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No. 1.

Mayoral Election for Hawkesbury

Nominations for the mayoral candidate of Hawkesbury last Friday brought forward the names of Romeo Bazinet, Jim Holland, and John B. Woods. Mr. Woods, retiring mayor, however, refused to accept the nomination, citing as his reason differences he had had with the town councillors and pointing out especially the fact that in several instances expenses were charged to him personally after being passed by the town council.

Both the remaining candidates are endorsed by large bodies of the electorate, and an election appears certain.

An after-Christmas Thought

It has been generally agreed that the illuminated Christmas Tree on Main Street, erected by Mr. Gosselin, local manager of the Gatineau Power Company, was an attractive and highly appreciated feature. Because of its cheerful festive appearance it has now been suggested that this become an annual affair in which the whole town might participate. What jollity and fun could be created by a real get-together spirit, in which Old Santa could be made a real thing to our community and surrounding country! Mr. Gosselin has started something and while a very few of our townfolk have made serious effort at outside decoration, we trust next year that a goodly number will take hold. As has been suggested by some, the Gatineau Power Co. might possibly be induced to give a slight reduction in the rates for electricity used during these two weeks of special illumination.

This may be considered a little premature, but mentioning the matter now gives food for thought and consideration.

Month's Activities of Argenteuil Women's Institutes

Chatham Branch had an address from Dr. Lalonde on Child Welfare. The branch sent a barrel of apples to The Laurentian Sanatorium, at Ste. Agathe and donated \$5.00 to the Boy Scout Relief Fund for Christmas Cheer.

Frontier had a Christmas meeting, with a roll-call of Christmas recipes which was a real social exchange of helpful ideas. Readings on Christmas Customs in Other Lands followed, also an interesting paper on Canadian Industries.

Jerusalem-Bethany had fourteen members and three visitors. Their roll-call was replied to with the name of a noted Canadian. Arrangements were made for the sending of boxes of cheer to three needy families and \$5.00 to the Children's Memorial Hospital, also scrap books made by each member. Miss M. Walker read her outline on Child Welfare and Public Health. Miss H. Hume also read "Heirlooms" by Bertha Weston Price, and an interesting paper on Canadian Industries.

Lachute had eleven members and three visitors, and were a delighted with a visit from the County President, Mrs. Davis, who gave an interesting address on "Friendliness" along with other helpful suggestions. Mrs. Dr. Drew's interesting address was on Great and Noble Women, citing many great women of Religion, Literature, History, centering her remarks around Queen Victoria, who ascended the throne at the age of eighteen and was the means of opening a great many channels of activity for women.

Having been favored with an

Fined for Driving Without Light

On a charge of driving a horsedrawn vehicle without a light Emile Cardinal of Alfred, Ont., appeared in Hawkesbury police court recently before Magistrate H. W. Lawler, K.C., and paid a fine of \$5.00 and costs.

Main Street Recorded 43 Below Zero

Thankful indeed were those whose work enabled them to keep under cover, during the week of severe cold from which we have just emerged. It is many years since we had such a prolonged cold spell, and Mr. O. Paquette recorded the lowest temperature for 1933 as 43 be-

low, on Dec. 29th. and 30th. In 1917, on December 30th., the thermometer dropped to 52 following a warm spell, and many local orchards were frozen out. In contrast with this year, Mr. Paquette's record for January 1932 shows the thermometer recorded 54 above.

Acclamations at Buckingham

Mayor T. A. Fournier and the entire council of Buckingham, with exception of one member, were returned for another two-year term by acclamation last week. J. L. Philion will oppose Councillor P. A. MacLennan for the open seat.

Completes Twenty-Five Years of Service

Our columns record this week that on the 3rd. of January, 1909, Henry Sutton, (known by all as the "C. P. R. Express") purchased the express route of Jerry Hutchings, which he has carried on for the last quarter of a century. "Henry" has been most faithful in the performance of his duty, and his daily rounds have brought him in contact with all our business men, who recognize his worth as a most capable public servant. The Watchman and its readers wish him many more years in which to carry on his vocation.

Former Town Resident Laid to Rest

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jno. Forbes, whose death occurred in the General Hospital, at Cobourg, Ont., on Friday, Dec. 29th., was held in the Presbyterian Church, Lachute, on Sunday afternoon, from the home of Mr. James W. Gall. The service was conducted by Rev. Henry Cousens, who paid kindly tribute to the deceased as a former member of his congregation and a most devoted and conscientious worker. Rev. W. B. Rosborough also assisted at the burial service, which due to inclement weather, was conducted in the church instead of at the cemetery. Pall bearers were A. A. McOuat, E. Jones, R. McArthur, A. Bothwell, A. Middleton and Wm. Scott.

CANADIAN SPEEDBOAT MAY RACE GAR WOOD

The possibility of a Canadian boat entering for the Harmsworth Trophy races at Detroit this year looms with the announcement by a group of Border Cities businessmen that they are prepared to finance such a venture.

Recipe for Happiness

If you want a happy year,
Free from wear and fret,
You some other heart must cheer

And your own forget;
There are heaps of ills to cure
In this world below,
And whatever you endure
There's a deeper woe.

If each day you try to be
Helpful, hopeful, kind,
If the wounds of misery
Lovingly you bind,
Then the days that make the week,

Weeks that make the year,
Will not need their joy to seek
But will find it near.

Folks may travel east and west,
Cross both land and sea,
Seeking happiness and rest,
Happy serenity;

But, if they would really find
Things that soothe and bless,
They must find in them a mind
Tuned to gentleness.

Native of Lakefield Died at Sweetsburg

At her home near Sweetsburg there passed peacefully away on December 6 last, Mrs. Margaret Emily Rogers, widow of the late George Rogers, both earlier residents of Lakefield, and well known in this section, although for the past fourteen years they had resided in the vicinity of Sweetsburg.

Mrs. Rogers was born at Lakefield in 1870, and married her late husband in the year 1894. Mr. Rogers predeceased her in 1922. During the lengthy illness to which she finally succumbed, she had always the greatest thoughtfulness for the members of her family and her friends, by whom she is described as a lady of kindly and retiring disposition who had lived a life of Christian devotion.

The funeral was held Dec. 8th., at the Anglican Christ Church, Sweetsburg, at which she had been a regular attendant until prevented by ill health.

Mrs. Rogers leaves to mourn her loss five children, Edgar, at home; Violet, Mrs. J. D. Stevenson, Cowansville; Garnet, residing at home; Myrtle, Mrs. Harold Spencer, of Bromfield; two sisters, Mrs. James Arnott, of Lakefield; Mrs. Jas. Parker, of Lachute; three brothers, Messrs. Walter Scott and John P. Scott, Lachute; Mr. M. Scott in California—all of whom have the sincere sympathy of their many friends. One brother, George Scott is deceased.

War Veteran Married in England

Word has been received by Alderman Remi Ledoux that his brother, James Charles, has just been married in London, England, to Miss Ellen Grace Whatmore. Mr. Ledoux, it will be remembered, was a one time C. P. R. newsagent and lost his leg in a gas explosion at Viger Station. When war broke out in 1914 he joined up with a cavalry regiment, afterwards being transferred to the Air Force where he gained his captaincy and was awarded the Mons Star. He came to visit his mother in 1919, afterwards returning to England where he joined the Civil Service, and is now with the Imperial Board of Pensions. As an old Lachute boy, his many former friends will be glad to have this opportunity of sending their good wishes across the sea for his future happiness and prosperity.

CLEAR

"To bring national prosperity, we must spend. To fortify individual prosperity, we must save."

Now that's all straightened out. —Exchange.

Miss Ethel Scott, niece of Farnham, whose home is at Lachute, and Mrs. F. E. Spencer, of Waterloo, were in the procession of mourners.

Interment was made in Christ Church cemetery beside the grave of her late husband.

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

Highlights of the Week's Events

Hockey

AYERS WON SECOND SCHEDULE FIXTURE

The second league game was played last Thursday at the Arena, Ayers Limited meeting L.A.A.A. in a fast game on keen ice.

The match opened at a speedy clip, Ayers taking the lead 1-0 in the first session; the goal was a lone-hand score by Bidou Patry after a spectacular rush through the L.A.A.A. team only three minutes after face-off. The play, however, was mostly in the Ayers territory, the boys from centre town holding a marked edge on the offensive. A Barker of L.A.A.A. drew the only penalty.

Patry opened the scoring gain in the second period, receiving the puck from the Ayers and shooting it into the net. The Ayers then scored again and Barker of L.A.A.A. drew the only penalty.

AYERS BEAT ALL-STARS, 'BURG BEAT L.A.A.A.

Results of the week-end games ceded another advantage to Brownsburg in the third of the League series, played with L.A.A.A. at the 'Burg on Saturday. Details are not forthcoming, but it is reported the new Athletic squad staged a good game in spite of a 4-2 count against them. The play was clean, only one penalty being on record, at the expense of the Lachute team.

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Lachute Town Council

The regular meeting of above council was held in the Town Hall on Wednesday last, Mayor A. Larocque presiding, with the following aldermen—Messrs. MacKimmie, Miller, Speight, Laurin, Lamarche, Legault, Ledoux, Rice.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The Council Chamber was well filled by numbers of men and women seeking assistance and Mr. Chas. Fortin, speaking on their behalf, presented petitions and pleaded for the town to undertake the task of caring for those out of work.

On motion of Alderman Rice seconded by Alderman MacKimmie the secretary was instructed to write the Unemployment Commission at Quebec for relief, but it was the opinion of the Council that the

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Legal Status of Married Women in Quebec Province

Frederick T. Collins of the Montreal Star.

A recommendation by the MacMillan Commission, enquiring recently into Canadian banking conditions, drew our attention to the following article which has been held for interest of our Quebec readers whenever space permitted of its use in these columns. The recommendation urged the abolition of an act restricting married women in Quebec Province to \$2000 in bank deposits and requiring the husband's consent to such deposits—legislation which Mr. Racey, the cartoonist, termed a "piece of antiquated stupidity." The article, herewith, reviews other peculiarities of law affecting the status of women in this province.

Marriage has been defined legally as the civil status of one man and of one woman capable of contracting, united by contract and mutual consent for life, for the discharge to each other and to the community, of the duties legally incumbent upon those who bear to each other the relation of husband and wife. In law marriage is a civil contract, but it is also a status or personal relationship in which the country is deeply concerned and it therefore differs in notable respects from ordinary contracts. The relations, duties, obligations and consequences flowing from it have always been and are vital to the existence and welfare of society because a country is built, lives and develops upon the marriage of its citizens. Of necessity therefore in every country of the world laws developed and gradually evolved themselves throughout the centuries so that today in Quebec we have a system of law relating to marriage and the rights and obligations resulting therefrom which is entirely different from that of any other country.

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Husband and wife contract by the mere fact of marriage the obligation to maintain and bring up the children born of the marriage. A husband and wife mutually owe to each other fidelity, succour and assistance. A husband owes protection to his wife and a wife owes obedience to her husband. A wife is obliged to live with her husband and to follow him wherever he thinks fit to reside. A husband is obliged to receive her and to supply her with all the necessities of life according to his means and conditions. Their union is indissoluble unto death. These are the general principles of the law of our Province and upon them is founded the legal status of married women in Quebec.

Matrimonial Domicile.

The mutual rights, duties and liabilities of husband and wife depend necessarily upon the character of the legal relation that exists between them and the nature of this legal relation is determined by the law of the matrimonial domicile which is the place where the husband was domiciled at the time of the marriage. For example, if the husband were domiciled in Quebec at the time of the marriage and the wife in Ontario, then Quebec would be the matrimonial domicile even though the marriage took place in Ontario, and vice versa if the husband were domiciled in Ontario at the time of the marriage and the wife in Quebec, the matrimonial domicile would be in Ontario even though the marriage took place in Quebec. Therefore, the legal status of a married woman is determined by the law of the matrimonial domicile at the time of the marriage.

What the Gray House Hid

The Mystery of a Haunted Mansion
by Wyndham Martin

"I don't want you to disappear in your cloud of star dust until I've had a little talk with you. What are you doing here?"

Leslie snapped the question out in a threatening tone.

"I lost my way," replied the wild faun.

"Don't lie!" said Leslie.

The wild faun frowned a little. The white moonlight showed his heavy face to be capable of readily expressed emotion. Leslie saw, too, that for some reason he wished to make his story good.

"I was trying to find a short cut," said the intruder.

"You must make a habit of it. People don't lose their way two nights in succession when the moon is full. You were here last night. Why?"

"H—!" said the wild faun. "Is this Buckingham White House?"

"I didn't see no sentries at the gate. If you don't like it, I'd better be on my way."

He turned away, as if to walk toward the drive.

"Not yet!" cried the younger man. "There's a little explaining to be done first."

Perceiving himself to be at a loss verbally, the stranger revised his tactic. This exasperating young man in evening dress must be taught a lesson.

"Bo," said the wild faun coldly, "I don't like your face!"

With that he brought his powerful right arm across with the idea of a wholly diverting one—of altering the smear on his opponent's features to an expression of fear and agony. He was not quick enough. A left jab caught him on the nose.

"All right!" he said. "If you want it, you can have it!"

He made a vicious spring at Leslie Barron. Anger beclouded him. Leslie's footwork irritated him. He asked his foe to stand still and have it out man to man. He addressed him as a dancing master, and by other more opprobrious terms.

Finally he measured his distance for a blow that would end it all. The

must not alarm our good hostess," he said. "Let us carry him to the garage and awaken a chauffeur. I will take the ruffian's feet. You, as the stronger, take his head. I will satisfy myself that he has no weapon concealed."

From the stranger's pocket Mr. Appleton drew a short, heavy billet of wood. He balanced it in his hand.

"I think this is what is termed a life preserver. It stamps its owner as a criminal by profession. You will probably be entitled to a reward, Mr. Barron. Now, if you will kindly take your end, we will remove him."

Obediently young Barron put his arms under the shoulders of the wild faun. When Appleton remained standing, Leslie looked up. Staring down at him, the little man might have been his Uncle Russell.

Too late, Leslie saw his danger. The life preserver caught him squarely on the head, and he pitched forward over the other unconscious man.

Mr. Appleton smiled happily. "Very neat!" he murmured. "For a first attempt, very neat indeed—oh, dear me, yes!"

Mr. Appleton gave a skillful imitation of the cry of an owl. From afar came the call of another night-flying bird. The owl that was Mr. Appleton hooted again. Gradually the other cry came nearer. Presently there was a rustling in the thicket and a bullet hurtled through.

"Luigi!" called Mr. Appleton softly. "Come at once!"

The man who wriggled out of the bushes was short, but of tremendous breadth. His exclamations and gestures when he saw what seemed to be a pair of dead men were stayed at a word from the other.

"Carry Jim below, and come back for this."

Luigi shouldered the two hundred and twenty pounds that was Jim with ease. He had been gone no more than five minutes when he returned and picked up the lighter man.

The bird sanctuary received Leslie Barron, heir to a great fortune. Luigi Partoli, in whom the police were interested, and, last of all, Mr. Appleton, who breathed more easily as a heavy shower began. It would smooth out the trampled earth and make tracking impossible.

CHAPTER VIII

When Leslie Barron came again to consciousness, he thought he was in a prison cell. It was a small stone room, electrically lighted. He had been placed on an iron cot. A bandage was about his head, and his crumpled shirt front was blood-stained. Except for bruises and a throbbing head, however, he found that he was unharmed.

He reconstructed what had happened since he went in search of the wild faun, and was forced to admit that the event which stood out most vividly was the inexplicable knavery of Frederick Appleton. The little man had always been so courteous, so respectful, so flattering. He had expressed his regard for the Barron family repeatedly. He had once embarrassed Leslie by comparing his head with that of the Hermes of Praxiteles; and then, inconspicuously, he had brought a loaded bludgeon down upon it with such force that death had not been very far away. What was the wild faun to Mr. Appleton, that he had sprung thus amazingly to avenge the unknown intruder?

