin.
Broad Jump, 14 years and over,—Irwin Martin, Harry White Frank Steere.
220 yards Race, Girls 15 and over,-Beryl Stewart, M. Murdoch, Doris Bourne.
Wheelbarrow Race,-L. Kennedy and M. Murdoch. A. Bourne and Ena Williams. L. Steele and Beryl Stewart.
Wheelbarrow Race, under 12 years.—W. Smillie and Jane Hardie. B. Taylor and Margaret Taylor. L. Tomalty & Dorothy Williams.
Hop, Step and Jump,—B. Stewart, M. Murdoch, D. Bourne.
Hop, Step and Jump, 12 years and under,—I. Martin, Frank Steere, H. White.
Putting 12 lb. shot,—I. Martin, H. Graham, D. Golphin.
Pole Vault,—Irwin Martin, R. Martin. Frank Steere.
Tug of War, Grade 9 and 10, vs. Girls,—Girls won in two straight pulls.
Throwing Baseball,—I. Martin, G. Wilson, D. Golphin.
Class Competition Cup, presented by C. I. L.—Awarded to Grade Ten, 34 points.

BROWNSBURG

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The "Community Night" given on Sept. 30th., under the auspices of the Chatham Women's Institute was well attended.

The program opened by singing "O Canada". Prizes were then presented by the W. I. to pupils taking the highest percentage in certain grades in the Brownsburg Consolidated and Pine Hill Schools.

Col. Wilfred Bovey, of McGill was the speaker for the evening and gave a lecture on "The Growth of the Canadian Pacific," which was very interesting and instructive and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. John Gordon, (County President) ; Rev. Hagar and Mr. H. Calder then gave short speeches. The evening's program was brought to a close by singing "God Save the King. Everyone went away feeling that they had spent the evening well.

The regular monthly meeting of the Chatham W. I. was held on Thursday Oct. 1st. in the C. I. L. Club Rooms. After the usual business, Mrs. S. W. McGibbon gave a paper entitled "How do you Wash," which was very interesting.

Afternon tea was then served at which we had the pleasure of having as our guests, the principal and teachers of the Consolidated School.

The 1st. Brownsburg Brownie Pack have started their meetings again, under the leadership of Mrs. N. E. Smillie (Brown Owl) and Mrs. F. Kettyle, (Tommy Owl). Pack meetings are held in the C. I. L. Gym. every Friday afternoon from 3.45 to 5 o'clock. All girls from 7 to 11 years of age welcome.

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October 4th., 1931

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Brownsburg 3.00 p.m.
Dalesville 7.30 p.m.

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LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

10 a.m., Sabbath School.

11 a.m., Thanksgiving Service.

7 p.m., Evening Service.

Subject : "Grumblers Or Thanksgivers."

2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

Mr. E. C. Kelloway will preach at this service.

3 p.m. Thomas' Gore.

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Brownsburg Worship 3 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.

10 a.m., Sunday School.

11 a.m., Morning Worship. Thanksgiving Service.

7 p.m., Open Service by the Choir. Festival of Song and Thanksgiving.

All are cordially invited to both services.

Donations in kind are asked for to be used as decorations & which will be afterwards distributed.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. E. G. Baxter.

Sunday, October 11th.
Thanksgiving Services.
Grenville Church no Service.
Chatham West Church :
2 p.m., Sunday School.
3 p.m. Church Service.
Brownsburg Maple Ave.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Church Service.
Thanksgiving Message.
Lord's Supper.
7 p.m. Evening Service, commencing with a Song Service.
Subject : "What Shall I Render Unto the Lord ?"
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U.

Service in Holy Trinity Church, Lakefield, on Sunday, October 11th., at 2.30 p.m. All cordially invited.

At St. John's Church, Shrewsbury at 10.30 a.m.

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Lesson for October 11

PAUL IN PHILIPPI

GOLDEN TEXT—Rejoice in the Lord alway: and again I say, Rejoice.
LESSON TEXT—Acts 16:16-40; Phil. 4:4-9.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul in Prison.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul in Prison.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—A Jailer Led Captive.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Initial Victories in Europe.

I. Paul and Silas in Jail (vv. 16-26).

1. The occasion (vv. 16-24). As the missionaries went out from day to day to the place of prayer they were accosted by a young woman possessed by a spirit of divination. She was owned by a syndicate of men who derived large gain from her soothsaying. Her utterances as she followed the missionaries became a great annoyance to Paul who in the name of Jesus Christ commanded the evil spirit to come out of her. The evil spirit immediately obeyed Paul's command. When the demon was cast out the supernatural power of the maid was gone. Therefore, the source of revenue was at an end, and this so exasperated her owners that they brought Paul and Silas before the magistrates on a false charge.

Without any opportunity to defend themselves, Paul and Silas were stripped and beaten by the angry mob and then remanded to jail where they were made fast by stocks.

2. Their behavior in jail (v. 25). They prayed and sang hymns to God. It seems quite natural that they should pray under such circumstances, but to sing hymns is astonishing to all who have not come into the possession of the grace of God in Jesus Christ. Even with their backs lacerated and smarting, with their feet fast in the stocks, compelling the most painful attitude in the dungeon darkness of the inner prison with extreme uncertainty before them, their hearts went up to God in gratitude.

3. Their deliverance (v. 26). The Lord wrought deliverance by sending a great earthquakes which opened the prison doors and removed the chains from off their hands. The earthquake cannot be explained on natural grounds. Earthquakes do not throw bolted doors open and unclasp fetters from men's hands.

II. The Conversion of the Jailer (vv. 27-34).

The jailor's sympathy did not go out very far for the prisoners, for as soon as they were made secure he went to sleep. Being suddenly aroused from slumber by the earthquake, he was about to kill himself, whereupon Paul assured him that the prisoners were all safe. What he had heard of their preaching, and now what he experienced caused him to come as a humble inquirer after salvation. He was convicted of sin and felt the need of a Savior. Paul clearly pointed out the way to be saved. He said, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ." The word "believe" means "to trust, and fully obey." The following facts prove that the jailor was saved:

1. Transformation from brutality to tenderness (v. 33). He who a little while ago could with impunity lay on the cruel lashes is now disposed to dress the wounds of the prisoners.

2. Confession of Christ in baptism (v. 33). Those who have experienced the saving grace of God are willing to confess their faith in Christ under all circumstances.

3. He set meat before them (v. 34).

4. His whole household was baptized (v. 33). When a man's family is willing to follow him, you may be sure that his conversion is genuine.

III. The Magistrates Humbled (vv. 35-40).

1. The prisoners ordered released (vv. 35, 36). The earthquake brought fear upon the magistrates and thus moved them to release the prisoners.

2. Paul's refusal to go (v. 37). The ground of his refusal was that their rights as Roman citizens had been violated. They demanded public vindication. The magistrates were guilty of serious offense. Paul was willing to suffer for Christ's sake, but he used the occasion to show them that persecuting men who preached the gospel was an offense against the law of God and man.

3. Brought out of prison by the officers (vv. 38, 39).

4. Returned to the house of Lydia (v. 40). Upon their public vindication, Paul and Silas left the prison and entered the house of Lydia. After ministering comfort to the brethren, they took their departure.

IV. Always Rejoicing (Phil. 4:4-9). The presence of the Lord Jesus Christ gives such peace that singing God's praises is possible even in prison.

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Presbyterian
TEA-MEETING
in the
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A Jiggs' Supper, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Lachute United Church will be given in the Hall of the Church, on Friday evening, the 23rd of October at 6.30 p.m.

The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, No. 943, will hold their Anniversary Dance in Louisa Hall, Friday, Oct. 16th. at 8.30 p.m. Admission 35c. Refreshments served and a good time for all. O-16-2-c.

A Dance and Drawing for Turkeys, Ducks and Chickens will be held at Grand View Hall Lakefield, Tuesday, Oct. 20th. at 8.30 p.m. Tickets 50 cents, includes dance. Tickets on sale at Hall.

A Sale of Home Cooking & Home Made Candy will be held on Oct. 17th., in the basement of St. George's Anglican Church Brownsburg. Afternoon tea will be served. Doors open at 3 p.m.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Church will hold their Annual Bazaar and Sale of Xmas Novelties and Tea on Friday, Dec. 4th. Keep the date open.

A Concert under the auspices of the Trinity W. A. Lakefield, will be held in Gibb Parish Hall on Saturday, October 24th., at 7.30 p.m. Admission 25 cents. Children 15c.

"Romance of the Maritimes"
An interesting lecture
By Rev. F.L. Orchard
of Amherst, N. S.
will be held under the auspices of the Y. P. S. of the United Church, on Monday Nov. 2nd. in the church hall. As well as the lecture a musical programme will be given.
Adults 25c. Children 15c.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Lachute Presbyterian Church will hold their Annual Thank-Offering meeting in the Church on Thursday, Oct. 22nd. at 3 o'clock, when Mrs. Owen Campbell, of Montreal, will be the speaker. All ladies interested in Missionary Work are cordially invited. Refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church intend holding their Annual Fall Sale and Tea on Saturday, Dec. 5th., from 3 to 6.

Trans-Canada Highway.

A very pleasing rumor afloat at the present time and one which we are almost certain is true, is that the Trans-Canada motor road is to pass through Lachute. Several reasons are given for the proposal of going up the Quebec side among which are (1) that it is somewhat shorter than that of the Ottawa side; (2) that the scenic beauty is much superior on this side, having the Ottawa River in view during a large part of the drive; (3) after passing our town the remaining ones en route, not being so large, makes the trip possible in less time and with much less danger to motorists and others concerned.

The proposed highway is to be quite wide and of a macadam finish, which will of course be most popular and should prove a great boon to our community.

Bridge Opening Set.

Ceremonies on Ottawa River span will be held on Oct. 21st

Official opening of the new highway bridge across the Ottawa River connecting Grenville Que., and Hawkesbury, Ont., has been arranged to take place on October 21st. Ceremonies will be held at the centre of the bridge with Premier L. A. Taschereau, of Quebec, and Premier G. S. Henry of Ontario taking part, they will be accompanied by their respective highway Ministers, Hon. J. S. Perrault & Hon. Leopold Macaulay.

Worth Catching.

A quartette from town went hunting in the far wilds of the North recently, past L'Annonciation thirteen miles by car and then through the bush another 11 miles by team and waggon. They were Messrs. G. Delorme, G. Leger, G. Racine and D. Gi-ard and were rewarded with a fine big moose weighing 1185 lbs. The animal is one of the largest ever shot around here and the head in particular is a wonderful specimen.

244 pound Bear shot at Carillon, Que.

On Wednesday last a "Big Bruin" paid a visit to the apiary of Mr. Arthur Holt of Carillon, doing considerable damage. On Thursday evening about 8.30 he again returned, upsetting several more beehives but before doing further damage was shot by Mr. Camille Roy who lay in wait for his return. Being mortally wounded he did not go far and was found the following morning by Messrs. Alex. Anderson and P. Roy, about 60 feet from where he was shot.

Educational Meeting.

A Public Meeting in the interest of Education will be held in the Auditorium, on Tuesday evening, Oct. 20th., at 8 o'clock. Mr. J. C. Sutherland, of Quebec, who is in charge of Consolidation will address the meeting.

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Local news of the Week

Fire Chief C. Starke, of Huntingdon, paid a call on our local Fire Chief Deacon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tucker, of Dixie, spent the holiday week end in town and Long Lake.

Miss Agnes McMahon spent the week-end in Arundel, the guest of Miss Iris Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Tucker & son Clifton of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Rogers and son Clayton spent the week-end with her parents in Waterloo, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ahier, of Cartierville, spent Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd.

Miss Violet Evans returned to her home in Weir, on Friday last, after spending the past week with Mrs. H. Martin.

A meeting of the Dramatic Section will be held in the Academy, Tuesday, Oct. 20th., 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

Mrs. W. G. Tucker entertained a number of friends at a Crystal Shower on Saturday last in honor of her cousin, Miss R. Rogers.

Messrs. Raymond Underhill, Gordon McOuat, James Logan & Miss Freda Mason of McGill University spent the week-end at their homes here.

Mr. Alex. Bothwell is spending part of this week in Eastern Ontario, purchasing a carload of registered sheep for the farmers of Argenteuil County.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hodge and children, Mr. L. Hodge and Miss Hazel Hodge of Lachute, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hodge of Thurso Que.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Carson, the Misses Enid Carson, Dorothy Sutton, Dorothy Coote and Mr. Richard Woods, of Montreal, spent the holidays with friends in Lachute.

—Anyone desirous of taking lessons on Spanish or Hawaiian Guitar, Banjo, Mandolin, or Ukulele, from Prof. Ben Hokkea, kindly communicate with R. C. Rogers, Lachute, Tel. 144.

Mrs. Geo. Brown, Mrs. Albert Gauley and Miss Hazel Hodge were in Montreal on Friday last, attending the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Jas. Callahan who passed away on Wednesday, Oct. 7th.

The many friends of Mr. Paul A. Doig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Doig of Upper Lachute, will be pleased to hear of his visit with his parents. Mr. Doig, who has been the past five years in B.C. was accompanied by his wife, having motored from New Westminster and visited throughout the West on their way.

Miss Ethel Morrison of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Ellen Boa of East Settlement.

Miss Reta Boyd, of Ottawa, spent Thanksgiving the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boyd.

Miss Alma A. Boa of Montreal spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boa of East Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinton E. Miller, of Westmount, spent Thanksgiving Day, the guests of Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Boa of East Settlement.

Mrs. John S. Boa, of Notre Dame de Grace, spent the early part of this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boa of E. Settlement.

The guessing competition for the Conor Washing Machine now being shown in Geo. Y. Deacon's Window is causing quite an interest to the local public. All one has to do is to count the milk bottle caps. Everyone has a chance so try your luck.

"Romance of the Maritimes"

An address that will be given by the Rev. F. L. Orchard of Amherst, N. S., is one that will appeal to both old and young. The Maritime Provinces are full of history and tradition, that cannot be equalled in any other part of our Dominion. Many fine colored slides will illustrate this eloquent story, that will prove very entertainable as well as educational. All are given a cordial invitation to attend.

Three Buildings Destroyed by Fire at St. Philippe, P. Que.

Three buildings comprising a butcher shop, a restaurant and two dwellings, were destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. The damage is estimated at over $20,000, which is partly covered by insurance. Volunteer firemen were on the scene for several hours before the blaze was extinguished. The flames were first noticed by Mrs. J. H. Darwin who notified Chief Deacon. The buildings were the property of Omer Lanthier and Fred Leclair.

Presbyterian Church
Tea-Meeting

The Annual Tea-Meeting of the Presbyterian Church, Lachute, is taking place in the Auditorium, on Friday evening October 30th. A special programme is being put on by Prof. Morazza and his Hawaiian Orchestra. Those who have not already heard him should not fail on this occasion and those who have already listened to him will be glad of the opportunity again. Doors open at 5 p.m. & program starts at 8.30 p.m. sharp. Admission 50c.

Golf and Tennis Festival

Saturday last proved a real Gala Day at the Golf Links when a grand Festival was held. The beautiful prizes which were so generously donated along with the public desire to help the Club in its undertaking drew a large crowd. The day was very pleasantly spent in the playing of games and other forms of entertainment and afternoon tea was served by the ladies. The event proved most beneficial, both socially and financially and the thanks of the Club is extended to all who took part and helped in its success. The following is a list of the donators and winners :

Prize	Donor	Winner
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Smoker's Stand	E. F. Ayers	Albert Scott, Lachute Mills
Electric Iron	Frothringham Stark, Seybold.	Miss A. Dumais, Lachute
Clock	C V. Hamilton	Mrs. Glassford, Weir
Novelty Lamp	J. A. Gosselin	Geo. F. Williams, Ormstown
Car Trouble Light	P. Chabot	Mrs. Ashworth, Lachute Mills
Splash Guards	L. E. Dumais	Miss H. Smith,

A special prize given by J. R. Charron for the one selling the most tickets, was won by Miss Dumais, Lachute.

A special donation of $2. was given to the Fund by the Rev. H. Cousens.

The following names were drawn for two pots of jam each, donated by W. J. Bryant,—J. Skuffham, Miss Riddell, Nurse Nickel, Leonard Ayers, P. G. Roy and J. Donaldson.

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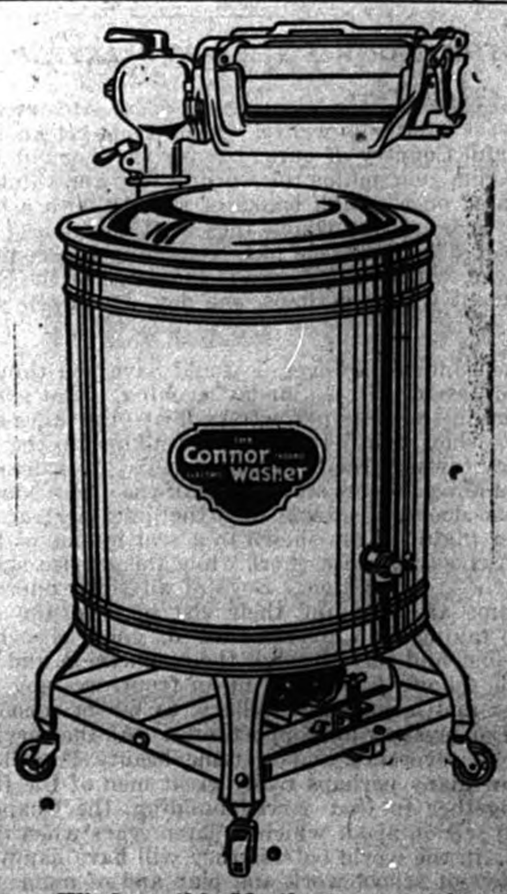

Watch our Windows this Month, you may win a Connor Electric Washer.
We still have a few used cars and trucks, which we are offering at special prices to clear out.
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The Captain's Corner

When you have done your homework try to solve these :

1. What flowers are found between the nose and the chin?
2. With what tools might a mushroom City be built ?
3. What kind of ears are required by locomotives ?
4. An Historical Puzzle (English History.)

The year twelve fifteen - a most important date
On which the great barons all settled our fate
In Runnymede's meadow a meeting was held
To seal.....King John was compelled
Fitzwalter, with Langton and others of fame
Attended its sealing—now what was its name ?

5. What is most like a cat's tail ?
6. What is the strongest day in the week ?
7. A Country Puzzle.

This is a country of sheiks, sunshine and sand—
Of fair wooded slopes and fine fertile land;
Not far from Gibralter, on Africa's shore—
You'll guess it at once if I tell you much more;
Wheat, barley and figs, grapes, pomegranates and dates,
Are exported from here—as well as phosphates.

8. What is it that has eyes but cannot see ?
9. What seven letters of the Alphabet did the Old lady say when she looked into her empty purse ?
10. When is the tide like tears ?

To the Reader who sends in the most correct number of replies a prize will be given.

OUR JOKE CORNER

Rapid—Exe,—Is your plumber a fast worker ?
Wye,....Rather; he sends in his bill by the next post.

Helpful—The new maid rushed in excitedly.
"Somebody's just gone off with your car, sir" she said,
"Oh" said the master, all attention "What was the man like?"
"I could not see him clearly; but I took the number of the car

Sacked—Black "I understood you to say that young Green was a good lad; now he's gone.
White,—I said he was fired with zeal and energy.

His Drawing Powers—Two actors were discussing a mutual friend,
"Yes" said one "as an actor he was a failure; now he's become an architect."
"And he's drawing better houses, no doubt" commented the other.

Jerry built—He had consulted a physical culture expert
"These exercises will increase your strength, but they must be performed in front of an open window" said the expert.
"But I live in a new house" was the reply "and I want the increased strength first so that I can open the windows."

THE BIRTHDAY CLUB

We are glad to notice that slowly but surely the young Readers of this page are becoming members of this Club. It of course takes time for a new idea to bring results but week by week new names are being added to our membership list.

We hope sometime this winter to have a special gathering of ALL members. A social and party ! So we are looking for still more of our young boys and girls to send in their names.

Below we print a list of members enrolled so far. If your name has been left out or has not yet been sent in— SEE TO THIS AT ONCE.

Hazel Price, Montreal; Raymond Price, Montreal; Arthur George and Orville Newton, London, Ont.; Edna Aitkin, Lachute, Que; Dorothy, Lexie, Lillian and Percy Titley, R. R. No. 6, Lachute, Que; Reuben Chapman, R. R. No. 1, Lakefield; George Hutchin, Brownsburg, Que; Alvira Ward, Lachute; Donalda E. Campbell, Wimmer, Sask.; Alice D. Morrow, and Helena Morrow, Greece's Point, Que; Ruth Dawson, Lachute.

.....vacant for your name.

THE CAPTAIN'S WEEKLY LETTER.

Dear Boys and Girls :—

This week's letter is written to you from yet another city in this wonderful Country of ours; but for the moment I want you to dismiss from your minds the word "City" and think of a boys' school situated on the high banks of a river with a background of majestic trees, above which flies a "Union Jack" on a very tall flag-pole. This flag-pole like everything else connected with Ridley College, which by the way is the name of the School—has a history about which, perhaps, one day, I will tell you on this page.

For the moment however, I would have you think of something far different. It is Sunday evening. The sun has long since set and in the clear perfect sky above the stars are already beginning to show themselves. I am walking up the long winding driveway towards the 'College Chapel'. As I draw near this beautiful building the low sweet notes of the organ sound through the half open doors, to mingle with the quiet perfect stillness of this summer night. I am shown to a seat by one of the boys of the Upper School and in a short while the service starts. Only boys form the congregation. Boys of all sizes, appearance and ability. Some are spending their last term at the school preparatory to taking up University life or going elsewhere; while others are just mid-way through their education and then there are the little fellows I see right up in front, wearing their short eton jackets and large white collars, to whom school is still a wonderland of mystery and opportunity. As the service proceeded with holy reverence and extreme beauty I could not help thinking how many perhaps really great men of the future were gathered together in that sacred building, the Chapel of their own beloved school, about which in later years when fighting the battle of life in the world outside they will have happy memories of happy days of school work and play and of moments such as this when their boyish thoughts and ambitions are directed upwards to the Eternal Father, the Giver of all good Gifts. And then before I have realized it they are all standing for the Recessional hymn. Very softly the organ plays. While young voices are raised in perfect unison and adoration—

"Again 'tis eventide and we
Oppressed with many an ill draw near;
What if Thy form we cannot see,
We know and feel that Thou are here."

After which the blessing and that beautiful vesper hymn which some of you may know sung so earnestly by those kneeling boys, after the Choir had gone.

"May Angels guard us while we sleep
Till morning light appears."

And now out under a brilliant night sky I walk slowly back to my hotel wondering about it all—not only of these youngsters who had been my companions for a little while, but of my many other youngsters among whom are the readers of this page. Are we not all of us, no matter what our sphere of activity may be, College, School, Home or Business."

"Ever looking upward, struggling to the Stars."

Your affectionate friend, The Captain.

OUR MAIL BAG.

Lakefield, Que., Sept. 14th., 1931.

Dear Captain :

I would like to join your boys and girls club. I will keep those three promises as I like animals for pets. I am 11 years old. My birthday is on August 8th. My age next birthday is 12. For pets I have a cat, a dog, and a cow. I like going to school and am in grade IV. I will close

Yours sincerely, *Reuben Chapman.*

Very pleased Reuben to have your letter and to include you as a member of the Birthday Club. Is not a cow a rather strange pet. The Captain.

Lachute, Que., October 10th., 1931

Dear Captain :

I would like to join your birthday club. I read the 'Captain's Corner' every week and I like it very much. I was 10 years old on June 14th. Your loving friend, *Lyster Conley.*

You are very welcome dear Lyster to the Birthday Club and thank you for the Riddles you sent which I will print on this page later on. Am glad you like your part of the Watchman.

The Captain.

HOW PAPER IS MADE ?

When you pick up the "Watchman" to read it in your own homes, do you ever think of all that those pages have gone through before they reach you in that perfectly finished state ? I don't only mean printing. Think back if you can, to the time when these pages were'nt pages at all, but were growing on some tree. Its rather an amazing thought, isn't it ? Thats why I've decided to tell you this week about how the paper is made for our pages. How many of you realize that the paper you are holding is perhaps made of wood from other lands ? Although wood appears to be quite solid it is made up of many small fibres, pressed tightly together. Before paper is made these fibres must be completely separated. This separation is made by grinding the wood or by treating it with chemicals. The treated wood or pulp as it is now called, is washed and partly dried before it is ready to be sent away to the mills where the paper is made. All newspapers are made of wood pulp, but better quality papers, banknotes and good writing papers are made from rag. Rag is made up of fibres longer and thinner than wood fibres. The rags are treated with chemicals until they separate into fibres, and are then bleached. The oldest, but most skilful way of making paper is by hand. Papers from rags are oten made in this way. The rag fibres are mixed thoroughly with water, so that each fibre floats separately, and then a wire sieve is put under the surface of the mixture and carefully lifted so that the water drains away through the wire, leaving all the fibres on top and making a wet sheet of paper. After drying, a little gelatine is put on the surface to stop the ink from spreading.

Cheaper papers from wood and other materials are made in a similiar way, but on large machines. The pulp is mixed with water in the same way, and run on to a big wire screen, from which the water drains away, leaving the fibres or sheet on top. The sheet then passes between heavy rollers to squeeze out most of the water, and over hot ones to dry it completely. It is then ready for smoothing and finishing as required. Such large paper machines may make as much as five hundred tons a week, which is more than a mill making paper by hand can make in several years.

If you tear a piece of paper you can see some of the small fibres along the edge, and by shaking up a small piece in hot water you can break it up once more into these small fibres.

Is'nt that all interesting. Well, good-bye until next week.

The Captain.

THE KIDDIES BED-TIME STORY

Adventures of Mickey Squirrel and his Friends

You remember how Archibald was going along with Mickey and Teddy listening to Teddy's rhymes ? Well, Teddy had actually forgotten how sensitive Archibald was and was making a chorus out of the last two lines:—

"Its not your fault your face is funny
"And there's no hair upon your tummy."

and he had just begun it for the fourth time when Mickey gave him a sharp dig in the ribs. Teddy turned a little crossly, because he thought Mickey was being rude about his poetry as usual, and saw his cousin nodding fiercely in the direction of Archibald. Teddy looked wonderingly. Archibald was CRYING AGAIN.

If only Teddy had not raised his voice so loudly over the choruses he would have heard the poor little poodle's agonized sobs. Now the Chipmunk was really tender-hearted you know, all Chipmunks are, though they are just a little thoughtless at times, So he listened to Archibald's sobs and anxiously begged him to dry his tears.

"You know, I only sang that part over and over because I could not think of anything else," he explained.

Oh well" sobbed Achibald it doesn't matter, only I wish you wouldn't make poetry up about me at all. If you (sniff) don't mind (sniff). "I really won't again, honest I won't" assured Teddy and Archibald dried his tears and smiled wanely.

"It isn't you know, as if I minded the poetry exactly" he quavered at length. 'Its just that until I met you I thought it was lovely to look like I do—and now it seems I just look ri-ridicu-lous," and the sobs threatened again. Mickey and Teddy were both quite alarmed by this for it seemed as if Archibald was becoming almost hysterical. They drew apart a little and whispered. "Let's get him to Bunny Rabbit's house quickly" said Mickey, "he may know what to do." "Jolly good idea" muttered Teddy. "We'll go by the short cut through the Warren. Come on quick before he has convulsions," for Archibald was quite black in the face by now, even for a poodle. So one walking either side of the afflicted Archibald, they hurried him along through a little wood to the Rabbit Warren. Bunny Rabbit lived on the very furthest side of the Warren and as they scampered along almost dragging the little poodle in their hurry, little furry heads with long ears popped in a startled way out of their holes and then popped in again. It seemed ages before they arrived at the end of the Warren and stopped in front of a large important looking hole with a little piece of board on the outside which said : Mr. Bunny Rabbit, — No Hawkers or Circulars— 'Here we are safe' gasped Teddy, for he was quite out of breath and so were the others.

We'll have to leave them outside for tonight Kiddies, because its time you went to sleep Good Gracious, Yes—Eight O'clock. Good night Sleeply-heads.

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Our Puzzle Corner

"What animal walks on four legs

in the morning.
Two at noon.
And Three in the evening."

With the advent of the winter, and the long nights many of our boys and girls and some of the older folk too, are considering various modes of recreation to relieve the tedium of the lengthening shadows.

In this column I intend to offer each week a puzzle for solution, and I expect that a profitable and interesting time will be spent in solving the puzzles I set. Many of our readers can no doubt add to the entertainment by submitting some of their best puzzles and I am offering a book prize for the best puzzle received before the end of the present month. I make no stipulation on the kind of puzzles to be submitted, but I rule out arithmetic sums which are variations on the rule of three.

This week I propose to give a puzzle which has been printed before but probably is new to 999 out of a thousand readers :-

A lady and her husband were at church on an exceedingly hot day and the lady cooled herself with a beautiful ivory fan. The sermon was long "To illustrate the point, dear brethren," said the preacher "let us review the history of the world." The man grew sleepy and nodded forward. When the preacher got as far as the Assyrian Empire the man was asleep. He began to dream, and dreamed that he was a victim of the French Revolution. He thought that his head was on the block and that the axe of the guillotine was rushing down towards his neck. At this moment his wife noticed that he was asleep, and she tapped him on the back of the neck with the ivory fan. Instantly the man fell dead. Now his thrilling story was published as a piece of news. A critic said "It bears internal evidence which proves that it was not true." Was the critic right, and if so why ?

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Brownsburg Athletic Meet

Favoured with beautiful weather, an excellent track, and well filled entry lists, the popular "Brownsburg Track Day" was carried to a successful conclusion on Saturday last. An ambitious programme, covering the whole gamut of athletic events, was provided by an energetic and painstaking committee. Competition was keen and close finishes added zest and excitement to the enjoyment of quite a good number of spectators.

This is the first year in which the Brownsburg committee had the athletic events divorced from the regular C.I.L. Picnic, and the venture was such a success that, it is to be hoped, this departure will be continued in future years.

Canada holds a worthy place among nations in athletic prowess, and her sons and daughters too, have proudly raised her flag, in sparkling feats at the Olympic Games. These deeds were made possible, by the initiative of Committees like Brownsburg, who provided the means of cultivating and fostering athletic competition among her youth, who provided the incentive to her children to hie away out to the training grounds and build up a healthy body and mind with clean competition.