Leslie rose from his cot and walked to the door. It was of heavy wood, metal covered. He could not escape.

No one answered his shouts. Leslie sat down again on the bed.

In his career as a somewhat reckless driver, he had more than once had to wait in a jail cell until he paid his fine. In every instance there had been a penetrating and unpleasant odor about these places. This cell had no such effluvia; nor, as he examined it more closely, had it the appearance of the regular jail. Yet it was plain that it had been constructed for no other purpose than to imprison.

Leslie called to mind his talks with Junior as to the threatened dangers surrounding the Gray house. In the beginning they had thrilled him; but then, as pleasant day succeeded pleasant day, Junior and he began to feel annoyed that they had ever anticipated peril.

Leslie was not yet nervous about the outcome of the adventure. The eldest son of Grantley Barron could not disappear without a nation-wide investigation. It would be proved that he had gone from the Gray house into the grounds. Cells would understand why he had gone. He had disappeared in evening clothes, leaving his other effects untouched. The

whole neighborhood would be combed by detectives. In the end, his father might have to pay a huge ransom.

This last thought rather amused Leslie. Appleton was probably a professional blackmailer or kidnaper. None would suspect the suave, modest, hard-working little man. Had not Leslie seen the descending black-jack in his hand, he would not now have believed him guilty.

"I wonder where the devil I am!" Leslie murmured.

Then his thoughts turned upon the big fighter whom he had knocked out. That knock-out, Leslie admitted, was more or less accidental. If the unknown stranger had not turned his head obligingly as an owl hooted, he would probably have won; but who was he, that he should stand guard outside the Hanby home at night?

Leslie presently dropped into a troubled sleep. When he awoke, there was the smell of strong tobacco in his cell. He looked into the twinkling eyes of Luigi Partoli, strong man, collier, and, alas for his impetuous temper, a double murderer.

"Where am I?" Leslie demanded. Luigi was easily moved to mirth. This seemed an excellent jest.

"If I tell you," he answered, "these happen to me!" He made the expressive gesture of cutting his throat. "You come with me. If you make a much noise, I break a your neck, so!" Again the graphic action of a man bending back the neck of a victim until the cervical vertebrae snapped.

"Now!"

Leslie knew that this stocky jailer had the power to inflict such a punishment. His forearms were enormous, and his chest measurement could not be less than fifty inches.

Along a narrow stone corridor, lighted by an overhead electric lamp, went Leslie and his jailer. Luigi paused outside a metal-sheathed door, and knocked. Apparently he was bidden to enter, for he gripped Leslie by the wrist and pulled him in.

Mr. Appleton and two companions faced him. It was a room fifteen feet square, well furnished, and artificially lighted.

"Ah!" said Mr. Appleton benevolently. "Here we have Mr. Barron, Jr."

He turned to a good-looking, well-dressed woman, who was smoking a Russian cigarette. "I have the highest respect for this young gentleman's family."

"I don't like your way of showing it," Leslie snapped.

He had seen by this time that the third person was the wild faun, wholly at ease in a big chair, puffing at a cigar.

"He is quite a nice-looking boy, isn't he?" the woman said, in a low-pitched, charming voice.

"The Barrons are all good-looking," said Mr. Appleton. "I have commented before on the Grecian cast of Mr. Leslie's head."

"Have the kindness to leave my head alone," Leslie growled.

"Certainly, certainly!" Mr. Appleton assented. "My attentions to it last night were dictated by motives

of caution, not of hatred. Others were dependent upon me, and I must consider them. Mr. James Delaney here, formerly a power in the ward politics of our common city, seemed at the moment to be a corpse. You are younger, stronger, and fleet of foot than I. I did not think you were in a frame of mind which would permit me to wish you good evening and disappear. Had you reported my presence to Mr. Hanby, a search would have been instituted which might have had unpleasant consequences."

(To be Continued.)

AUNT JEAN HERSELF

A Column for the Kiddies
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CHANGED VIEWS

Ted and Tim both wanted to play.

One stormy, blowy, wintry day: "We'll stay outside the whole day long."

And won't care a bit if the wind is strong."

The wee lads said—but Mother smiled.

She knew the weather was quite too wild, Quite unfit for out-door play.

But she wrapped them up in mufflers gay.

They dashed outside with a merry whoop.

But stopped when they reached the shed-door stoop.

The wind came along with a fierce woo-oo-oo,

And swept the breath from the daring two.

They choked and gasped, turned right inside.

Stared at each other with eyes quite wide.

"I guess," said Ted "we'll wait for our play

until we get a warmer day."

So they slunk inside, those two brave chaps,

And mother took off their gay, bright wraps,

"The fire looks nice," said Tim to Ted,

"Let's play right here where it's warm, instead."

GETTING EVEN WITH THE JONES CROWD

By Aunt Jean

The five little Harpers had worked with might and main, getting their coasting hill all ready for their "Little Christmas" fun.

The teacher promised them a holiday on that date, although the holiday is not kept by everyone.

The Kemps and Scotts were coming over to play with them and a grand time was expected, as they had carried so many pails of water from the pump, that they had quite lost count, and had poured it over the hill until it was as hard as could be desired and slippery as smooth glass.

Two big snow-men stood on guard beside two large snow forts, and the opposing armies to fight the snow battle had been carefully chosen. All that was needed to make the fun complete was a bright and cloudless day.

With a noisy, happy clatter, they romped in to supper and began telling Mother all about their preparations. Suddenly Joe said, "Mother, those Jones kids that have moved in next door sat on their back step and watched us all the time we were working. I guess they just wished they were us."

You bet I told them if they touched anything we'd more 'n pay them out for it."

"Oh, Joey, Joey, for shame, son! You should not have spoken like that. Probably the children had no thought of touching your slide. Would it not have been better to have asked them to help make it?" said Mother Harper gently.

"Them make a slide! Huh! they don't look as if they could make anything. They're dress-so queerly and don't seem to have a bog-sleigh or anything; besides they're strangers and don't belong to our set," said Ben in a lordly way.

"I was a stranger and ye took me in" quoted Mother softly. Ben had the grace to feel ashamed, but tried to hide it by saying gruffly, "A fellow can't be thinking of the right thing to do all the time."

"No, I suppose not," said his mother "but at least you might

try, my boy. If I were you I would invite the Jones children over tomorrow."

"And spoil everything!" wailed the Harper crowd. "The other fellows don't know them and won't want them. Oh mother! we simply can't."

"Think it over, dears" their mother said, "and see if you cannot make up your mind to do it. A pleasure shared is always doubled, you know."

After supper Mother and Father drove into town to see Uncle Ned and Auntie Sue, leaving the children in care of Norah, with instructions to go to bed early so as to be able to get up early in the morning.

Soon five little heads were on their pillows, and five pairs of eyes closed in healthy sleep, and when their mother peeped in later to see if they were well tucked in, little Jack was tossing around muttering excitedly. "Hi, you, Bob Scott! come out from behind that fort and fight fair, I say."

"Oh, Jackie boy, practice what you preach, and stick to it too," his mother whispered softly, as she passed on to her own room.

Next morning dawned bright and clear, just the kind of weather for all their carefully planned sports. Breakfast was eaten in great hurry as Daddy said that no-one was to go out before breakfast.

Prayers seemed to them rather long, but at last they were free to go. There was a mad rush for coats and caps, a hurried buttoning of coats and pulling on of gloves as they raced outside shouting aloud in their glee; but the gay shouts were soon changed to howls of anger and dismay.

"Whatever has happened?" cried their mother, running to the door. It opened almost in her face and her five excited children burst into the house with a cry of, "Oh mother! that horrid Jones crowd! they have just ruined everything. Our slide is all ashes, our snow-men and forts are broken. The mean sneaks!"

"I just knew" cried Ben, "by the look on their faces last night that they were bent on mischief of some kind."

"Just wait!" cried Joe and Jack together, doubling up their fists.

"Just wait, we'll more than make them pay for this—The mean, scrawny looking wretches, that they are!"

(To be continued next week)

Lovingly,

Aunt Jean.

SEEKS NEW INDUSTRIES

Lord Derby Acting Vigorously on Behalf of Lancashire.

Under the leadership of the Earl of Derby Lancashire has entered upon an intensive effort to attract new industries.

At a conference between representatives of municipal and commercial life his lordship reported he had already received about forty genuine applications from foreign firms wishing to establish factories in the county. The conference was especially impressed by new industries which are growing up in the vicinity of London instead of in Lancashire and



LORD DERBY

expressed the opinion the county had not been more successful in attracting industries because its towns were inclined to act for themselves individually instead of as a whole.

Earl Derby said as soon as sufficient promises of support were received a concrete plan of development would be submitted to the conference.

OATH READ FROM A CARD.

Hearty approval of the new method of administering the new oath to witnesses in the police court at Brantford, Ont., was voiced by Magistrate Jones, who commented: "Police procedure in London, England, is the finest in the world and we will make no mistake in following it." He felt the new method of having the witness read the oath in the first person from a card would add much to the solemnity.

ASHAMED

A certain firm had the following legend printed on its salary receipt forms:

"Your salary is your personal business, and should not be disclosed to anyone."

The new employee, in signing the receipt, added: "I won't mention it to anybody. I'm just as much ashamed of it as you are."—Irish Independent.

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A celebrated vocalist was in a motorcar accident one day. A paper, after recording the accident, said:
"We are happy to state that he was able to appear the following evening in three pieces."

At "Glyndenbourne" in Sussex, (Eng.) a Festival Opera House will be opened in the coming Spring or Summer. Glyndenbourne is a Tudor house which was enlarged in the period of William and Mary, almost spoiled in Victorian times, and now restored and enlarged since the war. The new Opera House has been added to seat 310 persons, and a music room to act as foyer to the Opera House. A dining hall is added for convenience of the audience.

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Making History in Argenteuil

Extracted from files of The Watchman.

50 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 4th., 1884.

A Watchnight service was held in Olivet Hall on New Year's eve.

We paid a visit to the Lachute Curling Rink and witnessed a game which was well contested considering the players were comparatively new hands.

Rev. H. J. Evans preached his farewell sermon at St. Simon's Church on Sunday evening.

Owing to the Methodist Union, the Primitive Methodist Church will hold what will, in all probability, be the last Missionary Meeting on Tuesday.

Operations have begun in the Ottawa timber woods, and a quantity of square timber will be prepared for the English market.

A story comes from Buffalo that a number of Fenians intend to avenge the execution of O'Donnell by making a raid on Toronto and Ottawa.

25 Years Ago.

Friday, March 12, 1909.

The Ping Pong Photo Company is located for three weeks over Creswell's Store. Thirty for 25 cents, in five different positions.

Miss Bessie McQuat gave a snow-shoe party to a number of young friends, in honor of her friend, Miss Dowsley, of Prescott, Ont.

Sheriff Prevost of Ste. Scholastique, sold the Duncan Ferguson property, at Harrington, to Mr. G. J. Walker.

Mr. P. Chabot, who recently arrived from Montreal to assume management of the Lachute Electric Light System, is now residing in Miss Black's property on Princess Avenue.

Miss Maggie Drysdale, of the Good Samaritan Hospital staff, is home for a short visit to her parents.

Miss Plaisted, of the Academy staff, was in Montreal the latter part of last week.

JUST FOLKS

By Edgar A. Guest

MEMORIES

Afterwards, when I am dead, I would like to have it said, Where the children race and run:

"He did this or that for fun!"

When I've done with all the strife

And the serious side of life I would rather men should tell: "He told stories fairly well!"

And I shall not mind if they After I have gone away Laugh again, remembering that When I sang my tones were flat.

Let the zinnia blooms recall That I loved them one and all, Or an old gray shirt declare: "This is what he liked to wear."

Deeds for fame and deeds for gold Leave but little to be told, But in simple traits like these Are man's happiest memories.

CHRISTMAS TREE ENTERTAINMENT AT CALUMET

As a part of the "Work" side of its programme, the A.Y.P.A. of Trinity Church organized a Christmas Tree for the children of the Anglican and United Sunday Schools. The children were trained in a large number of recitations and other items by Miss Gilmour, teacher of the Public School. They all did well, but particularly effective were the following: a "moving picture" of "O Little Town of Bethlehem" by Miss Gilmour and four senior girls, and an action song "The Little Lord Jesus" by Kathleen Dumoulin. The Misses Hilda and Marjorie Searight won great applause by their tap dancing. Two songs by a group of young men were very effective. The members of the A.Y.P.A. put on a play "A strike in Santa Claus land" which was very well done, the Young People being very good "children" for the time. The following took part—Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus (Mr. J. McGibbon and Miss M. Foreman), Doctor (Mrs. "Banks" Foreman), Fairy Goodheart (Miss M. McGibbon), Little Girl (Miss A. Whinfield), Jack Frost (Mr. A. Comba), Fairies and Brownies (the Misses N. and M. Searight, Miss L. Bridgen, Miss Ellen Foreman and Miss L. Hoare). After a Carol by the children, Santa Claus arrived, to the delight of the boys and girls (and some seniors!) The tree looked very pretty and Reeve's Hall, where the entertainment was held, was nicely decorated.

INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC LIFE.

"The standard of integrity among public officials in Great Britain is probably as high in municipal government as in national. Not in every country is political life so free from financial corruption. Yet there is no reason why it should not be. After all, it was not always so in Britain. It is only comparatively recently, viewed in the long perspective of British history, that Walpole declared of the members of his House of Commons, 'Every man has his price.' Public life has been cleaned up in England to a remarkable degree; it can be cleaned up elsewhere."—Christian Science Monitor.

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MAYOR ACTED AS CUPID

Winnipeg's Chief Magistrate and a Newspaper Brought About Wedding.

An interesting romance came to light when Mr. F. Palmer, of Winnipeg, stepped off the train in that city with his bride of three days. The couple had never met till their wedding day.

The story opened six months previously, when Annie Hignett, of Rochdale, Lancashire, England, then an operator in the Rochdale cotton mills, suddenly decided she would like both to see the world and get married.

"No, it wasn't because the mills were closed down," she said. "As a matter of fact we were working overtime. But I just wanted to try something new."

Canada was a land of adventure and she had heard of Winnipeg. So she wrote a letter addressed to "The Mayor," asking for his help.

Mr. Palmer saw the story in a Winnipeg newspaper, wrote the mayor, and his letter was duly forwarded to Rochdale. Then, letters and photographs were exchanged between the two, and Miss Hignett finally arrived at Quebec, where Mr. Palmer met her.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Palmer stated they had no difficulty in recognizing each other as they had each other's photographs.

"You see," said Mr. Palmer, "she told me what kind of a coat she would be wearing."

Three hours later they were married and started for their Western home.

Mr. Palmer was born in Bingley, Yorkshire, and has been in Canada twelve years.

"I wanted an Old Country girl," he said. "That's my type. Someone who can cook—not just open tin cans!"

MELODY-HAUNTED CABIN

Strange Tale of House in North Where Indian Musician Died.

A tale of a melody-haunted cabin on the shore of Baptiste Lake, in Alma Township, was told on his return from the Matachewan gold field by William Forrest, a Cobalt man, who was a member of a party who visited that region.

Strains, the origin of which none could determine, but which seemed to be evoked by unseen hands from an invisible instrument, filled the building frequently, always being heard after the occupants had retired for the night, sometimes swelling into a moderate volume, and on other occasions fading away to a delicate pianissimo. Frank Wilder, of New Liskeard, and Tom Powers, also had heard the ghostly strains, and they had been told by Indians how the cabin formerly had been the home of a chief who died ten years ago, and who, in his lifetime, had performed on a harp.

The music which filled the night, however, while it appeared to be that produced from a stringed instrument, did not altogether resemble the strains of a harp.

Baptiste Lake is within the confines of an Indian reserve, and the nearest house is a mile and a half distant. There is no radio in that part of the country, Mr. Forrest said, and members of the party, none of whom had been alarmed by the weird airs floating about the building, were at a loss to account for the sounds they heard. The cabin itself had not been disturbed by the Indians since the chief's death, and in it the white men had found a violin with broken bow, some children's toys from a Christmas celebration, and a number of skins.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Town of St-Jerome will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, to obtain the adoption of a special law amending its charter on the following subjects:—about the electric transmission lines,—about the maintenance and improvements of private properties,—about the taxation of properties and trades,—about the dividing properties into lots,—about the valuation roll,—about the delay to execute public works,—about the responsibilities of the Town,—about the date of the municipal elections and the qualifications of electors,—about the rate of interest and a discount on municipal taxes,—about the hour of polling and the vote on by-laws by land-owners,—about the deposit, fines and disqualification on the contestation of municipal elections,—about the authorization to the Town to fix, for municipal purposes, the valuation of companies for a period of not more than ten years, and for other purposes.

St-Jerome this 11th. of December 1933.

CHS. ED. MARCHAND,
Attorney duly authorized for the Town of St-Jerome.

CORRESPONDENCE

Disease and Water Courses—
A Reply

Greece's Point, Que.
Dec. 29th., 1933

The Editor, Lachute Watchman

Would you kindly publish the enclosed in your valuable paper, in reference to a letter by C. F. Kains.

Dr. H. P. Wright's letter has given Mr. Kains a long looked for opportunity to complain of his neighbor's ditches particularly mine though he does not mention names.

Mr. Kains' in his writings shows intelligence which sometimes amounts to genius and I have read with interest several of his articles among them one on freedom of speech.

I hope Mr. Kains will not deny me the same privilege he claims for himself namely Free Speech. For the past fifteen years there has been a bone of contention between Mr. Kains and myself—ditches; he claims his cellar is flooded every spring and fall and my ditches are the cause of it. Inspectors have been out time and again inspecting drains and water-courses and I particularly drew their attention to the fact that Mr. Kains is located on higher ground than I am and the fact that water would not run up hill. Mr. Kains is a hard man to convince. He caused the inspectors to visit us this fall and on examining the ditches they found that Mr. Kains had no ditch at all nor any semblance of one. He demanded of one neighbor who has a rather beautiful front lawn, bordered with flowers, that he dig a drain across said lawn to carry off water which had a natural course in the opposite direction. Naturally, the man refused. As Mr. Kains remarked, we have had our share of measles, scarlet fever, etc. So we have had. I've had my share. Also I have had to abandon the only well on my place, a natural spring, as it has been fouled by the ditches Mr. Kains complains of. If I let Mr. Kains neighbors send their dirt and refuse through said ditch it will be even worse than at present, as there are two latrines and a pig pen in the direct course. I may not have Mr. Kains' gift of oratory and do not air my grievances in the press very often, but am intelligent enough to know my rights as a citizen. In parting may I advise Mr. Kains to clean his own ditches, etc., then he will be better qualified to complain of his neighbors'. Mr. Kains is a great advocate of people minding their own business, and if he spent as much time digging his own ditches as he does complaining about his neighbors' there would be less water in his cellar.

I write this without malice or prejudice and hope this will give Mr. Kains an idea of fair play.

Donald G. Greig,
Greece's Point.

In Germany, Walter Krug, a writer on musical subjects, has declared war against syncopation (not the jazz variety, but the kind used by Brahms and Beethoven) on the ground that it "dams up Occurrence and eternalizes the senseless Once."

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Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 5025.

SUPERIOR COURT

DAME JEANNE CHARTIER, wife common as to property of Polydore Jeannotte, clerk, of the village of Brebeuf, county and district of Terrebonne, duly authorized for the presents,

Plaintiff.

vs.

THE SAID POLYDORE JEANNOTTE, clerk, of the Village of Brebeuf, county and district of Terrebonne.

Defendant.

An action in separation as to property has been instituted in this case, on the 13th. of November 1933.

St-Jerome, December the 20th., 1933.

HERMANN BARRETTE,
Attorney for the Plaintiff.

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FACTS, THIS YEAR, NOT FANCY!

Inspiring sentiments are the order of the season, and with the first gripping of the New Year cogs one hears forecasts of the lifting shadows and a brighter day.

This year, however, it is remarkable such expressions of confidence ring sound, in contrast with the nebulous optimism of past years. "Definite upward trend is noticed", says a headline over E. W. Beatty's New Year Message to the company of which he is president. Last year it was "Upward trend is forecast", "Depression is on the wane", or words equally non-committal.

Within a small area in last Saturday's news-reports we noted three very concrete indications that depression has lifted. Birks, of Montreal, reported November's sales were 52 per cent over the same month last year. Mount Royal Hotel reported New Year's bookings 30 per cent ahead of last year; Queen's Hotel "at least 10 per cent better." There were statements by other hotels, but these three establishments backed their optimism by figures, which are a sure indicator of the times. Being known and representative of this section with which they deal, these instances may be taken very cheerfully to heart.

RECIPE FOR A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Take twelve fine full-grown months, see that these are thoroughly free from all old memories of bitterness, rancor, hate and jealousy; cleanse them completely from every clinging spite; pick off all specks of pettiness; in short, see that these months are freed from the past—have them as fresh and clean as when they first came from the great storehouse of Time.

Cut these months into thirty or thirty-one equal parts. This batch will keep for just one year. Do not attempt to make up the whole batch at one time (so many persons spoil the entire lot in this way), but prepare one day at a time, as follows:

Into each day put twelve parts of faith, eleven of patience, ten of courage, nine of work (some people omit this ingredient and so spoil the flavor of the rest), eight of hope, seven of fidelity, six of liberty, five of kindness, four of rest (leaving this out is like leaving the oil out of salad—don't do it), three of prayer, two of meditation, and one well-selected resolution. If you have no conscientious scruples, put in about a teaspoonful of good spirits, a dash of fun, a pinch of folly, a sprinkling of play, and a heaping cupful of good humor.

Pour into the whole love, ad libitum and mix with a vim. Cook thoroughly in a fervent heat; garnish with a few smiles and a sprig of selflessness, and cheerfulness, and joy; then serve with quietness, and a Happy New Year is a certainty. —Merritt Herald.

MANY MOURN PASSING OF FENIAN RAID VETERAN

The many friends of James Bothwell McAdam will learn with regret of his death, which occurred on Christmas Day, at his home in Papineauville, Que. The funeral was held December 27th, from his late residence to Papineauville Protestant Cemetery. The service was conducted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh.

Born on May 29th., 1850, in Ogdensburg, Co. Argenteuil, Que., Mr. McAdam was the son of the late James Donald and Elizabeth Bothwell MacAdam, and spent the first few years of his life in that district, then going to Montebello, where he lived for fifty years. He was employed by the Owens Lumber Company for forty-two

years, having retired about six years ago.

The late Mr. McAdam was one of the few remaining Fenian Raid Veterans, being in active service in 1868-70, under the late Captain Owens, in the 10th. Company, 11th. Battalion Argenteuil Rangers, and a few years ago, received the Fenian Raid Veterans Bounty of one hundred dollars. He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, formerly Margaret MacKenzie, five sons, Thomas, (by a previous marriage) and Winston of Papineauville, Que.; Lorne, of Fasset, Que.; Willis, of Pakesley, Ont.; and six daughters Mrs. Arthur Cochrane, of Croydon, B.C.; Mrs. Francis Pratt, of Greenfield, Mass.; Mrs. Lyman Burton, of White Court, Alta.; Mrs. John H. McGibbon, of Foss Mill, Ont.; Miss Viola

McAdam, of St. Jerome, Que.; and Miss Lola McAdam, of Ottawa, Ont.; as well as one brother, Mr. David McAdam, of Chateaubert, Que.

Among the many friends to attend the funeral were his nephew J. S. McAdam, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McMeekin, and Mrs. L. Saunders, all of Montreal, Mrs. Wm. Sutton, Mrs. Duncan Cochrane, and Mrs. James McQuaig, of Ottawa; Miss Emma Cochrane, Mr. Milton Cochrane and Mr. Cecil Cochrane, of St. Amedee, Que. The pall bearers were, Thos. Lorne, Winston, and Garfield McAdam, Russell McMeekin and John McGibbon.

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NO DEPRESSION THERE

Enormous Salaries Still Paid Movie Stars, According to Figures Supplied.

Twenty-two of the leading film stars are said to have an aggregate yearly salary of \$7,155,000. The list of salaries, recently released from Hollywood, gives details as follows:—

Jack Barrymore	\$525,000
Jack Gilbert	500,000
R. Barthelmess	500,000
Gloria Swanson	500,000
Charlie Chaplin	500,000
Ruth Chatterton	375,000
Bill Powell	375,000
Clara Bow	300,000
Greta Garbo	300,000
Norma Shearer	300,000
Douglas Fairbanks	300,000
Con. Bennett	300,000
Ina Claire	250,000
Ann Harding	250,000
Billie Dove	250,000
Bebe Daniels	250,000
Ronald Colman	250,000
Marilyn Miller	200,000
Wallace Beery	200,000
L. Tibbett	200,000
Mary Pickford	200,000
M. Chevalier	200,000

STREAMLINING FOR MILEAGE.

Marvelous Results Obtainable by Lessening Wind Resistance.

Streamlining of trains and automobiles promises cheap, high speeds sufficient to challenge aviation in calculations reported to the American Society of Mechanical Engineers at New York.

Streamlined railroad trains, said O. G. Tietjens and K. C. Ripley, two well-known engineers, can jump their speeds from 40 to 100 miles an hour at a cost of only two-tenths of a cent per mile per day coach passenger.

Simply by waxing and polishing one streamlined model locomotive, the scientists reduced the air resistance more than 20 per cent.

An automobile making ten miles on a gallon of gasoline at 80 miles an hour will have its mileage increased to 30 per gallon by streamlining, the report stated.

EULOGY OF ROYALTY.

Whatever certain people may say, kings are not personages whose usefulness is confined merely to parade and show, nor are they ornaments as unnecessary as costly. On the contrary, they can be very important factors in a country's welfare. They incarnate a love of country, the grandeur of the nation. They stand in all times and in all seasons in the midst of passing events for the best secular traditions of their people. Their authority can be tampered with only at the risk of shaking the very foundation of social order. With the aid of royalty, Great Britain was able more easily than would have been possible under any other regime to overcome a grave crisis which otherwise might have had tragic results. There is then, a very profound reality in the people's prayer, "God save the King."—Ottawa Le Droit.

LACHUTE TOWN COUNCIL (Continued)

town would again set the unemployed at work by cutting wood instead of giving direct assistance.

The Mayor promised the Council would do all that was possible and duly consider the complaints of petitioners.

As this would be the last meeting of the present Council in consideration of three seats being vacant. Mayor Larocque extended his thanks for the co-operation he had received from the retiring members. Alderman MacKimmie and Remi Ledoux also extended their thanks and wished the incoming council all success in their future undertakings.

The Montreal train last Thursday morning was considerably delayed by a snow-plow derailed at he diamond some distance west of Lachute. A wrecking train arrived on the scene and the track was cleared shortly after noon.

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(Continued from Page 1)

AYERS WON SECOND— (Continued)

rubber into an open net. The same player scored the fourth tally for the Industrials, fooling Underhill in close-up play. L.A.A.A. appeared still at zero on the score board. Rousell took one minute in the penalty box and Fulton two minutes—both L. A. players.

Opening at 4-0, the final clash showed fast and determined play, Ayers somewhat in the lead. Smart checking at both ends gave the goalers an easier session. P. Patry scored again for Ayers, and two shots into the net, by Tessier and Drew Sr., were called back to blue line for offside. Barker and Fulton maintained a good defence in the L. A. territory. The score closed at 5-0 for Ayers. Clark of L.A. and W. Drew and Miron of Ayers were ruled off for minor penalties.

The line-ups comprised: L.A.A.A.—Underhill, goaler; A. Barker, Fulton, Rousell, Clark, Larocque, Beaulne, Gauthier, T. and D. Gagné.

Ayers Limited—Ben Patry, goaler; Miron, McFaul, Tessier, W. and C. Drew, Bidou and P. Patry, Joly, Tremblay. H. Prevost refereed the game.

Laurin Express Count First League Victory

"Win or Bust" was the theme song as Laurin met Ayers in the fourth League game on Tuesday, and carried off their first victory in the series. The game was a fast one, with heavy checking, the Express team skating a slight edge on the play; while Ayers appeared a little off their usual form, Laurin played a role of rare and promising merit.

Penalties were numerous, and offside frequent, under the eagle eye of Referee McGibbon. The Express sextet took a noticeable lead from the first, but high powered defence at both ends kept the opening period scoreless. A fine piece of teamwork by the Drew brothers made the nearest approach to a tally, and face-offs in front of each respective net held the onlookers expectant, but no goal was scored. Cruise and P. Lefebvre drew penalties for Laurin, Tessier for the Mills team.

Brisbois played a stellar game for the Express. Berniquier took a minute's rest as Bidou Patry hit the ice, the first of a series of falls which marked him

Curling

LADIES' CURLING CLUB

The winning rink of the friendly Bonspeil held at the Ladies' Curling Club were—Mrs. Cockfield, Mrs. G. Mitchell, Miss Jean McGibbon, Mrs. W. Deacon (Skip.)

The Official Opening of the Men's and Ladies' Clubs, was held on Thursday, Dec. 28th. Mixed games were played and refreshments were served at the close of the games.

The winning rink included—Mr. S. Campbell, Miss J. McQuat, Mr. F. A. Brennan, Mrs. E. H. Wilson (Skip).

Play for the Club Trophy began on Tuesday of this week.

plainly off his usual standard in the forward line. Tessier of Ayers was ruled off; Miron hit the boards and skated off with an injured nose. G. Lefebvre and Joly drew penalties together, and Paul Lefebvre scored for Laurin Express in a tally from the goal line. Bidou Patry drew his first penalty.

Opening at 1-0 the third clash was tense—and heavy, the penalties proving more numerous. Paquette played a sprightly game from the Ayers blue line, but excellent checking quered their advances in the Laurin territory. Brisbois continued his fast, hard-shooting offensive, well supported by his fellows. Cruise, Beauchamp, G. Lefebvre were ruled off, while Bidou went twice to the cooler, later skating off the ice after a wind-breaking impact with Lefebvre. Joe Berniquier climaxed the session with a smart exhibition of stick handling, and a timely pass to Lloyd Cruise put the rubber in the Industrials' net. It was not timely enough however, as the timekeeper's whistle pronounced *finis*, and the laurels fell to the centre-town boys in a score of 1-0.

PLEASE!

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CUSHING WEST

Mrs. S. O. Hartley entertained a family party over the weekend and New Year's, which included the Misses Olive and Katie Hartley, Mr. Laurence Hartley and Miss Ruth Walsh and Master Hartley Cutten, all of Montreal.

Mr. Wallie Walford and his friends Jack Burney and Keith Clarke have been spending their holidays at Pine Cottage and in spite of the cold weather have managed to pass an enjoyable week.

Dr. Cushing and family spent Sunday at their residence here having as their guests, Dr. Smith and Miss M. Spielman.

Guests of Mr. and Miss Whelan for New Year's included their brother Mr. S. Whelan of Montreal, Miss Katie and Mr. Whelan, also Mr. W. H. Robert of Monalea.

Miss Mildred Gaston spent a few days at her home here last week.

Mr. Jas. Harcourt of New Glasgow spent New Year's and the week-end at Mr. R. Pinkerton's, where Mrs. Harcourt and little son have also been guests during the holidays.