Beautiful cups and medals were awarded to the successful competitors thanks to the unstinted generosity of Canadian Industries Limited, on whose grounds the meeting was held and who provided the wherewithal to finance the undertaking. Companies like C.I.L. and they are all too few, who realize the importance of training the youth of the country, deserve the gratitude and thanks of all true Canadians.

Committee :

Starter and Timekeepers : Messrs. J. L. Lambertson, E. Barker, and M. V. Trayers.

Judges : Messrs. E. L. Johnson, A. T. Powell, J. A. Dewar, J. Davis.

Entry Clerk : Mr. E. Smillie.

Scorer : Mr. E. Quesnel.

Announcer : Mr. E. Lavoie.

Groundsmen : Messrs. Lem. Wilson, C. Harding, Leonard Wilson and A. Steere.

In charge of Trapshooting : Mr. A. Steere.

Chairman : Mr. T. G. Pasco.

Sec.-Treas. : Mr. S. H. Stilwell.

100 yards dash,—Geo. Connelly; F. Hurdle; A. Graham. Time 10 2-5.

Running High Jump,—J. Berniquer; J. Duncan; R. Beauregard, 5 ft. 1 in.

120 yards Hurdle,—W. Drew, J. Duncan, A. Graham 13⅕ sec.

Running Broad Jump—G. Connolly 18' 9 in; A. Graham; W. Drew

220 yards Dash,—G. Connolly; A. Graham; F. Hurdle 23 3-5 sec.

Pole Vault,—W. Barnes 10 ft.; W. Drew; J. Berniquer.

440 yards,—A. Graham; F. Hurdle; W. Drew. Time 55⅕.

Shot Put,—H. Tomalty 35 ft; W. McVeity; E. Barker.

Three Legged Race,—A. McCullock and K. Stewart; C. Harding and J. Hamilton; B. Jackson and H. Tomalty.

One Mile Flat,—W. Drew; B. Jackson, A. McCullock. Time 5 min., 17 2-5 secs.

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Rogers — Hume

A pretty wedding took place last Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hume of Hill Head, when their only daughter Isabella Margaret was united in matrimony to Randolph William Rogers elder son of Mr. & Mrs. S. T. Rogers. The marriage being performed by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough of Lachute United Church.

The bridal party standing under an arch of green foliage and flowers from which was suspended a silvered horse shoe and white satin ribbons.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father looked charming in a gown of white satin fashioned in long lines with draped neckline of Rose Point lace, her veil of white net caught up in cap effect with pearls and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of cream roses baby's breath and maiden hair fern and wore a pendant, gift of the groom.

Miss Margaret Rogers, sister of the groom, as maid of honor wore a gown of apple green satin with shoes to match and black shoes to match and black hat with gren feather and carried a bouquet of Columbia roses

Miss Gwen Pollock, niece of the groom and Miss G. Berry acted as flower girls, wearing dresses of white crepe de chene trimmed with white satin ribbon and rosettes of white satin ribbon in their hair.

Mr. W. Ross Hume, brother of the bride acted as groomsman. The music was rendered by Miss Ellen Boa, cousin of the bride.

The bride's gift to the maid of honor was a chromium bar pin set with emeralds; to the flower girls, comb cases and to Miss Boa an ivory photo frame. The groom's gift to the groomsman was gold cuff links.

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EMPLOYMENT RELIEF WORKS

The federal and provincial governments having come to a definite understanding in regard to the conditions under which their respective obligations will be met regarding special road constructions that are to be undertaken to relieve the unemployment situation, there is, according to the Hon. J. E. Perrault, Quebec Minister of Highways, good prospect of an early start being made within the province of Quebec on several of the sections of the trans-Canada highway. In fact, the probabilities point to the relief program being commenced this week. This is much to be desired, for between now and the time that outside labor will be halted by weather conditions the period is comparatively short. If we are favored with an open season, it should be possible to continue outside work at least until the first week in December. Over and above the trans-Canada highway sections, on which some $5,000,000 is to be immediately spent, the provincial Highways Department will undertake improvements on a number of regional and provincial roads involving a further expenditure of $3,000,000. In this relief undertaking, too, the federal authorities will co-operate to the extent of forty per cent. of the cost. The Quebec engineers have had all plans prepared in anticipation of a punctual beginning of the highway undertakings immediately contemplated in the province, and only unforeseen events can cause any delay.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

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Last week a big black bear weighing over 250 pounds was making some calls at the bee hives of Mr. Holt of Carillon, & sampling the honey of which which bears are very fond. He made one trip too many and was shot by Mr. Camille Roy. Many of the nearby residents called to have a look at him before he was shipped to Montreal.

Among visitors to Montreal last week from St Andrews were Rev. J. and Mrs. Macaskill, Mrs. Bezanson and Miss Helen Perks

The teachers, Miss Waldron, Miss LeRoy and Miss Enow attended the Teachers' Convention in Montreal Thursday and Friday. From there Miss Waldron motored to her home for the holiday.

Miss Elizabeth Wales was home from the R. V. C., Montreal, over the holiday.

The W. M. S. of the United Church held their monthly meeting on Tuesday last and packed several boxes of clothing and bedding for the West.

Mr. John Allen's new home is nearly completed and now the workmen are busy making a waterfall to flow over the old Priory ruins back of the house Several more lots of the St. Andrews Estates on the North river have been sold.

Mr. Seymour Jones, of Burlington, Iowa and Mrs. John T. Hamilton of Cedar Rapids, Iowa spent Thanksgiving with their brother Mr. Robert Jones. This was a happy re-union of the only remaining members of an old St. Andrews family. Mrs. Hamilton was accompanied by her nurse Mrs. Ray.

BROWNSBURG

Mrs. R. Ivall of Morin Heights was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kettyle spent the holiday with friends in Mountain, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Connelly were holiday visitors with friends in Wakefield, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Doran have just returned from a very enjoyable trip, visiting friends in Pembroke, and other places on the way.

The big moose was a great attraction here on Saturday last and especially so when Mr. A. Raymond, butcher, presented many of his customers with a nice portion.

Mrs. White Sr. and the boys spent the week-end and holiday at Lake Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curran of Newton Centre, Mass., visited friends in Brownsburg over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Creswell and son Robert left on Wednesday on a motor trip to Newton Centre, Greenwich and other points.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Hutchins of Montreal, were guests at Rosemount over the Thanksgiving week-end.

Rev. Cecil Eccleston motored from Montreal with a party of friends and was visiting at Mr. A. Sherritt's and Rosemount.

Quite a party of willing helpers from Dunany and Shrewsbury have been working at the parsonage in connection with the installation of the new bathroom.

Mr. Ross Evans accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Andrews to Montreal after a visit at the Chateau and other places.

Dr. and Mrs. McLeish and family have closed their place for the season as also have Mr. and Mrs. Townsend and others.

DALESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White and Misses Helen and Lois spent the week-end at their cottage.

Messrs. Gordon Cameron and Harold Campbelll were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White.

Messrs. T. Keefer, W. McKenzie and J. Bell reported a pleasant holiday at the Keefer camp. Mr. Keefer had the misfortune of losing a valuable Irish setter.

Miss Florence Morrow spent the holiday at her home.

Miss June Morrow spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Miss E. Silverson was home for the holidays.

The Misses Ethel Dixon and Annie Morrow spent the week-end at their homes.

Miss Ruth Campbell spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. John Campbell spent last week in Lachute.

CUSHING

Mrs. J. Bradley of Carillon, was the guest of her brother, Mr. R. Dobbie on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Macomb of St. Chrysosthome, were week-end guests of Mr. Roy Dobbie.

Dr. and Mrs. H. McGerrigle, of Hanover, Va., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Innes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Worfolk and Miss Estelle Paynter of Montreal, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham.

Mrs. Walter Mann, of Stardale, Ont., and Miss M. Robinson of Lachute, were week-end and holiday guests of Mrs. L. C. Cooke.

The Mission Band met at the home of Mrs. L. Cooke on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Weir Jr. and daughters were week-end guests of Mrs. C. Higginson, of Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McDiarmid and the Misses Burton of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jas. Cleland.

The Misses Ivy and Elsie Graham also Mr. D. W. Candlish were week-end guests of Mr. & Mrs. A. Graham. Miss Myrtle and Mr. Arthur Bryerton, of Verdun, were Sunday guests.

The Misses Katie and Mary Byrne were the guests of Mrs. Ed. Barron, of Monalea on Monday.

Messrs. L. Maw and S. Beecher of Montreal, motored with their families to Cushing and spent Thanksgiving.

Miss A. Warwick, of Brownsburg, is spending some time in Cushing.

Miss Doris Leroy spent Friday and Saturday in Montreal.

Mrs. F. Fuller was absent the greater part of last week visiting friends in Montreal and Hudson.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Mungo's Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Archie Graham on Friday, Oct. 23rd. All are welcome.

A holiday that almost ended in tragedy will be long remembered by Mr. Howard, of Rosemount, and four of his sons who spent the greater part of Thanks giving day fishing in the bay bordering on Mr. A. Graham's farm. In the afternoon they decided to use a boat to get into deeper water, having no oars, the father and eldest son took two sticks and paddled out from shore. The west wind was strong and when the boat got out of the shelter of the bay it upturned.

Fortunately for the two men they came to the surface near enough the boat to grasp it. Several attempts were made to right it and get in but burdened as they were with heavy sheep lined mackinaws it was not possible. Seeing their plight one of the boys ran to the Graham home or help.

On arriving at the river Messrs. Graham and Worfolk found that the two men had succeeded in clasping hands over the upturned boat and were drifting slowly downstream.

No other boat was at hand and they were too far out to be reached by a rope, so encouraged and admonished by the watchers on shore, the two men succeeded by dint of paddling with their feet in turning the boat in towards the lower side of the bay where the land jutted out much further, and were able to get close enough in that manner to be thrown a rope and towed the rest of the way, then rushed to Mr. Graham's home where they were given dry clothing. Thus they were enabled to motor back to Rosemount rejoicing in the fact that all that went to the bottom of the river was one hat and a fishing rod.

LAKEFIELD.

Miss Thelma and Mr. Gordon Hynes, of Montreal, were guests at Mrs. A. Tomalty's over the week-end.

Guests at Lakeside Lodge over the Thanksgiving holiday were, Rev. W. Cecil Eccleston, Mr. T. Sampson and family, Mr. John Boutnair, all of Montreal.

Mrs. Claude Richards was the guests of her brother Mr. G. Peet for the holidays.

Mrs. T. Pollock of Lachute, is spending some time visiting her brother, Mr. A. G. Sherritt.

DALESVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Phelan and family and Mr. Kenneth Sugars, of Montreal, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hall, on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Hall of Westmount, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Hall at Dalesville.

Mrs. John Derrick motored to Montreal for Thanksgiving.

Miss C. Hall returned to her home on Sunday, after spending a pleasant week with her sisters in Montreal.

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BROWNSBURG

Thanksgiving services were held in the United Church on Sabbath, October 11, and were largely attended. The church had been very tastefully decorated with autumn leaves and autumnal emblems, while at the altar a large table bore a bountiful supply of fruit and vegetables of all varieties, the donation of the congregation all of which very prettily arranged, gave the edifice a very happy appearance, suggestive of harvest time and liberality. A feature of the decorations was a large canvas harvest scene, drawn in crayon colors, spread at the rear of the choir, the work of a local artist, and encircled by an exhortation to thanksgiving, all very nicely harmonized and splendidly executed. Large sheafs of wheat graced the ends of the altar and in the centre tokens of first firuits from the generous farm. The services, both morning and evening were very spiritual and helpful, and the choir contributed greatly to the spirit of the hour. Many visitors were present, guests of members of the congregation & all contributed to the heartiness in which hymns and responsive readings were rendered. Many words of appreciation of the artistic surroundings and of the services were spoken by those present in behalf of the choir, whose zeal and efforts made such a pleasant surprise possible On Monday the gifts were removed & given to a few friends of the congregation lucky enough to be on the list of the committee.

GRENVILLE

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Mission Circle of the Grenville Baptist Church was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray on October 6th. There was a large attendance and over twenty sat down to a bountiful supper, provided by the hostess. A very interesting address was given by Mrs. Baxter, of Hamilton, mother of Rev. E. G. Baxter, Minister of the Grenville, Chatham West and Brownsburg Churches

She spoke of the work done among the foreigners in Hamilton Baptist Churches and especially on the Daily Vacation Bible School held during the month of July and of the large number of foreign children, who eagerly seized the opportunity of instruction also of the parents attending meetings.

The attendance was large at the Grenville Baptist Church on Saturday evening the 16, when Mr. William King, of Montreal gave an illustrated lecture on the Battlefields of Europe. Seventy four colored views were shown.

Miss Lois Cooke of Montreal spent the Thanksgiving holiday at her home.

Miss Vera Gauley of Montreal was at her home for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Groser, Miss Edith Groser and Sylvia and Elsie Gaudry motored from Montreal on Thanksgiving Day and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart and Mrs. A. V. Gaudry.

Mr. Fred Murray was in Montreal for the holidays.

Mrs. T. Grey and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grey have returned to Montreal after spending their holidays in Ottawa, Grenville & other points.

Miss Francis Irving of St. Lambert, was the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Irving at the Rectory.

Mr. Willie Murray, Mr. and Mrs. McDougall & little daughter also Mrs. T. Murray and two little daughters and Mr. T. Murray motored down from Ottawa, and visited Mrs. John Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray and Mr. and Mrs. W. Cousins.

Mrs. George Kelly, accompanied by her son and daughter, of Avoca, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McIntyre.

Mrs. A. V. Gaudry enjoyed a very pleasant visit of several days with Mrs. Murray and Mrs. McIntyre.

The Late F. W. Wade

The funeral of the late Frederick W. Wade was held in the United Church, Grenville, on October 9th., Rev. J. W. McLean officiating. Mr. Wade was born in this town 63 years ago and held a government position for many years later he and his family moved to Montreal. He is survived by his widow, four sons and one daughter.

Among those who attended were William and James Cook, and Mrs. Bennett of Ottawa; Clifford Hayes, Mrs. S. Hayes, Mr. Alfred Butter, Miss Gladys Butter, Mrs. Wm. Butter, Miss Ewing, Mrs. S. O. Hartley, Mr. Ernest Hartley, of Montreal.

The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

Robert Chambers Passes At his Home in Prairie

The death of Robert Chambers well-known resident of this city occurred at his home recently in Prairie City, Or. He had been in poor health for the past two or three years and during the past six months had been confined to his home most of the time.

Robert Chambers was born at Stonefield, Canada, on September 24, 1872. In 1896 he went to California and came to Oregon in 1897 and located in Prairie City. On September 20, 1896 he married Bertha Bradford. He moved back to Canada for a short time and then returned with his family to Oregon in 1905, living in Prairie City the largest part of the time until his death, Sept. 5, 1931 at the age of 58 years, 11 months and 12 days.

After coming to Prairie City he worked for the Sumpter Valley Railway company as local freight agent until about six years ago. At that time he became city marshall remaining in that capacity until forced to discontinue his work on account of ill health.

Mr. Chambers is survived by his wife, Bertha Chambers, a daughter, Mrs. T. L. Meador, of this city, a son, Edwin Chambers and one grand daughter, Geraldine, of Canyon City, also one sister, Mrs. Gordon Bradford of this city.

"Bob" Chambers as he was known to his many friends throughout the county, was a man of excellent character, of kind and generous disposition & a highly respected citizen. He was of the friendly, hospitable type and always had a kind word for every one he met, and his many friends will miss his cordial greetings.

Mr. Chambers was reared in the Baptist faith. He was a Mason and an active member in Prairie City Lodge No. 60, A.F. & A.M.

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon, Sept. 7th., from the Methodist Episcopal church conducted by Rev. L. B. Bailey and interment made in Prairie City Cemetery where the burial service was given by Prairie City Lodge No. 60, A.F. & A.M.

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This vast subject of visual education could only be covered rather superficially at best due to lack of time.

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Visual education should include trips to museums.

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For rural schools the celluloid slide is the best as they are the most inexpensive and are easily handled. In cases where expenditure must be carefully considered this type of slide is advisable.

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The whole scheme of visual education is here to stay and the sooner it is realized by the teacher the better.

Another advantage of visual education is that it helps you to cover more ground in a shorter time.

Every school should have a lantern. It is as much a part of the equipment of the classroom as the blackboard itself.

Thursday, October 8th., 1931. Mass Meeting.

Greetings from the City of Montreal by Dr. Gilday.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen :—

It was only this morning that I was notified and asked by the Mayor to come here and extend to you the greetings of the City of Montreal. The Secretary at the same time presented me with an address which I was expected to read, but will not. I have not prepared any speech, but at the same time would like to say a few wods. I realize that one of the most important Conventions that any City can receive is a Teachers' Convention.

On you lies the responsibilities of the nation more than on any other class of people. It is to you we look to, to bring out the best ideals of any country. Being a medical man, myself, and also a member of the School Board, my observations have not gone into detail, but I would like to say a few words. The world has changed and we are living under stress such as we have not had for a century. The impressions which are made on the child from one to fifteen are the most lasting which can be made, and it is during that period that the future of the child is born.

Now the nervous system is very sensitive, and when played upon they will not last the average span of life, three score years and ten. We have to think of the future manhood and womanhood of the country. What is the child going to be at fifty or sixty ? The first requisite of education is the physical and general health of the pupil. You get a bright child, nervous, high strung that goes home and studies and does not go out; he may carry of all the medals, but follow him up—at 25 or 30 they run up against competition, that is the time that your education will be put to its best. The asylums are overcrowded, the people cannot stand the strain, why have their physical defects not been attended in early youth ? The teacher in the country school is not devoting enough time or attention to the pupil. Although they have no gymnasium they have the fields and the farms. If the teacher is not in harmony with the pupil in physical and mental training, they have lost a great deal. Teachers should fit in with their pupils. Do not forget that pupils, full of life and troublesome in school, are carrying on and making a good citizen at forty. There is not a nation in the world, that is not studying their youth today. In Trinidad they have open air schools, and one of the finest training schools is in Uruguay. They are building up a nation with a body that is worth something to the country.

The children of today with the radio, talking pictures, etc., worn out at 25 - what will they be at 50. You have got to get in touch with the bad boys in the class, nurse him along more so than the child who does not give the same amount of trouble.

On behalf of the City I wish to extend to you a cordial welcome. Any suggestions you may bring forth to the city, we will be only too willing to help.

The Chairman thanked the Protestant Board of School Commissioners for the use of the High School and then introduced the Rev. M. A. Campbell, D.D., who represented the Protestant Board of School Commissioners.

Dr. Campbell's Speech.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:

I want to say to you what a great honour and privilege it is to me to be here this afternoon and join with you in the opening of the Convention. I want to know that not only are we interested in the teachers in the City of Montreal proper. I can say to you that the School Board does take a very keen interest in all the teachers. There would be no school board except for the teachers and no teachers without children. I believe that the understanding between the teacher and the school and between the school and the board is the solution of the educational problem in our province and every country. I was thinking as I was listening to the children that Mr. Herbert played upon an instrument, a master getting the response. There are more children in our schools this year than in other years. Why are parents anxious that their children should be in school? President Hoover in seeking some way out of depression gave certain suggestions that he thought would help the country and business. One of these is "Keep the children in school." I wonder why? I believe the President has a vision that in the children you have something that nothing can take away. There can be no depression. We are living on the verge of a new world. Teachers are preparing for it. There is no class of people, no convention that has more importance than this one. Your work in the next few years will tell probably more than it has ever done in the history of Canada. You are the people that are able to do it.

I bring you greetings from the Montreal Board and wish you every success. Men realize that the material is not everything. A few years ago men were satisfied with material things. Now they have realized that is not all. It is to you that the country must look for its real development. I thank you for having invited me and in the name of the Board offer you greetings.

Dr. W. Mitchell.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen :

I came up here this afternoon not to speak to you but to listen, and I am not going to allow your distinguished chairman to get me into a mess by asking me to speak on education, in the presence of such distinguished educationalists as I see around me. I take this opportunity, as Chairman of the Protestant Committee of Public Instruction, to say how delighted I am to see here so many teachers, the directors of the youth and the makers of the men and women of tomorrow. I have never looked at a group of teachers, that I did not think what a great privilege it must be to belong to the greatest of all professions—the teacher. I have just one more word to say. In a few remarks I made today at the Kiwanis Club, I predicted that the whole Island of Montreal would be under one direction and if so I hope under Dr. Campbell. It is by consolidation of the smaller schools in the country that we can procure the best teachers. It is impossible in a small school, where the children are of different ages, to have a teacher who is proficient in every subject, but by consolidation you can have several teachers.

If you need any help we will lend you all the assistance we can.

At the Mass Meeting on Tuesday afternoon, Mr. Fred Stephen spoke on Group Insurance. He told the insured members of the association that it was not necessary for them to send an application in each year. The Association made some improvements in the contract which they have with the Insurance Company. In spite of there being only 261 members instead of 500, the company have agreed to renew their contract for one year from September 1st. He pointed out the promptness and fairness of the company regarding claims. The company feel that the applicants should be examined by a disinterested doctor and the Committee endorsed this plan.

The outstanding benefits of this scheme are as follows :

1. It is not necessary to have any specified number of members.

2. All illnesses are covered, including nervous breakdown

3. The applicant is covered in summer as well as in winter.

4. Claims are payable after seven days of illness and immediately for accident.

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The co-operation of every teacher is needed, those already insured to bring in new members, those not already insured to consider the matter seriously.

He also said that twenty-two claims ranging from eighteen to one thousand dollars have been paid. No claim has been refused by the Company since the inauguration of the plan.

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The Group Insurance Committee report 261 members who have taken out insurance to date.

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The Committee urged that a greater number of members of the Association become interested in this plan so that there might be no possibility of this most excellent offer being withdrawn by the insuring company.

Teachers owe to themselves and to their friends, at least, independence in the time of sickness, and this can be provided for by the plan of insurance which was put into operation.

Dr. Percival brought greetings from the Department of Education to the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers at the same time expressing his pleasure in being asked to speak and a hope that he might be so honored for many years to come.

Dr. Percival first spoke on the summer school which was formed this year. He said "In the first place I want to say that because we trusted to the seriousness of the teachers and because we took them at their work, a summer school was encouraged and actually begun this past summer. That marks one of the greatest forward steps in the educational system of the Province of Quebec. For some years petitions had been sent to the Department and to the Protestant Committee asking for a summer school. This of course took time to work out, but we knew how necessary it was to give what people ask for when it is for their good."

There were 108 enrolled in the class leading to the Advanced Intermediate Diploma and 51 in the class leading to the Advanced Elementary Diploma. A great many more applied for admission to the summer school but lack of accommodation prevented their being accepted.

The summer school was a success, so great a success that Dean Laird advised that steps be taken to have a similar school next year and I see no reason at the present time why it should not be."

This summer school affords an opportunity to teachers to improve their qualifications. Three summers spent at this summer school entitles the student to the Advanced Intermediate Diploma, provided that they already hold the Intermediate Diploma. In the same way, a student holding the Elementary Diploma and attending the school for four summers qualifies for the Intermediate Diploma provided they have Eleventh Year Standing.

This school has brought into being five distinct grades of diplomas—Elementary,; Advanced Elementary; Intermediate; Advanced Intermediate and First Class High School.

"The summer school has revolutionized the diploma system of the Province of Quebec."

The authorities are preparing for a larger registration this coming summer.

The next topic of his address concerned the new course of study. He expressed the hope that all would give the revised course of study a thorough trial. Three new features of the new course of study have been emphasized. These are the courses in religious education, art and music.

Dr. Percival paid tribute to Mr. D. M. Herbert for the wonderful singing given by his choir and also to Rev. R. G. Katsunoff and his male quartette.

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Molly Bevan

The Blue Bell Poetess

In the golden wonder
of an Autumn wood,
Ankle-deep in painted leaves
silently I stood
To watch a small swift squirrel
store his Winter food.

I would be as thrifty
in a different way,
Putting bits of beauty by
now the years are gay,
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when Life's skies grow gray.

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Sight Unseen

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

Synopsis

Six people, Horace Johnson (who tells the story), his wife, old Mrs. Dane, Herbert Robinson and his sister, Alice, and Dr. Sperry, friends and neighbors, are in the habit of holding weekly meetings. At one of them Mrs. Dane, who is hostess, varies the program by unexpectedly arranging a spiritualistic seance with Miss Jeremy, a friend of Dr. Sperry and not a professional, as the medium.

The sitting opens with the customary table rapping and other inconsequential and humorous happenings. Then the medium goes into a trance and gives disjointed details of a murder. After the sitting breaks up and the members go home, Sperry telephones Johnson and

Now go on with the Story

I told him he was right.

"Then that fixes the time at which Miss Jeremy told us of the murder," he came back over the phone.

There was silence at Sperry's end of the wire. Then :

"Wells was shot about 9.30," he said, and rang off.

I am not ashamed to confess that my hands shook as I hung up the receiver. As I stood there, I wondered for the first time whether there might not be, after all, a spirit-world surrounding us, cognizant of all that we did, touching but intangible, sentient but tuned about our common senses ?

I was shocked by the news, but not greatly grieved. The Wellses had been among us but not of us, I have said. Of the two, I myself had preferred Arthur. His faults were on the surface. He drank hard, gambled and could not always pay his gambling debts. But underneath it all there had always been something boyishly honest about him. He had played, it is true, through most of the thirty years that now marked his whole life, but he could have been made a man by the right woman. And he had married the wrong one.

Of Elinor Wells I have only my wife's verdict and I have found that as is the way with many good women, her judgment of her own sex is rather merciless. A tall, handsome girl very dark, my wife has characterized her as cold, calculating and ambitious. She has said frequently, too, that Elinor Wells was a disappointed woman, that her marriage, while giving her social identity, had disappointed her in a monetary way.

There was no doubt, by the time they had lived in our neighborhood for a year, that a complication had risen in the shape of another man.

Our street has never had a scandal on it except the one when the Berringtons' music teacher ran away with their coachman, in the days of carriages. And I am glad to say that that is almost forgotten.

Nevertheless, we had realized for some time that the dreaded triangle was threatening the repute of our quiet neighborhood, and as I stood by the telephone that night I saw it had come. More than that it seemed very probable that into this very triangle our peaceful Neighbourhood Club had been suddenly thrust.

The street, with its open spaces, was a relief after the dark hall. I started for Sperry's house, my head bent against the wind, my mind on the news I had just heard.

Sperry was waiting on his doorstep, and we went on to the Wells house.

Although the Wells house was brilliantly lighted when we reached it, we had difficulty in gaining admission.

"We might try the servants' entrance", Sperry said. Then he laughed mirthlessly.

"We might see," he said, "if there's a key on the nail among the vines."

I confess to a nervous tightening of my muscles as we made our way around the house. If the key was there, we were on the track of a revelation that might revolutionize much that we had held fundamental in science and in our knowledge of life itself. If, sitting in Mrs. Dane's quiet room, a woman could tell us what was happening in a house a mile or so away it opened up a new earth. Almost a new heaven.

I stopped and touched Sperry's arm, "This Miss Jeremy — did she know Arthur Wells or Elinor ? If she knew the house, & the situation between them, isn't it barely possible that she anticipated this thing ?"

"We knew them," he said gruffly, "whatever we anticipated, it wasn't this."

Sperry had a pocket flash and when we found the door locked we proceeded with our search for the key.

"Here's the key," Sperry said and held it out. The flash wavered in his hand, and his voice was strained.

We admitted ourselves.

"Look here, Sperry," I said, as we stood inside the door, they don't want me here. They've sent for you but I'm the most casual sort of an acquaintance. I haven't any business here."

That struck him, too. We had both been so obsessed with the scene at Mrs. Dane's that we had not thought of anything else.

"Suppose you sit down in the library," he said. "The chances are against her coming down, & the servants don't matter."

As a matter of fact, we learned later that all the servants were out except the nursery governess. There were two small children. There was a servants' ball somewhere, and, with the exception of the butler it was after two before they commenced to straggle in. Except two plain-clothes men from the central office, a physician who was with Elinor in her room and the governess, there was no one else in the house but the children, asleep in the nursery.

As I sat alone in the library, the house was perfectly silent. But in some strange fashion it had apparently taken on the attributes of the deed that had preceded the silence. It was sinister, mysterious, dark.

Overwrought as I was, I was forced to bring my common sense to bear on the situation. Here was a tragedy, a real and terrible one. Suppose we had in some queer fashion, touched its outer edges that night ? Then how was it that there had come, mixed up with so much that might be pertinent, such extraneous and grotesque things as a hurt knee, and throwing watches and pens about.

I remember moving impatiently, and trying to argue myself into my ordinary logical state of mind, but I know now that even then I was wondering whether Sperry had found a hole in the ceiling upstairs.

Suppose Sperry came down and said Arthur Wells had been shot above the ear, and that there was a second bullet hole in the ceiling ? Added to the key on the nail, a careless custom and surely not common, we would have conclusive proof that our medium had been correct. There was another point, too. Miss Jeremy had said, "Get the lather off your face."

That brought em up with a turn. Would a man stop shaving to kill himself ? If he did, why a revolver ? Why not the razor in his hand ?

I knew from my law experience that suicide is either a desperate impulse or a cold-blooded and calculated finality. A man who kills himself while dressing comes under the former classification, and will usually seize the first method at hand. But there was something else, too. Shaving is an automatic process. It completes itself. My wife has an irritated conviction that if the house caught fire while I was in the midst of the process, I would complete it and remove the soap from my face before I caught up the fire-extinguisher.

Had he killed himself, or had Elinor killed him ? Was she the sort to sacrifice herself to a violent impulse ? Would she choose the hard way, when there was the easy one of the divorce court ? I thought not. And the same was true of Elling ham. Here were two people, both of them careful of appearance, if not of fact. There was another possibility, too. That he had learned something while he was dressing, had attacked or threatened her with a razor, and she had killed him in self-defence.

I had reached that point when Sperry came down the staircase ushering out the detective and the medical man. He came to the library door and stood looking at me, with his face rather paler than usual.

"I'll take you up now," he said. "She's in her room in bed and she has had an opiate."

"Was he shot above the ear ?"

"Yes."