Amidst all the excitement attending the celebration of New Year's in the village of Greece's Point, the residence of Mr. P. Rochon caught fire and burned to the ground late Sunday evening. Mr. Rochon who was alone in the house had retired for the night, leaving a good fire in the stove in anticipation of another cold night. He was awakened by the roaring of the flames just in time to escape through a window.

The Misses Menard of Montreal, spent the New Year's holidays at their home.

Miss Dorothy Holmes of Montreal, who has been a guest of the Misses Cooke for the holidays returned home on Tuesday.

REX MATINEES WILL RESUME

Parents will be interested to know the special Children's Matinee will be held every Saturday afternoon at the Rex Theatre, admission at the special price of 25 cts. This affords a rare privilege for the kiddies, who appreciate an afternoon of clean, wholesome entertainment more than any other treat one could offer them.

DID NOT BORROW MONEY

(Toronto Star Weekly)
There was never such borrowing in the world as the goods-borrowing which the allies did in the United States during the war and especially after Washington had entered the war, although unready for a year to approach the front line. How the selling of goods to the allies went on! How the prices went up!

The thing was never a money transaction and as a money transaction it is incapable of being settled. The United States must accept payment in goods or refuse payment. She has refused and is refusing payment.

Screen favorites are visiting Lachute tomorrow and Saturday, in *The Bowery*, showing at the Rex Theatre. This glamorous, fascinating theme, with acting by Wallace Beery and Jackie Cooper, should be seen by all who appreciate good shows.

Coming Events.

St. Simeon's Club
The Annual General Meeting of St. Simeon's Club will be held in McArthur's Hall, Thursday, January 11th., at 8 p.m. A good attendance is requested. J-7-1-c.

PLAY AND TABLEAU AT GRENVILLE XMAS ENTERTAINMENT

The Annual Christmas Tree of St. Matthew's Sunday School was held in Dansereau's Hall, Grenville, on Friday, Dec. 23rd. There were Carols rendered by the School, and other attractive items.

A play depicting Dickens' "Christmas Carol" was performed by the young people. Mr. Adam Clarke portrayed the part of Scrooge, in a very realistic and effective manner. Bob Snatchet was well presented, by Mr. W. Dodd, Tiny Tim being played by Oliver Kirkwood. Mr. Grant Dodd very ably took the part of Fred, Scrooge's nephew. All the other parts were well presented, the players being — Mr. Vernon Dawson (Mr. Sheenly), Mr. L. Welden (Mr. Greatheart), Mr. Leonard Welden (Marley's ghost), Mr. F. Dewar (Christmas Present), Miss K. Bradshaw (Christmas Past), Mrs. John Stewart (Christmas Future), Russell Gauley and Jas. Bradshaw (boys.)

"The Little Brown Path to Bethlehem", was also ably performed by members of the Sunday School.

The parts of the Children were played by May Matthew, Irene Hall, Joyce Rayson, Enid McRae, Melvin and Ronald Matthew and Percy Bigelow. The Angels were Margaret Jowett, Melba Crooks, Margaret and Ida Weldon and Enid Rayson. The play led up to and concluded with a very effective Tableau in which Children and Angels adored the Christ Child in the arms of the Virgin Mary, portrayed by Miss Grace Williamson. Much credit is due to those who so carefully trained those taking part, and also to the performers themselves.

Before Santa Claus arrived, the Rector presented the following prizes—for best attendance (presented by Mr. G. Hampton) Edgar Dawson, Russell Gauley, May, Melvin and Ronald Matthew (all-equal); for best attendance in Primary Class (presented by Miss K. Bradshaw, teacher) R. Dodd and Evelyn Hall; for second highest attendance in Junior Class (presented by Mrs. John Stewart, teacher), J. Rayson; for work done in Boys' Senior Class (presented by Rev. K. A. Brueton, teacher), 1st., Melvin Matthew, 2nd. Percy Bigelow. Santa Claus duly arrived and the prettily decorated tree was divested of its "fruit", to the delight of the recipients. The occasion was voted a gratifying success.

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Town Locals.

Miss J. Valpy spent the New Year's holidays with her brother in Montreal.

Miss McMann, R.N., of Montreal, was the New Year's guest of Mrs. John Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Beveridge of Montreal, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McRobie.

Mr. Howard Morrison, of Montreal, spent the holidays with his aunt, Mrs. J. A. McGibbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Joss, of Three Rivers, spent the Xmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Hills.

Mr. J. M. Hume and Mr. Toohey, of Saranac Lake, were the holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hume.

Mr. Leslie Smith, of Aurora, Ill., is spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Picken and other friends.

Miss Elizabeth Tomalty spent the holiday with her brother in Boston, returning on Monday to Granby, Que.

Mrs. Geo. Calder Sr. and Mr. Harold Calder of Riverbend, Que., spent the New Year's vacation with friends in town.

Miss Louise Goldworthy left on Tuesday to resume her studies in Toronto, after spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Amy Morrin, of Macdonald College, has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Morrin.

Mr. Jack Dove, Mr. Frank Spence and Miss Winnie Spence spent their holidays the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard McAdam.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Campbell and little son, of Montreal, were the holiday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

Mr. Richard Wood and Miss Margaret Wesley, of Montreal, spent the week-end and holiday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stansfield.

Messrs. Alex. and William Forbes were in town over Sunday attending the funeral of their sister-in-law, the late Mrs. Jno. Forbes.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray with their two sons, of Montreal, were New Year's guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Murray.

Mr. Lorne McArthur and two daughters, Lorna and Mavis, of Ottawa, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

Miss J. Rodrigue left this morning for Ottawa to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mr. J. B. St. Laurent, which takes place on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carpenter, of Rapide Blanc, Que., and Mr. Russell Carpenter of Three Rivers, were New Year's guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carpenter.

Following the musical revues which have proven so recently popular at the Rex, the management have another treat in store for next week. *Footlight Parade* is even bigger and better than *Gold Diggers* or *42nd Street*. Do not fail to see this picture.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH TOPICS

At the Sunday evening services, during January, the Minister, Rev. W. B. Rosborough, will preach on the following suggestive subjects:

Jan. 7.—"How to Have a Happy New Year."

Jan. 14.—"Showing Thyself A Man."

Jan. 21.—"Cardinal Points in The Teaching of Jesus."

Jan. 28.—"The Unavoidable Christ."

A Cordial Welcome to All!

The Watchman was favored with a call from Mr. M. J. Scott, Lachute's oldest citizen, on Wednesday. Now in his 93rd year, Mr. Scott took great pleasure in being able to walk down and personally renew his subscription for 1934.

—The Watchman has been asked to announce, on behalf of the newly formed Amateur Athletic Assn. with quarters at Stanforth's Hall, any disused or discarded furniture will be gladly accepted to make the premises more comfortable. If you have an odd chair or table, kindly notify an officer or member of the Club.

The Government has taken trouble to import a number of golden pheasants, some of them having been brought to this section for breeding in the spring. This will serve as a reminder to those who take delight in shooting anything they see, that there is a penalty imposed on anyone destroying these game birds; a word to the wise should be sufficient.

Through the inclemency of the weather and extreme cold, the Annual Firemen's Ball on Friday last, was not as largely attended as usual. Those who braved the elements report having spent a very happy time. Though the event was not a financial success, the loss was brightened by a kindly message to Fire Chief Deacon from Sir George and Lady Perley, announcing their inability to be present, and enclosing \$10.00 to help defray the expenses.

DEATHS

McADAM.—At Papineauville, Que., on Christmas Day, 1933 James Bothwell McAdam, late of Montebello, Que., beloved husband of Margaret MacKenzie, in his 84th year.

FORBES.—At Cobourg, Dec. 29th., 1933, Harriet Morrison, beloved wife of Jno. Forbes, in her 54th year. Interred in Lachute cemetery on Sunday, Dec. 31st.

GOODFELLOW.—At Hill Foot, Lachute, on December 31st., 1933, Robert Goodfellow, in his 75th year.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to tender sincere thanks for kindly sympathy extended during his sad bereavement.
Jno. Forbes.

IN MEMORIAM

GRAHAM.—In fond memory of my dear mother, Mrs. M. Graham, who passed away Jan. 4th., 1932. Ever remembered by her daughter Emma.

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From all points in the Maritimes, up to and including Tuesday, Jan. 16th.

Further particulars from J. S. Giles, Town Agent.

THE LATE ROBERT GOODFELLOW

There passed away, after a short illness, at his residence Hill Foot, Lachute, on Sunday, December 31st., Robert Goodfellow, in his 75th year. Deceased gentleman who was born in Chateaugay, settled in this district in 1891. He was married to Miss Catherine Sandilands, of Athelstan, who survives together with five sons, Wesley in Vancouver, Gordon at home, George, William and Alex., of Montreal, and one daughter Anne of Montreal. The funeral took place from his late residence on Tuesday, January 2nd., conducted by the Rev. Henry Cousens, of whose church he was a member. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. Boa, Thos. McQuat, Richard McAdam, Wm. Murray, Jas. Hay and Jno. Carr.

Those attending from out-of-town included, Mrs. Wm. Kydd, John Carr, and Geo. Gebbie, all of Montreal, Mrs. John Goodall of St. Louis, Que., Mrs. Geo. A. Paul of Athelstan, and Miss Margaret Watt of Chateaugay.

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Lesson for January 14

THE BAPTISM AND TEMPTATION OF JESUS CHRIST

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 3:13-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—Wherefore in all things it behooved him to be made like unto his brethren, that he might be a merciful and faithful high priest in things pertaining to God, to make reconciliation for the sins of the people. Hebrews 2:17.

PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus Was Baptized.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus Meets the Test.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Faces His Life Work.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's Victorious Son.

The baptism and temptation of Jesus should not be thought of as part of his preparation for his great work, as is represented by many writers. They should rather be viewed as the formal entrance of the Messiah, the king upon his mission. In the baptism we have the act of dedication of himself to his work which made full a righteousness, and in the temptation we have a record of his first official conflict with the devil whose works he came to destroy.

1. The Baptism of Jesus, the King (3:13-17).

1. His coming to John (v. 13). While the forerunner was discharging his office, the king emerged from his seclusion at Nazareth and demanded baptism at John's hands.

2. John's hesitancy (v. 14). The incongruity of this demand with the purpose of baptism brought from John a protest, but upon Jesus' satisfactory explanation John baptized him.

3. The significance of his baptism (v. 15). Its significance is found in harmony with the central purpose of his coming into the world, which was to secure for his people salvation through death and resurrection. This act was the official entrance upon his work. It was an act of consecration on his part to the work of saving his people through sacrifice. Christ was baptized not because he had sinned, but because he took the place of sinners to be a substitute for them.

4. Approval from the opened heavens (vv. 16, 17). Immediately following his consecration to his work the heavens were opened and the Spirit came and abode upon him, followed by words of approval from the Father.

11. The Temptation of Jesus, the King (4:1-11).

This temptation was the opening battle of the dreadful conflict between Christ and Satan. In this struggle note:

1. The combatants (v. 1).
a. Jesus Christ—He went immediately from the place of anointing and heavenly recognition as the Son of God, to meet the arch enemy of the race.

b. The devil—The one with whom Christ struggled here was a real, personal being, filled with cunning and malice, and possessing great power.

2. The battleground (v. 1). It was the wilderness of Judea. The first man was tempted in a garden with the most pleasant surroundings, and failed. The last man was tempted in a bare wilderness, and gloriously triumphed.

3. The method of attack (vv. 3-9). Since, as the Redeemer, Christ sustains to mankind a three-fold relationship—Son of man, Son of God, and Messiah—each relationship was made a ground of attack.

a. As the Son of Man (vv. 3, 4).—The appeal was made to the instinct of hunger. Having been forty days and nights without food as a normal man, Jesus had a craving appetite. While the appetite was not sinful, to have satisfied it in a wrong way would have been sin.

b. As the Son of God (vv. 5-7).—It was to test whether this personality which had taken upon itself humanity, was divine. The devil quoted from a messianic Psalm to induce Jesus to presume upon God's care. God really does care for his own, but to neglect common precaution, to do the uncalculated thing just to put God's promise to a test, is to sin and to fail.

c. As the Messiah (vv. 8, 9).—Christ's mission as the Messiah was to recover this world from the devil. The devil offered to surrender to him on the simple condition that Jesus bow to the devil, thus obviating the necessity of the cross with its shame and suffering.

4. The defense (vv. 4, 7, 10). The instrument of defense was the word of God. Christ met the enemy each time and repulsed him with "It is written." Each time he quoted from Deuteronomy, the book which higher critics would discredit.

5. The issue (v. 11). The enemy was completely routed. The strong man was bound, making the spoiling of his house possible.

Pearl of Price

Happiness is that pearl of price which all adventure for, though few find it. It is not gold or silver that the earthlings of this world seek after, but some satisfying good which they think is there treasured up.

Making a Friend

Force is of no use to make or preserve a friend, who is an animal never caught except by kindness and pleasure. Oblige with all your soul that friend who has made you a present of his own.—Socrates.

Hints for Homebodies

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman.

By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

THE PERFECT HOUSE-KEEPER

I heard a woman on a radio Homemaking programme say that the woman who had a lovely kitchen, bright with color and with pots and pans gleaming, and everything in its place was the jolly, happy, care-free woman. I ha'e ma' doubts. Any woman who has such perfection in her house is not apt to be the jolly care-free type. She may be happy but not jolly. A tired woman is not a jolly woman and there are not many women who have the energy to keep their house at the height of perfection and yet have energy enough to be jolly. It should not be, but for some reason or other the modern woman is apt to be a tired woman. Perfection in house-keeping is what we should aim at, but if we cannot attain it and still be bright, then I would say sacrifice a little of the perfect housekeeping and gain a little in good humour.

AFTER HOLIDAY MEALS

The holidays at this season sometimes leave a trail of sick children. Too many late hours and too many over-loaded stomachs. It is a wise plan to have the simplest of meals for both grown ups and children this week so that those overworked tummies have a chance to rest. Have plenty of vegetables, salads and milk puddings or fruit or dessert. Sponge cakes are easy to digest and are a good choice because of this. Have simple cookies and keep away from rich cakes and pastries. Pick out meals that are suitable for the small child and then give them to the rest of the family. They may be attractive if they are simple.

MARK YOUR RECIPES

When you made your Christmas cake and your light fruit cake and your puddings this year could you remember just what pans you had used and how much each recipe made? Just after we finish making these things we think we will be sure to remember all the details but when a year has gone by, it is a different story and we puzzle away trying to remember all about it. It is a good plan to write on each recipe the pans used and other useful details. It is not too late to do it yet if you have not already done so. You will appreciate this information next year.

MANNERS IN CHILDREN

Everyone likes a well-mannered child and parents are puzzled sometimes as to the best method of teaching manners. Manners, like morals are better learned, not taught. They are contagious and exposing a child to good manners may do a lot. When the infection does not take immediately console yourself with the idea that it sometimes takes a long time to develop but some day to your surprise the day

ST. ANDREWS EAST

(Intended for last issue.)

St. Andrews East mourns the passing of Mrs. Charles Pease, who for the past twenty-one years had been active in church and missionary work, as well as in all good and benevolent work of the village. Her sudden death on December 20th., has taken from among us a kindly, generous and cordial friend, and leaves a gap not easily filled.

Mr. Harry Kay has visited us again for the holidays, accompanied by two student friends.

The Fellowship Circle held its regular meeting recently.

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of good manners will have arrived. One of the things most to be desired, is to be at ease socially. If there is too much insistence on the please's and thank you's and too many handshakes, the child may be made self-conscious and you will defeat your own ends. Do not stress too much the outward and visible signs but let a child develop naturally and be scrupulously polite to the child yourself—just as polite as you would be to a stranger. You are apt to find that your child will be polite and will develop an easy natural manner in social contacts.