I did not look at him, nor he at me. We climbed the stairs and entered the room, where, according to Elinor's story, Arthur Wells had killed himself. It was a dressing-room, as Miss Jeremy has described. A wardrobe, a table with books and magazines in disorder, two chairs, and a couch constituted the furnishings. Beyond was a bathroom. On a chair by a window the dead man's evening clothes were neatly laid out his shoes beneath. His top hat and folded gloves were on the table.

Wells lay on the couch.

The house was absolutely still When I glanced at Sperry he was staring at the ceiling, and I followed his eyes, but there was no mark on it. Sperry made a little gesture.

The detective and I put him there. He was here." He showed a place on the floor midway of the room.

"Where was his head lying?" I asked cautiously.

"Here."

I stooped and examined the carpet. It was a dark Oriental, with much red in it. I touched the place, and then ran my folded handkerchief over it. It came up stained with blood.

"There would be no object in using cold water there so as not to set the stain," Sperry said thoughtfully. "Whether he fell there or not, that is, where she allowed him to be found."

"You don't think he fell there?"

"She dragged him, didn't she?" he demanded. Then the strangeness of what he was saying struck him, and he smiled foolishly. "What I mean is, the medium said she did. I don't suppose any jury would pass us tonight as entirely sane, Horace", he said.

He walked across to the bathroom and surveyed it from the doorway. I followed him. It was as orderly as the other room. On a glass shelf over the wash-stand were his razors, a safety, and beside it in a black case, an assortment of the long-bladed variety, one for each day of the week, and so marked.

Sperry stood thoughtfully in the doorway.

"The servants are out," he said. "According to Elinor's statement he was dressing when he did it.

And yet some one has had a wild impulse for tidiness here, since it happened. Not a towel out of place !"

It was in the bathroom that he told me Elinor's story. According to her, it was a simple case of suicide. And she was honest about it, in her own way She was shocked, but she was not pretending any wild grief. She hadn't wanted him to die, but she had not felt that they could go on much longer together. There had been no quarrel other than their usual bickering. They had been going to a dance that night. The servants had all gone out immediately after dinner to a servants' ball and the governess had gone for a walk. She was to return at nine-thirty to fasten Elinor's gown and to be with the children.

Arthur, she said, had been depressed for several days, and at dinner had hardly spoken at all. He had not, however, objected to the dance. He had, indeed, seemed strangely determined to go, although she had pleaded a headache. At nine o'clock he went upstairs, apparently to dress.

She was in her room, with the door shut, when she heard a shot. She ran in and found him lying on the floor of his dressing-room with his revolver behind him. The governess was still out. The shot had aroused the children and they had come down from the nursery above. She was frantic, but she had to soothe them. The governess, however, came in almost immediately ,and she had sent her to the telephone to summon help, calling Sperry first of all, and then the police.

"Have you seen the revolver ? I asked.

"Yes. It's all right, apparently. Only one shot had been fired."

"How soon did they get a doctor ?"

"It must have been some time They gave up telephoning, and the governess went out finally, and found one."

"Then, while she was out—?"

"Possibly," Sperry said. "If we start with the hypothesis that she was lying."

"If she cleaned up here for any reason." I began, and commenced a desultory examination of the room. Just why I looked behind the bathtub forces me to an explanation I am somewhat loath to make, but which will explain a rather unusual proceeding. For some time my wife has felt that I smoked heavily, and out of her solicitude for me has limited me to one cigar after dinner. But as I have been a heavy smoker for years I have found this a great hardship, and have therefore kept a reserve store, by arrangement with the housemaid, behind my tub. In self-defence I must also state that I seldom have recourse to such stealthy measures.

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Lachute Town Locals

Mrs. Geo. Creswell is spending a few weeks visiting relatives in London, Ont.

Mr. Walker Scott and family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Scott.

Mrs. Geo. Bennett spent a few days last week, visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Scott.

Mr. James McLelland, of Montreal, spent the week-end, the guest of Mr. W. J. Boyd.

Miss Ethel Stansfield spent a few days last week visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. William Dixon, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsworthy over the week-end.

Mr. Massie and Miss Shirley Hamilton of Montreal, spent the holidays, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton.

Mr. Howard Morrison and Miss Lois Murray of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McGibbon for the week-end.

Mrs. J. A. Pollock and children spent the week-end in Arundel, the guests of Mr. Alex. Graham.

Miss Florence Armstrong of Avida, was the holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Armstrong, Lachute Road.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jaquest of Montreal spent the week-end in town.

Miss Gladys Cruise of Montreal, spent the holiday week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Cruise.

Miss G. Titman has returned home after spending the past month with friends in Sherbrooke and Montreal.

Miss Margaret Pollock, of Montreal, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Pollock over the week-end.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and daughter, of Sawyerville, Que., spent the week-end the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsworthy

Mr. Hugh Gall, of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gall over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Britton and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of Gananoque, were the guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Hagar, of Brownsburg for the holidays.

Misses Elaine and Myrtle Thorburn and Mr. R. J. Harley of Montreal, were the week-end and holiday guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Cox.

Dont miss the Annual Tea-Meeting in the Auditorium. on Friday evening, October 30th. This is being put on by the Ladies of the Presbyterian Church and with the excellent program and supper which is always provided you are sure of a good time

Dr. and Mrs. Cassidy and daughter, of Lewistown, Pa., were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker McArthur and daughter, Mr. Robert McArthur and Miss W. Lavery spent the holidays with friends in Ottawa, Renfrew and Smith Falls.

The guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomalty, of Lakefield, for Thanksgiving week-end were, Miss Ivy Nowell Miss Thelma M. Hynes and Mr. C. Gordon Hynes, all of Montreal.

Miss Ethel Scott attended the Teachers' Convention in Montreal, and spent the week-end & holiday with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Scott, returning to Farnham on Monday, to resume her duties as teacher in the Farnham High School.

Milk Shippers Attention.

A Meeting will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, October 17th., at 8 p.m. for the purpose of drafting a report on the milk situation in this district. Same to be placed before the Government Commission for their attention. Also any other business that may come before the meeting.

The following are the records of the Lachute Academy Sports that were reported incorrect last week :—

High Jump, record broken by Joey Berniquer, 5' 7½".
440 yards, Intermediate,—Cyril Drew 1 min., 6 secs.
Hurdle Race, (10 hurdles)—W. Drew.
Putting the shot, (12 lbs.)—Joey Berniquer.

IN MEMORIAM

McFAUL,-In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary, who passed away Oct. 16th., 1929.

Safe in the arms of Jesus
Safe from all grief and sin,
Forever and forever where all is pure within.
My heart is full of sorrow and tears have dimmed my eyes
But I hope to meet her once again
In the home beyond the skies.
Honored and upright in all her ways,
Loyal and true to the end of her days,
A loving wife tender and kind,
And a beautiful memory she has left behind.

Inserted by her husband, A. W. McFaul.

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MONDAY, OCT. 19th., 1931

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CUSHING WEST

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Mrs. T. Weir and daughters Dorothy and Helen spent the latter part of the week visiting friends in Hawkesbury.

Miss Pearl Dawson of Stonefield Heights, is spending the week with her sister Mrs. C. F. Watson.

Messrs. S. and E. and Miss Katie Whelehan spent the week-end and Thanksgiving here.

Messrs. Percy Roberts and J. Wightman also Mr. R. D. Hartley of Montreal, and Mr. C. J. Hartley of Cushing, motored to Lake St. Michel for a day's fishing on Monday.

Guests of Mrs. S. O. Hartley for Thanksgiving were Mr. Laurence and Miss Olive Hartley & Miss Ruth Walsh also Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hartley and son Kenneth.

Mr. D. G. Greig of Montreal, spent the week-end and Thanksgiving with his family at Greece's Point.

Mr. Kenrick Dorion, of Montreal, spent Thanksgiving as the guest of Mr. W. H. Robert at Monalea.

Messrs. Milway, of Montreal, were motor guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Byrne on Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Bradbury of Montreal with her sons Reginald and John spent the latter part of the week with her sister Miss C. L. White at Mascot Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. King of Montreal, spent Thanksgiving as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Brien at Greece's Point.

Dr. Cushing and family spent the week-end at their residence, and on Monday entertained at dinner to a large party of friends which included Messrs. Walter and James and Miss F. Cushing and the Misses Gurd, McLaughlin, McDougall and Leishman, of Montreal; also the Messrs. and the Misses Barron and Mrs. McGregor, of Lachute.

Train service on the C. N. R. line has been demoralized since Friday last when their bridge at Hawkesbury was found to be unsafe, the Montreal trains now going as far as Grenville where passengers from and for Hawkesbury and points west are transferred.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The official opening of the
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to be known as
THE PERLEY BRIDGE
will take place on
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 21, 1931
at 2.30 P.M.

CHURCH NOTES

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

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October 18th.,

Lachute 11 a.m.
Brownsburg 3.00 p.m.
Dalesville 7.30 p.m.

To be conducted by Mr. Percy A. Roberts, of Montreal.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

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10 a.m., Sabbath School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Address by Miss Evelyn Mitchell, Secretary of the W. M. S.
Brief Promotion exercise for scholars of the Sabbath School.
New Hymnary to be used for first time.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Sermon by Minister on "Mary's Tribute to Her Lord."
2.30 p.m., East Settlement.
Welcome to all Services :

LACHUTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. H. Cousens, B.A., B.D.

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Lachute S. S. 10.00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11.00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7.00 p.m.
Brownsburg Worship 3 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH
Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.

Sunday, Oct. 18th., 1931.
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Rally Service in the charge of Mr. T. J. Anderson, Superintendent.
7 p.m., Evening Worship.
All are cordially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. E. G. Baxter.

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Sunday, Oct. 18th., 1931
Grenville Church :
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Church Service.
Chatham West Church :
2 p.m., Sunday School.
3 p.m. Church Service.
Brownsburg Maple Ave. :
10 a.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject : "Christ's Ordinance."
Wednesday 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U.

Service in Holy Trinity Church, Lakefield, on Sunday, Oct. 18th. at 2.30 p.m. All welcome.

In St. Paul's Church, Dunany at 10.30 a.m. on Sunday, Oct. 18th.

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Lesson for October 18

PAUL IN THESSALONICA AND BEREA

GOLDEN TEXT—Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 17:1-15; I Thess. 2:1-12.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How We Ought to Hear.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Two Kinds of Hearers.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Two Kinds of Hearers.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Winning through Love.

I. Paul Preaching in Thessalonica (17:1-10).

1. His method (vv. 1, 2). He observed the divine order, to the Jew first, and was exceedingly anxious for his kinsmen in the flesh, but when they proved themselves unworthy, he turned to the Gentiles.

2. His message (v. 3). It was that Jesus is the Christ. In order to prove that Jesus is the Christ, he expounded unto them the Scriptures. Concerning Christ he set forth three propositions:

a. That Christ must needs have suffered (v. 3). The suffering Christ was not welcomed by the Jews. They had explained away such positive assertions as are set forth in Isaiah 53. They were looking for a Messiah of a different type. This is common today in our churches and Sunday schools. The cross is an offense.

b. "Risen again from the dead" (v. 3). This he also proved by the Scriptures.

c. "That this Jesus whom I preach unto you is Christ" (v. 3). He declared that the historic Jesus whom he had proclaimed had suffered and risen from the dead. Therefore, he is the predicted Messiah.

3. The attitude of the Jews toward his preaching (vv. 4-10). While some Jews believed and many Greeks, the envy of certain Jews was so aroused at Paul's success that they gathered together the worthless fellows of the town and set on foot a riot. They said, "These have turned the world upside down." It is true that the gospel is revolutionary, but not treason to right government. They turned the preaching of Paul into a specious lie. He preached the kingship of Jesus (v. 7). Jesus is most assuredly coming to reign on this earth.

II. The Character of Paul's Ministry at Thessalonica (I Thess. 2:1-12).

In this section we have exhibited the temper of the apostolic ministry. It becomes an ideal for such as would follow in his wake.

1. It was courageous (vv. 1, 2). In spite of shameful persecution, Paul persisted in his ministry, demonstrating his devotion to the Lord.

2. Honest and guileless (vv. 3. 4). He had no ulterior motive. As one sent of God, he faithfully ministered unto them.

3. Without flattering words (v. 5). Regardless of the difficulty of his positions, the prominence of the persons faced, he never resorted to flattery.

4. Without a cloak of covetousness (v. 5). The impelling force of his life was devotion to God and interest in lost men. Opportunity for personal gain he waived aside.

5. He did not seek glory from man (v. 6), his supreme aim being to honor God.

6. He was gentle and affectionate (vv. 7. 8). So vitally did he enter into the lives of the people that he displayed gentleness, even as a nursing mother with her children.

7. Unselfish (v. 9). In order that his motive be not questioned he labored night and day for his support.

8. Irreproachable and blameless (v. 10). He did not claim to be faultless, but he boldly challenged them as to his blamelessness.

9. His lofty aim (vv. 11, 12). It was that they would walk worthy of God in keeping with their high calling.

III. Paul Preaching in Berea (Acts 17:10-15).

1. His method (v. 10). He entered the Jewish synagogue and preached Christ unto them.

2. The reception of the gospel by the Bereans (vv. 11, 12). It was with gladness of heart. The message was just as new to these Jews and just as counter to their way of thinking as it was to the Thessalonian Jews, but they had a more noble disposition. Two things are said of them:

a. They received the message gladly.

b. They searched the Scriptures daily for the truthfulness of the message which they had heard.

3. The wicked action of the Jews (vv. 13-15). Wicked Jews from Thessalonica followed the missionaries and stirred up the people against them, making it necessary for them again to flee.

Sin

Sin sprang into life, and I saw myself a dead man. It is remarkable that Christianity is the only religion that produces this effect. There is no word in any non Christian language for sin as moral evil.—D. M. Panton.

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Coming Events

Presbyterian
TEA-MEETING
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AUDITORIUM, LACHUTE
on
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30th.,
Admission 50c.

A Jiggs' Supper, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Lachute United Church will be given in the Hall of the Church, on Friday evening, the 23rd. of October at 6.30 p.m.

St. Simeon's Club will hold a Hallowe'en Party on Thursday, October 29th., at 8 o'clock in McArthur's Hall. Members may bring a friend.

Supper and Sale of Home-Cooking and Useful Articles by the Women's Guild of St. Andrews East United Church, in the Church Hall, Thursday, November 26th., at 6 p.m. Good program. Admission 50c.; Children 25c.

A meeting of the Literary Section of the Literary-Dramatic Society will be held in the Academy, Tuesday, Oct. 27th., at 8.15 p.m. The chief subject will be Lord Macaulay, his life and Writings, led by Mr. Thos. J. Barron, B.A. The Literary meeting will be followed by a short General one.

ON MONDAY, NOV. 2nd.
The Rev. F. L. Orchard, B.A., B.D., of the First Baptist Church Amherst, N.S., will give an eloquent lecture on the "Romance of the Maritimes," illustrated by coloured slides, in the hall of the Lachute United Church, under the auspices of the Y.P.S. Admission 25c. and 15c. A short musical programme is also included.

A Concert under the auspices of the Trinity W. A. Lakefield, will be held in Gibb Parish Hall on Saturday, October 24th., at 7.30 p.m. Admission 25 cents. Children 15c.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church intend holding their Annual Fall Sale and Tea on Saturday, Dec. 5th., from 3 to 6.

A Shooting Match for Turkeys and Chickens will be held on Monday, Oct. 26th., at 1 p.m. at Oswald Thompson's, East Settlement, Que. Come and try your luck.

PLOWING MATCH
The Farmers' Club of Gore will hold the Annual Plowing Match at Lakefield, on Mr. A. Tomalty's farm, on Wednesday, October 28th. The local Women's Institute will serve dinner at popular prices.
W. Sherritt, President. A. Tomalty Secretary.

WEDDING BELLS
CHRISTIE-SMITH
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The marriage took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lamb at three thirty o'clock on Saturday afternoon, of Miss Doris Smith of Carlisle, Eng. to Mr. James Keith Christie, son of the late Dr. and Mrs. George H. Christie of Lachute. The Rev. W. B. Rosborough of the United Church officiated and the rooms were prettily decorated with autumn leaves and pink 'mums. The wedding music was played by Miss Rosamond Lamb and during the signing of the register, Mr. Redpath, of Buckingham sang "Oh Perfect Love." Miss Gladys Horner of Montreal attended the bride and Dr. J. Edward Christie of Lachute acted as best man. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law Mr. A. W. Reid, of Sherbrooke and wore a torquoise blue silk chiffon gown with coat of chiffon velvet of a darker shade, a hat and slippers to match, and carried a boquet of Talisman roses and white heather. The bridesmaid wore a gown of pale pink crepe with black silk chiffon velvet coat and hat, pink slippers and long black gloves and carried a boquet of Talisman roses and blue delphinium. A reception followed the ceremony. For travelling, the bride wore a wine colored travel tweed suit with velour hat to match, and black suede gloves, shoes and bag. They will later take up residence at 5119 Mountain Sights Ave., Montreal.

FISHER-HOPE
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The marriage of Mary Margaret daughter of the late John Hope and Mrs. Hope of Lachute, Que. to Dr. Trenholm Lawrence Fisher of Ottawa, son of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Fisher, took place quietly on Friday at the residence of the bride's mother, Rev. Dr. Lawrence H. Fisher, father of the groom officiating, assisted by the Rev. H. Cousens. Following a short motor trip the couple will take up residence in Ottawa.

The out of town guests present were, Dr. John Guthrie, Dr. and Mrs. F. Colvin, Mrs G. A. Dunning, Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacPherson, Dr. G. York, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Fisher and Miss E. Manchester of Ottawa, Dr. and Mrs. Quackenbush, Miss Guillett, Misses Dora and Mildred Rothera, Miss McMann of Montreal and Dr. John Hope of Siscoe; Mrs. D. McIntyre, Mrs. R. J. Kiesling, of Long Island, New York.

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Local news of the Week

Mrs. Cromp of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Goldsworthy.

Mr. M. Jones and Miss Edith Jones spent Saturday in Montreal.

Mr. Alex. Barker of Montreal, was a recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Barker.

Dr. John Hope of Siscoe, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. Hope for a few days.

Mrs. Godwin of Ste. Anne de Bellevue is spending this week the guest of the Misses Barron.

Mr .and Mrs. S. Goldsworthy are in Toronto, attending the Convention of Regular Baptists.

Miss Lena Combie, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Combie.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clarke also Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clarke and little daughter spent Sunday with friends in Lachine.

Mrs. Chris. Simser and children Doris and Douglas were the guests of her sister Mrs. W. Belanger over the week-end.

Ladies' Night, in connection with Argenteuil Lodge, No. 67, A.F. and A.M. is being held in the Auditorium, Lachute, Tuesday evening, November 10th.

Messrs. Chabot and Dumas spent a short time recently in Toronto and while there paid a visit to Dr. Lalande, who is taking a special course in Hygiene.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hume & daughter Betty returned home on Thursday last, after spending two weeks with friends in Prescott, Winchester and Russell, Ont.

A united service of the Bible Society will be held in the United Church on Sunday evening, Oct. 25th., at 7 p.m. The Rev. J. B. M. Armon, M.A., of Toronto General Secretary for Canada, will address the meeting. All are cordially invited to attend.

TO-NIGHT October 23rd., you are invited to the JIGG'S SUPPER in the Lachute United Church Hall, commencing at 6.30 p.m. You must not miss it for you will sure enjoy eating this celebrated dish. Following the supper, a program will be given by the Young People's Society.

The St. Simeon's Club met on Thursday evening last, at the home of Mrs. R. Miller. A very excellent time was spent, and the most pleasing feature of the programme was the presentation of a beautiful set of crystal ware to Miss Ruby Rodgers. Appropriate words were expressed by the Rev. J. A. Lackey, who presented the gift on behalf of the St. Simeon's Club and Choir.

Mr. Geo. Licop, tailor of Foundry Street, had quite an expensive but amusing trick played on him Wednesday during the early morn. The previous day he had the satisfaction of cleaning a suit for a customer, which when finished closely resembled a new article. The usual routine took place and the suit was given the air on a line outside. Behold, the next morning the suit had given him the air, someone, who must have been in great need, had helped themselves to the suit after borrowing a ladder from the neighbor next door. There is one consolation, the customer will have the benefit of the exploit, and along with our sympathy for the tailor, we extend him congratulations. This would be a splendid idea for Hallowe'en, so folk be careful where you hang your suits.

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Lachute Town Council Meeting

A special meeting of the Lachute Town Council, was held in the Council Rooms, in the Victoria Hall, on Saturday, October 17th., at one o'clock p.m.

This special meeting was called by order of the Mayor for the purpose of discussing the question of Waterworks.

There were present Mayor Dobbie, Aldermen H. M. Lavigne, J. A. Rice, A. Rodrigue, J. P. MacKimmie, W. A. Morrison, C. R. Miller, J. B. Raymond, J. Speight and O. Laurin.

Notice of Motion was given by Alderman MacKimmie that at the next session of the Council he would bring up a By-Law amending By-Law No. 123.

Moved by Ald. Miller, seconded by Ald. MacKimmie that the meeting adjourn until Monday, Oct. 19th., at 8 o'clock p.m.

Moved in amendment by Alderman J. B. Raymond, seconded by Ald. A. Rodrigue that this meeting instead of being adjourned be continued.

Voted in favor Ald. Lavigne, Rodrigue, Raymond, Laurin and Speight.

Voted against Ald. Morrison, MacKimmie, Rice and Miller.

Carried by a majority.

Moved in amendment by Ald. Lavigne, seconded by Ald. Raymond that the Council apply to the Federal and Provincial Governments in order to secure a grant out of the unemployment relief funds of 50% of the cost of extending the Water Works to Lake Sir John and of the other works providing that the amount of the works does not exceed $70,000.

Voted for the amendment Ald. H. M. Lavigne, A. Rodrigue, J. B. Raymond, Omer Laurin, J. Speight

Voted against the amendment Aldermen J. A. Rice, J. P. MacKimmie, C. R. Miller, W. A. Morrison. The amendment carried by a majority.

The meeting then adjourned.

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THE TOWN WATERWORKS

Action is still pending in regard to our Waterworks system, and it is to be hoped that something will be started shortly as the cold weather will soon be here and a certain amount of unemployment is prevalent which needs immediate attention.

It was anticipated by some that the arrangements made for the Pollock Site would have been accepted and that work would now be underway. Expectations however did not materialize and when no word was received after the Provincial Cabinet Meeting, Messrs. J. P. MacKimmie and W. A. Morrison & W. McFaul went direct to Quebec where they were informed that the By-law had been blocked through the plans not having been made and approved before the voting, as required by law. Higher authority was then sought when Mayor Dobbie accompanied by Ald. MacKimmie and Mr. Geo. Dansereau M.P.P. went to Montreal to interview the Prime Minister. This however also proved fruitless and they were informed that the whole procedure was illegal and that before going any further plans should be prepared and submitted for approval, which action would show the public exactly what the money would be used for.

Should the special grant be obtained and the Lake proposition decided upon as it would seem to be by the recent action of the Council it is hoped that work will commence immediately, and the site prove beneficial to all concerned.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mrs. Matthew Rodgers, of Lachute, Que., announces the engagement of her youngest daughter Ruby Margaret, to Mr. John A. MacKimmie, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. MacKimmie, of Lachute, Que. The marriage will take place very quietly the latter part of October.

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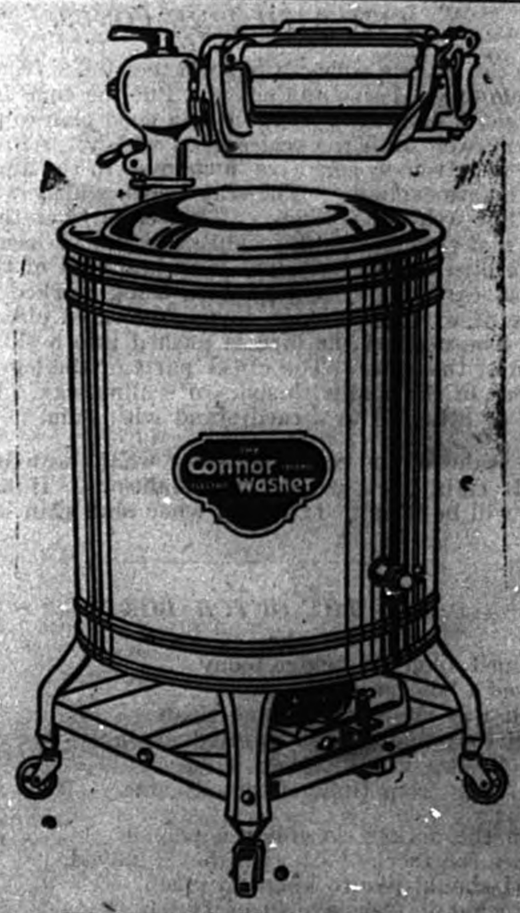

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The Captain's Corner

Riddles contributed by Lyster Conley, M. B. C.

1. Four feet up and four feet down, soft in the middle and hard all around.—A Bed.
2. What goes over the road and over the road and always walks on its head ?—A nail in a horse's shoe.
3. As I went over London Bridge I met a London scholar, he took off his hat and drew off his gloves—Now tell me the name of the scholar ?—Andrew.
4. As yellow as cheese, as round as a ball, as high as the market's high steeple and all.—The Moon.

NOTICES

The letters M. B. C. after a boys' or girl's name mean. 'Member of Birthday Club.

The result of the 10 Puzzle Competition will be announced next week. There is still time to send in your answers. The competition was given Friday, Oct. 16th. You can see the questions at the Watchman Office.

OUR MAIL BAG

P. O. Box 41, Brownsburg.

Dear Captain ;

I would like to join the Club. I am now 10 years old, but will be 11 on March 13th. next. We have a cat and four kittens and three bantams. I am in grade 4 in school. I go to the Brownies and Mission Band.

Yours truly, Muriel Seary,

Thank you Muriel for your letter. You are another welcome Member of the Birthday Club. Next time tell me what you do at the Brownies. Captain.

R. R. No. 6, Lachute, Que.

Dear Captain :

I am a girl 12 years old and would like to join the Birthday Club. I live on a farm and have lots of pets which are dogs, cats, banties, rabbits, cows and horses. I go to school every day that I can.

I remain, Luella Silverson.

A very hearty welcome to the Birthday Club Luella. What a large number of pets you have. Thank you for jokes which will be printed soon. Captain.

Morin Heights, Oct. 18th., 1931.

Dear Captain:

I would like to join your boys and girls birthday club. I read the corner nearly every week-end; and I think it is very nice. My birthday was on October 3rd. and I was ten. I am in grade IV at school. We have four pets, three chinchilla rabbits and we also have a little kitty, he is black and white and is very playful; his name is Tommy. You friend, Patricia Davis.

Thanks for your letter, Patricia. Hope you had a pleasant birthday. The Captain.

Shrewsbury, Que., Oct. 19th., 1931.

Dear Captain :

We would like to join your birthday club. We will be 10 years old on March 15th. We like going to school, and are in Grade IV. Your loving friends,

Myrtle and Ralph Copeland, (Twins.)

Glad to have you among our members, Myrtle and Ralph. As you are the first from that District encourage your other school chums to become members. The Captain.

FUN WITH PINE CONES.

You can make a very curious weather-teller from a pine cone. Get a cone of good size and shape. Put the cone in some warm place to get it thoroughly dry. It is a good plan to place the cone in a warm oven until the scales open widely. After this drying the cone is extremely sensitive to changes in the amount of moisture in the atmosphere. The scales open widely when the air is dry and fine weather is likely. They close when the atmosphere is damp and rain is coming. The cone can be used to form the body of a bird barometer. The head and neck of the bird is cut from stout card, the eyes, beak ,etc., being marked in. The legs are made of wire, each being formed of three pieces twisted together. The neck of the bird is pushed into a slit made at the thick end of the cone. The upper parts of the legs are attached to the body of the bird with spots of sealing-wax. If desired the feet can be attached to a card stand with gum.

The scales of the cone then show what the weather is going to be. If right open, expect fine conditions. If half open; the weather will be unsettled; whilst, when shut rain is certain.

THE DUTCH BOAT

I leaned upon the bridge today
To see a boat go on its way,
An it was shining, new and clean
With four fine funnels painted green,
The Neeltze was its queer name
For 'twas from Holland that it came.

Upon the decks two children played
In gay red frocks — I wish they'd stayed,
For I should like to know so much
Just what it feels like to be Dutch,
And as they sailed away to sea
I waved—and they waved back to me.

C. E. B. — 'Daily Mirror.'

MEANING OF COLORS

According to an ancient belief colors have various meanings. For instance it is said that green is always associated with youth and hope and is very good for invalids.

The color blue represents peace and tranquillity and is usually the favorite color of all intellectual and artistic people.

Red is an angry, irritating color, but pink is the symbol of affection.

DOWN WITH GRUMBLERS

Here are some really useful hints to the Readers of this page.

1. DON'T waste food. Eat up your crusts. Don't take more butter or jam than is necessary.
2. TAKE care of your clothes and boots. They cost a lot of money during the year.
3. SAVE your cents. You may need them later on.
4. RESOLVE to do well and get on when you leave school.
5. LASTLY - and perhaps there is no need to tell you this - always stick by your own Country. Don't listen to the grumblers and the find-faults.

I think all these are very good hints and should be observed by every British boy and girl. The Captain.

THE CAPTAIN'S WEEKLY LETTER.

Dear Boys and Girls :—

I wonder if you notice, as I do, that Old Man Winter is really with us. True we have no snow as yet; that is "The White Mantle covering the Earth" has not arrived at the moment I am writing. But you have felt the first cold wind, seen the leaves all falling off the trees, noticed the greyness of the sky, and wrapping your coats still more closely around you have said—"Winter has come !"

Now it is that you appreciate the warmth and cosiness of your HOMES. The evenings when you draw the curtains across the windows, turn on the warm glow of the lights and settle down to do your lessons or play your games or maybe read the Watchman—our Corner.

To entertain you music comes into your comfortable room from 'over the air' and your young friends arrive to share your happiness 'you do feel happy, don't you with those you love near at hand ?'

Think then of a big city crowded with people. Long rows of houses and in a great many of them not one, but two or more families are crowded. If we were to enter one of these homes we should see boys and girls without toys or games good or warm clothing and often lacking enough of even the plainest food. Fathers and big brothers are out of employment and there is no money to pay for coal or other means of Warmth. Poor Kiddies! Its not their fault that they have to suffer like this, and you may be sure that everything good and kind people can do for them will be accomplished this coming winter.

Why do I tell you all this ? Well its just because I would have you remember that THERE ARE BOYS AND GIRLS NOT SO WELL PROVIDED FOR AS YOU ARE, and when you are tempted to grumble a little because you have not all that you won't bear this in mind and say—"Oh well I must be thankful for my home, my friends, my pets and all the other good things I have."

What a great blessing HOME is. How much we ought to value it. I often think we do not appreciate it enough, until the time comes when we have to leave it even if we don't want to do so. Then what would we not give for.

"One glimpse of that most sacred place
In memory——our home !"

Ever your affectionate Friend, The Captain.

MICKEY SQUIRREL AND HIS FRIENDS.

The three friends waited a few moments to recover their breath. Archibald shivered a little for the wind was quite fresh. He had dried his tears by this time and was really feeling quite excited at the thought of meeting his friend Bunny Rabbit at last.

"I wonder if there is a bell, or a knocker," said Teddy, peeping down the dark burrow. "I can't see anything," replied Mickey. "I know," said Archibald, brightly, "I could bark ! Bunny would be sure to hear that."

"A jolly fine idea," agreed Mickey and Teddy at once. "Go ahead, Archibald," went on Mickey. "You have some brains even if you do look so fun—!"

"Be quiet, you silly," hissed Teddy. "You'll make him cry again!"

But Archibald was not listening. He was taking long deep breaths and preparing himself for a magnificent display of barking. Just as he was opening his mouth for the first tremendous "Woof", a slight rustle was heard behind them, and a quiet voice said, "Good evening, gentlemen !"

The three turned hastily, and there stood Bunny, beaming with smiles at the way he had surprised them.

"Why," he said, as he recognized who they were, "my dear friends the squirrel, the chipmunk, and last but not least Frenchy the Poodle !" Come right in, and welcome to all three of you. Follow me."

So in they all trooped—down the dark winding burrow, until they reached a cosy little parlour in the Bunny Rabbit mansion, where their host showed them all the seats.

"We really came to show Archibald the way here", said Mickey, "he was very anxious to visit you."

"I'm very glad," smiled Bunny. "I should like to offer you some refreshment, but I fear that you would not care for green food, which is all I have in the place." "That's all right," said Teddy. "We're not hungry, but what we really came for is *advice*, and he glanced at Archibald, who was looking very anxious

Bunny looked more pleased than ever. He tilted back his chair, and putting his thumbs in the lapels of his little jacket, he announced rather pamporously that he was only too delighted to help.

"You see, Bunny," said Archibald timidly, I was on my way to see you for a little friendly visit when I met Teddy and Mickey. "Yes ?" encouraged Bunny.

Archibald looked at Mickey, and Mickey looked at Teddy. But no one spoke. The truth was that Archibald didn't really like to say that he was worried about his appearance, and the chipmunk and the squirrel were a little ashamed to confess that they had made fun of Archibald. So, you see, boys and girls, you will have to wait a while until they can think of something to say ! Good-night Chicks !"

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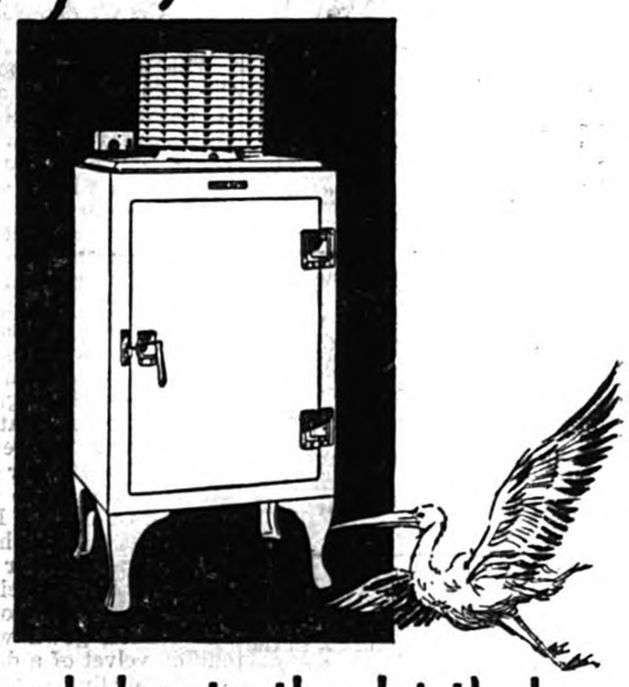

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Our Puzzle Corner

What animal walks on four legs
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Two at noon
And three in the evening ?

The strange thing about the puzzle I gave last week is that it nearly always perplexes men whereas women (the incredulous sex) always get the answer at once. I have received several interesting puzzles in our puzzle competition, in which I am offering a book prize for the best puzzle submitted. The competition closes Oct. 31st. So jot down your best puzzle and send it along.

No prize goes to Jim (Brownsburg) who asks, if a brick weighs a pound and a half a brick, what relation did the speaker bear to the man in the photograph.

Charles (Lachute) Yes; send the answer with your puzzle.

Phyllis (Montreal) Quite true Phyllis, but you just wait.

A. M. (Dalesville) If two of equal merit capture first prize then I'll give two books.

Sid. (Brownsburg) Too easy. Write and let me know how long it will take you to solve next week's puzzle. Its no flat.

The answer to last week's puzzle was sent in by a poetical correspondent, thus :—

Your puzzle I've noted and does it not seem
That the critic was right concerning that dream ?
Since the man was asleep I'm inclined to the view
That the dreamtale's a yarn and in fact quite untrue.
And since in sleep he passed gently away
That he had this queer dream, pray how can you say?
And that is the answer, and now you know why
The critic was RIGHT, and so sir, am I !

This week's puzzle has to do with the matrimonial question. David went over to ask Gladys to marry him and name the day.

"This is entirely unexpected" gasped the maiden. "So sudden. But I'll marry you when the week after next is the week before last."

"Ah me," said David. "Had I received this promise yesterday my waiting would have been six days shorter."

Can you tell on what day of the week David popped the question ? The answer next week. The SPHINX.

Macadam.

Anywhere on any road in England or Scotland a hundred years ago might have been seen a closed carriage travelling at a leisurely pace. Behind it trotted a pony and a Newfoundland dog. The carriage pulled up from time to time, and out stepped an old gentleman, who proceeded to examine the highway. It was John Loudon Macadam, who added a new word to the English language and was the greatest road expert since the Romans He belonged to the famous Gaelic Clan of MacGregor and was born at Ayr on September the 21st., 1756. Decendants of his late name to Canada and some of them are to this day settled not far from Lachute.

Before Macadam's time travel, except in the driest weather, meant wading through mud and water for man and horse. Cars were blocked up at every turn; oxen had to be brought to drag coaches out of the mud; drivers expressed their annoyance—in mild terms; swimming was a useful accomplishment.

Robert Macadam, on his estate in Ayrshire, tried the experiment of putting down small broken stones in layers for a road surface. He maintained that no binding material was needed; the stones would form an united surface by the pressure of the traffic, and the saving in road repair would be enormous. Opposed for years as a crank and a quack, he was allowed at last to try his theories in England at his own expense. Before he died all the main roads from London to Edinburgh were macadamized. Macadam was lucky for a public benefactor. He got back all the money he had spent, with the hanks of both houses of Parliament. M. V. T.

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Here and There

Maple sugar and maple syrup produced in Canada in the spring of 1931 had an estimated value of $3,537,700 of which the former accounted for $930,800 and the latter for $2,606,900. The Province of Quebec is the largest producer in the Dominion.

Following a long succession of shipments in an experiment commenced a year ago, thirty-five cars of beef cattle, the bulk of them for British consumption, left Winnipeg recently by special Canadian Pacific train for the Atlantic seaboard for shipment to Great Britain.

Thousands of salmon recently "took the elevator" on their way to the spawning grounds in the upper sections of the Stamp River, British Columbia, when they used the fishway built by the Canadian Government Department of Fisheries to overcome the tumbling waters at Stamp Falls.

With the departure on October 1 of the big Sikorsky amphibian plane for Boston, the Pan-American Airways concluded their service between Boston and Halifax which was inaugurated August 1. In August, 70 passengers were carried on the southbound trips and 67 northbound in 18 flying days.

Manitoba's threshing was practically complete for 1931 in the first week of October, according to the weekly crop statement of the Canadian Pacific Railway department of agriculture. Saskatchewan was then 61 per cent. threshed and Alberta 55 per cent., with northern areas in each province still holding heavy crops ripening for the machines.

His Excellency the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, together with his eldest son, Viscount Duncannon, have in view hunting and fishing trips in New Brunswick next year. During his recent visit to the province, His Excellency was presented with a complimentary hunting and fishing license by Hon. C. D. Richards, Premier of New Brunswick.

Completion of organization work of the Dominion Agricultural Credit Company was announced recently by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who stated that "subscription to over sixty per cent. of the capital stock of the company have been received and the requisite steps to complete the organization have been taken." Head office of the company will be in Regina.

The new dental car, built by the Canadian Pacific Railway and equipped by the Rosedale, Toronto, Chapter of the I. O. D. E., was turned over for use in Northern Ontario to the Ontario Government recently. This car, claimed to be unique on the continent, will have running rights over all railway lines in Northern Ontario and is equipped with fully modern dental facilities, waiting room, living accommodation, laboratory, consulting room, clinic and dental chair.

The number of Canadians who are part owners of the Canadian Pacific continues to increase. A year ago, on September 2, the total number of the company's Canadian stockholders was 26,185. On September 1 of this year the number had grown to 35,217, an increase of 9,032 shareholders. Many of these have been added since the recent break in the security markets carried stock prices to new low levels, indicating that Canadians have confidence in the country's ability to "come back" to prosperity. (786)

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Former County Boy Makes Good

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The following report of Mr. A. J. Armstrong, taken from the Sunday Province, Vancouver, will be read by his many former friends and associates of this district with great pleasure and it is pleasing to see that since leaving here he has been steadily advancing until he is now a general superintendent of building construction.

He is now in charge of the building of the huge Canadian National hotel on Georgia street. What luck ! Perhaps,. It is first necessary to have a permit from the contractors, the E. J. Ryan Co. Again, it is necessary to sign a waiver releasing the company from all liabilities in case of sliding off the roof or stumbling on a scaffold.

Giant Chimney Hidden.

The permit is forthcoming and with this in hand it is possible to get past the guardian at the gate. The general superintendent has three hundred men on work running into many millions of dollars. Yet he talked quietly for several hours, was never hurried, never impatient, and the whole vast business seemed to be moving like a perfect machine; a fine example of a man greater than his work.

We have become so accustomed to watch the gradual growth of this building that its significance has been lost by daily contact. Some of the most interesting phases of the work are those which the observer on the street never sees. Hundreds of feet of tunnel have been dug for drainage far below the level of the city sewers. The main smokestack instead of being built as usual on the outside is concealed within the building. It winds its way upward, twisting for 600 feet to the very highest point of the building. The tallest man could walk upright through its length. If built outside it would have to be taller than any existing smokestack and these structures do not usually add any beauty to the surrounding landscape.

Work of Immense Detail.

There is always a temptation to give figures and comparisons but it is not the present intention to write on the sizes and weights, and costs of various items, astonishing as they sometimes are. Probably the question most often asked is that regarding the height. The building is 375 feet above street level and 86 feet higher than the Marine building, its nearest rival. Including the basement and sub-basements there are really twenty-four floors. But the most interesting things are not usually subject to measurement. One of the outstanding items of an interesting day was the fact that not a man has been injured. A Red Cross station has been built and is always available.

To visit such a building in its present unfinished state is to gain some idea of the complex problems of modern building. Such masses of pipes and tubes and wires and cables could be untangled only by real experts. Here and there where whole floors just high enough to walk under, completely given over to a vast network of pipes and wires. Another floor seemed to be entirely filled with the complexities of the ventilating system. In the basements great areas are being designed for kitchens and storerooms, laundries and Turkish baths, lockers, and pantries. To the rear and below all other levels is the boiler-room, equal in area to two city lots. Below this again is still another level for the clearing of ashes from the furnaces. I have forgotten how many feet we are now underground, but the impression is more like that of descending into a mine than into the basement of a building.

We now take a service elevator to the 15th or 16th floor and then continue the upward climb on foot. On up into "attic" after "attic" beneath the steep-pitched roofs, through apertures and up ladders and finally the giddy top. There is much of awe in the sensation of height; much respect and wonder at the ingenuity and daring of human builders. On the steep roofs the metal workers squatted, fitting on the final layer of copper sheeting. The superintendent has invented a new type of scaffold for this precarious business. The smokestack which projects through the topmost peak has been enclosed with beautifully cut stone; the design scarcely visible from the street level.

The climb down commenced; the superintendent explaining the purposes of the various floors. Dormitories for the employees, a floor for the business of radio, a floor for royal visitors and bedrooms, bedrooms, bedrooms, beauty parlors and reading rooms, private dining-rooms and offices, promenades and peacock alleys, shops and writing-rooms, messanine floors and galleries, a bewildering assignment for the perfect comfort of the thousands who in the years to come will take as a matter of course this vast creation for their luxurious service. On the floor above the main floor is the great ballroom, free from all supporting pillars. At one end a concrete base is being built to receive a pipe organ much larger than any organ now operating in the city.

The position of general superintendent is one which is very enviable yet how many would pay the price. He rises at six and is on the job at seven-thirty. Sometimes several hours before rising he is working, mentally, solving some problem for the coming day. The responsibility is such that only years of experience could carry it. It seemed to me the most complicated problem was that of synchronizing the work of the different subcontracts. All these smaller firms are respsonsible to the general superintendent. He is often still on the building at six o'clock. Not only does the smooth progress of the building depend on his directions, but the safety of several hundreds of men is entrusted to his judgment.

The inspection and checking of innumerable reports, time sheets, pay sheets, invoices, completed work, specifications, ordering of carloads of supplies sometimes weeks ahead of actual need, hiring of men, settling differences and giving advice of how and when and where to do all kinds of work—all this and much more makes a fairly full day for the general superintendent.

Every few days there is a meeting of foremen, sub-contractors, inspectors and other officials at which the general superintendent presides. Here grievances, if any, are settled and the work for the coming week is discussed. The success of the work lies very largely in the preservation of harmony between the different trades. No matter what problem or uncertainty arises during each day, the general superintendent is the court of appeal.

The genius of management behind the great structure is more impressive than any size or height or cost. The superintendent of construction has invented devices for lifting tons of tons in weight, for suspending the weight of stone walls from projecting beams, for lifting workmen as they labor inside elevator shafts and other matters which a layman cannot remember or understand.

The big boss seemed to know every man by his first name; he had a quiet word of enquiry for the man or his work, generally

Continued on Page Six.

Greater Courage Won His Love

By JACK WOODFORD

IT WAS right in the middle of Main street that Cory Harden walked up to Joe White and Melissa. Anyone could see that he meant business. He wore the scowl that had been dreaded by many a town boy for years. . . . Dreaded since grammar school days; because Cory could, unquestionably, fight. He was a natural born fighter. He loved to fight. . . . And so far as the records went he always won his fights.

Joe quailed inwardly. It was no secret, in town, that Cory wanted Melissa . . . wanted her badly.

"Hello, Joe," Cory greeted. "Nice tie you're wearing this evening." He reached forward and flicked the tie, quick as lightning, out of Joe's vest. The boys hanging out down in front of the Silver Spoon restaurant snickered audibly. The constable, a lover of a good fight himself, discreetly withdrew into Barnum's feed store, where he could watch what might go on over the top of the desk in the front window, without having to assert himself as the law. Joe put his tie back into his vest. He tried to pass on. But Cory added:

"And that's a right cute straw hat, too, buddy." He knocked the hat off. It rolled a few feet away. Melissa was furious. . . . Spoke her mind as Joe went to retrieve the hat.

"You big bully," she said. "You're twenty-five years old now, and you act like a brat of ten."

"Yes, Melissa," he said earnestly, "I'm twenty-five, and I've worked hard. It's true I still like to fight now and then. I'm sorry. I promise you, though, that this will be my last fight, no matter how it turns out. I've worked hard, Melissa. Dad's just made me a partner in the business, and I've saved up nearly five thousand dollars. Enough to buy a peach of a home for us. . . . Wouldn't have worked so hard, though, Melissa, if I'd known you was going to take up with a fool soda clerk, from out of town; when you and I have been sweethearts for years." Cory could say no more; for there was a crowd of young people surrounding them now, who might hear.

"Joe is at least a gentleman," Melissa retorted scornfully. Joe returned, at this juncture, dusting off his hat. He attempted to pass on with Melissa. That Cory could lick him he very well knew. Cory was stronger and larger. But when Cory now pushed him clear off the sidewalk, and took Melissa's arm, while the boys down the street laughed aloud jeeringly, something within him flamed to life. He sprang at Cory and struck him. Cory squared off. Melissa scolded and backed away. The boys came running up the street delightedly, yelling: "Fight! Fight! Fight!" The constable chuckled at his post over in the feed store.

Cory sailed in. Joe threw himself, a battering fury, at him, striking wildly. Cory backed away and threw up a better guard. Joe followed him, raining futile blows upon his guard.

Cory slashed out at him with a strong right. Missed Joe by inches. Joe slashed back with a left, and connected with a heavy "sock!" as his fist met Cory's face again.

Back and forth across the walk they danced and swung at each other. Time and again Cory missed his blows. Joe began to take heart. He settled down to apply something of intuitive boxing science. Instinctively he pretended to hit, without actually striking out; and then, thus feinting, catching Cory off his guard, he whipped in blows that took heavy effect. Cory went down. Got up. Fought back desperately; went down again. . . . And then, suddenly, it was all over. Cory could not get up. He tried weakly to raise his arms. Failed! The boys surrounded Joe with new respect and awe. Like mobs everywhere they viewed the deposing of their erstwhile hero, Cory, with derision and scorn. Their jeers rang in his ears. Joe was delighted. Too delighted to notice or care what Melissa was doing. His victory was such balm to a timid soul as he had never known. Melissa was kneeling at Cory's side.

"I always thought you were a coward," she whispered to Cory, "because you bullied other young men with your superior strength. . . . Don't think you're fooling me. I've seen you fight before. You thought if you got licked, my sympathy would bring me back to you. I do love you, Cory, and did; and now I always will, you're brave. You deliberately let him lick you in front of all your friends, and you did it for me . . . that was braver, and more beautiful than winning a thousand fights. It's not sympathy for a loser I'm feeling; it's love for a winner."

The Sex War

The late Chellis Austin, head of Equitable, held the conservative view of his native Vermont, and post-war radicalism meant nothing to him.

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Perley Bridge Officially Opened

New Link Unites Provinces of Quebec and Ontario

Another great link was joined to the historic choice of Argenteuil County, with the ceremonious opening of the new bridge spanning the river Ottawa from Grenville, Quebec, to Hawkesbury, Ontario. "Perley Bridge" so named after our esteemed Federal member, Sir George H. Perley, the completed necessity that joins the two major Provinces, and has only materialized through the conjoined efforts of our Parliament representatives, and many years of toil by our worthy member. Church and State united at the ceremonies, making of the event one marking friendship of the provinces, and emphasizing the fact that the need for greater communication, has come by the construction of the first vehicular bridge across the Ottawa River between Montreal and Ottawa.

The opening of the bridge, a handsome steel structure built on piers in the Long Sault rapids and across the canal, marked the successful consummation of a quarter of a century of labor by Sir George Perley, M.P. for Argenteuil county, and ranking Minister in the Bennett Government. Praise was meted out to Sir George, but he, while showing evident pleasure in what had been accomplished, said that the result had come only because of the unselfish work of men of goodwill joined together in a worthwhile purpose, without regard to local feeling, or party politics.

To Lady Perley was confided the task of formally opening the bridge. At that point showing the dividing line between the two provinces two lines had been drawn across the pavement of the bridge. One marked Quebec, the other Ontario. Attached from one side to the other, some three feet above the pavement, silken ribbons had been stretched, and with a pair of shears handed to her by Hon. H. A. Stewart, Minister of Public Works, Lady Perley snipped the ribbons with one stroke.

A pavilion had been construct ed for this purpose, and to provide space for the speakers specially invited guests and "taggers", the occasion being too excellent an opportunity to miss having a "Tag Day", while flanking the pavilions both on the Grenville and Hawkesbury sides barriers were erected to hold back the two crowds, one assembled from each province. So keen was the interest and so considerable the crowds, that it appeared at times the barriers would be overthrown, and the pavilion space flooded, it not having been anticipated that there would be such a press of people.

Benediction Pronounced

The benediction to the bridge was given by His Grace Archbishop Joseph Guillaume Forbes of Quebec, who translated the words of the blessing into both English and French. There were short addresses by the Rt. Rev. John Charles Roper, Anglican Bishop of Ottawa, and the Rt. Rev. Walter G. Brown, moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Other speakers were Hon. Honore Mercier, Minister of Lands and Forests, representing the province of Quebec; Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith, Minister of Public Works, of Ontario; Hon. Mr. Stewart, federal Minister of Public Works, and Sir George Perley, as well as by Mayor O. Laurin of Hawkesbury and Mayor H. Laurin, of Grenville.

Perley Tells of Efforts

Sir George Perley spoke of the accomplishment as being the fulfillment of what men and women on both sides of the Ottawa had desired for many years. Personally, he could recall days 30 years ago when he had realized the necessity for the bridge, when the only means of crossing was over treacherous ice, and when at times, venturesome men met tragic fate. He was not a member of Parliament then but had even as far back as 30 years made up his mind that he would work to have the bridge. The objective appeared to have been reached in 1914 when tenders were called for, but the outbreak of the World War decided the Government of the day not to proceed with such public works, and so that opportunity had been lost, and it had been necessary to start in again.

"Times are hard in every country, but no country is better off than Canada at this moment and when these times will have been passed we can all look forward to greater prosperity than before," said Sir George. 'Every one, irrespective of politics has done, his best to bring this project to fruition. It has been built by the federal Government with the help of the Conservative Government of Ontario and the Liberal Government of Quebec, so we are all interested, and I am happy to say that every man did his share to help this work."

Sir George expressed appreciation to the Department of Public Works in calling the bridge after him, something more than observed, but he hoped his friends on both sides of the river would not object. He had ever striven for the maintenance of good relations between the two Pioneer races of Canada.

Hon. Mr. Stewart, after thanking all who had come to take part in the ceremonies said the day marked the close of a long period of effort, and negotiations Men of all parties had shown hearty goodwill, but there was one gentleman who from the inception of the project had been actively interested in it, and that was Sir George Perley, who during 25 years of effort had shown tact, patience and that judgment which marked all of his undertakings, and thereby had contributed in no small degree to the very desirable undertaking. and it was consequently only fitting that Lady Perley should have been asked formally to open the bridge for traffic.

Mr. Stewart spoke of the building of the bridge as a testimony of the fine relationship between the two races in Canada, which he sincerely hoped would continue and that any vestige of misunderstanding there might be would disappear. He talked of the League of Nations, in world affairs, of the need of all Canadians working together to restore prosperity.

Hon. Mr. Stewart referred to the fact that the bridge had been started under the direction of his predecessor, Hon. J. E. Elliott, who was Minister of Public Works in the Mackenzie King Government, and mentioned the names of K. M. Cameron, chief engineer, R. de Corriveau, assistant joint chief engineer, and others as having aided in the enterprises. These names are on a bronze tablet at each entrance to the bridge, the other names being those of Hon. Mr. Stewart, Hon. J. D. Monteith, Hon. J. N. Francoeur, W. Chase Thomson, consulting engineer & the Canadian Bridge Company, Ltd., and Farley and Grant, contractors.

Liberal Banquet at Morin Heights.

On Saturday evening last a most enjoyable time was spent in the form of a Banquet held at Beaumel's Hotel, at Morin Heights. This function was put on by the local organization to celebrate their recent victory. Mr. H. Barlow acted as Chairman and during the evening a number of speeches were given by prominent citizens in attendance. Several were present from Lachute.

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SCHOOL CONSOLIDATION

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The matter of an improved school condition for this district has been in the minds of many interested in better education for some time and a meeting was called on Tuesday evening last to consider the matter.

At a previous meeting held with the same purpose in view, both the St. Jerusalem and Lachute Academy School Boards expressed themselves as being unanimously in favor of consolidation if it could be arranged advantageously.

Tuesday's meeting was presided over by Dr. Mason, who very ably went into the history of our Academy for the past 40 years, and explained that whereas we had run the school for all who wished to come, we were now filled to capacity, and consequently either had to increase the size of the building or close out outsiders. The later idea was greatly against our wishes as it would be disadvantageous to all concerned. In this regard the Department of Education was willing to contribute 50% towards the cost of a building to be used for consolidation purposes but would give nothing towards any addition under present conditions. A suitable grant would also be given for the conveyance of pupils and it was stressed that consolidation was most advantageous to all concerned.

Mr. Sutherland, the director of Consolidation for the Dept. of Education in this Province then took charge of the meeting and fully explained the great benefits to be derived from Consolidation, which by gathering the children together and giving them all the necessary requirements or their physical as well as Mental Welfare is considered as the only up-to-date method which can give real satisfactory results. The question of the grant was dealt with and information given that the Department was ready to do their share as soon as the project was decided on. A petition is now being sent out to the rate-payers of St. Jerusalem asking them to signify their approval, a majority being necessary to carry.

Inspector J. W. McOuat whose experience among the rural schools has been extensive then spoke of the advantages obtained through Consolidation in that the children instead of being only a few together had a chance to mix with others, gain a broader experience and knock off some of the square corners, which all tended to better fit them for their after life. If acceptable among other things it is proposed to enlarge the Academy to 12 class rooms, have hot water heating, a gymnasium, and a room containing a stove where those driving may have their lunch very comfortably and under supervision.

Those on whom this matter hanges we would urge to consider the project carefully and give to the children the best possible which will fit them for a useful and brilliant career.

Milk Shippers Meet.

At a meeting of the Milk Shippers held on Wednesday evening last, matters of local interest were taken up and freely discussed. Mr. Black was appointed on the Dairy Commission to look into the matter of "Why the consumer pays so much for all dairy products, while the producer receives so little."

Mr. Black was in the city on Thursday, attending a meeting of the Montreal Milk Shippers' Association and getting the standard price which will be allowed for Milk during the winter months.

A number of recommendations were drawn up at the meeting and will be presented to the Dairy Commission at their meeting which takes place early in November.

CUSHING

The Late James Nicholls

The passing away of Mr. Jas. Nicholls at his home in Cushing at the age of 76 years, on Sunday, Oct. 18th., is much regretted by his many friends.

Mr. Nicholls has lived in Cushing all his life except for a few years, which he spent in Carillon and Montreal.

He was married first to Maria Davidson, who died quite a number of years ago, their little son also died in his infancy.

Some years later Mr. Nicholls married Henrietta Allan, whose death took place in January of 1920.

Mr. Nicholls being a life long Presbyterian, the Rev. Henry Cousens preached the funeral sermon; Rev. J. W. Maclean of St. Mungo's Church, taking the Scripture readings.

An unusually large number of relatives & friends attended to pay their last respects.

Those from a distance were Mrs. J. D. Weir and son Kenneth, also Miss Howse, of St. Anne de Bellevue; Mr. and Mrs. L. Maw and son Bobbie; S. Beecher, of Notre Dame de Grace; Mrs. Herbert MaComb, of St. Chrysosthome; Mr. and Mrs. A. and Miss Iris Snair, of Verdun; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dewar; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mullen and son of Hudson.

The pall bearers were Messrs. J. and L. Gaston, J. Bradley Jr; Jas. Chambers, Jas. O'Brien and R. Dobbie.

Interment took place at St. Andrews East cemetery, the casket being covered with beautiful floral tributes.

Mr. Nicholls leaves one sister Miss Bessie Nicholls, of Cushing to mourn his loss, and several nieces and nephews.

Fall Thank-Offering.

A large gathering assembled last Thursday evening to attend the Fall Thank-offering Service of the Women's Missionary Society of the Lachute United Church. The special speaker, the Rev. F. Hoffman, B.D., was unable to be present, due to other ministerial engagements, but three prominent gentlemen of the United Church, namely, Rev. Katsunoff, of the Church of All Nations; Rev. Dr. Munro and the Rev. Lloyd, of Montreal, exerted themselves at a moments notice, to attend the meeting. The Scripture lessons were read by Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D., followed by an appropriate prayer by Rev. Macaskill of St. Andrews East. A beautiful solo was rendered by Mr. Katsunoff, entitled "The Stranger of Galilee" which was very effectively sung with his usual expression and perfect control. An interesting account of the activities of the Church of All Nations was delivered by Mr. Katsunoff, telling of the wonderful part his church and many others similar churches were playing in the work of Christ among the Non-Saxon races in our Dominion. Dr. Munro then told of the serious financial conditions in the Western Provinces, and of the hardships in which the ministry are working under, and appealed for a greater support to the Missions. A ministerial trio was then sung by the Revs. Munro, Lloyd and Katsunoff, which was very suitable for the occasion.

The Rev. Lloyd emphasized the seriousness of the East in China, and told of the many evils that may arise if every precaution is not immediately taken, and hoped all would stand firm and help those ministering in the far East, by contributing as much as possible to the Foreign Missions.

The president of the Women's Missionary Society, Mrs. E. S. Morrison expressed her appreciation to the three speakers who so willingly came to partake in the service, and the motion was seconded by Mrs. J. A. McGibbon.

BOWLING

St. Jerome visited Lachute on Wednesday for a friendly game of Ten Pins. Lachute Bowlers winning two strings. St. Jerome won. A return game will be played at St. Jerome on the 28th.

St. Jerome.			
A. Plouffe	196	205	197
N. St. Michel	204	149	191
B. Dugas	159	171	166
C. Barrette	145	175	133
D. Quenneville	159	176	134
Lachute.			
M. McEntyre	154	126	178
Robt. Fulton	152	178	173
J. MacKimmie	183	131	179
J. Berniquer	179	151	156

CUSHING

Mr. C. F. Kains spent Friday last in Montreal.

Rev. & Mrs. Norman Dowd and family, of Ottawa, spent a day here last week with Mrs. Dowd's mother, Mrs. J. Watson.