ON DISCOVERING CLAMS

To those of you who live near the sea, clams are an old story, but to we inlanders, they may be something new. They are to me, I must confess. Even at that it is not fresh clams that I have discovered but the canned ones. I found them on the grocer's shelf and always being on the look-out for something different to eat I tried them. We liked them very much and I have tried several ways of cooking them. If you are not familiar with them try them for supper some night. To make them still better they are a Canadian product, the brand I have been using is canned in New Brunswick. First we had them in Clam Chowder made with the usual pork, potatoes and onions and I followed the recipe on the can. Then I made a Clam Stew, making it as I did an Oyster Stew. Add cracker crumbs to milk, heat and when hot add the clams for a minute or two until heated through. I used the liquid from the clams and a generous piece of butter. Season with salt and pepper to taste. The next experiment I tried was Creamed Clams and they are specially good. Make a cream sauce with two tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons butter, and 1 cup liquid, using half milk and half the liquid from the clams. Add clams and season to taste with salt and pepper. Let stand over hot water for a few minutes so that the sauce may absorb the flavour. Serve on toast. I served a little crisp bacon with it as I think it improves any creamed fish.

ROYAL COOKIES

2 eggs
1 cup white sugar
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup butter and lard mixed
1/2 lb. dates
1/2 cup walnuts
1 teaspoon soda
3 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Cream shortening and sugar, and beaten eggs. Sift in flour and soda and add dates and walnuts cut in pieces. Divide the dough in three rolls and let stand over night. Slice in 1/2 inch slices and put into baking pan allowing room for spreading. Bake in a fairly hot oven of about 400 degrees. These are a rather crisp hard cookie.

St. Andrews was delighted to have many relatives and friends present for the holiday season.

THE LEGAL STATUS OF MARRIED WOMEN IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

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rights are concerned, is determined by the law of the domicile of her husband at the time of the marriage. This rule is practically of universal application and the result of it is that a married woman will be common as to property with her husband, or separate as to property from him, in accordance with the provisions of that law, and such community of or separation as to property will persist through all the subsequent changes of domicile during their married life.

Property Rights.

The laws of all civilized countries provide for the property rights of married women and we find existing everywhere either a regime of community of property or a regime of separation as to property, and sometimes both. In Quebec the two regimes exist side by side, community being the rule and separation the exception. A husband and wife have before marriage the right of selecting either and in accordance with the choice which they make, they will be either common or separate as to property throughout their married life.

Community of property is of two kinds, either legal or conventional. Legal community is imposed by law and it regulates the property rights of the husband and wife in the absence of agreement to the contrary so that every man and woman whose matrimonial domicile is in the Province of Quebec, which includes the vast majority of persons married in Quebec, and who are married without a marriage contract, are in legal community of property. Conventional community results from an express agreement called a marriage contract entered into before marriage by which the parties agree to be in community. Separation as to property results also from a marriage contract entered into before marriage and which stipulates such separation.

When therefore a lady intends to marry a man domiciled in Quebec, it is most important that she should beforehand choose with him the matrimonial regime under which they wish to live. If they make no decision, then by the mere fact of the marriage they become subject to the regime of legal community and are ever after common as to property in accordance with the ordinary laws in this regard. If they do not wish to accept this regime but prefer to be separate as to property, then they must before marriage enter into and execute a marriage contract in notarial form before a Notary Public and they must stipulate therein that they shall be separate as to property, in which case the laws relating to separation as to property apply to them, subject always to the terms of the contract. Marriage contracts made in certain localities for which an exception has been created by special laws, are exempted from the necessity of being in notarial form.

Prospective consorts can also in a marriage contract stipulate that they shall be in con-

ventional community of property, in which case the laws relating to legal community apply to them except to the extent that these laws have been varied by the marriage contract. All kinds of agreements may be contracts even those which in any other contract *inter vivos* would be void except that all agreements contrary to public order or good morals or forbidden by any prohibitory law, are prohibited. After marriage the marriage covenants contained in the contract cannot be altered in any way whatsoever and from the moment of the celebration of the marriage they come into full force and effect and are thereafter irrevocable.

Community of Property

The general principle underlying the system of community is that all property owned at marriage by either party or acquired during marriage by the industry and labour of either the husband or the wife, or both, together with the produce and increase thereof, belongs to both, during the continuance of their married life. In a restricted sense, community of property is a partnership between husband and wife, as in many respects it bears a close analogy to an ordinary partnership. It consists of assets and liabilities and broadly the situation is that practically everything which is owned by the husband or wife at the time of the marriage, with the exception of lands and buildings, and practically everything which is acquired during marriage, with certain exceptions, goes to a common pool. Everything which does not go into that common pool belongs either to

the husband personally, or to the wife personally. The husband alone administers the property in the pool during marriage and he may sell, alienate or hypothecate it without the consent of his wife. He is prohibited from disposing by gratuitous title "*inter vivos*" of the immovable property of the community which comprises the lands and buildings, and similarly of the whole or an "*aliquot*" part of the moveable property, except for the establishment of their common children. He also retains complete control of his private property and he has the administration of all the private property of his wife. He cannot, without her consent, sell any lands or buildings or immovables which are her private property, but he may lease them for a period not exceeding nine years. A wife who is in community therefore has very few powers with regard to property during her married life but at the dissolution of the community by death, judicial separation or by absence as provided by law, she is entitled to one half of all the assets of the community after the liabilities have been paid.

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A session of the Court of King's Bench (Crown side) holding criminal jurisdiction in and for the district of Terrebonne, will be held in the Court House, in the town of Saint-Jerome, said district on Tuesday the Ninth day of January 1934 at eleven of the clock in the forenoon.

In consequence, I give notice to all who intend to proceed against any prisoner now in the common goal of the said district and all others, that they must be present then and there.

I also give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and peace Officers, in and for the said District, that they must be present with their records, in order to do these things which belong to them in their respective capacities.

J. W. CYR,
Sheriff's Office, Sheriff.
Saint Jerome, Dec. 13, 1933.
D-21-J-5.

THE LEGAL STATUS OF
MARRIED WOMEN IN THE
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
(Continued from Page 6)

At the dissolution of the community, the wife or her heirs or representatives, have also the right to renounce it, in which case she or her heirs, as the case may be, cannot claim any share in the property of the community, but they are freed from all liability for the debts with certain exceptions.

Separate as to Property.
The rights of married women separate as to property differ greatly. The general rule is that a wife whether common or separate as to prop-

MOTORIST'S CLAIM

Bayne, a Rural Municipality in the West, won an action reported recently in the Western Municipal News, in which a motorist sued for \$750 damages to his car, due to alleged negligence on the part of the municipality in not having warning signs put up at a point on the road which was difficult to negotiate. The plaintiff admitted driving at 35 to 45 miles an hour. His car struck an electric light pole with such force as to break it off.

In his summing up, His Honor Judge Pope of Melfort said, "The action was based on the provisions of section 216 of the Rural Municipalities Act, and there are many decisions as to each case. Had the accident occurred to a person travelling at a moderate rate of speed, I would have no difficulty in finding that the combination of circumstances would constitute lack of repair within the meaning of the section, but the speed at which the plaintiff admits he was travelling constitutes, in my opinion, contributory negligence and debars him from recovery. Municipalities cannot be expected to maintain roads where such high rates of speed can be maintained, and where the road cannot be seen ahead the prudent man should bring his car to a speed where it can readily be controlled. The plaintiff made no effort to do so."

JAIL SENTENCE FOR RELIEF FRAUD

George Mihalcu, of Roumanian birth, was sentenced to six month's imprisonment by Judge Swanson before B.C. county bench recently, for having obtained relief under false pretences. Evidence showed that Mihalcu had drawn relief for his wife, absent in Ontario, and for two sons, both of whom had been in receipt of good wages throughout the period that the father was receiving relief for each of them.

The sons gave testimony that they had not been employed at the time their father signed certain papers last May.

In defence the accused also took the attitude before the court that he had worked under the relief scheme for the funds and materials he had secured, and was therefore entitled to what he had received anyway.

erty cannot give or accept, alienate or dispose of property "inter vivos," or otherwise enter into contracts or obligations unless her husband become a party to the deed or give his consent in writing. When she is separate as to property, however, she retains the entire administration of all her own property, the free enjoyment of her revenues and the right to alienate, without the authorization of her husband, her movable property. She cannot without authorization, alienate lands, buildings or immovables, belonging to her, or accept a gift of immovables. The only restriction therefore imposed by

law upon a married woman separate as to property is the necessity of obtaining the authorization of her husband in respect of certain contracts, obligations and acts, and in case the husband be absent or refuse to authorize her, a judge may always do so. If she be separate from bed and board from her husband, she has full capacity to act without any authorization. Such contracts, obligations or acts can be set aside by the Court for lack of the husband's authority.

General authorizations by a husband to a wife, such as those which are frequently conferred in marriage contracts, are valid only in so far as they effect the administration of the property of the wife. The reason for this requirement of authorization is that usually a wife has not the business experience of her husband, and the husband is usually the person most interested in her financial welfare. This restriction constitutes a disadvantage at times in certain cases but the principle upon which it is based is sound and it is real protection to the wife in the great majority of cases.

It is worthy of note that at the hearings held by the Commission appointed to inquire into the laws relating to women no person requested the abolition of the community system, although changes in it were requested, some of which were subsequently made, which constitute a tribute to it.

Reserves Property Rights.
The situation now is that whether a married woman be separate or common as to property, and despite any agreement to the contrary, all the proceeds of her personal work, the economies therefrom and all property acquired by her in investing the same, as well as legal actions instituted by her with the authorization of a judge to obtain damages for the compensation received in personal injury, are reserved to her entire administration and she may alienate the same by onerous title. Where the wife is separate as to property the advantage now is that marital

WHY WE PAY TAXES

A new angle of the "taxation evil" is revealed by the *Amherstburg Echo* (Ontario), which is a journal consistently identifying the ideals of its reading public with the ideals of government—being apparently in close contact with both, in its particular territory.

—We howl about taxes (says the Echo.) And well we may. Much tax money is wastefully spent. But what about the good the taxes do? We never mentioned that. All we do is yell and shriek, bark and complain. But the tax is the difference between the tribesman with his club and the high school principal. It is the difference between the code of the jungle and the civil and moral law. In the primitive days a woman or an ox was the property of the man, and when the man wanted another man's wife or his ox he went with his club and took possession. The tax is the difference between the rule of force and the polling booth. The tax we howl at is the difference between government by the beak and talons and bloody maw as compared with government by constitution, freedom and the ballot. The tax is our shelter and guardian against crime, the crime and criminals that would overrun us and rule us and be our masters but for the defense taxes provide. The tax educates our children. It takes them in childhood, follows them into the higher institutions and high school, goes side by side with them out into society, schooled and trained and equipped to think and reason and form intelligent conclusions.

CIVIC EMPLOYEES ENGAGED FOR LIFE

Decision was taken by Lachine (Que.) City Council to engage six employees of the city for life, these being Chief of Police Georges Durocher, Captain of Detectives Carlo Iannuzzi, Secretary-Treasurer Hector Daoust, Controller of Finances, Rene Laberge, Sanitary Inspector, Arthur Dicaire and Engineer Robert Dorion.

The council made the decision unanimous though Mayor Fyon fought the motion saying it was illegal, as only cities with a population of 50,000 or more could hire employees this way. The mayor also stated the council should not engage these before the advent of the new council, elections being only six weeks away. The decision stood, however, subject to the approval of the provincial authorities.

authorization where it was formerly necessary, has been done away with almost entirely with regard to such reserved property, except in certain cases. This new law does not apply however to earnings made by the wife from work carried on jointly with her husband, in which case the ordinary law applies.

Special Rights to a Wife.
A wife may make a will without the authorization of her husband. She cannot sell anything to her husband. She cannot confer any benefits upon him, except that she is permitted to give to him gifts of moderate value in accordance with the customs of the place in which she lives. A husband is similarly bound by this provision of law and he cannot make gifts to his wife except within the same limits. Gifts of jewelry, furs, etcetera of moderate value considering the financial position of the parties usually come within the exceptions and are therefore legal.

A wife separate as to property cannot become a guarantor for her husband's debts or obligations. Such an undertaking is void and of no effect, saving the rights of creditors who contract in good faith. She cannot legally, for example, as security for her husband's debts or obligations, mortgage her home, pledge stocks or bonds owned by her or assign or transfer her rights as a beneficiary under an insurance policy. This prohibition constitutes a real protection to a wife particularly when her husband gets into financial difficulties.

A wife common as to property can however become the guarantor of her husband's debts or obligations, but practically such a guarantee is of questionable commercial value because any amount due thereunder can only be collected at the dissolution of the community, usually by death, when the wife may renounce the community completely, thus escaping all liability. A wife may carry on any trade or business in the ordinary way provided she has obtained the authorization of her husband, and she may obligate herself for all that relates to her trade or business without authorization. If she be common as to property, her husband becomes liable for her debts so contracted.

A husband who is separate as to property may will all his property to any person that he please, but if he be common as to property, he can only will his one-half share of the community property, and his wife or heirs take the other one-half share in their own right.

—Journal of Canadian Bankers' Assn.

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Rev. W. B. Rosborough,
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7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject:
"HOW TO HAVE A HAPPY
NEW YEAR"

11 a.m., Communion Service.
A service preparatory to
Communion will be held on Fri-
day, Jan. 5th., at 8 p.m.

10 a.m., Sabbath School.
All outside appointments will
be cancelled for the day.

Welcome to all Services.

BROWNSBURG
UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.
Sunday, January 7th., 1934.
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Communion.

7 p.m., Evening Worship.
Subject: Ruth, an Idyl.

Tuesday, Jan. 9th., Quarter-
ly Board in the Pastor's Study,
8 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 10, Ladies'
Auxiliary at home of Mrs. Ket-
tyle, 7.30 p.m.

Special Union Prayer Ser-
vices will be held as follows:
Monday, Jan. 8, Presbyterian
Church; Wednesday, Jan. 10,
St. George's Anglican Church;
Friday, Jan. 12, United Church
Time 7.30. The public are cor-
dially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. F. W. Dyson, Pastor.
Brownsburg 3 p.m.
Dalesville 11 a.m.
Lachute 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Sunday after Epiphany
St. Simeon's Church, Lachute
11 a.m., Holy Communion.
7 p.m., Evensong.
St. George's, Brownsburg.
3 p.m., Evensong.

Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Week
of prayer service. Everybody
welcome.

Rev. W. LeCras, Rector.

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CHURCH

Rev. E. G. Baxter
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
Lord's Supper
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Mid Week services: Week of
Prayer.

Monday evening 7.30 p.m.,
Presbyterian Church.

Wednesday 7.30 p.m., Ang-
lican Church.

Friday 7.30 p.m., United
Church.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES

Lakefield 2.30 p.m.

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District News

CUSHING

Miss Helen Maclean R.N.
spent New Years with her par-
ents at the Manse.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Weir and
family returned home on Tues-
day from a visit with friends in
Thorold, Ont.

Misses Ivy and Elsie Graham
left on Tuesday morning to re-
sume their duties in Woodlawn
and LaSalle Road Schools.

Miss Mildred Gaston of Mont-
real spent a few days the early
part of this week with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Gaston.

Miss Frances Douglas and
Mr. C. Heavy of Montreal, also
Mr. Alton Douglas of Toronto,
spent Christmas week with
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.
Douglas.

Miss Gladys Somerville, who
has been spending the Christ-
mas holidays with her parents,
returned to school in Montreal
on Tuesday.

St. Mungo's Church service
will be held in the evening, be-
ginning with Sunday, January
7th., continuing through the
winter season until May.

Mrs. John Somerville was in
Montreal this week attending
the funeral of her niece, the late
Miss Margaret Sleep. Mrs.
Andrew Graham, Mr. John
Graham and Mr. Archie Gra-
ham also attended the funeral.

Dr. H. McGerrigle who has
been spending the Christmas
holidays with his wife and
little son at the home of Mr. J.
Innes, spent the New Year holi-
day with his parents in Orms-
town.