Miss Muriel Cooke spent the latter part of the week with friends in Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Keatley, of Ottawa, motored down and spent Sunday evening with friends here.

Mr. James McCormack, of Grass Valley, California, who has been visiting relatives in this locality for several months is leaving for home this week. Mr. McCormack who is hale and hearty at 79 is a native of Chatboro, being the only remaining member of the family of the late John McCormack who was, a number of years ago a highly respected resident of this district. It is 59 years since he left here to seek his fortune in the Western States; an aim in which he has apparently been quite successful. While here Mr. McCormack has been the guest of his nephews the Messrs. W. Canning of Cushing; J. Canning, of Stonefield; and Robert Canning of Lachute; also of Mr. and Miss Clarke, of Mt. Maple.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Miss Bessie Nicholls and other relatives of the late Mr. Jas. Nicholls who passed away on Sunday last. Mr. Nicholls lelaves many friends here who will remember him as a man who was never known to do a mean or unkind act and was ever ready with sympathy and help for those in trouble or distress.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

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The Rev. R. L. and Mrs. Ballantyne have returned from Montreal and we are glad to report that the Dr. is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Pease have returned from a two week's visit with relatives in Montreal.

Rally Day was observed in the United Church last Sunday. The Sunday School children gave in the services, "Stories of Jesus."

The C. G. I. T. has resumed activities under the leadership of Mrs. Macaskill. A goodly number of the young girls have enrolled with Miss Alice Hooker as President.

Mr. Jack Howell and Mr. Layton Yorke spent the week-end in St. Andrews.

Dr. Wales attended the McGill re-union last week, being the only member present of the class of '74.

CUSHING

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Mr. and Mrs. John Innes and Miss Annie Weir spent Sunday in Ottawa.

Miss Elsie Graham was the week-end guest of Mrs. T. Foreman, of Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Weir, Miss Eileen and Master Bobby Weir of St. Anne de Bellevue, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham were Sunday guests of Mrs. A. Graham Sr.

Mrs. Herbert Macomb, of St. Chrysosthome, was the guest of her brother, Mr. Roy Dobbie for a few days.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Cushing and Point Fortune, met in the United Church Hall, in Point Fortune on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Fuller also Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bryerton and little daughter spent Sunday in Verdun.

SCOUT NEWS

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The regular weekly meeting of the First Lachute Troop was held in the basement of the Auditorium on Wednesday, Oct. 21st., 1931, at 7.30 o'clock.

During the evening some new games were played and we were instructed in signalling. Exercises were also given on the Parallel bars.

At the close of the meeting the Court of Honour met for a short time.

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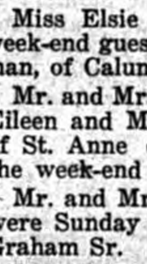

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Speaking on the subject of a Canadian flag, Mr. Cameron R. McIntosh, the member for North Battleford, paid the following tribute to the Union Jack:

"That brings me to the question of the Union Jack, the flag of the United Kingdom — in other words, the red, white and blue, which signify all that is brave, pure and true, and what that symbolizes in the life of the Empire. That is the flag of the United Kingdom. That is made up of three crosses, St. George's, St. Andrew's and St. Patrick's, eight blue triangles plus white borders, all of which is fraught with sacred meaning to the citizens of the Empire.

"Now, as regards these patron saints, whose lives typify great sacrifice, it might be well to realize just what the flag has stood for in the past. The flag in history has stood for the following:

"The flag of the great union of Scotland and England up to 1603, and since 1707 and 1801 — the Union Jack floated on high when the victorious Marlborough went from victory to victory in France and Spain in the war of the Spanish Succession.

"It was the settled flag of the union when Bonnie Prince Charlie struck for Stuart power once more in Scotland.

"It was the flag of Scotland and England when Walpole was named for the first time Prime Minister of Britain.

"It waved in the breeze during the Seven Years' War in India, Europe and America; at Plassy, Rossbach

C. R. McINTOSH, M.P.

and over Wolfe and his men at the Plains of Abraham; battles in which the supremacy of Britain was settled on three continents for good.

"It stood for greater freedom of thought and expression when Wilkes dared the authorities in the last half of the eighteenth century to stem his criticism of the Government of the day without which liberty of opinion would not have been able all along the line for generations to make democracy as stabilized as it is at present.

"It blew in the breeze at Trafalgar, Corunna, Waterloo and Khartoum, over Nelson, Sir John Moore and Wellington and Gordon.

"It was the flag of the United Empire Loyalists and the other bands of courageous pioneers in the wilds of the Canadas and the Maritimes when the Canada of the future was taking form on the northern shoulder of the new world.

"It was the symbol of the French-Canadians of Quebec when they fought with superb courage for local liberty in 1812 against the United States.

"It was thrown to the winds of France when the French-Canadians led the van at Courcelette for world freedom.

"It waves over India, after centuries of bloodshed and oppression; over the sands of the Soudan, the historic monuments of Egypt, over the cedars of Mount Lebanon, over the hilltops of Palestine, the plains of Mesopotamia and the as yet untamed regions of the northern world and Antarctic wastes.

"It was the emblem of freedom that stemmed the advance of tyranny in the Great War, and still sweeps the seas in the interests of world progress and co-operation."

PRAIRIES DEVELOP FISHERIES.

Airplanes Are Used to Transport Fish to Various Points.

In the northern part of Manitoba which is principally noted for its mining operations, due to the increased transportation facilities, the commercial fishing area has become a major part of the natural resources. At present there are 38 lakes in the district of The Pas being fished.

Two other provinces, Saskatchewan and Alberta, are also yielding good catches from commercial fishing. Airplanes are used to transport fish caught in Lake Athabaska to the nearest railway points so that it may be shipped both in Canada and the United States in the quickest possible time.

Money In a Mattress.

The fate of the St. Thomas, Ont., woman who, in housecleaning, threw out a mattress in which were hidden securities valued at $2,500, should serve as a warning to other housewives to look carefully in the pockets of their husbands' favorite old trousers, vests, etc., before throwing them to the discard. There may be nickels, and possibly dimes, to be recovered and not necessarily to be mentioned. —Montreal Gazette.

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The best customer for Canada's tobacco is the British Isles, which buys about 5,000,000 pounds per year.

Thomas Edison Noted Inventor Dies Peacefully

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Told Wife and Family His Work Was Finished and Would Rather Leave World Than Be a Burden.

Thomas A. Edison died peacefully before dawn on Sunday, October 18th., at the Hilltop estate where he labored to give light, work and recreation to millions, in West Orange, N. J.

The 84-year-old inventor, who lay deep in a coma at the end did not wish to live, Dr. Hubert S. Howe disclosed, when he realized his complete recovery was improbable.

His wife and six children, close in attendance during the last stages of the eleven weeks' sickness, had been told by Mr. Edison that his work was finished. He would rather leave the world, he said, than burden them with the disabilities of age and illness.

In the quiet of the early morning on the Llewellyn Park estate, a formal notice of Mr. Edison's passing was brought to newspapermen by Arthur L. Walsh, vice-president of Thomas A. Edison Industries, Inc.

EDISON'S BOYHOOD SPENT IN ONTARIO.

Former Home Still Stands on Banks of Otter River at Vienna.

Edison's boyhood home still stands as a landmark on the banks of the Otter river, 25 miles east of St. Thomas in the little village of Vienna.

It was to this thriving little lumbering town that Edison's family came from Manhattan island with other United Empire Loyalists. The Edisons owned 800 acres of rich valley soil in East Elgin, and it was here that Thomas Edison as a boy roamed the picturesque countryside, had his boyhood dreams, learned to swim and built up a rugged constitution that death has taken so long to wear down.

Edison's chief companion in those days was Oscar Edison, his uncle, head of the present Vienna family which still occupies the ancient homestead.

For more than 50 years Edison conceived ideas and then turned out devices founded upon them. An invention was born of the Edison brain on the average of about one every two weeks, and his registration of approximately 1,200 patents at Washington made him the most prolific inventor of his time and, perhaps, of all time.

Factors in World.

Edison was foremost not only in the number of his inventions but also because of the remarkably high percentage of his discoveries and evolutions that became practical factors, both commonplace and marvellous in the life of the world. The latter fact probably was due to the economic and financial failure of his first patent.

When a young man working as a telegraph operator at Boston, Mr. Edison perfected an electrical vote recording machine, which he endeavored to have Massachusetts officials adopt. It was rejected "because it would work" and thus would prevent filibustering. Thus convinced that he had wasted a lot of time and money, the young inventor resolved "never to work upon any invention unless beforehand I satisfied myself beyond a doubt that it would be useful in the field for which it was intended." Thereafter he adhered strictly to that rule.

During the greater part of his active life Mr. Edison devoted himself largely to inventions of an electrical nature, foremost of which were the telegraph; the phono-systems for the transmission of electric light, heat and power; apparatus and machines to improve systems of communication by telegraph and moving picture machines.

In 1926, in connection with the 47th anniversary of his invention of the incandescent lamp, Mr. Edison said that his inventions that underlie the electric light and power industry he considered the most important of his works. Two years later Arthur Williams, vice-president of the New York Edison Company, estimated that the value of the enterprises which owed their origin, in part at least, to Edison genius, represented five times all the money in circulation.

HIGH SPOTS IN EDISON'S LIFE

1847—Born February 11, at Milan, O.
1854—Edison family moves to Port Huron, Mich.
1857—Started chemical laboratory in cellar of his home.
1859—Newsboy on Detroit-Port Huron train. Fits up experimental laboratory in freight car.
1862—Publish weekly newspaper, Grand Trunk Herald.
1862—In reward for saving life of stationmaster's child, is taught telegraphy.
1863-68—Worked as telegraph operator.
1868—Granted first patent on an electrical vote recorder. Successful as invention, but impractical and unmarketable.
1869—Obtains position with a New York city telegraph company.
1870—Sells first marketable invention; a stock-ticker, for $40,000. Builds first shops at Newark, N. J.
1871—Helped to perfect first practical typewriter.
1876—Invented carbon telephone transmitter.
1876—Moves shops to Menlo Park, N. J.
1877—Invented phonograph.
1879—Invented incandescent lamp.
1886—Marries Miss Mina Miller, of Akron, O.
1886—Moves shops to West Orange, N. J.
1891—Invented motion picture camera and projector.
1914-1917—Invented many substitutes for articles cut off from United States by the war.
1917-1918—Places laboratories at service of government. Is made president of the naval consulting board and invents scores of devices which contribute to U. S. victory.

FORMER COUNTY BOY MAKES GOOD (Cont'd.)

accompanied by a friendly grasp of the arm. The men were pleased and in turn they endeavored to please; there was no frenzied speeding up of work at his approach. There seemed to be an appreciation of fairness on both sides. If a man does not seem fitted for a certain kind of labor he is tried on something else, perhaps shifted several times especially if he is a married man. Usually he finds the particular kind of work in which he can make a success. Abrupt dismissal would have marked him as a failure and shaken his confidence in himself. Here is a superintendent whose slogan might well be. "The human treatment of human beings." He has not been idle a day in over twenty years; there's a reason.

Report on Legislation

Given at the Convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, in Vernon, B. C.

Your committee reports that the Federal House has not passed much legislation directly affecting Municipal Government. Mr. Fred Cook has, however, kept the Union of Canadian Municipalities posted respecting legislation affecting individual municipalities, and the Secretary has received a number of letters from the Mayors appreciative of the notices they received from him. This service includes copies of all Bills of a general nature and applications of private companies for special rights which do not come before the parliament.

The following municipalities were advised of proposed legislation, namely :

Hamilton, Ont.—respecting the application of Grasselli Chemical Company Limited for approval of the site and plan and for permission to construct a wharf in Gage's inlet near the foot of Ottawa Street, Hamilton, Ontario, along the westerly limit of Lot Number 4.

Kingston, Ont.—respecting the application of The Canadian Terminal System Limited for approval of the site and plans and for permission to construct a grain elevator in Cataraqui Bay of the River St. Lawrence in front of lots numbers 15 and 16 in the First Concession of the Township of Kingston, in the County of Frontenac.

Victoria, B. C.—respecting the application of the Minister of Public Works of the Government of the Province of British Columbia for approval of the site and plans and for permission to construct a highway bridge over the Esquimalt Lagoon outlet, Esquimalt District, Vancouver Island, B. C.

Vancouver, B. C.—respecting the application of Alfred Robert Bissett for approval of site and plan and for permission to make extensions to a wharf in Burrard Inlet at Vancouver, B. C. in front of lots 8 and 9, Block 64, District Lot 185.

Winnipeg, Man.—respecting the application of the Winnipeg Electric Company for approval of site and plans of an electric power transmission line crossing the Red River between the municipality of Fort Garry and the municipality of St. Vital, Man.

Winnipeg, Man.—respecting the application of the Northwestern Power Company Limited for approval of the site and plans of an electric power transmission line crossing the Red River between St. Vital and Fort Garry, Man; also respecting the application of the City of Winnipeg for approval of the site and plans of a hydro electric power plant and works connected with the proposed construction on the Winnipeg River.

Vancouver, B. C.—respecting the application of the City of North Vancouver for approval of the site and plan of an extension to the ferry leads proposed to be built in the waters of Burrard Inlet, in the City of Vancouver.

Victoria, B. C.—respecting the application of the British Columbia Telephone Company for approval of the laying of three submarine telephone cables across Victoria Harbour.

Vancouver, B. C.—respecting the application of The Mackenzie Barge and Derrick Company Limited for approval of the site and plans of a wharf proposed to be built in front of Lot A.D.L. 23c, Group 1, New Westminister District, North short of Burrard Inlet.

Montreal, Que.—respecting the application of the Canadian Pacific Railway for authority to construct a line of railway between Besley Station and its terminus at Place Viger in the City of Montreal.

Vancouver, B. C.—respecting the application of The Deeks Sand and Gravel Co. Limited, for approval of the site and plans and leave to construct a wharf in False Creek, at the foot of Manitoba Street, Vancouver, B. C.

Vancouver, B. C.—respecting the application of The First Narrows Bridge Company Limited for approval of the site and plans and for leave to construct a high level suspension bridge and approaches over the First Narrows, Vancouver Harbour, in the vicinity of Prospect Point.

Fort William, Ont.—respecting the application of Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited for approval of the site and plans and leave to construct the holding booms and piling clusters proposed to be built in the Kaministiquia River.

New Westminister, B. C.—respecting the application of The Fraser River Bridge Company Limited for approval of the site and plans of a combined railway and highway bridge proposed to be built across the Fraser River, immediately east of Fort Mann, B. C.

Toronto, Ont.—respecting the application of The British American Oil Company Limited for approval of the site and plans and for permission to construct a truss over the Don River, north of Keating Street, in the City of Toronto, to carry oil lines.

The Federal Government has accepted :

(1) a larger proportion of the costs of old Age Pensions, and the municipalities will be free;

(2) responsibility for Unemployment Relief, the particulars of which, at this date, are not known;

(3) the "All Canada" Highway will be built.

(4) Immigration is being modified.

(5) Continuance of Technical School Grants.

In securing these results the Union of Canadian Municipalities has played an important part.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

H. W. CATER, Chairman.

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Contributed Huge Sum To Assist Employment

C.P.R. Spent more than $11,000,000 on new Branch Lines and station buildings and provided 351,000 days work for men otherwise unemployed. Co-operated by doing work years ahead.

Since the commencement of the existing economic situation the Canadian Pacific Railway has spent a matter of eleven to twelve million dollars in providing work for unemployed Canadians. When it was apparent in the late summer of 1930, that certain areas of southern Saskatchewan were to suffer from almost complete crop failure, the Company took upon itself to assist the people in that territory by beginning the construction of a branch line between Vanguard and Mayronne. This line would not, in the ordinary course of events, have been built for some time, and certainly not at a time when there was no crop available in that particular territory. But the Company desired to give employment to the farmers and their teams in the drought area. The total cost of the line is estimated to be approximately $1,000,000, and this work is still proceeding.

Mr. E. W. Beatty
Chairman and President
Canadian Pacific Ry.

The Dominion Government subsequently undertook considerable work for the unemployment relief, and the Canadian Pacific was called upon to cooperate. This the Company did to the limit of its ability by anticipating works which would, normally, not have been started for a number of years. These works included a number of new branch lines, the building of a new station at Regina, some grade revision in British Columbia, and also the application on various subdivisions of new rail and new rock and gravel ballast. The total cost of these works were estimated at $11,514,000 and, according to agreement with the Government, are to be completed at the end of the current year. It is true that the Dominion agreed to pay interest for a limited period on this capital cost, but after receipt of this interest, the Canadian Pacific will still have expended over $10,600,000 from its own Treasury in order to improve the situation in the country generally. This expenditure has been made at a time when the Company's revenues are suffering severely as a result of business depression. This programme of work, undertaken in order to cooperate with the Government, had given 351,000 days work to individuals otherwise unemployed up to August 31st last, and at September 14th it was estimated that approximately 100,000 more working days would be furnished before the works were completed.

Although the Company has succeeded in making substantial reductions in operating costs, it has hesitated to pursue its policy of economy to the limit out of regard for the serious obligation which rests upon all corporations to give as much employment as possible. While protecting the interest of shareholders as far as is consistent with its duty to the country, the Canadian Pacific has been conservative in its application of measures which would increase the number of unemployed in Canada. Only recently, after experiencing very severe decreases in earnings, have they pared down their forces to the bare essentials necessary for operation. 787

Sight Unseen

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

At the first sitting the medium tells the details of a murder as it is occurring. Later that night Sperry learns that a neighbor, Arthur Wells, has been shot mysteriously. With Johnson he goes to the Wells residence and they find confirmation of the medium's account. Mrs. Wells tells them her husband shot himself in a fit of depression.

Now go on with the Story

Believing then that something might possibly be hidden there, I made an investigation, and could see some small objects lying there. Sperry brought me a stick from the dressing-room and with its aid succeeded in bringing out the two articles which were instrumental in starting us on our brief but adventurous careers as private investigators. One was a leather razor strop, old and stiff from disuse, and the other a wet bath sponge, now stained with blood to a yellowish brown.

"She is lying, Sperry," I said. "He ellf somewhere else, and she dragged him to where he was found."

"But—why ?"

"I don't know," I said impatiently. "From some place where a man would be unlikely to kill himself, I daresay. No one ever killed himself, for instance, in an open hallway. Or stopped shaving to do it."

"We have only Miss Jeremy's word for that," he said, sullenly. "Confound it, Horace, don't let's bring in that stuff if we can help it."

We stared at each other, with the strop and the sponge between us. Suddenly he turned on his heel and went back into the room, and a moment later he called me, quietly.

"You're right," he said. "The poor devil was shaving. He had it half done. Come and look."

But I did not go. There was a carafe of water in the bathroom, and I took a drink from it. My hands were shaking. When I turned around I found Sperry in the hall, examining the carpet with his flashlight, & now and then stooping to run his hand over the floor.

"Nothing here," he said in a low tone, when I had joined him. "At least I haven't found anything."

How much of Sperry's preceeding with the carpet the governess had seen I do not know. I glanced up and she was there on the staircase to the third floor, watching us.

She came down the stairs, a lean young Frenchwoman in a dark dressing gown, and Sperry suggested that she should have an opiate. She seized at the idea, but Sperry did not go down at once for his professional bag.

"You were not here when it occurred, Mademoiselle?" he inquired.

"No, doctor. I had been out for a walk." She clasped her hands. "When I came back—"

"Was he still on the floor of the dressing-room when you came in?"

"But yes. Of course. She was alone. She could not lift him."

"I see," Sperry said thoughtfully. "No, I daresay she could not. Was the revolver on the floor also?"

"Yes, doctor. I myself picked it up."

To Sperry she showed, I observed, a slight deference, but when she glanced at me, as she did after each reply, I thought her expression slightly altered. At the time this puzzled me, but it was explained when Sperry started down the stairs.

Monsieur is of the police ?" she asked, with a Frenchwoman's timid respect for the constabulary.

I hesitated before I answered. I am a truthful man and I hate unnecessary lying. But I ask consideration of the circumstances.

"I am making a few investigations", I told her. "You say Mrs. Wells was alone in the house, except for her husband?"

"The children."

"Mr. Wells was shaving, I believe, when the —er— impulse overtook him?"

There was no doubt as to her surprise. "Shaving ? I think not."

"What sort of razor did he ordinarily use ?"

"A safety razor always. At least I have never seen any others around."

"There is a case of old-fashioned razors in the bathroom."

She glanced toward the room and shrugged her shoulders. "Possibly he used others. I have not seen any."

"It was you, I suppose, who cleaned up afterwards."

"Cleaned up ?"

"You who washed up the stains ?"

"Stains ? Oh, no monsieur. Nothing of the sort has yet been done."

I felt that she was telling the truth, so far as she knew it, and I then asked about the revolver.

"Do you know where Mr. Wells kept his revolver?"

"When I first came it was in the drawer of that table. I suggested that it be placed beyond the children's reach. I do not know where it was put."

"Do you recall how you left the front door when you went out ? I mean, was it locked?"

"No. The servants were out, and I knew there would be no one to admit me, I left it unfastened."

But it was evident that she had broken a rule of the house by doing so, for she added : "I am afraid to use the servants' entrance. It is dark there."

"The key is always hung on the nail when they are out ?"

"Yes. If any one of them is out it is left there. There is only one key. The family is out a great deal, and it saves bringing some one down from the servants' rooms at the top of the house."

But I think my knowledge of the key bothered her, for some reason. And as I read over my questions, certainly they indicated a suspicion that the situation was less simple than it appeared. She shot a quick glance at me.

"Did you examine the revolver when you picked it up?"

"I, monsieur ? Non !" Then her fears, whatever they were, got the best of her. "I know nothing but what I tell you. I was out. I can prove that that is so. I went to a pharmacy; the clerk will remember.

I know, monsieur, he will tell you that I used the telephone there."

I told her that it would not be necessary for her to go to the pharmacy, and she muttered something about the children & went up the stairs. When Sperry came back with the opiate she was nowhere in sight, and he was considerably annoyed.

"She knows somethings," I told him. "She is frightened."

"Now see here, Horace," he said. "Suppose we had come in here, without the thought of that seance behind us ? We'd have accepted the thing as it appears to be, wouldn't we? There may be a dozen explanations for that sponge, and for the razor strop. What in heaven's name has a razor strop to do with it anyhow ? One bullet was fired and the revolver has one empty chamber. It may not be the custom to stop shaving in order to commit suicide, but that's no argument that it can't be done, and as to the key--how do I know my own back door key isn't hung outside on a nail sometimes?"

"We might look again for that hole in the ceiling."

"I won't do it. Miss Jeremy has read of something of that sort, or hear of it, and stored it in her subconscious mind."

But he glanced up at the ceiling nevertheless and a moment later had drawn up a chair and stepped onto it and I did the same thing. We presented, I imagine, rather a strange picture, and I know that the presence of the rigid figure on the couch gave me a sort of gnoulish feeling.

The house was an old one, and in the center of the high ceiling a plaster ornament surrounded the chandelier. Our search gradually centered on this ornament but the chairs were low and our long-distance examination revealed nothing. It was at that time, too, that we heard some one in the lower hall, and we had only a moment to put our chairs in place before the butler came in. He showed no surprise but stood looking at the body on the couch, his thin face worn.

"I met the detectives outside, doctor," he said. "It's a terrible thing, sir, a terrible thing."

"I'd keep the other servants out of this room, Hawkins."

"Yes, sir." He went over to the sheet, lifted the edge slowly, and then replaced it, and tiptoed to the door. "The others are not back yet. I'll admit them up quietly. How is Mrs. Wells ?"

"Sleeping," Sperry said briefly, and Hawkins went out.

I realize now that Sperry was —I am sure he will forgive this —in a state of nerves that night. For example he returned only an impatient silence to my doubt as to whether Hawkins had really only just returned and he quite missed something downstairs which I later proved to have an important bearing on the case. This was when we were going out, and after Hawkins had opened the front door for us. It had been freezing hard, and Sperry, who has a bad ankle, looked about for a walking stick. He found one, and I saw Hawkins take a swift step forward, and then stop with no expression whatever in his face.

"This will answer, Hawkins."

"Yes, sir," said Hawkins impassively.

And if I realize that Sperry was nervous that night, I also realize that he was fighting a battle quite his own, and with its personal problems.

"She's got to quit this sort of thing," he said savagely and apropos of nothing, as we walked along. "It's hard on her, & besides—"

"Yes?"

"She couldn't have learned about it," he said, following his own trail of thought. "My car brought her from her home to the house-door. She was brought in to us at once. But don't you see that if there are other developments, to prove her statements she—well, she's as innocent as a child, but take Herbert for instance. Do you suppose he'll believe she had no outside information?"

"But it was happening while we were shut in the drawing-room."

"So Elinor claims. But if there was anything to hide it, it would have taken time. An hour or so, perhaps. You can see how Herbert would jump on that."

I said irritably to him. "I intend to go home, it is 1.30 in the morning."

But as it happened, I did not go into my house when I reached it. I was wide awake, and I perceived, on looking up at my wife's windows, that the lights were out. As it is her custom to wait up for me on those rare occasions when I spend an evening away from home, I surmised that she was comfortably asleep and made my way to the pharmacy to which the Wellses' governess had referred.

The night-clerk was in the prescription-room behind the shop. He had fixed himself comfortably on two chairs, with an old table-cover over his knee and a half-empty bottle of sarsaparilla on a wooden box beside him. He did not waken until I spoke to him.

"Sorry to rouse you, Jim," I said.

He flung off the cover and jumped up, upsetting the bottle, which trickled a stale stream to the floor. "Oh, that's all right, Mr. Johnson, I wasn't asleep, anyhow."

I let that go and went at once to the object of our visit. Yes, he remembered the governess, knew her, as a matter of fact. The Wellses' bought a good many things there. Asked as to her telephoning, he thought it was about nine o'clock, maybe earlier. But questioned as to what she had telephoned about, he drew himself up.

"Oh, see here," he said. "I can't very well tell you that, can I ?This business has got ethics, all sorts of ethics."

He enlarged on that. The secrets of the city, he maintained loftily, were in the hands of the pharmacies. It was a trust that they kept. "Every trouble from dope to drink, and then some," he boasted.

When I told him that Arthur Wells was dead his jaw dropped but there was no more argument in him. He knew very well the number the governess had called.

"She's done it several times," he said. "I'll be frank with you I got curious after the third evening, and called it myself. You know the trick. I found out it was the Ellingham house, up State street."

"What was the nature of the conversations ?"

"Oh, she was very careful. It's an open phone & any one could hear her. Once she said somebody, was not to come. Another time she just said, 'This is Susanne Gautier. 9.30, please."

"And tonight ?"

"That the family was going out—not to call."

To be Continued.

WEDDING BELLS

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Mayhew — Hamilton

A very pretty wedding took plaec at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Hamilton, 227 Second Avenue, South, Yorkton, Sask., on Saturday, Oct. 3rd., when their daughter, Phyllis Walterna, became the bride of Kenneth McTavish Mayhew, only son of Mr. James Ferguson, and the late Mrs. Mayhew, of Renfrew, Ont.

Rev. R. J. McDonald, M.A., D.D., pastor of St. Andrews United Church officiated. The bride who was given in marriage by her father, was charming in a gown of robin egg blue lace, of ankle length. She carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses and maiden hair fern Miss Emma Jessop, bridesmaid wore a frock of forest green georgette, with lace and carried a bouquet of Premier roses. Mr. A. Lorne McQueen attended the bridegroom.

The bridal party entered the prettily decorated drawing room to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin played by Miss Gwen Hamilton, of Kelvington, sister of the bride.

Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served to relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew left on a short motor trip, the bride travelling in a black and white ensemble with matching gloves, shoes and hand bag. On their return they will reside in the Logan Apartments, Yorkton.

ARUNDEL.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gass, of Boston, Mass., were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Riddell.

The week-end guests of Mrs. M. Smillie were Misses Jean and Janet Smillie, Messrs. Henry & James Smillie, Chas. Ellsworth and Kenneth St. Croix.

Misses Miriam Patton & Muriel Graham were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. & Mrs. Thos. Graham for the week-end.

Misses Iris Evans of Macdonald College, & Agnes McMahon of Lachute, were the week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Evans.

Miss Ella Worthington of Montreal, is spending a few days here the guests of Miss V. Cooke.

Mrs. A. B. Hubley of Metis Beach, is spending a few days here visiting friends.

Mr. W. D. Graham and son Herman spent the week-end in Montreal with friends.

The Misses Gertrude Cooke & Velma Graham were the week-end guests of Mr. Jas. Cooke.

Mrs. George Kennedy & Miss Laura Davis were the week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis.

Mrs. Robert Beers and children of Montreal, are spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. R. G. Cooke.

Mrs. John Thompson has returned home, after spending the past month in Lachute.

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LAKEFIELD.

Mrs. Geo. Bennett is the guest of Mrs. Robt. Evans for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Irvin spent the week-end at their cottage.

Miss Ada Murdoch is spending a few days at "Lakeshore Lodge."

Mr. Stewart Leroy, of Montreal, spent Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Copeland.

Miss Grace Foster spent the week-end here, the guest of Miss Peggy Dawson.

Mrs. Miles Copeland spent a few days in Montreal, last week visiting her sister, Mrs. W. S. Andrews.

Miss Grace Copeland has returned to Montreal, after spending a two week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Miles Copeland.

Be prepared for the 'Masquerade Dance", to take place at Thompson's "Grand View Hall", on Saturday, Oct. 31st.,

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peet, accompanied by Miles Copeland motored to Grenville on Wednesday, to attend the opening of the Grenville Bridge.

The many friends of Mrs. H. McDonald will be glad to hear she is progressing favorably, after undergoing an operation in the General Hospital.

The many friends of Donald McDonald will be glad to hear he is home again, after undergoing treatment in the General Hospital and is progressing favorably.

Mr. Addly Sherrit, accompanied by the Misses Mildred and Louise Sheritt, Mrs. T. Pollock and Mrs. Charlotte Evans spent Friday visiting friends in Morin Heights.

A fire broke out on Wednesday morning, in two of our neighboring cottages, owned by Mr. Hackoma and Mr. Riddell & demolished them completely—nothing being saved.

Guests at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Evans over the week-end were Mrs. B. Williamson, and Mrs. Louise Nash, of Montreal; Messrs. James Dale, W. Hummel, Paul Goddin and M. Gordon, of New York City; Mr. Voughster and son Buddy, of Montreal; also Mrs. Ralph Andrews and son Hartland.

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BROWNSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. John Mason, Mrs. Jos. Kennedy and Rev. E. G. Baxter are spending this week as delegates to the Regular Baptist Convention services in Peterboro, Ont. The Convention is very well attended and the sessions very spiritual and helpful.

Mr. Mansiel Wilson of Toronto University, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson.

Mrs. Geo. McAllister and son Miles, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Seary is in Montreal this week undergoing treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turney spent the week-end with friends in Ottawa.

The many friends here were pleased to see Mrs. G. McAllister and son Lisle, who are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cofield this week.

Mr. A. Stewart who was on the sick list last week is able to be out again.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON-SERMON

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"Probation After Death" is subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist on Sunday, October 25th.

Among the citations comprising the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible.

"After these things Jesus shewed himself again to the disciples at the sea of Tiberias."

"Jesus saith unto them, Come and dine. And none of the disciples durst ask him, Who art thou ? knowing that it was the Lord." (St. John 21 : 1 to semicolon, 12).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following to be read from "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

"This spiritual meeting with our Lord in the dawn of a new light is the morning meal which the Christian Scientists commemorate. They bow before Christ, Truth, to receive more of his reappearing and silently to commune with the divine Principle, Love." (Science & Health page 35, lines 10 to 14.)

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CHURCH NOTES

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

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Sunday, Oct. 25, 1931

Lachute 11 a.m.
Brownsburg 3.00 p.m.
Dalesville 7.30 p.m.

To be conducted by Rev. F. W. Dyson, of Essex, Ont.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

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10 a.m., Sabbath School.

11 a.m., Morning Worship.

Subject : "Taking Jesus Seriously."

7 p.m., Union Service in Interests of Bible Society.

Speaker : Rev. Mr. McLennan

2.30 p.m., East Settlement.

3 p.m., Thomas' Gore.

Welcome to all Services.

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Rev. H. Cousens, B.A., B.D.

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Lachute S. S. 10.00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11.00 a.m.
Bible Society Meeting in the United Church at 7 p.m.
Brownsburg Worship 3 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.

Sunday, Oct. 25th., 1931

10 a.m., Sunday School.

11 a.m., Morning Worship.

Preacher, Rev. H. C. Sutherland, B.A., D.D., of L'Original.

7 p.m. Evening Worship. The Pastor will preach.

Friday, Oct. 24, Young People's Society, 7.30. In charge of music committee.

Wednesday, Oct. 28, Joint meeting of W. M. S. and Ladies' Aid Society at home of Mrs. Izzard at 7.30.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. E. G. Baxter.

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Sunday, Oct. 25th., 1931.

Grenville Church, no service.

Chatham West Church :
2 p.m. Sunday School.
3 p.m. Church Service.

Brownsburg Church :
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Church Service.
7 p.m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U.

DEATH.

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BROWN,—At Brownsburg, on Friday, October 16th., Mrs. J. T. Brown, in her 54th. year.

IN MEMORIAM

JOSS,—In loving memory of our dear Mother, who passed away October 24th., 1929.

Fondly remembered by her family, Leith, Charlie & Muriel.

McCAMBLY,—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother Mrs. Thos. McCambly, who died October 20th., 1929.

Two years have passed, our hearts still sore
As time goes on we miss her more
No one on earth can fill her place
Some day we hope to meet again
Some day we know not when
To clasp her hand in the better land
Never to part again.
Sadly missed by husband and two little daguhters.

LOST,—On Saturday last, white wire haired Fox Terrier, answering to name of Fritzi. Liberal reward. M. Beaumel, Morin Heights.

Dont miss the Annual Tea-Meeting in the Auditorium, on Friday evening, October 30th. This is being put on by the Ladies of the Presbyterian Church and with the excellent program and supper which is always provided you are sure of a good time

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Public Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that I will be at the Brownsburg Club House on Saturday, Oct. 31st., from 9 o'clock a.m. till 8 o'clock p.m. for the collection of Municipal taxes.

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Lesson for October 25

PAUL IN CORINTH

GOLDEN TEXT—And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 18:1-17.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul Working for Jesus in a Great City.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul Working and Preaching in a Great City.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Working for Christ in a Great City.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christianity in a Cosmopolitan City.

The establishment of the church at Corinth is an example of missionary endeavor for all ages.

I. The True Missionary Method (vv. 1-3).

Paul came to Corinth a stranger. He did not have an advance agent to do his advertising, neither did he have his photograph put in the daily paper with a sensational announcement upon his arrival at Corinth. His method of gaining a foothold in Corinth was:

1. Finding a home (v. 2). This he found with Aquila and Priscilla, Jews who were recently expelled from Rome by the cruel edict of Claudius.

2. He toiled for his daily bread (v. 3). He was of the same craft with his hosts, who were tent makers. Every child among the Jews was taught some trade by means of which he could gain a livelihood should occasion require.

II. Preaching in the Synagogue at Corinth (vv. 4-8).

1. Though compelled to toil for a living while getting a foothold in Corinth, he did not lose sight of his main work (v. 4). He reasoned in the synagogue every Sabbath, persuading the Jews and the Greeks.

2. His activity was increased when Silas and Timothy came (v. 5), which resulted from three causes:

a. They brought good news from the church at Thessalonica (I Thess. 3:6). To hear of the steadfastness of those who had confessed Christ under his ministry put new vigor into his labors.

b. They brought pecuniary gifts from the Macedonian church (Phil. 4:15; II Cor. 11:9). Being relieved from the necessity of toiling for a living, he could now devote more time to the preaching of the gospel.

c. Silas and Timothy became assistants to Paul in the work.

3. Paul opposed (v. 6). His increased activity was met with increased opposition. As the Lord's ministers become more aggressive in their work, the ministers of Satan put forth corresponding efforts in opposition.

4. Paul announces his purpose to turn to the Gentiles (v. 6), because of the blasphemy and opposition of the Jews.

5. He did not go far away (v. 7). He remained sufficiently near those whose hearts God had touched so that they could easily find him.

6. His success (v. 8). Crispus, the chief ruler of the synagogue, was converted. Perhaps Paul's severity in turning away from them moved Crispus to act. Pressure to an immediate decision is helpful to some. They realize that it is now or never. Many others followed the example of Crispus. Paul varied from his usual custom and baptized Crispus, who was an important man (I Cor. 1:14).

III. Paul's Vision (vv. 9-11).

His experiences since coming to Europe were very trying. He needed encouragement at this time. It is just like the Lord to come at the time of the servant's greatest need. Note the Lord's words to him:

1. "Be not afraid." When one is executing the commission of the Lord he need not be afraid.

2. "Speak and hold not thy peace." The one who has heard the voice of God cannot refrain from speaking.

3. "I am with thee." The Lord is with everyone who faithfully carries out his command.

4. "No man shall set on thee to hurt thee." The one sent by the Lord to do a work is immune from harm until his work is done.

5. "I have much people in this city." It is most encouraging to know that in the great cities the Lord has his own people and that the one who goes in his name shall have fruit for his service.

IV. Paul Before Gallio (vv. 12-17).

1. The charge against him (v. 13). They accused him of persuading men to worship God contrary to the law.

2. Gallio's decision (vv. 14-16). He decided that it was not his concern to settle disputes concerning matters of the Jewish law.

3. Sosthenes beaten (v. 17). In all probability he was leading the attack upon Paul. The Greeks seemed to have sympathized with Paul. Therefore, they turned against his enemy.

The Will of Christ

If, then, the will of Christ is not being fulfilled through us, if there is good that it belongs to us to do, but which remains undone, then the point of juncture with Christ is the point that needs looking to . . . the reason of our fruitlessness is the simple one, that we are not closely enough attached to Christ.—Marcus Dodds.

Results From Prayer

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COMING EVENTS

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Admission 50c.

The Ladies' Anglican Guild are holding their Xmas Bazaar on Dec. 19th., in St. George's Church.

St. Simeon's Players will present "Her Own Money" in the Lachute Auditorium, on Friday evening, Nov. 13th.

ON MONDAY, NOV. 2nd.
The Rev. F. L. Orchard, B.A., B.D., of the First Baptist Church Amherst, N.S., will give an eloquent lecture on the "Romance of the Maritimes," illustrated by coloured slides, in the hall of the Lachute United Church, under the auspices of the Y.P.S. Admission 25c. and 15c. A short musical programme is also included.

The Literary and Dramatic Society are holding a Hallowe'en Party on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd., in MacArthur's Hall, at 8.15 p.m. There will be a short General Meeting before the party. All members are invited to attend.

A Cordial Invitation
The Sisters of the Holy Cross Lachute, Que., cordially invite their former pupils to attend the celebration of the Silver Jubilee of the Opening of St. Anastasia Academy, on Friday, Nov. 7th. at 2 o'clock p.m.

A Shooting Match for Turkeys will be held on Mrs. Wm. Evans farm, Lakefield, on Armistice Day, Nov. 9th., commencing at 9.30 a.m. A turkey dinner will be served from 12 to 1.30. Keep the date open.

The Members of L.O.L., No. 717, Louisa, welcomes you to the last dance of the season in their Hall, on November 5th., at 8.30 p.m. Gents $1.00. Ladies free. Keep the date open.

The Annual Meeting of the Lachute Red Cross Society will be held in the Victoria Hall, on Wednesday, Nov. 4th., at 2.30 o'clock. Election of Officers will take place.

Teachers' Meeting.
A meeting of Protestant Teachers from the county of Argenteuil and surrounding parts is hereby called for Saturday, Nov. 7th., at 7.30 p.m., in the Lachute High School for the purpose of forming a local teachers' association.
J. W. McOuat.

TYPHOID FEVER MENACE
Entire Population of Masson, Que., Being Immunized

The entire population of Masson is being immunized against an outbreak of typhoid fever which has resulted in 50 cases during the past two months with the death of five men.

The work is in charge of Dr. S. J. Tourangeau, medical health officer for the County of Papineau, and it is expected to have the inoculation of 2,000 persons living in the town completed within a few weeks. This number includes the floating population present because of the large power works nearing completion.

Eight cases have been reported from Buckingham over the same period with the death of one man.

For many days, an unknown visitor had been making himself at home at the orchard of Mr. Lem. Hammond, Hill Head, eating and destroying a large quantity of friut. Marks of identification were traced, and found to belong to a small bear. On Sunday last the visitor again reappeared, but this time found Mr. Edgar Pollock awaiting him with a loaded rifle. The bear noticing his unfriendly host, turned to depart, but unfortunately was too slow, and met his doom.

WEDDING BELLS
Dunn — Mount

The marriage of Miss Alice Constance Mount eldest daughter of Rev. Allan E. Mount and Mrs. Mount of Lakefield, to Mr. Wm. Dunn of Miami, Man., will take place at 3.30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 3rd., at Holy Trinity Church, Winnipeg, the ceremony will be performed by the Rev. T. B. R. Westgate, D.D., Secretary of the Indian Residental School Com. of the M. S. C. C. Miss Mount was formerly a teacher in the Indian Reserve and the Watchman joins with her many other friends in wishing her every joy and happiness in her new home.

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Local news of the Week

Mrs. Hope and Mrs. Griffith spent Wednesday in Ottawa.

Miss Elsie McFaul is spending a few days in Montreal this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Fisher of Ottawa, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Hope.

Mrs. Jack Findley, of Montreal, is the guest of her mother Mrs. Geo. Creswell this week.

Mr. Gordon McOuat of Montreal was the week-end guest of his parents here.

Miss Ethel Doig, of Verdun, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Doig over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. N. Davis, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pollock.

Mrs. James Gillespie, and daughter are spending a few month's holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tomalty, Lakefield.

Misses S. and E. MacGibbon are spending two weeks in Ogdensburg and Hermon, N. Y., visiting their niece, Mrs. DeFlorio and other friends.

Ladies' Night, in connection with Argenteuil Lodge, No. 67, A.F. and A.M. is being held in the Auditorium, Lachute, Tuesday evening, November 10th.

Mrs. S. Goldsworthy spent a few days in Toronto last week, the guest of Mrs. C. J. Holman, President of the Women's Missionary Society, of Regular Baptists of Canada.

Lachute visited St. Jerome on Wednesday evening for a return game of Bowling. The latter winning in a score of 2 to 1. The teams stands with 3 games each. A final game will be played in the near future.

Miss Ada Logan, Mr. Frank Roe, Mr. John Mennie, of Clarence, Ont.; Miss Mary St. Louis and Mr. Hilton Erratt of Alfred, Ont., motored to Lachute, and spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Logan.

The Presbyterian Church at Lachute was well filled on Thurs day afternoon last, when the W. M. S. held their Thank Offering meeting and listened to a helpful and stirring address on the "Joy of Service" by Mrs. Owen Campbell, of Westmount, who is one of God's own consecrated workers. At the close, tea was served by the ladies.

The "Jiggs" Supper held on Friday last, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Lachute United Church proved a great success, for the society realized $150.00. All credit must be given to the ladies, for the catering to three hundred persons is indeed no small proposition, and the supper was greatly enjoyed. Following the repast, a musical program was rendered by the Y. P. S. consisting of a mixed chorus, and two part songs by the ladies, which were appreciated to the fullest extent. A community sing song was then heartily indulged in, and "Auld Lang Syne" followed by "God Save the King" brought the pleasant evening to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McAdam of Chapleau, were in Toronto recently visiting their three sons They then spent a short time with friends in Montreal before coming to Chatboro, where he visited his father Mr. D. McAdam, Mr. and Mrs. J. O'Brien and family, Mrs. Girling and family, and Mrs. McKinnon and family of Grenville, and friends in Ogdensburg. They also visited the Ogdensburg Cemetery to view the graves of his loving mother and sister Sarah, where they are resting the long sleep of death. After a very pleasant stay and visit with their many friends they left for their home in Chapleau, where Mr. McAdam will take charge of his train again keeping a watchful eye and sharp look out rounding the curves and mountains.

Councillors Engage in Lively Tilt over Waterworks

The strong tension that has been evidenced between opposing factions of the Council, during the past few months in which the waterworks question has held full sway in the Councils deliberations, culminated in a lively tilt between Alderman J. P. McKimmie and Alderman Henry Lavigne on Tuesday evening last.

Estimates for proposed works had been read by the secretary, and Alderman Lavigne stressed the necessity for immediate action in order that employment might be given to those who were out of a job. Alderman Rice questioned whether the Council could deal with the matter at this special adjourned meeting and reference was made to the notices sent to the members of Council in which the question of unemployment was specifically mentioned and Mayor Dobbie ruled same to be in order.

This gave rise to Alderman McKimmie wanting to know why Alderman Lavigne was in such a hurry to now provide this work for the men when he had blocked the action of Council from going ahead with By-Law 123 which if executed would have meant considerable work for all the unemployed. Lavigne retaliated by stating his action was perfectly justified, because the by-law as presented by Ald. McKimmie had been illegal from the start. "So eager were you for Pollock's site that you took the matter in your own hands, secured an engineer to come up from Montreal and in your back store you made discussions and thought you would shove it through. Insinuations that the French members of the Council had not been consulted but were entirely ignored were hurled by Alderman Lavigne and the fact of the illegality of the whole procedure was evidenced when Premier Taschereau had told them that they had to start all over again.

Dr. Rodrigue also stated that he had notified the Council and protested against their forcing the project through as before one could ask the people to vote on the question it was necessary to first submit the plans of new work proposed, which had not been done, and further that the Provincial Board of Health had notified the town by telegram to stop proceedings.

In reply Alderman MacKimmie and Mayor Dobbie both stated that they had interviewed the local Attorney who had informed them their action was perfectly legal and so they had acted in good faith.

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Town Council Proceedings.

An adjourned special meeting of Council was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening at which all members of the Council were present with Mayor Dobbie presiding.

Moved by Ald. H. M. Lavigne, seconded by Ald. A. Rodrigue that application be made by this Council to the Minister of Public Works and Labor at Quebec, for a grant of at least 50% of the cost of prospective public works to be undertaken to relieve unemployment and that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to the Minister of Public works and Labor in Quebec, to Mr. Geo. Dansereau, M.P.P. for Argenteuil and to Sir Geo. H. Perley, M.P.

Moved by Ald. C. R. Miller, seconded by Ald. J. P. MacKimmie that By-law 124 amending By-law 123 be declared as read the second time. Those voting for the motion were Aldermen Jno. A. Rice, J. P. MacKimmie, C. R. Miller, and W. A. Morrison. Against the motion were, Aldermen H. M. Lavigne, Dr. A. Rodrigue, J. B. Raymond, Omer Laurin and Joseph Speight, the motion thus being defeated.

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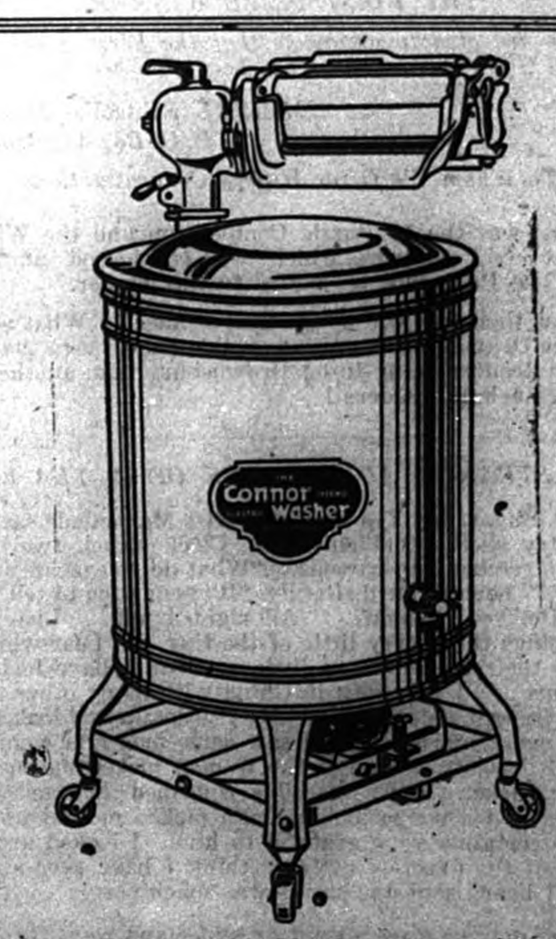

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The Captain's Corner

THE CAPTAIN'S WEEKLY LETTER.

Dear Boys and Girls :

You will see that today, I am printing on this page a picture of 3 shields which stand for 3 houses of a big Girls' College, that I visited in Ottawa.

Now I was told by the Head Mistress that these shields had been DRAWN by some of the girls to illustrate their own School Magazine and as soon as I saw them a thought came into my mind and this is what it was.

WE in the Watchman have our own CORNER which is just like a little Magazine, in which we exchange ideas, tell our jokes, send in our riddles and have our Birthday Club. So why not HAVE A SHIELD as well. The main point is;

ARE YOU CLEVER ENOUGH TO DRAW ONE ?

If you are, this is the idea. Draw a shield for either the Birthday Club or "Captain's Corner". On the shield can be a FIGURE or the letters M.B.C. (Member of Birthday Club.) C.C.W. (Captain's Corner Watchman). They need not be an exact copy of the ones shown you on this page. You can use your own ideas and make your drawing as original as you like. Draw it first in pencil, then ink it in.' Take plenty of time and do your best. You can of course get all the help you like; perhaps your teacher will assist you. When you have completed the drawing send it to me carefully mailed, before Nov. 19th. I will give a prize for the best one sent in and it will become OUR SHIELD which we shall always use on this page.

Don't say you Can't Do It.--TRY. Please do NOT disappoint me. Your affectionate Friend,

THE CAPTAIN.

Drawing Competition

Here you see a picture of 3 Shields, belonging to 3 different houses of a big Girl's College.

As explained in the Captain's Letter, you have to draw a Shield. Something like one of these but USING YOUR OWN IDEAS.

USE drawing paper. A sheet from your drawing book will do. When you have drawn it in PENCIL. INK IT IN.

The BEST drawing showing the BEST IDEA will be the one chosen to be used as the Shield for this page—and will win the FIRST PRIZE. TWO other prizes will be given for the two Next Best.

THREE PRIZES FOR THIS COMPETITION

ALL DRAWINGS must have the name and address of the sender written on them in Ink. Closing date will be Nov. 19th. So you have plenty of time. Boys as well as Girls are invited to compete.

HOUSE NOTES

THREE BIG PRIZES ! ! !

THE FIRST PRIZE WINNER.

We are glad to announce that the First Success in our Boys' and Girl's Competitions has been obtained by

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This was the 10 Puzzle Competition and the Winner obtained 7 correct answers, which was considered an Excellent Effort. The Prize will be mailed to the winner.

Now then who will be the next winner ? What about trying for the Drawing Competition on this page. Are the M.B.C.'s and other Readers going to let Brownsburg take another prize ? Wake Up, Lachute Readers !

THE STRANGE ADVENTURES OF A TEA LEAF.

Mr. Sugar, Mr. Tea Leaf and Miss Marmalade sat together on a pantry shelf. Suddenly Mrs. Clock struck twelve. Mr. Tea Leaf stretched and yawned. "What do you mean by waking me up Sir ?" he exclaimed sleepily. "Its your turn to tell the story of your life." said Sugar. "All right I will. Listen now !" Human beings think very little of the tiny Tea Leaf which floats around in their tea-cups, yet little as I am I have had a world of adventures. I was born in China with many other little tea-leaf brothers and sisters. One day I woke up and looked around like I did every morning and I saw some men and women going round with baskets. One of the women picked me up and put me in her basket. I was terribly squashed and felt very unhappy. At last a rough looking man picked me out of the basket, I was certainly very grateful to him. I looked around and saw some of the queerest articles ,think I have ever seen in all my life. I heard someone say it was machinery.

Next day we were all put on slides and went through various machinery, when I got out I felt funny. I felt rather flattened out to tell the truth ! Then we were separated into different groups. I was very sad because my best friend and I were parted. We were then packed up in barrels very tightly. We arrived at a huge factory and were unpacked and put on shallow trays, the trays were then brought into a heated room and I felt as if I were getting hot and soft. Then we were put through more machinery. After that they placed us in drawers and covered us with damp curtains. We then got packed again and after a long time of traveling we reached a place which was called a store. Life became very dull sitting in the same place day after day. One morning a little girl came into the store and gave the man who lived there some silver money, and he put me in a bag with a great many other tea leaves and I came to this house and that's the end !" That was a wonderful story, do tell us about another of your lives" said Sugar. "Silly I have only one life," laughed tea leaf, "And please, Marmalade, take your sticky self away from me."

Joan Fraser in Samaria.

OUR MAIL BAG.

Lachute, Que.

Dear Captain :

I would like to join your Boys' and Girl's Club. I will try and keep the rules. I am nine years old, I will be ten on the seventh of January. I am sending a few riddles.

Your loving friend, *Mary Belanger.*

Pleased to welcome you to our Birthday Club Mary. Thanks for riddles, which will be published next week. The Captain.

Lachute, Que.

Dear Captain :

I have been reading the Boys' and Girl's page, and would like to join; I will try and keep the rules. I am 11 years old; I will be 12 on Feb. 26. I am sending in a few jokes.

Your loving friend, *Hazel Belanger.*

Thanks for jokes Hazel. I know you will do your best to keep the rules. Encourage your friends to do the same.

The Captain.

BIRTHDAY CLUB NOTICES.

The Captain has received a letter from Thos' Gore as follows. 'I thought I would write again but I hope our Captain has no wastepaper basket.' This letter was UNSIGNED will the M.B.C. who sent it please write again.

All members who write to "The Sphinx" must address their letters to him direct at Watchman Office.—Not to the Captain.

OUR JOKE CORNER.

Contributed by Hazel Belanger,—M.B.C.

Jones (at 2 a.m.) "I shay offisher, is this Blank St ?"
Officer—"Yes."
Jones—"Wish you'd d-hic-d'rect me t' 411 Goin t' 'tend a lecture there."
Officer—Who's giving a lecture at this hour !"
Jones—"My wife, offisher, his-my hic dear wife !"

Autoist (dying beside wrecked car) "Get a doctor quick."
Scotchman—"Has the insurance agent been here ?
Autoist—"No, not yet."
Scotchman—"Move over a wee bit, so I can lay down beside you."

Mike—"This is a great Country.
Pat—"An, how is that ?"
Mike—"Shure, th' paper sez you can buy a foive dollar money-order for seven cents."

Two farmers met on the road and pulled up.
"Si, I've got a mule with distemper, What'd ye give that one of yours when he had it ?"
"Turpentine, Giddap."
A week later they met again.
"Say Si—I gave my mule turpentine and it killedl him.
"Killed mine, too, Giddap."

WILLIE WONDERS.

What is Concrete ?

Concrete is a composition used in building, consisting of hydraulic or other mortar mixed with gravel or stone chippings about the size of a nut. It is used extensively in building under water, for example, to form the bottom of a canal or sluice, or the foundation of any structures raised in the sea; and it is also frequently used to make a bed for asphalt pavements, or to form foundation of buildings of any kind.

It has also come extensively into use as the material with which the walls of houses are built, the concrete being firmly rammed into molds of the requisite shape and then allowed to set. In large buildings a material known as reinforced concrete has come into use, the reinforcement consisting of strong steel rods around which the concrete is poured and which add very greatly to its strength. Many very large buildings have been erected in this manner and the use of concrete as a building material is rapidly growing.

TWO STARS.

There were two stars
All glistening white,
Two baby stars
Like Candle light.

And as I looked
I saw one fall,
Beneath the trees
So stately tall.

Jean P. Robertson.—Form III.—Samara, Elmwood, Ottawa.

MICKEY SQUIRREL AND HIS FRIENDS. (Concluded.)

Then, after a long silence, it was Archibald who spoke first, and I want you to notice, boys and girls, that he did not even mention that he had been teased on the journey to Bunny Rabbit's house. You see there was not a bit of that horrid tale—bearing about the little poodle !

"Bunny," he began, "I really came to ask your advice. You know that the day we first met in my mistress' garden you said you would always help me if ever I wanted to give up being a pet."

Mickey and Teddy opened their eyes wide at this, and Bunny said.

"That's quite right, Archibald, and so I will help you."

"Well," went on Archibald, without so much as glancing at the other two animals, "I am tired of being a pet, and I want to come and live the simple life with you in the wild woods."

Mickey and Teddy were so amazed at this that they could not utter a single word, but Bunny smiled and said.

Well, Archibald, that's fine, and you will certainly be welcome to stay here as long as you want."

"Thank you very much," replied the poodle gratefully, but that's not all I want, Bunny."

"I know just how he feels," he cried out, "he wants to get rid of his ridic—"

But Mickey had grabbed Teddy so hard by the tail by this time that the chipmunk sat down heavily, fortunately without finishing his sentence.

Archibald continued almost as if he had not noticed the interruption.

"I want to stay in your house, Bunny," he begged, "until my coat has grown all over alike just like any other animals. And I never want to be shaved, or tied up with ribbons, or fed with dainties, or petted again. Never ! Never ! Nev—!"

Hurrah ! Good old Archibald !" shouted Mickey. He's going to be one of us from now on !"

And so he was. He stayed all winter in Bunny's home and his coat grew thick and black and woolly till you never would have known him. And when Spring came and Archibald ventured forth into the fresh air and sunshine, Mickey and Teddy hardly knew him. I wonder if you will ever meet him, and if you do I wonder if you will know he is Archibald.

He and Teddy and Mickey and Bunny are the greatest of friends, and whenever Teddy makes up any poetry about him it is always of the most RESPECTFUL kind, like this.

"We've a fine new animal in our wood,
He's black and brave and clever and good !
He looks so fierce with is coat so thick,
But he's friends with me, and Bunny and Mick !
So we don't care if at nights he growls
Or stares at the big round moon and howls !
But all the other animals scatter in fear.
And tell their babies that the POODLE'S near !

Grrrrh ! Woof ! Grrrrh !"

So you see, Chicks, all's well that ends well. This is all about Mickey Squirrel now—but one day, if you really would like to hear more of his adventures, well—who knows !

Good-night, all of you. Don't forget to look out for Archibald, next time you go in the woods ! THE END.

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Our Puzzle Corner

What animal walks on four legs
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And three in the evening.

I have received several requests for the answer to the puzzle which appears at the top of our corner each week. I didn't intend this puzzle for solution, as it is such an old one, I expected it would offer no difficulty to our experts. For the benefit of our mythological students I will give the history and answer of our "caption" puzzle next week. Concerning that puzzle competition, for which I am offering a book prize let no one mention puzzles in my hearing for the next year. I have heard so many puzzles that my head is ringing.

When the Editor asks me how many inches my "Copy" will make, I answer "If it were two-thirds longer and a quarter were subtracted, then the number of inches it would make would equal 75 per cent of its length yesterday——"

It is surprising how many readers sent in the same puzzles, including some of my favorites, such as that about the twelve links. However there is another week to go, and perhaps the winning puzzle has yet to arrive. What about that one you are thinking of ? Shoot it along and win the book.

The answer to the puzzle that I gave last week is that Gladys gave her promise on a Sunday. Now Sunday is the first day of the week, so she will marry David 28 days afterwards. Had she promised on Saturday she would have married him 28 days later.

This week I am giving a puzzle that is a puzzle. One about which the experts can't say that the answer is obvious.

A train is travelling from Ottawa to Montreal. On it are three officials—namely, the guard, the fireman and the engineer, and three passengers. The names of the officials (not in order, of course) Black, White and Smith. The names of the passengers are (a nice distinction Mr. Black, Mr. White and Mr. Smith.

Mr. Smith lives in Montreal; The Guard in Lachute. Mr. White's salary is $8000, plus bonus $2000. per annum. The guard's nearest neighbour (a passenger) earns exactly three times the guard's salary.

The guards namesake lives at Ottawa. Black can beat the fire-man at billiards but not at midget golf.

What is the name of the engineer ?

There is no catch, and plain reasoning is all that is required. This problem was set at a recent Civil Service examination, and is a very nice study. Solution next week.

THE SPHINX

WHITE CLOTHES FOR WINTER.

When Mark Twain arrived in London and was entertained at dinner—on the day the Ascot Cup was stolen, although he said he had nothing to do with it—it was noticed he was clothed in white from head to foot. In place of the usual "claw-hammer" dress suit, of sombre black, he was wearing a delightful looking suit of flannel, cut after the most approved fashion of what an evening suit should be.