Mrs. C. L. Meservy and her
daughter who have been
spending the Christmas holi-
days with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. J. Innes, have returned to
their home in Montreal.

WEIR

Mr. P. Cantin spent Xmas in
Montreal, returning home on
Tuesday.

The sleigh-haul commenced
here on Tuesday of this week at
a much earlier date than usual.

Mr. Jas. Duncan of Montreal,
spent a few days at his home
here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kerr spent
Xmas in Montreal.

Miss Katie Craig returned
home on Saturday, after spend-
ing the past month in Montreal.

Miss Thelma Beaven of Mont-
real is spending the holidays at
the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. S. Beaven.

Miss Dorothy Owen of Mac-
donald College and Mr. John
Owen of the Theological College
Montreal, are spending the holi-
days at the home of their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Mrs. Robert Williams spent
the past week in Montreal, at-
tending the marriage of her
daughter, Amy, to Mr. John
MacLean, at the Church of the
Ascension on Tuesday last.

Miss Juanita Gallupe spent
the past week in Montreal visit-
ing friends.

Mrs. L. Lane and son Roy, of
Montreal, are spending the holi-
days as guests at the home of
her sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. J.
Kerr.

Miss Violet Williams of Mont-
real, was the New Year's guest
at the home of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. R. Williams.

Mrs. B. Beaven and little
daughters spent the past week
in Montreal.

Mr. E. P. Powell, of Mont-
real, spent New Year's as guest
of his mother, Mrs. M. J. Mac-
Nab.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Glass-
ford, spent New Year's in Mont-
real.

Mrs. L. Lemire, of Drum-
mondville, accompanied by Miss
L. Deslin, spent Xmas at the
home of her brother, Mr. U.
Dion.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bea-
ven spent a few days in St.
Jerome last week.

Mr. Lionel Richer, of Mont-
real, spent New Year's at his
home here.

The Misses Freda Kenny and
Greta Blair, of Montreal, were
New Year's guests at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sobey.

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GRENVILLE NORTH

Mr. Fred Murray spent the
week-end in Montreal.

Misses Agnes and Alice Rod-
gers spent Christmas as guests
of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Master Clarence and Miss
Frances Murray have returned
home from St. Andrews East,
where they spent Christmas as
guests of their grand parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Perks.

Misses Dorothy Cousins, also
Gladys and Margaret Rainey
spent Christmas at their re-
spective homes.

Mrs. Louis Larocque, who has
been suffering from pneumonia,
is recovering satisfactorily. Her
friends trust she will soon be
restored to her former health
and strength.

Mrs. Hugh Cousins spent
Xmas week-end in St. Andrews
East, with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Geo. Perks.

Miss Louise Cunnin, of Mont-
real, is spending the holidays in
Grenville, visiting at the homes
of Mrs. Walter Dewar, Walter
Murray, and Hugh Cousins.

A very pleasant afternoon
was spent in Grenville No. 8
School on Friday 22nd. ult., in
the form of a Christmas Tree
entertainment. The teacher,
Miss Doig, and children, had
decorated the school for the oc-
casion and all looked very fes-
tive.

Quite a large crowd gathered
to hear the children recite and
sing, and all credit is due to
the teacher and scholars.

Gifts were distributed among
the children, and much regret
was felt when it was heard that
Santa was unable to attend, due
to previous engagements.

MORIN HEIGHTS

Misses Jean Campbell and
O. Boyd, also Mr. Gerald Boyd
have returned to Lachute to re-
sume their studies at the Acad-
emy.

Mr. Hector Paquette spent
New Year's Day with his fam-
ily.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Bell
and son Graeme spent the holi-
days with the latter's parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Rufus McCul-
lough.

Every boarding house in
Morin Heights had all the skiers
they could accommodate
over the New Year week-end.

On Wednesday, Dec. 27th.,
the Morin Heights hockey team
played at St. Sauveur, result-
ing in a victory of 3-1 in fa-
vour of our home team. Again,
on Tuesday, Jan. 2, they play-
ed a Westmount team, "The
Trojans", who were visiting
here. The result was again a
victory for Morin Heights, with
a score of 7-3.

Watchnight service was held
in the Anglican Church, Rev.
W. J. H. Lummis in charge.

CAMBRIA

Mrs. Maggie Morrow spent a
few days in the city recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ryan
visited at Rosedale Cottage on
Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Max-
well and family visited at Mr.
M. Dawson's on Xmas Day.

Master Dunstan A. Russell,
and boy friend, Master Fran-
cis Brennan, of Westmount,
spent the Yuletide holidays at
Rosedale Cottage, returning to
the city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson and
sons, Walker and Melvin, also
daughter, Miss L. Dawson,
visited at Riverdale Cottage,
on Sunday.

The recent severe cold wea-
ther, with so many stormy days
and little sunshine, has proven
distressing for the poor, who

CHRISTMAS TREE ENTER-
TAINMENT AT LAKEFIELD

The Gibb Parish Hall was
well filled by an appreciative
audience on Dec. 21st. The oc-
casion being the Annual Christ-
mas Tree Entertainment under
the auspices of the ladies of the
W. A. of Trinity Church.

Miss Leishman, our teacher,
had carefully drilled her pupils
in well selected recitations, etc.;
and, the results were all that
could be desired; as, all the
children did remarkably well.
The young people had been
practising for some time, in
carols, songs, etc., and the two
plays they presented called
"The Missing Bonds" and
"How to be Popular" were re-
ceived with much well merited
applause. Where all alike
tried to do their very best it
would be unfair to single out
any particular name for com-
mendation it must suffice to
say that the entire programme
was a success, and, reflected
credit upon all concerned in it.

Santa was there at the close;
and, a gift, orange and bag of
candy were provided by the la-
dies of the W. A. for each child
of the parish. A generous
cheque for Mrs. Allan E. Mount
as organist, was also there
from the same kindly source.

The chairman expressed his
thanks for all the help he had
received from the W. A., the
young people, Miss Leishman
and her scholars, Mr. L. Legg
for his practical help in warm-
ing the hall etc. "God Save the
King" brought to a close an-
other pleasant evening's en-
deavour to keep in memory the
birth of our Lord Jesus Christ.

BROWNSBURG

Rev. J. Poitras had the pleas-
ure of a family reunion on
Christmas, at his home in
Brownsburg.

Mr. John and Miss Patsy
Bloxxham, also Miss P. John-
ston, of Montreal, were Xmas
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Blox-
ham.

Mr. C. L. Stevens spent Xmas
at his home in London, Ont.

Mr. Alvin Stewart, of the
Bank of Nova Scotia, Beech-
burg, Ont., spent New Years at
his home here.

Weather has been extremely
cold and stormy, but now that
the sunny days have returned,
the young folks are enjoying
a variety of winter sports.

HARRINGTON EAST

Miss Katie Campbell is spend-
ing the week with her mother,
after an absence of 17 years.

Mrs. Foster and daughter
spent the holiday at the home
of her mother, returning to
Woburn, Mass., on Sunday last.

Mrs. J. D. Shaw is visiting in
Valleyfield for the holiday sea-
son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell, of Mont-
real, were the guests of Mr. M.
McRae for the Xmas holiday.

Misses F. McTavish, Gladys
McRae, Jean Marshall and Is-
abel McCallum were at home for
the school holidays.

Mrs. David McVicar and
family, of Grenville, Mrs. H.
Johnson and her daughter, of
Shanly, Ont., spent the week-
end at the home of Mr. James
Bennett.

Service was conducted in the
Baptist Church for two Sun-
days by Mr. Simpson.

Miss Francis Balmfirth was
the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jno.
McCabe, for the past week.

Only a few braves ventured
out skiing and tobogganing
during the week, as the temper-
ature ranged from 15 to 40 be-
low.

Mrs. J. John, of Shawbridge,
visited her brother, Mr. Neil
McCallum last week.

are unable to purchase the
necessary warm clothing and
firewood.

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"... his lands doth sell
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adell."

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est foible from Paris, a large
stiffened collar of lace, worn
with a ruff.

The fashion was exploited by
one Robert Baker, a tailor.

So rich did he become by
making pickadells that he built
himself a great house in the
fields near St. James's.

Cockney humorists, as much
in evidence then as now,
promptly dubbed the building
"Pickadilly Hall."

The name stuck.

It was transferred to the lane
on which the house stood; and
as Picadilly this has ever since
been known.

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British Empire thus derives its
name from a Cockney jest.

Henry Herbert Ingram loves
horses, and though trotters are
his specialty he avers that a
running horse is completely off
the ground for one-quarter of
the time whilst it is speeding.
Henry's friend said that those
who bet on the horse are com-
pletely off their base ninety per
cent. of the time.

—Sherbrooke Record.

The painter depicts life; the
poet breathes sentiment; but
music speaks the very soul.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Walbank en-
tertained a house party at their
country home on Long Lake,
for the Christmas and New
Year's holidays.

Many visitors from Montreal,
Boston, Lachute, etc., were en-
tertained at the various hospi-
table homes of our community.

The extraordinary cold wea-
ther, prevailing for such a long
spell, interfered considerably
with the pleasures and duties of
our folk; but, no bad results
reported so far.

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bottle 10c

Picnic Hams

lb. 13c

Bananas

doz. 15c

Grape Fruits, large

4 for 23c

Large Oranges for juice

doz. 29c

Iceberg Lettuce

2 for 15c

Tomatoes

2 lbs. 29c

New Beets

bunch 15c

New Carrots

2 bunches 29c

Celery Hearts

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Milk Prices, Minimum Shanty Wage, Rail and Truck Competition, For Discussion at Quebec

Throne Speech Sheds Ray of Optimism

The Speech from the Throne, which on Tuesday precluded the opening of the legislative session at Quebec, was of a nature which smacks of 1934 elections according to a press observer. There is something for all, or at least something in the Speech from which all may take comfort. For the taxpayer there is the very definite promise that there will be no new taxation.

For the pulp and paper industry as well, there is a hint to the effect that their titles in regard to Crown forests will be made more permanent. This is a matter of extreme importance when it is remembered that bonds issued on the strength of concessions from the Government runs into many millions of dollars, and the only security which the companies, and consequently the bondholders, have at the present time is the moral good-will of the Government to renew the annual leases.

The Government announces it intends to introduce a measure to control the price of milk for the benefit of the farmers, but details as to this are lacking, and information is vague. How the Government can fix the price of milk at say, five cents a quart to the farmer, if a milk company can buy its milk at four cents a quart from Ontario, is another matter.

There is to be unity of police control in the province as regard provincial services. There will be an endeavor to fix a minimum wage for men who work in the shanties. Also, the railways will get some protection as regards unfair competition from motor trucks and motor buses.

Speech from Throne

The speech from the throne, delivered by Hon. H. G. Carroll, Lieutenant Governor of the Province, is reported as follows:

"The year which has just finished has maintained a period of depression which has been weighing on the whole world. I am, however, happy to see a new dawn appearing. Confidence is being renewed, commerce and industry are more active, our banks have preserved their entire stability, unemployment is diminishing in several places and it begins to be better understood that work and economy, alike for governments as for families and individuals, are still the best and perhaps the sole decisive factors of a return to prosperity. The convalescence will be long, but it has begun.

"Our province was sorely tried, not to the same degree perhaps as the sister provinces, but its economic life in every sphere has been affected, and, if praiseworthy initiatives have had to be abandoned, less on account of the necessity of economizing than in consequence of the considerable diminution of the revenue, they are still kept for the earliest programme of execution and progress which better days will permit us to carry out to its full extent.

"Many governments have desired to equalize by new taxes the fall in their revenues. The Government of Quebec has thought that the burden which the taxpayers have to bear is sufficiently heavy without being further augmented, and it has preferred to courageously admit a deficit for the accounting period which has just expired rather than to add to the taxes, thinking that future generations which will profit by our progress ought to assume their part of the sacrifices of the present time.

"I do not know what the New

Year has in store for us; whatsoever it may be, however, the Government declines to have recourse to the imposition of any new taxes.

"In spite of the economic crisis, notable progress has, however, been realized in the province.

"The return to the land is certainly the best remedy for unemployment. The habit of direct relief destroys all spirit of initiative and is moreover repugnant to the pride of the Canadian workman. This movement towards the land has taken great strides, for 3,500 families, say at least 17,000 persons

Ottawa Abandons Cow-Testing Plan

Province Will Cover this Phase of Supervision

The system of cow-testing under the direction of the Federal Department of Agriculture, was abandoned at the close of the year.

Under this system records were kept by the department of milk production, quality, etc., with an idea of improving dairy herds in various parts of the Dominion. The majority of provinces have taken over this work, and those provinces which had not done so were duly notified of the decision from Ottawa. Quebec is one of these.

The cow-testing system has nothing to do with the tuberculin test which the Dominion authorities conduct for the prevention of disease among cattle. This, it is stated by the Department of Agriculture officials, is not being abandoned, but will be continued.

In view of this discontinuance of cow-testing, Hon. A. Godbout, Quebec Minister of Agriculture, has stated the present system of provincial supervision of the dairy industry by permanent commission would be extended. The provincial commission will undertake to keep the records formerly collected by the Dominion department.

Educational work in areas formerly served by the Dominion department will now be carried on by the provincial commission.

Resident of Weir Is Called By Death

Late Mrs. Mary Ann Colquhoun

The life of one who moved in quiet beauty of character came to a close Saturday, Jan. 6th., when Mrs. Mary Ann Colquhoun, of Weir, passed away at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Christina Anderson, Sturgeon Falls, Ont.

Mrs. Colquhoun was the only daughter of James Thompson, born in the County of Argenteuil in 1869, where she lived most of her life. Her late husband, Nathaniel Colquhoun, predeceased her thirty years ago.

She is survived by two brothers, James and George, five sons, Joseph, Donald, Wilbert, Allan and Nathaniel, and one daughter, Mrs. Elwin Anderson.

The funeral and interment took place at Sturgeon Falls last Monday.

Remember when the farmer who owned a horse and a cow was considered well off?

—Brandon Sun.

A woman takes almost as much pleasure in reforming a man as she does in redecorating a house.—William Feather.

Lucerne to be the Scene of Can. Intercollegiate Skiing

A Canadian intercollegiate ski meet, a unique development in skiing in Eastern Canada, and the first of its kind to materialize, is forecast for the week-end of January 27 and 28 at The Seignior Club at Montebello, in conjunction with an inter-city skiing and jumping competitions. University ski teams from Toronto, Ottawa and McGill and St. Patrick's College of Ottawa are expected to enter in the former meet.

Husband and Wife Mourned Within a Week

Close upon the death of her husband, there passed away on January 7th., another esteemed resident of Hill Foot, in the person of Mrs. Robert Goodfellow. Formerly Miss Catherine Sandilands, of Athelstan, Que., she had attained her 68th. year, and is survived by five sons, Wesley in Vancouver; Gordon at home; George, William and Alex., of Montreal; and one daughter, Anne, also of Montreal. Mrs. Goodfellow had enjoyed fair health, considering her age, and there is little doubt that the sorrow of her husband's passing, on December 31st., hastened her demise.

A largely attended funeral was held at her residence, on Tuesday afternoon. Among those present from out-of-town were Mrs. C. G. Jamieson, of Cornwall, Ont.; Mrs. F. Gebbie, Mr. Geo. Gebbie, and Mr. John Goodfellow of Montreal; Mr. Herbert Barrington, of Henrysburg, Que., the members of her family being numbered among the chief mourners. An impressive service was conducted by Rev. H. Cousens, and the remains were borne to the vault at Lachute Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Wm. Murray, Alex. Smith, Jas. Hay, Ernest Walker, Jno. Goodfellow, Herbert Barrington.