It was a fashion that might well be extended, or as we get to know more about light and health, we should understand that light bright clothes, are better than those of sombre hue, and when worn in winter they are incomparably warmer.

MAYNE REID'S ARGUMENT.

The old idea that black is warm and white is cold, is nothing but a fetish. That valiant Irishman, Captain Mayne Reid found to his advantage that while campaigning in a tropical country, under the hottest sun, a black coat was cooler than a white one. He tried both—garments of the same cloth, texture, quality and weight, differing only in colour—and found that the black was infinitely to be preferred. Moreover his negro servant, in his black coloured skin, did not suffer so much as Mayne Reid himself, "under my tripe coloured spidenis".

If black be cooler in summer, it follows that white will be warmer in winter. So Mayne Reid argued, and like the excellent naturalist he was he did not put up a theory unless it were largely substantiated by facts. He noticed that bears in tropical countries are coal-black; in temperate climes they are brown while in the Arctic Circle they are white.

HARES AND FOXES.

"Why," he asked "do polar hares and foxes that are slate blue in Summer turn white in winter ?" He scouted the idea that the hare turned white for the purposes of defence, being in less danger of being sighted in the snow by a pedatory animal.

Mayne Reid knew nothing of ultra violet rays and their effect on the human body, and perhaps less of the psychological value of color.

Take a man out of a suit of black and put him into grey, or white, or the Tyrian bloom so dear to the heart of Oliver Goldsmith, and a marvellous transformation takes place. The light rays may be reflected but the heat rays pass through. He feels the better for the full amount of solar rays that penetrate to the skin. He feels the brighter for the additional warmth. His outlook on the world becomes less sombre and more cheerful.

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At an Auction sale not long since I was amused at the various empty arguments put up in favor of said division and to foil the whole matter down as far as I could see, said division is the result of the farce free of a few who are annoyed that the meeting place of our council has been changed from St. Philippe to Brownsburg which is the most central point that a place of meeting could be obtained without erecting one for the purpose this was the best reason that I heard offered for division and said reason was backed up by a threat to resort to kicking those in opposition to division to add strength to the former Argument for all other reasons that were brought in favor of division when mentioned vanished into thin vapor and expired at their birth for (they were born to blush unseen and waste their sweetness on the desert air) which as for calling a public meeting to talk the matter over in a friendly way pro and con they would not hear of such a measure at all being considered. You all know that I have in different wordings oft repeated Lincolns slogan (The government of the people by the people for the people, by the people) for we are a democracy and a democratic people and in that (it is a privilege given to masses that of being self governing asses) but how can we be self governing when we never meet together to talk over the governing of our County in a friendly or indeed any other manner and in consequence we are not united and we leave ourselves to be governed by a few autocrats for so lolng that we might almost call our government that of a despotic government for when any one attempts to avail themselves of thin liberties and call a public meeting the handcuffs and kicking are proposed to prevent such liberties not with standing I am gentlemen all for a public meeting at all times regardless of the threatened handcuffs or kicking to oppose it.

C. F. KAINS.

CUSHING WEST

Capt. and Mrs. T. Weir and daughters visited friends in Hawkesbury last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie accompanied by Miss P. Dawson of Stonefield Heights, motored to Lacolle and spent the week-end with friends.

Mr. Joseph Robert, of St. Philippe, accompanied by his son-in-law Mr. James Derwin & Mr. W. H. Robert of Monalea, motored to Calumet Inland, and spent the week-end with friends at Campbell's Bay and Fort Coulonge.

Mr. and Miss Whelehan had the pleasure on Sunday of a visit from their aunt Mrs. F. Haddlesey, of Montreal, who, hale and hearty at 91 motored up from the city accompanied by her daughters the Misses Haddlesey and her niece and her nephew Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bryant. Other Sunday guests guests at Mr. Whelehan's included Mr. and Mrs. D. Hartley, Mr. Eddie and Miss G. Whelehan and Mr. Charles Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell of Cambria, accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. S. Dawson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawson, of Stonefield Heights, last Sunday.

Already the effect of the opening of the Interprovincial bridge is felt here in the greatly increased amount of traffic on the Front Road, a large percentage of the cars bearing Ontario licenses and doubtless the same conditions are to be observed on the opposite side of the river. In fact there would seem to be quite a flow of "good spirits" between the two provinces.

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Dear Neighbor Was Big Help

BY JANE OSBORN

"IF I HAD a suitor like Harry Tate, I can tell you I wouldn't keep him waiting for an answer," Paula Gage announced, sitting there in Mary's little sitting room drinking tea from one of Mary's yellow glazed cups. "Why, the Tates have all sorts of money and Harry knows everybody."

Mary smiled a little sadly, shrugged her graceful little shoulders, and said nothing. She wanted Paula to understand that she had her reasons for not encouraging Harry, yet she did not want to come out boldly and tell her that Harry had a rival. All the time she could feel the sharp corner of the last note she had received. She had folded it compactly and stuck it up her long tight sleeve when she heard Paula coming. She wanted Paula to know, yet there was so little to tell.

"Maybe there's some one else," Paula said obligingly. "That would make a difference."

"It's all so indefinite and—and romantic," Mary said, laying her right hand on her left arm where the letter reposed. "You see I haven't even seen him. He lives in the next apartment, and, of course, he hasn't any money. He works on a paper and does writing at home. I hear his typewriter. And he must have talent because he writes the most wonderful letters."

Paula expressed her surprise that Mary received letters from this man and she had never even seen and Mary gladly explained. Once when Mary had gone away for the week-end, her neighbor had borrowed her Sunday paper which had been left out at her door. She found it the next day all nicely folded with a note addressed "Dear Neighbor," and signed "Neighbor." Then once when he went away for the week-end she had taken the milk that was left in front of his door, and she had written to thank him for it, and now they wrote back and forth almost every day. She even made fudge and left it for him at his door, and he had left her some cakes and once some wild flowers.

"Well, that is romantic," said Paula. "So he sent you some wild flowers and a few cakes, while Harry sends you American beauty roses and five-pound boxes of candy! Well, you can take your choice. Personally I know what I'd do."

"Harry never sent me roses but once, and the candy was for Christmas. Besides, I'm not so mercenary as you are, and what's more Dear Neighbor hasn't said he was in love with me. When he knows me it may never occur to him to want to marry me. Only, of course, I can't encourage Harry when I'm writing every day to another man—not long letters or anything but enough to call a correspondence."

Paula left soon after, assuring Mary that she certainly was lucky to have two men fighting for her hand.

Before Mary had cleared away the yellow-glazed tea things that Sunday afternoon Harry arrived. He was tall, well built and certainly well dressed. Mary felt for a moment that it would not have been difficult at all to engage herself to him. Everything was different now, however, she reminded herself, pressing the little note in her sleeve. Harry noticed the sigh and looked annoyed. He felt her preoccupation. She invited him to take one of the most comfortable chairs and then poured tea for him and passed cakes but there was little joy in the ceremony. He asked her whether she would go out to supper with him.

"How about it, Mary?" he asked.

Mary sighed a little wanly. "I am sorry, Harry," she said with her becoming shrug. Harry flushed and his gray eyes grew dark with rage.

"If there's some one else," he said, sullenly, "you might introduce him to me. I can put up a pretty good fight."

"You have no right to talk that way," said Mary. "You know you haven't. You—" But she did not finish for it was then that a rather fateful knock came at the door that gave Mary an opportunity to rush into the little hall.

She opened the door and a tall, rather plain young woman of thirty, stepped in. She held out a large, well-groomed hand. "I'm so glad to meet you, Little Neighbor," she said. "We hardly need an introduction. I wanted to have dinner with you so I thought I'd come in and fix it up with you."

"So—so you're Dear Neighbor," said Mary valiantly.

"I'm not quite what you expected to see?" she asked.

"Just exactly," said Mary with a little trilly laugh.

After much discussing of plans it was agreed that Mary and Harry should take their walk, while Dear Neighbor went back to her little apartment and made a salad and a batch of muffins, and then they should all have supper together in her wee apartment.

"If there's some one else," Harry said when they had reached the seclusion of the park. "I want to meet him."

"Why, Harry," said Mary, "why, Harry, there isn't anyone. If there was, would you care?"

"Don't ask me," said Harry. "Don't you see how I feel."

"If you mean that you want to be engaged to me, I don't think you are saying it very nicely."

"Do I have to say it, Mary?" he asked, putting his arms around her in the darkness.

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The tremendous revulsion of sentiment manifested in the British election returns is one of which we may all feel truly grateful for its result will have the effect of lending world confidence in the resolve to sink party difficulties in a nation crisis.

One of two things was bound to happen; either the complete ascendency of socialism with its inevitable accompaniment of economic chaos, or the eleventh-hour manifestations such as Tuesday's elections produced.

Britain's verdict is that of a democracy well-intentioned and well-instructed. No election campaign was ever conducted in a more enlightened manner or followed with greater intelligence and feeilng, and as an outcome the nation has shown its loyalty and its strength. Clearly, the country's well-being still comes first with the people. Tuesday's reflective judgment is a condemnation of the futility of the fiscal programme of the Socialist-Labor party and the folly of the Socialist doctrine that everything should be publicly owned or controlled. It is a significant repudiation, too, of Mr. Henderson and his associates, who, deserting their chief & their duty, ran away from a policy which was manifestly essential in the country's best interests. They subordinated national welfare to party unity. That party has now broken itself against the rock of national sentiment. The result of the general election, then, is a complete answer to those who, if they had won, would have undermined the social system and financial structure of Great Britain. And the answer demonstrates to the whole world, as Premier MacDonald has expressed it, "the determination "of the British people to stand by each other in times of national difficulty."

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's individual victory at Seaham Harbor is singularly gratifying. Abandoned in a national emergency by his colleagues—except for Messrs. Snowden & Thomas —in the Labor Cabinet and cast out of the party by a misguided membership, the Prime Minister has signally triumphed over them all. He displayed characteristic courage when he resolved to contest his old constituency in the north of England, where there was an element of very real bitterness in the opposition; but the rank and file of the electorate have unmistakably proved the wisdom of the Premier's decision, and in a manner that will enhance his prestige. Their majority is a tribute to his personality and his statemanship. Common sense and sane judgment are alike revealed in the re-election to Parliament of Mr. J. H. Thomas as one of the members for the late Sir William Harcourt's old constituency at Derby.

The cause of the popular and emphatic reaction to the National Government, which has left the Socialist-Labor party crushed and leaderless and the old Liberal party, as represented by Mr. Lloyd George, with a mere corporal's guard, is sufficiently plain and convincing. Of immediate interest now is, what will be the effect ? In possession of a national mandate, and supported by majorities both of members in Parliament and of votes in the constituencies, the Prime Minister has all the power and authority that he can desire to pursue the policy that he has designed for the Government. This will be to re-establish national life, as he says, upon the basis of a currency that is stable and a credit system that is unassailable and panic-proof, to find work for the unemployed and to maintain a proper standard of living. He has a free hand to adopt the means that he may think best to attain these ends; and in the character and ponderance of the vote that was recorded throughout the country on Tuesday there is evidence that the people of Great Britain generally are willing that if the work of economic rehabilitation will be facilitated & assured by proper tariffs, then the Government shall adopt such means to yield certain revenue and provide safeguards for the country's industries against undue invasion as and when the Government is satisfied they will be legitimately effective.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

The Women's Guild met in the Church Hall on Thursday last.

Mrs.Shepherd, of Montreal, is visiting Miss Johanna Barclay at Carillon Hill.

Mr. G. Lamb, of Goderich, Ont., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pitcairn.

Owing to the illness of Mrs. Wm. Robertson, her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Barclay has taken her to Montreal for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. A. Cowen and their sons and daughter are moving this week to an apartment in Montreal.

On Wednesday, a large number of citizens attended the opening of the new Perley Bridge between Grenville and Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dewar and their sons, John and Blair, motored from Ottawa and were recent guests of his aunt Mrs. Charman.

The Girls of the C. G. I. T. attended the Conference in the United Church at Lachute on Saturday evening last and had a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. Dr. Kerr gave a very interesting travalogue in the Presbyterian Church Hall on Monday evening the subject being "A trip on the Continent."

Friday evening, Professor McCullough, of McGill, gave a very interesting lecture in the United Church on "Mediterranean Civilization in the early days of Christianity.

The Reading Circle met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Pitcairn, when all members contributed very interesting items in regard to Old French Canada.

Bishop Farthing of Montreal had a confirmation service in the Anglican Church on Wednesday evening and later a reception was given in the Rectory in honour of the Bishop.

BROWNSBURG.

Miss Alma Fletcher, R. N., of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Mitchell were in Cushing last week visiting with friends.

CUSHING

Rev. J. W. McLean is spending part of this week at Kirk Hill, Ont.

Mrs. T. Boyle visited friends in Montreal, over the week-end.

Mrs. J. Cleland and family have closed their cottage and gone back to the city for the winter.

Mrs. A. Graham is spending this week with friends in Aylmer East and Ottawa.

Mrs. F. Douglas and daughter Mildred were guests last week of Mr. B. Noyes.

Miss M. Stephen, Mrs Mumford and Miss Meekle of Ottawa, were guests of Mrs. A. Graham for a short time en route to St. Andrews East for the week-end.

Dr. Cushing of Montreal, spent Sunday at his residence here.

Mrs. B. Mitchell, of Brownsburg, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Gaston last week.

Mr. A. Graham is spending this week at Weirstead, Que.

Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Weir and family of St. Anne de Bellevue spent the week-end at their cottage.

Harness Repairs

Bring your harness to be repaired at the Lachute Shoe Hospital. Work Guaranteed. Reasonable prices.

Wilfrid Deslauriers

Next to Argenteuil Motor Sales, Main St., Lachute.

It was moved by Alderman W. A. Morrison, seconded by Ald. J. B. Raymond that the Council pay the sum of $50. for the claim of Solomon Dallaire, on account of accident by which he suffered injuries when he fell into a hole on Princess Avenue on the 2nd of September.

Moved by Ald. Lavigne, seconded by Ald. Rodrigue, that in answer to their letter of today a letter be sent to Ayers Limited expressing the regret of this Council in regard to the rumor circulating in town to the effect that they use an enormous quantity of the Town's water supply, that; they be assured that they can use any amount they wish and that the Council does not consider putting on a sealed padlock on the valve.

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In order to combat ugly rumors that have been circulated regarding Ayers Limited and their stand on the water works situation, ex-Mayor C. Tremblay has found it necessary to send the following communication, which was read at the special meeting of the Town Council on Tuesday last. The letter is self-explanatory and will doubtless put a quietus upon those who have been circulating these rumors. We are pleased to note that the Council took immediate action as soon as it was brought to their attention and while they regretted the rumors they passed a resolution in which the water privilege has been fully granted.

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Lachute Mills, P.Q.
October 27th, 1931.

Peter Dobbie, Esq., Mayor,
Lachute, P. Q.

Dear Mr. Dobbie,—

It has been reported to us that some Lachute citizens, whose suspicious state of mind seems to be eternal, circulate the information, for motives best known to themselves, that we are regularly using an enormous quantity of water from the Town's Water Works. As previously mentioned some time ago, we are pumping all of the water for manufacturing purposes from the North River and use only a very small amount of the Lachute Town's water for drinking and toilet purposes, also for two boilers.

Those who make the assertion that we favor the Lake Sir John site for new intake because we wish to use a large amount of water from there for the manufacture of our goods are uttering a falsehood for their own selfish ends. This is a warning that we will not tolerate such nonsense any longer and will prosecute whoever is responsible for statements of this kind in future.

We felt that we should inform you fully on the real situation in the matter and, with regard to a pipe and valve in our wool scouring plant connected with the water works but which have not been in use for over a year, we would ask you to send one of your men to attach a padlock to the said valve and seal it and, should we need to use some of the water in a case of emergency, we will apply to the Council for the privilege and, if not granted, we will close our Scouring Plant until such time as our pumping machinery has been repaired which we sincerely hope will never happen.

If you feel that you should cut off supply to our two Boilers, although amount used for same is not considerable, we will make the necessary arrangements accordingly. In regard to drinking water and amount required for toilet purposes, as we are the largest payers of water taxes to your town for all our dwelling houses we should be entitled to that privilege at least.

Thanking you for your kind attention, we remain,

Yours very truly,
AYERS LIMITED.
C. Tremblay, Sec.-Treas.

Estimate of Water Works

Bethany Street—8" dia. 1100 feet	4,090.00
Robert Street—8" dia. 400 feet	1,255.00
Hamford Road—8" dia. 1840 feet	5,920.00
	$11,265.00
All pipes : 8" cast iron, Class "C" (130 lbs. pressure)	
Grace Street—8" dia. 2300 feet from Bethany to Mary	7,130.00
Grace Street—12" dia. 2300 feet from Bethany to Mary	8,660.00
	$15,790.00

SEWERS

From River at Ayers to corner of Hammond & Hamford St. 1275 ft. length of 18" from 4 to 10 ft. deep	$3,200.00
Main Street from Boulevard Bedard to Deacon's corner, 790 feet of 24" from 6 to 12 feet deep	8,000.00
From Deacon's corner to McArthur's corner 680 feet of 24" from 7 to 9 feet deep	7,000.00
From McArthur's corner to Auditorium corner 720 feet of 20" from 9 to 14 feet deep, Ry. crossing	6,000.00
From Auditorium corner to Bellingham Street, 1075 feet of 20" from 9 to 11 feet deep	11,000.00
From Bellingham to Water Street, 360 feet of 18" from 7 to 10 feet deep	1,800.00
From Water Street to Bethany Road, 670 feet of 15" from 9 to 12 feet deep.	5,500.00
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Faces Charge of Manslaughter

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Members of a jury under Dr. Ludger Labelle, of St. Jerome, coroner of the Terrebonne district on Saturday last, held John Kennedy, 21 years of age, of Brownsburg, Que., criminally responsible for the death of Miss Lucille Filiatrault, 15 years of age, who lived near here. The girl lost her life when she was struck by Kennedy's automobile near her home shortly before midnight, on Friday. The fatility occurred on a roadway called Grande Cote, situated two miles from Ste. Eustache. The mother of the dead girl and a young woman teacher at the Grande Cote School, were also seriously injured.

Mrs. Achille Filiatrault, the mother, suffered a broken leg & a severely bruised body. Miss Flore Villeneuve, nineteen-year old school-teacher, sustained fractures to both legs and both arms, a broken shoulder bone and other injuries. Both were rushed to the Hotel Dieu Hospital where the latter passed away shortly afterwards.

The accident occurred at a curve near a small bridge known as the Moulin de la Dalle. The fifteen-year-old girl was found suffering from a fractured skull and broken spine near a creek below the bridge, approximately sixty feet from the scene of the accident. She expired in the home of a neighbor less than two hours after the accident.

Achille Filiatrault, father of the dead girl, testified, at the inquest, that he had retired to his room at nine o'clock on Friday night, his wife and daughter having gone to visit a neighbor. He was awakened by his brother Alderic, who told him of the accident. He went to the scene immediately.

When he arrived at the bridge he saw his wife lying on the roadway unable to move, and was informed that his daughter had been removed in a dying condition to the home of his neighbor and that the school teacher who had accompanied his wife and daughter, had suffered fractures in all her limbs.

Halted by Puncture.

The inquest further revealed that Kennedy, the driver of the vehicle, was accompanied by Arthur Carriere, also of Brownsburg. Both had been on an outing, first to Lachute and then to St. Eustache. At the latter village, Constable Armand Charbonneau remarked to Kennedy that his automobile had a flat tire. The constable called a nearby garage and a man was despatched to repair the tire. When the garage man arrived on the scene, however, both occupants of the motor car were missing and the automobile was towed to a garage, owned by Joseph Richer, of St. Eustache.

Twenty minutes later both Kennedy and Carriere went to the garage and took possession of the automobile. When they left, Richer remarked that Kennedy and his companion should not continue driving.

Mrs. Filiatrault, her daughter and the school teacher, were returning home after a quiet evening. They were walking along the roadway when all three were struck by the motor car and hurled a considerable distance. The vehicle was demolished and remained on the highway until it was towed to a nearby garage.

John Kennedy, 21 years of age, the driver of the motor car suffered minor head injuries in the accident. He was treated on the scene and yesterday morning, following the verdict of the jury, he was placed in custody and removed to the St. Jerome jail, pending his arraignment on a charge of manslaughter.

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CORRESPONDENCE

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October 22nd., 1931.

Mrs. Squire,
Lachute Mills,
Dear Mrs. Squire :—

The flowers and plants arrived in excellent condition and were received with delight by the agencies to which they were distributed. The recipients were carefully selected and I am sure will give every care to the plants during the coming winter.

Will you please accept the thanks of the Committee and express our appreciation to the ladies who were instrumental in satisfying the desire for growing plant life in flower lovers in the less favored sections of our city and to Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon for delivering same to the station. There were five boxes of potted plants and two boxes of cut flowers.

Yours truly,
Hazeldine S. Bishop,
Secretary Flower Committee.

Mr. J. W. Cyr, President of Sheriffs for the Province.

The Association of Sheriffs for the Province held their Annual Reunion at Quebec, on October 16th., when the following officers were elected.

President : Mr. J. W. Cyr, Sheriff of Terrebonne.

Vice-President : Mr. George Desroches, Sheriff of Joliette.

Secretary-Treasurer : Mr. J. L. Cormier.

Directors : Messrs. C. B. Jameson, of Sweetsburg; J. C. Lislois, of Montmagny, and J. D. Crepin of Valleyfield, Que.

The report of the Officers in charge was read and approved and a vote of thanks was offered to them. They were all elected by acclamation.

Being present for a third term, Mr. J. W. Cyr, Sheriff, expresses his sincere thanks to his fellow members for their confidence in him.

AUCTION SALE

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There will be sold by Public Auction at the residence of

ALBERT CONLEY,

Rouge Road, Range 8, Township of Grenville,

Saturday, Oct. 31st., 1931

Four milch cows, black mare 10 years old, black horse 12 yrs old, bull calf, heifer calves, pig, set heavy double work harness, set buggy harness, light cutter, buggy, bob sleigh, 3 beamed sleigh, set log sleighs, light express, lumber waggon, walking plow, (new), gang plow, road scraper, set fanners, horse rake disc harrows, spring tooth harrows, steel land roller, broadcast seeder, McCormick binder, shovels, forks, cow chains, logging chains, mowing machine, De-Laval cream separator, cream cans, pails, hens and turkeys, kitchen cabinet, express range (new), sideboard, sofa, dining room cabinet, Edison phonograph, Willis piano, beds, springs, clocks, chairs, oilcloth, sewing machine, parlor set, two bedroom sets, and many other articles unmentioned.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock

TERMS : $10.00 and under cash, over that amount 8 months credit by furnishing approved notes.

Albert Conley, Proprietor,
W. J. Boyd, Licensed Auctioneer

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Many people may be going past your store every day to buy something you could sell them at a lower price than they are paying—and why ? The other fellow invited them to buy—that's all. You didn't.

Try the Watchman Advertising and see what good results it will have for your business.

The Watchman

Theatre "REX" Lachute, Que.

Program of 30th. October to 7th. of November, 1931.

30 — 31 Ramon Novarro in SON OF INDIA
Com : Rough Seas Sound Pathe News

1 — 2 ANOTHER UNUSUAL BIG DOUBLE PROGRAM
1st. Feature : Ken Maynard in a Western RANGER LAW

2nd. Feature : Sally O'Neill in a romping roguish romance.
THE BRAT
Soiree 7-9 and 9-11 Comedy : That's my Beat
Sunday Matinee 3.30 Admission 40 cents.

3 — 4 — 5 SENSATIONAL DOUBLE PROGRAMME
C. Murray and George Sidney in CAUGHT CHEATING
The Best Bargain of the Season. The Laugh Picture of the year
Montague Love, Kenneth Thompson and Ruth Roland in
HUMILIATION
Its a great Dramatic Story of Sensation.

6 — 7 Kay Johnson and Bert Lytell in THE SINGLE SIN
Modern Morals in a drama of Regeneration.
Com : Bigger and Better Pathe News

Autumn Schedules

The Provincial Transport Company announces its autumn schedules. Time-tables may be obtained from any terminal or will be mailed gladly upon request.

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Lv. Montreal (Phillips Sq.) 8.15 p.m. Sunday Only.
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USE full strength Gillett's Lye to keep all your drains clean and free-running.

A small quantity poured down your sinks and toilet bowl, each week, will rid them of all dirt accumulations and save you costly repair bills.

For all household cleaning, one tablespoonful of Gillett's Lye dissolved in a gallon of cold* water provides a safe solution for washing floors, tiling, refrigerators, etc.

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The new FREE Gillett's Lye booklet describes many other ways this handy product can help you with all your cleaning. Send for it.

■ Full strength for Sink Drains ■ Full strength for the toilet bowl ■ In solution for all general cleaning

GILLETT'S Lye "Eats Dirt"

Special Bargains

Big Sale for the Fall at Assaly Bargain Store. Our winter goods will be sold at the lowest prices.

250 Men's Winter Coats, assorted colors; reg. $25.00 for $15.95
Boys' Coats, sizes 28 to 35, assorted colors; reg. $12. for $7.98
Children's Heavy Coats, sizes 4 to 10 years; reg. $8.50 for $4.39
150 Ladies' Coats in Broadcloth, latest styles, assorted colors; $25.00 for $14.95
Another quality, special for $12.75
500 Ladies' Dresses, the latest style, reg. $10.50 for $4.98
Another quality in good crepe; reg. $8.75 for $3.98
Girl's Coats, sizes 6 to 14; special at $5.95

Our Winter Goods will be sold at the lowest prices.

Assaly's Store

Next to the REX Theatre, Main Street, Lachute

Car Drivers Make Plea for Saint's Protection

The holy Saint Francisca is the patroness of motorists. She was, in the Middle ages, a charitable woman who mitigated many misfortunes. On the Roman forum stands her little church, appearing almost fragile, yet most beautiful, amid the mighty arches and ruins of ancient Rome. Upon her feast day, in March, there come every year hundreds and still more hundreds of automobiles to the square before this little church.

All sorts of cars are there, belonging not only to the wealthy, but to the poor as well. Ambassadors and other government officials are represented. Instead of chauffeurs sitting at the wheel in solemn state, these functionaries and many lovely young ladies, too, drive their own cars to the consecrated spot, where at the altar of Saint Francisca their vehicles may be protected against disaster and misfortune for another year.

Successive services are held in which the guardianship of the saint is invoked, and all the cars driven to the precincts of her altar are blessed and dedicated to her, that she may intercede for their owners and drivers, and guard them from peril and accident during the year to come, and very appropriately at the season of the year when motor traveling is most prevalent. Certainly these ceremonies have a deep and solemn significance, occurring as they do in the very center of what was anciently a pagan Rome!—Berliner Tageblatt.

Life's Prime, the Years Between Youth and Age

At what age is the average man or woman in his or her prime of life? is often asked, and what is the average length of life?

The prime of life, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer, is the period of full vigor and power, that which succeeds youth and precedes age.

The average length of life in the United States, according to estimates made by the United States public health service, is fifty-six years. Statistics indicating the expectation of life place Australia at the head of the list with an average length of sixty-one years. New Zealand comes second, with an average expectation of sixty years. The average expectation of life at birth in various countries, according to the United States bureau of the census, is as follows: Denmark, Norway and Sweden, fifty-seven years; England, fifty-three years; Holland, fifty-two; Switzerland, fifty-one; France, fifty; Germany, forty-six; Japan, forty-four and India, twenty-three. Statistics also show that females have a greater expectation of life at birth than males.

England's Earthquake Year

About one hundred and seventy years ago England experienced the first of a series of severe earthquakes, which created great alarm. The first shock was very distinct, the second still more severe, and a crazy soldier scared many folk almost out of their wits by predicting that the third, which he timed for April 6, would totally destroy London. On April 5, tens of thousands of all ranks quitted the metropolis, and many who remained were afraid to go to bed, but spent the night in the streets. The prophecy proved false, of course, but further shocks were felt in various parts of the country in the spring and summer of that year, and some held the prophet justified—with some error of date and locality—by the awful earthquake which shortly after destroyed Lisbon.

Should Appeal to Tourists

The Baltic republics of Lithuania, Latvia, Esthonia and Finland, formed from territories of the old Russian empire as a result of the World war, offer the tourist a region of great interest and beauty for exploration. Scenes of natural splendor abound along the winding coastlines and amid the dense northern forests of all these countries and about the vast and innumerable lakes of Finland. What is not generally known is that each of these peoples boasts of long centuries of independent civilizations and that in many of the cities relics of unspoiled and charming medieval beauty remain.

Coffee Production

The regions best adapted to the production of coffee are those between the parallels 15 degrees north and 15 degrees south latitude and from 1,000 to 4,000 feet above sea level. It is cultivated from latitude 25 degrees north to 30 degrees south in places where the temperature does not fall below 55 degrees Fahrenheit. Moist and somewhat shady slopes are found most desirable. Little streams of water are conducted to the roots of trees which are kept very wet until the fruit is nearly ripe, then the water is turned off to keep the fruit from becoming too succulent.

Area Taken From Mexico

The treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, February 2, 1848, conveyed to the United States the territory which has since become the states of California, Nevada and Utah, part of Colorado, and the largest parts of New Mexico and Arizona. Previous to that time, this territory belonged to Mexico. Five years later, the United States purchased from Mexico about 45,000 square miles of southern Arizona for $10,000,000. Since this treaty, Mexico has remained approximately the same size as it is at present.

W.T.C.U. Convention at Sutton, Que.

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The little village of Sutton, Que., was a blaze of glorious autumn sunshine when the delegates from the different Provincial Women's Christian Temperance Unions alighted from the train, and the greetings of the ladies of Sutton who met the delegation was just as warming as the sunshine itself.

One elderly lady—very elderly, said on being spoken to by one of our members "I have lived here in Sutton all my life and have also been a W.C.T.U. member, as long as I can mind; which goes to prove that through her life experiences she still holds fast to that which was good.

Sutton is a little town, part of it set upon a hill, and part of it cosily nestled in a valley with a background of mountains, which at the time of our visit appeared in the distance as a wonderous flower garden so vivid and varied was the coloring of the leaves.

Our first thought was of that verse "Unto the hills around will I lift up my longing eyes," but there was not much time given us for private thinking for willing hands were grasping our baggage so eager were they to do something to show their pleasure at our coming. One alert lady was seen hustling towards the church with four suit cases before the owners who were strolling comfortably along behind realized that she was doing a lion's share and hurried to catch up with her and demand that they be allowed to share the burden.

The services were held in the Baptist Church in the day time and the United Church in the evenings with the Anglican (Grace) Church furnishing the parish hall, beside their church, wherein the multitudes were fed. Unity and hospitality was the keynote of the situation.

The three ministers in charge, Rev. Maitland Jones, of the Baptist Church just a few short years over from New Zealand. The Rev. M. Mallalieu and wife (Newfoundland) of the United Church and last but not in any means least our old friends once of Lachute Anglican Church; the Rev. Canon Charters and his wife attending whenever possible, helping by their talks, prayers, hearty welcome, and their services as chauffeurs when cars were needed to convey the delegates to and from their billets.

So great was the hospitality of the people of Sutton that one delicate lady took seven delegates into her home and treated them as though they were really "the salt of the earth."

After the Executive business meeting at 1 o'clock was ended, the convention itself was opened and consecrated in words by Mrs. A. Graham but it had already been consecrated, in our opinion by the placing of the banners of the different unions on the walls of the church.

Banners were noticed from the Montreal Northern Union, Lawrence and Western; several from Quebec—one of them had this notice on it "A league of all who love, in the service of all who suffer." Other banners were from Shefford, Sutton, Brome Franklin Centre, Sutton Junction, Ormstown, Scotstown, Dewittville and Huntingdon.

After the consecration service, the President, Mrs. Henry Wilson, of Athelstan, called the convention to order. The minutes of previous Executive and Interim meetings were read by our recording secretary, Mrs. R. I. Dean, of Lennoxville.

The address of welcome on behalf of Sutton was given by Mrs. Thos. Hawly who said that it was twenty four years since there had been a W. C. T. U. Convention in Sutton before, she found it easy to remember as she had named her tiny baby daughter Francis Willard in honour of the occasion.

Mrs. Jas. Mabon, of Montreal, who is a Vice-President and also a former Lachute resident replied to Mrs. Hawley's welcome with a few well chosen words.

Mrs. Graham read a poem written by her grandfather, Mr. Wm. Walker, ninety nine years ago. It was an address to the Temperance Society of Lachute; a voice as it were from the temperance cause. One verse reads :

"I do beseech you to beware
And shun the stupifying cup
To old and young it is a snare
And wise men soon will give it up
Oh shun the circulating toast
That snips man lower than the brute;
That we may yet have cause to boast
Of sober men about Lachute.

Sober men we have about Lachute we have no doubt, but we have a great many of the other kind too, and the little Temperance Society formed so many years ago and sponsored by such names mentioned in the poem as "Hutchins" "McOuat" and the "Major" has long sunk into oblivion, all because the people of Lachute like a great many other places have forgotten that "They are their brother's keepers". And like the case of the Priest and the Levite of the tale of the Good Samaritan, pass by on the other side leaving our pretty town a prey to liquor stores and saloons.

Mrs. John Scott, the Quebec Editor of the Tidings of our W. C. T. U. paper is a humorous W.C.T.U. worker told us the story of one of the first W.C.T.U. workers, an old lady of 72 years of age who drove around the country not in a "Princely Ford," but in a buckboard over rough corduroy roads establishing Women's Christian Temperance Unions all over.

Mrs. Scott wondered why we had not made more progress deciding eventually that it was because we did not use the powerful weapon of "Prayer" enough ending up by saying "let us spend more time in prayer."

Mrs. Scott evidently believes in action as well as prayer as by a personal house to house canvass she secured signatures enough that she forced the council to look into the fact that a saloon was being built right by the Navy League Building and under the nose as it were of the Salvation Army Barracks.

The Saloon-keeper evidently intended to use all his wiles to entice the sailors and other poor creatures that the Salvation Army were trying to help and make new men of back into the mire of intemperance, but Mrs. Scott came to the rescue and saw that the law of Quebec allowed nothing of that sort within so many feet of a place of worship.

A discussion of advancement in the doing away with liquor signs was indulged in and much satisfaction was felt in the fact that Premier Bennett is with us on this subject, also that the first lady in the land is also on our side.

A resolution was passed to send her ladyship and Lord Bessborough our congratulations on the birth of their little Canadian son, also to thank them for the example of Christian living and sobriety they were setting before the Canadian Public.

The President's address left nothing to be desired in striking the key-note of Chrisitian Fellowship and desire to serve us in any way possible. This was followed by a very full report from Mrs. L. M. Colcomb of Montreal, also the Annual statement by Mrs. Lyons, Treasurer of the W.C.T.U. Provincial Branch.

Mrs. Colcomb in telling of some of the little things "that jar and fret" a Provincial Secretary said she had received a letter from one Union rather tartly demanding that she please have the names of members belonging to their Union properly printed in the report and neglected to send the list of names, "Such are the sins of omission."!

Mrs. Scott having been given a motion to carry to the meeting made out by some one else and of which she did not approve laughingly alluded to as not being her own child, but rather one that had been left on her doorstep. It concerned the matter of election of officers. Some were advocating election by voting from a slate of names already prepared by a nominating committee. Mrs. Scott thought the old way of electing by ballot was the best, but it took time and time meant money not only to a Scotchwoman, but to us all, but if it was the best way we ought to be glad to take the time, instead of trying to boil our convention down to rags as it were.

Mrs. Jones (Sherbrooke) thought every woman whose name was put on the slate for election ought to be asked first if they would accept nomination.

Mrs. John Scott's reply was that when the first lady approached said "No" it would be just like a microbe, the No's would go through them all. It was finally decided that for the present each Union should do as they liked about it, as the resolution was that what the World's Union did was not to be used as a copy for local unions.

The President in her address said "I feel sure that the Women's Christian Temperance Union will live as long as there is need of consecrated protection for our homes, also that it stood for total abstinence for the individual and prohibition for the nation.

In mentioning the loss by death to the Union of Mrs. Gordon Wright and Mrs. McKinney, our President "God removes the workers, yet carries on the work." Another important part of her report was that scientist and eminent doctors have proven that alcohol does not help in illness, rather the reserve.

One hundred years ago a woman delegate was looked upon as something contrary to the word of God; men she said did not lose their citizenship by marriage. Why then should women :

Said the present system of liquor sale was not satisfactory that no matter how much we wanted to be efficient we could not be efficient so long as we had the liquor traffic; ending her talk by saying "The call comes to each and everyone of us to carry on, carry on.

Mrs. Enright brought up the matter of the Home in Montreal that the W.C.T.U. were striving to collect money enough to build. Spoke of the need of such a place and begged the help of our Unions in the work said some one trying to wet blanket the work of the W.C.T.U. had said "what's the use of you people working ? they have the distilleries, the money and the breweries on their side and don't you forget it."

The reply came back quickly "We have the Churches, the women and God on our side and don't you forget it. That is true but we need more support from our churches and our women.

To be continued next week.

BROWNSBURG.

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A very delightful program and one of a particularly high standard was presented by the Choir of the United Church before a capacity house on the evening of Thursday, October 22nd., and one which has been remarked upon as among the very finest entertainments ever given in Brownsburg. Great credit is due Mr. Taylor, choir master, & conductor, for the very fine quality of the selections and their uniformily excellent rendition and while the choir itself appeared in full chorus in but three pieces, there were of such bright melody and were given in such good spirit and tempo that, without any invidious comparisons of past efforts, there was in every feature a decided improvement both in harmony and interpretation, and proved quite a revelation of the possibilities, in range and harmony, of voices of a village choir in united effort and under strict and careful training. They were also generous with their enchors, which gave opportunity for a variety of selections in different tones and types of interpretation.

While all the selections were very well chosen and quite within the range of their voices, and all greatly enjoyed, in one or two of the selections there were really fine heights of power and beauty of interpretation reached by the singers, and on these Mr. Taylor and the Choir are to be truly congratulated. "Hail smiling Morn," a madrigal of mediaeval character and setting, was probably never better rendered by other than thoroughly trained voices, and judging from the applause that greeted it, this type of old melody still finds an echo when given with a sense of sympathy and true feeling. "Sound His Praises," the opening number, and "Coronation," the closing, both different in form and compass, were also enthusiastically received by the large audience. There were also a variety of individual selections in a program of unusual length and excellence, a young ladies' quartette "Moonlight" on all the parts excellently well taken and supported and a men's quartette, not as a comparison, but quite different in tone and method, "Come where my love lies sleeping", given with a very fine appreciation of the beauty of the words and a true, discriminating sense of harmonic values. Miss Edna Reid, organist, accompanied all the choir numbers in a manner both sensitive and supporting, and quite characteristic.

The piano duet by Mrs. Cumbers and Mrs. Martin, early in the program, was a truly splendid number with an enchore, "The Beetle's Dance", given with excellent clearness, both selections being very swift in movement and showing well the precision and firm and rapid touch of these talented musicians. A Saxaphone solo by Mr. Alex. Clarke, was a setting of real beauty and given with all the fine sense of values and interpretation of this excellent player. The encore "Serenade" and "Song of India", with "Serenade" by Toscelli were beautifully given. He was accompanied by Miss Laura Lupien who, both as accompanist and piano soloist was a decided acquisition, her playing having all the merit of an art at once refined, warm and imaginative. The vocal solos by Mr. T. Pasco and Mrs. King were given with fine sympathy and a warmth of feeling, while the mouth organ band, a group of seven young men of the various churches, delighted the crowd with a medley of old songs and dances. Nor can one forget the splendid handling of this musical need by Master Forget, a laddie of seven summers, looking quite the part of a young musician, and bringing down the house with a technique of playing truly remarkable in so young a virtuose. Time after time he was called back in encore, and time after time he responded in stirring marches and old and modern tunes, keeping time meanwhilel with his feet, & creating volumes of appreciative applause from his hosts of admirers. There were literary numbers of a humorous variety all, and eminently well chosen, given with spirit and effectiveness, by Wallace Wilson and Mr. Cedric Wheeler, while Mr. Fred Witham again favored with mouth organ and banjo accompaniment. The violin duet by Mr. S. Stilwell and Mr. K. Lupien, with Miss Lupien again at the piano, were a fine interpretation of terpischore, and in "Chant du Nord" and "Alita" two very pretty numbers of parts carefully harmonized, the audience were treated to voilin selections of bright melody, and played with precision and a violinist's sense of movement and abandon. It is almost a pity such a program could not be repeated and all who attended felt they had shared in a treat of high musical standard and excellence.

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Sight Unseen

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

When I told him it was a case of suicide, he remarked, philosophically:

"A lot of people get the bug once in a while, they come in here for a dose of sudden death and it takes watching. It's a matter of the point of view," he continued more cheerfully. And my point of view just now is that this place is darned cold and so's the street. You'd better have a little somthing to warm you up before you go out Mr. Johnson."

I was chilled through, to tell the truth, and although I rarely drink anything I went back with him and took an ounce or two of villainous whiskey, poured out of a jug into a graduated glass. It is with deep humiliation of spirit I record that a housemaid coming into my library at seven o'clock the next morning, found me, in top hat and overcoat, asleep on the library couch.

I had, however, removed my collar and tie, and my watch, carefully wound, was on the smoking-stand beside me.

The death of Arthur Wells had taken place on Monday evening Tuesday brought nothing new. The coroner was apparently satisfied, and on Wednesday the dead man's body was cremated.

"Thus obliterating all evidence," Sperry said, with what I felt was a note of relief.

But I think the situation was bothering him, and that he hoped to discount in advance the second sitting by Miss Jeremy, of which Mrs. Bain had already arranged for the following Monday, for on Wednesday afternoon, following a conversation over the telephone, Sperry and I had a private sitting with Miss Jeremy in Sperry's private office. I took my wife into our confidence and invited her to be present, but the unfortunate coldness following the housemaid's discovery of me asleep in the library on the morning after the murder, was still noticeable and she refused.

The sitting however, was totally without value. There was difficulty on the medium's part in securing the trance condition, and she broke out once rather petulantly, with the remark that we were interfering with her in some way.

I noticed that Sperry had placed Arthur Wells' stick unobstrusively on his table, but we secured only rambling and nonpertinent replies to our questions, and whether it was because the Wells matter did not come up at all I found a total lack of that sense of the unknown which made all the evening sittings so grisly.

I am sure she knew we had wanted something, and that she had failed to give it to us, for when she came out she was depressed and in a state of lowered vitality.

"I'm afraid I'm not helping you," she said. "I'm a little tired I think."

She was tired. I felt suddenly very sorry for her. She was so pretty and so young—only twenty-six or thereabouts to be in the grip of forces so relentless. Sperry sent her home in his car, and took to pacing the floor of his office.

"I'm going to give it up, Horace," he said. "Perhaps you are right. We may be on the verge of some real discovery. But while I'm interested, so interested that it interferes with my work, I'm frankly afraid to go on. There are several reasons."

I argued with him. There could be no question that if things were left as they were, a number of people would go through life convinced that Elinor Wells had murdered her husband. Look at the situation She had sent out all the servants and the governess, surely an unusual thing in an establishment of that sort. And Miss Jeremy had been vindicated in three points; some stains had certainly been washed up, we had found the key where she had stated it to be, and Arthur had certainly been shaving himself.

"In other words," I argued, "we can't stop, Sperry. You can't stop. But my idea would be that our investigations be purely scientific and not criminal."

"Also, in other words," he said, "you think we will discover something, so you suggest that we compound a felony and keep it to ourselves !"

"Exactly," I said drily.

It is of course possible that my nerves were somewhat unstrung during the days that followed, I wakened one night to a terrific thump which shook my bed, and which seemed to be the result of some one having struck the foot-board with a plank. Immediately following this came a sharp knocking on the antique bed-warmer which hangs beside my fireplace. When I had sufficiently recovered my self-control I turned on my bedside lamp, but the room was empty.

But on Thursday night of that week my wife came into my bedroom and stated flatly that there were burglars in the house.

I got out of bed and went down the stairs. But I must confess that I felt, the moment darkness surrounded me, considerably less trepidation concerning the possible burglar than I felt as to the darkness itself. Mrs. Johnson had locked herself in my bedroom, & there was something horrible in the black depths of the lower hall.

We are old-fashioned people, and have not yet adopted electric light. I carried a box of matches, but at the foot of the stairs the one I had lighted went out. I was terrified. I tried to light another match, but there was a draft from somewhere.

The second match went out before I had time to glance about. I was immediately conscious of a sort of soft movement around me, as of shadowy shapes that passed and repassed. Once it seemed to me that a hand was laid on my shoulder and not lifted, but instead dissolved into the other shadows around. The sudden striking of the clock on the stair landing completed my demoralization. I turned and fled upstairs, pursued to my agonized nerves, by ghostly hands that came toward me from between the spindles of the stair-rail.

At dawn I went downstairs again, heartily ashamed of myself. I found that a door to the basement had been left open, & that the soft movement had probably been my overcoat, swaying in the draft.

Sperry had, I believe, told Herbert Robinson of what we had discovered, but nothing had been said to the women. I knew through my wife that they were wildly curious and the night of the second seance Mrs. Dane drew me aside and made me promise I would tell her all I learned, after it was all over.

Miss Jeremy did not come to dinner. She never ate before a seance. And although we tried to keep the conversational ball floating airly, there was not the usual effervescence of the Neighborhood Club dinners. One and all, we were waiting, we knew not for what.

I am sorry to record that there were no physical phenomena of any sort at this second seance. The room was arranged as it had been at the first sitting, except that a table with a candle and a chair had been placed behind a screen for Mrs. Dane's secretary.

There was one other change. Sperry had brought the walking stick he had taken from Arthur Wells' room, and after the medium was in trance he placed it on the table before her.

The first questions were disappointing in results. Asked about the stick, there was only silence. When, however, Sperry went back to the sitting of the week before, and referred to questions and answers at that time, the medium seemed uneasy. Her hand, held under mine, made an effort to free itself, and, released, touched the cane. She lifted it, and struck the table a hard blow with it.

"Do you know to whom that stick belongs ?"

A silence. Then : "Yes."

"Will you tell us what you know about it ?"

"It is writing."

"Writing ?"

"It was writing, but the water washed it away."

Then, instantly and with great rapidity, followed a wild torrent of words and incomplete sentences. It is inarticulate, and the secretary made no record of it. As I recall, however, it was about water, children, and the words "ten o'clock" repeated several times.

"Do you mean that something happened at ten o'clock.

"No. Certainly not. No indeed. The water washed it away, all of it. Not a trace."

"Where did all this happen ?"

She named, without hesitation a seaside resort about fifty miles from our city. There was not one of us, I dare say, who did not know that the Wellses had spent the preceeding summer there and that Charlie Ellingham had been there, also.

"Do you know that Arthur Wells is dead ?"

Yes. He is dead."

"Did he kill himsellf ?"

"You can't catch me on that, I don't know."

Here the medium laughed. It was horrible. And the laughter made the wholel thing absurd. But it died away quickly.

"If only the pocketbook was not lost," she said. "There were so many things in it. Especially car-tickets. Walking is a nuisance."

Mrs. Dane's secretary suddenly spoke. "Do you want me to take things like that ?" she asked.

"Take everything, please," was the answer.

"Car-tickets and letters. It will be terrible if the letters are found."

"Where was the pocketbook lost ?" Sperry asked.

"If that were known, it could be found," was the reply, rather sharpely given. "Hawkins may have it. He was always hanging around. The curtain was much safer."

"What curtain ?"

"Nobody would have thought of the curtain. First ideas are best."

She repeated this, following it, as once before, with rhymes for the final word best rest chest, pest.

"Pest !" she said. "That's Hawkins !" And again the laughter.

"Did one of the bullets strike the ceiling ?"

"Yes. But you'll never find it. It is holding well. That part's safe enough—unless it made a hole in the floor above".

"But there was only one empty chamber in the revolver. How could two shots have been fired ?"

There was no answer at all to this. And Sperry, after waiting, went on to his next question : "Who occupied the room overhead ?"

But here we received the reply to the previous question : "There was a box of cartridges in the table-dresser. That's easy.

From that point, however, the interest lapsed. Either there was no answer to questions, or we got the absurdity that we had encountered before, about the drawing-room furniture. But unsatisfactory in many ways as the seance had been, the effect on Miss Jeremy was profound—she was longer in coming out, and greatly exhausted when it was all over.

She refused to take the supper Mrs. Dane had prepared for her and at eleven o'clock Sperry took her home in his car.

I remember that Mrs. Dane inquired, after she had gone.

"Does any one know the name of the Wellses' butler ? It is Hawkins ?"

I said nothing, and as Sperry was the only one likely to know and he had gone, the inquiry went no further. Looking back I realize that Herbert, while less cynical, was still skeptical, that his sister was non-committal, but for some reason watching me, and that Mrs. Dane was in a state of delightful anticipation.

My wife, however, had taken a dislike to Miss Jeremy, and said that the whole thing bored her.

"The men like it, of course," she said, "Horace fairly simpers with pleasure while he sits and holds her hand. But a woman doesn't impose on other women so easily. It's silly."

"My dear," Mrs. Dane said, reaching overland patting my wife's hand, "people talked that way about Columbus and Galileo. And if it is nonsense, it is such thrilling nonsense !"

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Class II,—C. King, T. Hardie, A. Hardie, C. Graham, L. Bigelow.

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Honours,—W. Murdoch, B. Ardill, J. Lambertson, W. Morrow, B. Taylor, P. McAdam.

Class I—M. Campbell, A. Butler, L. Dixon, I. Bourne, H. McAllister, S. Stewart, M. Enlo.., G. Maitland, N. Tomalty, Alida Burke, V. Moore, V. Jackson, E. Tomalty, D. McCulloch, D. Gannon, L. Steele.

Class II,—J. Doran, M. Seary, M. Bourne, B. Hutchin, H. Kettyle, R. Leroux, D. Boyd, Dorothy Williams, G. Gagne, E. Boyd W. Kennedy, M. Birch.

Grade III, Arithmetic.

Honours,—D. Graham, Roddy Izzard, D. Doran.

Class I,—E. Burk, M. Dixon, E. Hutchin, M. Robins, H. Stewart, A. Vowels, Joe White.

Class II,—G. Boyd, A. Castle, F. Castle, L. Cleland, B. Hewitt L. Hanson, L. Kennedy, A. McKinnell, R. Morrow, J. Morrow W. Racine, H. Tilsley, J. Todd, G. Vowels, Doris White, H. Wilson, P. Leroux, W. Kennedy, D. Doran, L. Devine, E. Gagne, G. Witham, L. Lonsdale.

Class III,—E. Williams.

The Literary Section of the Lachute Literary and Dramatic Society met in the Academy on Tuesday evening. The speaker of the evening was Mr. Thos. J. Barron, B.A., who gave a most interesting and profitable talk on "Lord Macaulay, his life and Writings." The books for the Reading Circle were chosen and the members look forward to having some of the best of modern writings.

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LAKEFIELD.

Services in St. John's Church, Shrewsbury at 2.30 p.m. Services in Trinity Church, Lakefield at 10.30 a.m. Rev. A. E. Mount, Pastor in charge.

A very successful concert was held in Gibb Parish Hall, on Saturday, October 24th. The hall was filled to capacity and all enjoyed the splendid programme provided by their talented friends. Mr. Chas. Hutchins & his daughter of Montreal, Miss Ruth Todd. Mr. Douglas Todd, Mr. John Fraser and Mr. Thos. Webster were those who provided the entertainment for one of the most successful concerts ever held in Lakefield.

Mr. Geo. McLennan was in Lakefield on Monday, in the interests of the Bible Society and delivered an interesting illustrated lecture on Korea and its people. There was a large turn out of interested listeners.

ST. PHILIPPE

Mr. Jas H. Derouin was called home by the sudden and serious illness of his father.

Miss Rolande Lupien, a former teacher, is here renewing old acquaintances. She was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Jas. Paton.

Miss Margaret Byrne is spending a few days as the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. Horner.

Mr. Jos. Robert accompanied by his nephew Mr. W. H. Robert spent the week-end visiting Mrs. B. McCart of Bryson Que.. and Mrs. Jos. G. Dupuis of Westmeath, Ont.

We are all pleased to note that Mr. F. Leclaire has his new house well advanced. This is to replace the one lost in the recent fire. It will be finished in stucco and will be quite an addition to the place.

VIOLIN LESSONS

Mr. T. J. Barron who has had ing, will be glad to receive pupils long experience in violin teach- for the winter months. N-27-5-p

IN MEMORIAM

MORRISON,—In fond and loving memory of our dear son and brother T. Alexander (Alex.) Morrison, who passed away on October 31st., 1921.

Some day we hope to meet again and clasp his hand in the better land.

Ever remembered by Father, Mother and family.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON-SERMON

In all Christian Science Churches, Sunday, Nov. 1, 1931

Subject : "Everlasting Punishment."

Selections read from the Bible include the following (Galatians 6 : 7-8.)

"Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap."

"For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.

The lesson-sermon also includes the following correlative citations read from "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

"Christian Science commands man to master the propensities, to hold hatred in abeyance with kindness, to conquer lust with chastity, revenge with charity, and to overcome deceit with honesty" (page 405.)

We acknowledge God's forgiveness of sin in the destruction of sin and the spiritual understanding that casts out evil as unreal. But the belief in sin is punished so long as the belief lasts (page 497 : lines 9-12.)

MILLE ISLE

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On Saturday, Oct. 17th., a very interesting event took place at "Lily rest", the beautiful residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Edward Ward, Mille Isle, Que., where about 145 guests assembled to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. All their family being present, John Arthur, Albert Wm. Edward, Victor Thomas, Melvin H.

The dining room was georgeously decorated in silver, white and green, autumn leaves and ferns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward made a charming host and hostess, the latter looking lovely in a dress of black georgette lace and silver. At half past five o'clock a most delicious supper was served by attentive young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Ward received many beautiful gifts in silver, and hearty congratulations and good wishes for the next 25 years.

The guests assembled to Ward Bros. Hall for dancing. Mrs. Ward wore a brown silk crepe, trimmed with ivory, shoes and stockings to match. Music was played by Messrs. Neil Grimns, Albert Ward and J. Mole, of Montreal.

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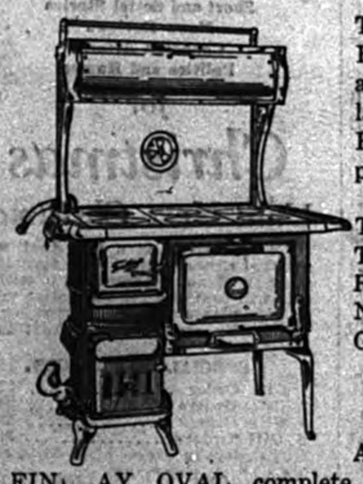

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CHURCH NOTES

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES

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Sunday, Nov. 1st., 1931

Lachute	11 a.m.
Brownsburg	3 p.m.
Dalesville	7.30 p.m.

To be conducted by Mr. J. E. Dawber, of Montreal.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

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10 a.m., Sabbath School.

11 a.m. Morning Worship. Preacher, Prof. R. B. Y. Scott, of Theological College, Montreal.

7 p.m. Evening Service. Preacher, The Minister.

Subject : "Putting on the Lord Jesus Christ."

2.30 p.m., East Settlement.

Welcome to all Services.

LACHUTE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. H. Cousens, B.A., B.D.

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Lachute S. S. 10.00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11.00 a.m.
Evening service at 7 p.m.
Brownsburg Worship 3 p.m.
Visitors always welcome.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 1st., 1931

10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
7 p.m. Evening Worship.

Rev. J. A. Macaskill, B.D. will preach at both services in the interests of the Missionary and Maintenance Fund. A special offering is asked for the allocation.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. E. G. Baxter.

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Sunday, Nov. 1st., 1931

Grenville Church :
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Church Service.

Chatham West Church :
2 p.m. Sunday School.
3 p.m. Church Service.

Brownsburg Maple Ave :
10 a.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Service.
Subject : "Christ's Church."
Wednesday 7.30 p.m. B.Y.P.U.

IN MEMORIAM.

TAYLOR,—In loving memory of our dear little Betty, who passed away Oct. 28th., 1930. Ever remembered by Daddy and Mother.

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LISTER,—In loving memory of our dear husband and father, Mr. Wm. J. Lister, who passed away on Oct. 29th., 1928.

Three years have passed
Our hearts still sore
As time goes on we miss him more
No one on earth can fill his place
Sadly missed by his loving wife and daughters.

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Sunday School 'Lesson'

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Lesson for November 1

WORLD'S TEMPERANCE SUNDAY

GOLDEN TEXT—And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit.

LESSON TEXT—Gal. 5:13-26.

PRIMARY TOPIC—The Danger of Strong Drink.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Peril of Strong Drink.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Reasons for Total Abstinence.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Progress of Temperance Reform.

This lesson is taken from the portion of the Epistle to the Galatians which has to do with the application of the doctrine of justification by faith. By faith the believer is linked to Jesus Christ. As a result of this union with Christ, the believer experiences a new birth, and thereafter lives a new life. The divine way of freeing the world from the curse of intemperance is to secure the regeneration of the individual.

I. Christian Freedom (vv. 13-15).

1. It is not an occasion to the flesh (v. 13). Liberty is not license. The notion that when one is free from the law he is free from restraint is wickedly erroneous. License of the flesh means not merely the indulgence of the flesh in actual material sins, but in the expression of a self-centered life in bickerings, etc. (v. 15).

2. It is by love serving one another (v. 13). Freedom from the Mosaic law means submission to the law of love. Love thus becomes the fulfillment of the law, (v. 14).

II. Walking in the Spirit (vv. 16-18).

This discloses the secret of how a life of love and service to another can be lived. Walking in the Spirit results in victory over the flesh (vv. 16, 17). By "the flesh" is meant the corrupt nature of man expressing itself in the realm of sense and self. When the Christian chooses the evil, the Holy Spirit opposes and when he chooses the good, the flesh opposes.

III. The Works of the Flesh (vv. 19-21).

The one who chooses to live according to the desires of his natural heart will be practicing the following sins:

1. Sensuality (v. 19). The sins enumerated here are practiced in the sphere of the body and are:

a. Fornication (the word "adultery" is omitted from the best manuscripts). Fornication includes all sexual sins in the married and unmarried state.

b. Uncleanness, which includes all sensual sins, open or secret, in thought or deed.

c. Lasciviousness — wanton indulgences in the shameful practices of the flesh.

2. Irreligion (v. 20). These acts take place in the realm of the spirit and are:

a. Idolatry, which means the worshiping of idols.

b. Witchcraft or sorcery—all dealing with the occult such as magical arts, spiritism, necromancy, etc.

3. Sins of temper (vv. 20, 21). These ake place in the sphere of the mind and are:

a. Hatred. b. Variance, which means strife and contention. c. Emulations, which expresses itself in jealousy. d. Wrath—bursts of passion. e. Seditions—factions in the state. f. Heresies—factions in the church. g. Envyings. h. Murders.

4. Sins of excess (v. 21).

a. Drunkenness—indulgence in intoxicating liquors.

b. Revelings—acts of dissipation, under the influence of intoxicants.

Those who are under the sway of the flesh, who practice such sins, shall be excluded from the kingdom of God (I Cor. 6:10).

IV. The Fruit of the Spirit (vv. 22-24).

The Holy Spirit, who is the source of all life indwelling the believer, will bear the following fruits:

1. Love to God and men.
2. Joy—glad-heartedness because of what God has done.
3. Peace with God and men.
4. Long suffering—taking insult and injury without murmur.
5. Gentleness—kindness to others.
6. Goodness—being good and doing good to others.
7. Faith—believing God and committing all things to him.
8. Meekness—submission to God, the spirit of humility before him.
9. Temperance—self-control in all things. The one who is thus ruled by the Holy Spirit will totally abstain from all intoxicants and do his best to keep his fellows from its destructive power.

Good Preaching

Good preaching is good teaching—whether vice versa or not.—Continent.

Duty

There is nothing laid down as a duty, but grace is promised to enable us to perform it.—Rowland Hill.

God Gives Us Aid

God gives us always strength enough and sense enough for what he wants us to do.—Ruskin.

All for Christ

I gave up all for Christ, and what have I found? I have found everything in him.—John Calvin.