Sir George Perley Is Again Acting Head of Government

Rt. Hon. Sir George Perley, as senior member of the Dominion Cabinet, has assumed the duties of Minister of External Affairs in the absence of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett on his trip to Vancouver, and will also take over the task of leading the Government when the necessity arises.

Mr. Bennett left last Thursday for the Coast.

James Holland Is Elected Mayor of Hawkesbury

For the first time in many years, the town of Hawkesbury has elected an English-speaking mayor in the person of James Holland, who obtained a majority of 386 votes over his opponent, Romeo Bazinet.

The total vote polled was not so large as in former years, less than 1,000 electors marking their cross. This was possibly due to the fact that while many of the French-speaking population refused to vote for Bazinet, who is an unemployed citizen, they refrained from supporting Holland.

"Midland Free Press"

According to The Mail and Empire, petunias planted in potato patches in France succeeded in killing the common potato bugs. The bugs are said to leave the potato vines and feed on the petunias, to die shortly after from the effects. If there is anything in the claim, there is a chance for a thriving industry in Canada—growing petunia seeds. There should be an unlimited demand, because there are annually millions of potato bugs in at least one garden with which we are painfully familiar and it is altogether likely they are just as plentiful in many others.

Nomination Proceedings Reveal No Lack of Public Interest in Municipal Affairs

St. Jerusalem, Chatham, Grenville & Augmentation

Nominations for Councillors for the Parish of St. Jerusalem took place on Monday last, in the Court House, Lachute. The retiring councillors Messrs. J. G. Hadley, L. J. Boa, and A. J. Scott, were all re-elected by acclamation. The tax rate for past three years was 75 cts. for 1931; no tax for 1932, and 50 cts. for 1933; with 35 cts. as their levy for 1934.

Quite a lively interest is being maintained in the nomination proceedings of Chatham Township where six contestants are in the field for municipal honors. Ovila Allard was

nominated by W. Chambers with J. A. St. Onge as second, Jno. Dixon by J. L. Kennedy and Jas. H. Murdoch; Execlus Lemay by W. J. Graham and G. I. McFaul; Omer Legault by H. Parizeau and D. Girard; Albin Brunelle by Jos. Farmer and H. Parizeau; Arthur Robbins by H. Parizeau and Jos. Palmer.

Candidates nominated for the Municipality of Grenville and Augmentation are as follows: Thos. Cousens, farmer; J. B. Deslauriers, farmer; C. A. Lowe, merchant; Neil McCallum, farmer; Geo. Reeves, farmer.

SENATE VACANCIES FILLED

At least seven new faces will appear in the Red Chamber of Parliament when it assembles on January 25, by virtue of the Government's appointment of that many new senators at a Cabinet Council held in Ottawa.

Three Ontario Senate vacancies were filled and two each in Quebec and Saskatchewan, while a vacancy on the Superior Court Bench of Quebec was given to Romeo Langlais, K.C., Quebec City, and a number of changes made in the personnel of the Department of National Revenue.

The new senators are as follows:—Horatio C. Hocken, retired Toronto publisher and former member of the Federal Parliament; Alfred E. Fripp, K.C., well-known Ottawa lawyer and one time member of the Federal Parliament; Louis Cote, Ottawa, member of the Ontario Legislature for Ottawa; Guillaume Andre Fauteaux, K.C., Outremont, Que., former Solicitor-General; Lucien Morand, K.C., young Quebec City attorney; Ralph B. Horner, Blaine Lake, Sask., native of Shawville, Que., for 25 years a western farmer and a retiring director of the Canadian National Railways, and Walter B. Aseltine, K.C., Rosetown, Sask. lawyer and wheat farmer.

The Ontario appointments had been well forecast but the others came in the nature of a surprise to the friends of those honored. There had been a strong belief that a woman would be among the number selected, and several names had been suggested. It is believed the Prime Minister is favorable to sending a Canadian woman friend of the party to the Senate and this may be done later.

The reorganization in the National Revenue Department brought the semi-retirement of R. W. Breadner, for many years Commissioner of Customs. He has been retired from that position but will be retained in the Finance Department as tariff adviser. The Commissioner of Tariffs in that department is Hector MacKinnon who also acts as secretary to the Tariff Board.

H. D. Scully, Commissioner of Excise has been elevated to Mr. Breadner's position while David Sim, private secretary to the Minister of National Revenue, receives the appointment of Commissioner of Excise.

In addition to the six Senate vacancies remaining to be filled there are two outstanding deputy-minister appointments to be made. Labor and Marine, and it is expected that the former will be filled without delay. There has been no deputy Minister of Marine for two years, the last incumbent of that position, Alex. Johnston, having retired at the end of 1931.

The Government has also to choose a successor to Mr. Jus-

Another Old County Resident Passes

Late Mrs. William Kidd

After a brief siege of pneumonia, Mrs. William Kidd passed on Tuesday to her reward, at the ripe age of 76. Her death occurred at Lachute, which has been her place of residence since 1911 when she settled in this community from Lakefield. Born in Morin Heights, the deceased lady spent her early years in that section of the County. She became married to James Armstrong, of Lakefield, who died in December, 1920. From this union nine children were born, of whom seven are still living: namely, Mrs. Thos. Murray, of Westmount; Mrs. Allan Beatty, of St. Annes; Mrs. H. R. Cottingham, of Vancouver; Mrs. Roy Cooke, of Arundel; Mrs. Robt. K. Beers, of Sherbrooke; Jas. and Leonard of Montreal.

Mrs. Armstrong was married again in 1926 to Mr. William Kidd, who also predeceased her in June of last year.

Besides her children she is survived by three brothers, Messrs. Eb. and David Swail, of Winnipeg; and Mr. James Swail, at Shrewsbury. Although too late for the funeral ceremony, her daughter Mrs. Cottingham is expected to arrive from Vancouver on Saturday.

The funeral is taking place this (Thursday) afternoon from the Lachute United Church, conducted by Rev. W. B. Rosborough. Interment will take place in the Lachute cemetery.

Religious Denominations In Canada

Religious denominations in Canada at the 1933 census were as follows, according to a statement by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics: Roman Catholic, 4,285,388; United Church, 2,017,375; Anglicans, 1,635,615; Presbyterians, 870,728; Baptists, 443,341; Lutherans, 394,194; Jews, 155,614; Greek Orthodox, 102,389; Methodists, 88,736; Confucians and Buddhists, 39,871; Salvation Army, 30,716; Pentecostal, 26,301.

Life is not a spectacle or a feast; it is a predicament.

—George Santayana

tice C. P. Fullerton, chairman of the Board of Railway Commissioners, who has been appointed chairman of the new Canadian National Railways Board of Trustees. It is not believed this position will be filled until late in the spring.

The Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, Hon. H. H. McLean, has concluded his statutory term of office, but his appointment has been extended six months.

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

Highlights of the Week's Events

Hockey

FIFTH LEAGUE GAME WINS ANOTHER POINT FOR LAURIN

Thursday's match at the local Arena gave further evidence of latent possibilities in Lachute's newest hockey line-up, the L.A.A.A., and only indicated the lack of earlier practice and organization required to make it a downright good team.

H. Prevost refereed a fast and somewhat heavy game in which Laurin Express took the long end of a 6-1 score, thus counting their second game played and the second victory to their credit in the schedule. G. Larocque scored the only goal for the losing team.

LAURIN EXPRESS WIN AGAINST BROWNSBURG

Three games played and three games won, is the record of Laurin Express thus early in the League series. They have, moreover, met all three of the remaining League teams, Saturday's game with Brownsburg completing the round.

The Arena was well crowded for the event, Lachute Brass Band being also in attendance. Their contribution to the entertainment opened and closed in fitting patriotic spirit, with *O Canada* and *God Save the King* respectively.

More interest is evidenced in the League results as the schedule proceeds. Fixture cards are now in circulation among followers of the various clubs.

Saturday's ice was soft, but fast and enthusiastic hockey

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Curling

LACHUTE CLUB ENTERED FOUR RINKS IN TROPHY GAMES

Curling clubs of Quebec Province and the Ottawa district were represented at Montreal on Saturday in the Edinburgh Trophy contests, for the championship of the Granite Curling Association. The clubs entered units of either two or three rinks and the week-end's play ended victory to the Thistle curlers, now champions for the second time. Heather Club held the championship last year.

Among the out-of-town clubs Rideau (of Ottawa) and Sherbrooke tied in the averages. Lachute played four rinks in these contests, one of which was successful, piloted by Mr. J. A. Rice against a Royal Montreal quartet. Mr. J. W. Gall's quartet tied their score, while Geo. Hay and J. P. MacKimmie lost out.

Results of the four games in which local curlers participated, are as follows:

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Badminton

Tuesday and Saturday of each week find the local badminton enthusiasts in active play at the Auditorium. Since November first there has been an enthusiastic attendance at the Club evenings, and interesting matches on the courts. Some fifteen new members having been enrolled this season, the Lachute Club now numbers 40 players. Prospective members and visitors are made welcome on these evenings.

What the Gray House Hid



The Mystery of a Haunted Mansion
by Wyndham Martyn

"A search will be made," Leslie snapped, "and, believe me, it will have unpleasant consequences for you all!"

Appleton was urbane, unruffled. "What makes you suppose that?" "Because I shall be missed." "But will you? That's the point." "Why shouldn't I be missed?" Leslie said heatedly. "The Gray house isn't a hotel where one checks out and is promptly forgotten."

"Fortunately for us," said Mr. Appleton, "you did check out."

"That silly lying doesn't impress me."

Leslie was annoyed that the wild faun and the woman found in his assurance something almost humorous.

"But you have checked out—oh, dear me, yes!" Mr. Appleton took from his pocket the letter that Leslie wrote to Celia. "Miss Hanby will find this tomorrow. The references hidden from us will be clear to her. You have had a quarrel, it seems, and, with the folly I expect from youth, you have decided to go away. Very well, Mr. Barron, you have carried out your threat. Do you think Miss Celia will sink her pride to send out an alarm for you? No! This stupid, unappreciative lad, she will say, 'will come back later to be forgiven. He shall find that there are others to console me.' Her parents, being still amazingly wrapped up in themselves, will not worry. Until I read this, I was a little perturbed at the situation; but you have clarified it."

Leslie opened his mouth to speak, but thought better of it. He was about to remind Appleton that the household would be alarmed because he had gone away in evening clothes, leaving his other belongings in disarray, and had neglected to take his automobile.

"We have attended to all that," Appleton said kindly, guessing his thoughts. "Oh, dear me, yes! A lifetime of a business in which detail plays so important a part is a great aid. I shall presently pack your grip. I have keys to every room in the house. I shall bring them to you here. Your car will be removed by James. It will be in Philadelphia by noon. Tomorrow night you would not recognize it. James has an interest in the business. You will be our guest here for a time."

"Where are we?" Leslie demanded. His spirits had fallen. The Barrons were accustomed to his absence and long silence. The unfortunate letter would exasperate Celia. For some weeks, at all events, he would be an unsought prisoner.

"In Westchester county," replied Mr. Appleton. "We are the guests of one who is dear to me." He bowed with distinguished courtesy to the lady. "You will have no opportunity to escape."

"Am I held for ransom?"

"You are held because it would be inconvenient to let you go."

"You said it!" James commented. "So mighty inconvenient that it wouldn't make me sleep no worse if I had orders from the chief to crash you!"

Luigi here made his expressive gesture of sitting a windpipe. A sudden panic swept over Leslie. He was not used to consorting with criminals. The sense of real danger came to him. He had no chance to escape, and at least two of three men were openly hostile. It must be that he was imperiling the success of some secret affair. The two might sway Appleton to their view. He glanced at them wildly.

"You can't get away with murder!" he cried.

"We should not try," Appleton told him considerably. "It would be an accident. Your body would be picked up in the sound. We might even arrange that it should be clad in a swimming costume. I rather think the Thimble Islands would be suitable—somewhere near Stony creek."

"Why frighten the nice-looking boy?" suggested the woman, in her caressing voice. "It is only if we think he is trying to escape that we should have to do that. Really and truly, Mr. Barron, we are not murderers or kidnappers."

"You will be held until a certain deal that we are putting through is successfully accomplished. Your treatment depends on yourself. Luigi will be your jailer. Look at him, Mr. Barron, and judge for yourself whether it would be wise to try to escape. He has carried a grand piano on that broad back of his. Luigi has a system which has proved very effective with another uninvited guest here."

"He sat a-out o' my hand now," Luigi said proudly. "These one, too!"

Assuredly Leslie could expect no mercy from Luigi, the strong man. So there was another prisoner! Les-

lie felt lonely and fearful. Why had he allowed himself to take offense at Celia? Celia! It was hard work to keep tears from his eyes as he thought of her. Perhaps she would never know how much he loved her. If cruel death took him here among these hardened men, she would think of him as one who allowed the irritation of a moment to overcome the affection he had professed.

Even in that moment Leslie wondered by what magic of authority the little plump man controlled such ruffians as these. There was no question of his dominance; and this was the same quiet, modest, affable person whom Leslie had grown used to seeing at the Hanby table, the man who rarely ventured an opinion, and listened deferentially to those of others! Of the three, Appleton seemed the most sinister and alarming.

CHAPTER IX

The day on which, as the Hanby family supposed, young Barron had taken his early morning departure, saw the arrival of half a dozen visitors. His absence was in a measure overshadowed. Mrs. Hanby spoke of Leslie, and hoped that there had been no quarrel. Celia assured her mother that he was no more than a friend, and that she was well satisfied to be rid of him for a little while.

Dina Hanby put her arm about the girl's shoulder.

"Do you expect me to believe you?" she asked. "I wonder what was in that letter he wrote to you?"

"Here it is," Celia said. "If you can interpret what he means by threatening to 'jump off the road for good,' I should like to know."

"I don't understand references to a 'wild faun,'" said Mrs. Hanby.

"That was nothing," Celia replied. "Here's dad with his house detective. Not a word to them! I'm going to play tennis with my new cousin. He looks most attractive. I've often wanted to contrast Ann Arbor and New Haven."

Dina looked at the two as they sauntered to the courts. Leslie had been very unwise to go just now, she thought.

"You two look as if you were conspiring," she said to her husband.

"I'm reminding Bill of what he said a few weeks back. He remarked that it was beneath the dignity of a lord of the manor to do his own sleuthing. Bill was boasting himself for the job."

"Have I fallen down?" Bill demanded.

Hanby's bantering tone ceased. Dina could see that something worried him.

"Bill," he said, "you have; but I shamed myself, too. I assumed, rather illogically, that when Miss Selma proved merely an emerald in disguise, we had been making mountains from molehills. Seymour's letter puzzled me; but when nothing happened, I put that aside. There was one other threat."

"The woman who said that Red Kerr was killed because he was like you in build? Oh, Bill, you don't think that was anything serious?"

"It prevents us from being dull," replied her husband, laughing. "I find I rather thrive on suspense, and certainly this house has given us enough surprises one way and another. I'm now due to show it to Tom Burton. He's a man who always has a hobby—some sort of bug or other. I've got to listen. Lords of the manor have their duties."

"Do you think he's nervous?" Bill Pelham asked, as he disappeared.

"Not a bit," replied Mrs. Hanby. "He's getting annoyed, and that means that he wants to fight. His mental reactions are quite simple. Look to your laurels, Bill, or he will get ahead of you in this affair. I wonder if there is anything in it!"

She turned her head to where her husband was walking with Professor Burton, whose son was trying to impress Celia with the idea that a college boy, at twenty, stands on an intellectual eminence not easily comprehensible to others. Professor Burton held a chair in philosophy, but it was with living things that his leisure was occupied. Mrs. Burton and Mrs. Hanby were cousins.

"No," said the professor, "I've long ago given up the coleoptera in favor of something more fascinating. I started by way of the reptiles, and came logically to the birds."

"Logically?" said Hanby. "I don't see that, but then I'm ignorant in these matters. If you're interested in birds, you've come to the right spot. Tom, I've got about the best bird-sanctuary in the state."

On his way to it Hanby poured into Professor Burton's ears some of the wisdom that had come to him over the wire from the unknown millionaire ornithologist. Hanby's mem-

ory was good, and he forgot nothing.

"You flatter me," said the other, when he finished. "You have quoted almost verbatim from my article published in the May number of Popular Natural History."

"So that's where he got it from!" Hanby commented, a trifle ruffled. "I thought the old faker was giving me something from his own published dope."

Hanby related the incident. Professor Burton shook his head.

"You must have made a mistake in the name. Remember, Bill, this is my pet hobby, and I know every writer on our birds. I'm president of my State Ornithological association, and corresponding member of a score of others. I'm in touch with every ornithologist in this country, but I have never heard of your millionaire. He is neither a contributor to the literature of the subject nor a donor of funds for bird conservation. Some of your friends have been playing a joke on you."

Half an hour later the professor had changed his clothes to khaki and puttees. He was armed with sketch books, notebooks, and a costly camera. He declined any aid. He even resented it. Every now and then it could be seen that he despised the amateur ornithologist. His luncheon had been put up for him, and he promised to be in time to dress for dinner.

He was glad, as he fought his way along, that he was armed with leather gauntlets and stout clothes. Nature had placed about this little sanctuary a seemingly impenetrable barrier.

He had begun to despair of reaching the distant mound when he saw that this solid hedge came to an end. He stepped from it to a path worn by the foot of man—a path three feet across, bearing the impress of recent treading.

Professor Burton set out to follow the path to its end. Presently it brought him to a stream, sunk at least ten feet below the surrounding ground. It was this stream, he supposed, which had been diverted in order that the twenty-acre lake half a mile away might be fed.

He resumed his silent walk along the path. The acrid smell of a cigar snote his nose. He knew the noisome long and narrow cigars which only native Indians enjoy. Then the odor was wafted from him, and he found his path dropping toward the stream level.

The professor stopped. He had suddenly encountered a stranger.

It would be difficult to say which of the two seemed the more amazed. The professor looked upon a small but well-proportioned man dressed with conservative elegance. The stranger's face was florid, and his mild blue eyes were accentuated in size by reason of strong lenses.

Mr. Appleton, for his part, thought he had run across an inquiring scout master laden with all the impedimenta that his position demanded. Burton was tall and slight, and suggested erudition.

"How did you get here," Mr. Appleton began, "and by whose leave have you trespassed thus?"

"I am kin by marriage to Mr. Hanby," said the professor. "He gave me permission. Your status, sir, is not so clear."

"In order to make my position clear," he said frankly, "I must term myself a sanitation expert. Mr. Hanby has heard that former tenants of the Gray house have suffered from sewer-gas poisoning. He does not wish to alarm his family and visitors. I am, therefore, making a sort of secret investigation. Much water settles here, as the luxuriant foliage shows. I have been commissioned to determine upon the healthfulness of this spot, and to make what recommendations I see fit."

"Before doing so, I should like you to come with me and see more. You cannot possibly judge from here."

Professor Burton followed the other along a winding pathway, until he was in the thicket's very center. When his guide paused on the edge of an opening, the professor exclaimed upon the oddity of a lake, filled in, as he had supposed, being open instead.

"It was only partially filled in," Mr. Appleton told him. "When I took charge of the work, I had my own views—very interesting views, too," he added, chuckling. "Oh, dear me, yes! They amuse me even now. You can settle a moot point for me. He looked over the edge of the opening, gazing intently at some low bushes whose roots were in the moist earth. "What is that?" Appleton asked. "Look at it and tell me."

Professor Burton moved toward the edge and peered down.

"Is this one of the things that amuse you?" he demanded.

(To be Continued.)

AUNT JEAN HERSELF

A Column for the Kiddies
(Copyright)

HE WAS CARELESS

Chicker-ee, chacker-ee, chicker-ee chump, A chipmunk sat on an icy stump, Scolding and scolding this wee cross song, For his feet were cold and the wind was strong;

His path was filled with snow so deep, To his hoard of nuts he could not creep, He sat and scolded first this way and then that, Forgetting quite—the old gray cat—

Who sneaked to the stump without a sound, Up its rough sides made a darting bound, Chicker-ee, chacker-ee chicker-ee chump, There's no chipmunk now, on the icy stump.

GETTING EVEN WITH THE JONES CROWD

(Continued)

"Don't do anything rash boys," their mother said, "always count one hundred when you are vexed, before taking action of any sort. Norah and I will come out and help fix up your slide so that you can still have your fun."

"Here come the Scotts and Kemps," said Jack. "We will have to go and tell them our slide has been destroyed."

The girls of the party came to the house while the boys went to look at their ruined slide. Their exclamations of anger and hate were loud and more than one doubled fist was shaken in the direction of the Jones house, but the little Jones crowd very wisely kept inside just then.

In a short time Mother Harper opened the door and said, "Boys, I think it would be a good plan to talk it over in the house, over a cup of cocoa and toasted peanuts."

There was a general scramble for the house and soon all were gathered around the kitchen fire listening to Mrs. Harper's story, as she said, "Auntie Sue told me a story last night which I am going to pass on to you. She says there used to be a family living next door to her. The children were rather mischievous but very lovable and she was rather fond of them. Now, through the treachery of some so-called friends, their father failed in business. Their mother died of the shock, and the father got some cousin of his to look after the children. She had not been used to children and was of rather a hard disposition, while the children who had been used to loving treatment grew morbid and bad-tempered under the new rule. The father's health has failed, to that he has had to move to the country, and these poor kiddies are now living amongst strangers, with no one to care if they are happy or not. Auntie was quite sure that they did not have any Christmas tree or any Christmas gifts at all, perhaps not even clothing enough to keep them warm. And that is not all. I believe there are some children living next door to them who seem to have everything to play with, but because these motherless little ones are poor looking and strangers, they won't play with them or have anything to do with them. Now don't you think that's a sad case?"

"Oh dear!" said Mabel, "how I wish that they lived next door to us instead of that horrid Jones crowd. I would just love to help them."

to help them."

An odd little smile hovered around their mother's mouth for a few minutes before she said "Just guess where those children live?"

"Mother!" said Ben solemnly, "surely they are not the Jones Crowd?"

"Yes my boy, they are just the Jones Crowd, those poor little motherless children that Auntie Sue loved so much. She sent out some warm clothing and toys to be given them and I was thinking we could have a Christmas tree for them tonight. We could put the things Auntie sent on it, and perhaps you children would have something that you would like to give them too. Auntie says kindness will win those children, while blows and threats will only make bitter enemies of them. And now that you know their story, I am sure that you would rather have them as friends than enemies, would you not?"

There was such a long silence that Mother Harper withdrew and left them to think it over by themselves. Bye and bye she heard Mabel say "Well, if Aunt Sue loved them there must be something worth loving in them. Aunt Sue seldom makes a mistake in her friends. Let's try to make them love instead of hate us.—All in favor, as they say in real meetings."

Following her lead there was a general uplifting of hands and Rob, Scott said "Three cheers for the Jones Crowd, the poor little beggars. Let's make them a real Christmas, even if it is late. I'll get a tree and paint up my old sled for the oldest chap, and I guess Lil and May and Grant will be able to hunt up something for them."

Mother Harper called from the next room, "That is the right kind of way, children, now we will all go out and fix up the slide and while it is freezing, we will come in and eat things ready for the Jones' Christmas tree. I believe I will phone Auntie Sue and Uncle Ned and have them come out and join in the fun."

The slide was made better than ever and the children were so excited over what was going to happen that night, that they enjoyed their fun more than ever too.

Uncle Ned and Auntie Sue came out for the evening and led the procession to the home of the Jones Crowd, where a great ringing of bells announced their arrival. Uncle Ned dressed as Santa Claus, opened the door and set a small but well trimmed Christmas tree laden with all sorts of good things inside, bowed very low and said, "With the compliments of the Harpers, Kemps and Scotts, and they all want you over to help them build

snow forts on Saturday."

To see the shamed look that crept over the faces of the Jones Crowd was a victory indeed for the others and they did not need the oldest Jones boy's manly apology and promise to keep their slide in good order for the remainder of the winter to convince them that Mother's way of getting even was the best.

Next story — More about the Jones, Harpers, Scotts and Kemps.

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She: "I am sorry that I cannot marry you, I am anaemic". He: "That's all right with me, you go to your own church, I'll go to mine."

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(London Answers)

Dora was in the middle of her singing lesson when her mother arrived on the scene. After listening for some time she broke in:

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The music teacher seemed at a loss for words.

"Well, madam," he said at last "it's rather difficult to say."

"But you must know by now if she possesses some of the qualifications," said the girl's mother, sharply.

"Well, she's got a mouth," replied the teacher.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Town of St-Jerome will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, to obtain the adoption of a special law amending its charter on the following subjects:—about the electric transmission lines,—about the maintenance and improvements of private properties,—about the taxation of properties and trades,—about the dividing properties into lots,—about the valuation roll,—about the delay to execute public works,—about the responsibilities of the Town,—about the date of the municipal elections and the qualifications of electors,—about the rate of interest and a discount on municipal taxes,—about the hour of polling and the vote on by-laws by land-owners,—about the deposit, fines and disqualification on the contestation of municipal elections,—about the authorization to the Town to fix, for municipal purposes, the valuation of companies for a period of not more than ten years, and for other purposes.

St-Jerome this 11th. of December 1933.
CHS. ED. MARCHAND,
Attorney duly authorized for the Town of St-Jerome.

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Making History in Argenteuil

Extracted from files of The Watchman.

50 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 11, 1884.

Several accidents have occurred on the railways as result of heavy snowstorms in the West.

The first mails from the country parishes since snowfall of Jan. 1st., have just reached Quebec City, the bags having to be carried in on snowshoes. Such stoppage of communication has not been known for twenty years.

There will be a Bachelors' Social in the school house at Beech Ridge on Jan. 16th.

There were two hundred and sixty new buildings erected in Montreal last year, including eight manufacturing establishments.

The Shareholder, Montreal newspaper, is of the opinion that Canada wants a "parcel post; a cable by which we can get our news unfiltered by New York politicians; and a national express company that shall be free from impertinence and extortion."

Miss Nellie Pattee, Ottawa, daughter of Mr. Pattee, of the well known lumbering company of Perley and Pattee, was married to Mr. Berkley Powell at a fashionable wedding last Thursday.

Miss Florence McGillivray, of Montreal, spent the weekend in town with her parents.

Mr. Gilbert Christie has left for Victoria, B.C., to dispose of his business there, after which he will return and take up residence in Lachute.

25 Years Ago.

Friday, March 12, 1909.

Mr. J. E. Simpson left this week for Saskatoon, accompanied by Messrs J. D. Noyes and John Smith.

The Railway Commission has made a peremptory order on the Canadian Northern Railway for putting in good condition the Monfort branch running from St. Jerome to 16 Island Lake. The tracks have to be improved and a better service inaugurated.

At the regular meeting of the County Council the secretary reported the municipal valuations as follows: St. Jerusalem \$240,788; St. Andrews \$267,610; Chatham \$549,255; Grenville & Augmentation \$210,910; Carillon \$31,559; Harrington \$72,187; Montcalm \$39,740; Gore \$37,440; Howard \$49,052; Mille Isles \$35,385; Morin \$45,230; Arundel \$156,770; Wentworth \$97,035.

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WOLVES HAUL SLEIGHS
(Border Cities Star.)

Farmer at Pincher Creek, Alta., is training wolves to haul sleighs. Thus, to Pincher Creekers, the assertion that the wolf is at the door merely means that the local taxi awaits.

"Guelph Mercury"—

If you would like to know about one of the dodges over the border which enables crooks to escape punishment for their misdeeds, consider the plight of Mrs. Clara Alt, of Chicago. Mrs. Alt's home was burglarized in 1928. Twenty times since then Mrs. Alt has gone to court prepared to testify against the men who have been charged with the crime; and each time the case has been continued, so that she has had the fun of going to the court house 20 times for nothing. The other day a new hearing was scheduled. Mrs. Alt was on a woman's committee to welcome Mrs. Roosevelt to the World's Fair, so she didn't go to court. She was sent for and fined \$10 for staying away.

Fashion note: There will be little change in men's pockets this winter.

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A BABY HERCULES.

If the ancient Greeks marvelled at the feats of the infant Hercules in strangling serpents to death, what would they think of this six-year-old Canadian Hercules, who can carry his 197-pound uncle on his shoulders? The lad is little "Buddy" Andrews, of New Westminster, British Columbia. He only weighs 45 pounds and is but 3 1/2 feet tall. "Buddy" could stand on his own feet when only five weeks old and scaled a 22-foot ladder at the age of 22 months. The youthful Hercules is fond of boxing and recently drew blood from his uncle's nose in an exhibition bout. Look at those back muscles.

KEEPING ON THE FRONT PAGE.

The first press agent P. T. Barnum ever had is reported dead. It is doubtful if Barnum ever knew what he started when he hired him, but the principle still holds good in many illustrious cases: "I don't care what the newspapers say about me, as long as they keep on saying something."—St. Catharines Standard.

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ARE ACCLAMATIONS REALLY A GOOD THING?

In a number of the municipalities an effort is being made to re-elect municipal councils and commissioners by acclamation. The principal reason advocated is that of expense—the desire to save a few dollars.

Many municipalities are hard pressed for money to carry on, continues the Owen Sound Daily Sun-Times, and would welcome any move which would relieve them of the necessity of spending money needlessly. The election of the councils and other bodies without taking a vote is looked upon as one method. There may be arguments in favor of such a proposition, but it is questionable whether it is in the best interests of the taxpayers to make a practice of returning to office the same men.

Perhaps never before in the history of the country has there been so much caustic criticism of government, municipal, provincial, and federal. People who are having a hard time to make ends meet are ready to blame those in authority for their troubles. Those who are shouldering the responsibilities of government are not having any easy task, while they receive but scant thanks for their labors. It is doubtful whether some would welcome a return to office, preferring that someone else assume a portion of the burden while those voters who are continually complaining should be given the opportunity of voting for those who they may consider better fitted for the job. An election may result in their feeling better anyway.

After all, the responsibility is on the ratepayer. It is he who makes the choice at the beginning of the year and if satisfaction is not given the remedy is still in his hands. Admitting that the financial side of the matter is important, at the same time it is open to serious debate whether it is the course of wisdom so far as the ratepayers are concerned.

STUDY OF OVER-INSURANCE AND FIRE LOSSES

During the last five years Fort Worth, Texas, has had a fire loss record averaging about one million dollars per year, or over \$6 per capita, according to some interesting facts enumerated by G. D. Fairtrace, City Manager, in an article appearing in *Public Management*. In addition, this high loss has automatically assessed an additional cost to fire insurance premium payers of over \$200,000 a year under the system of credits and penalties in use in Texas, and which compensates for a good or bad fire record.

In an attempt to evaluate the importance of the several factors responsible for fire losses in Fort Worth, Texas, a study was made recently of the fire loss records for the first six months of 1932 with the result that the city manager submitted certain recommendations to the state fire insurance commissioner and the city initiated a campaign against arsonites. It was estimated that incendiary fires account for 55 per cent of the total fire loss, these fires occurring chiefly in residences with a chance of profit that averages \$1,000 per fire. The high incendiary losses are reduced from the fact that 30 per cent of the fires were known to be incendiary and 49 per cent are classified as unknown. The city fire marshal (Every Texas city has a fire marshal, usually the chief of the fire prevention bureau in the fire department, whose principal duty is the investigation of fires) reports that more than one-half of the unknown fires were of obviously incendiary origin but cannot be designated as such because of lack of sufficient evidence. Thus 55 per cent of the total fire loss appears to be a reasonable estimate for incendiary fires.

A careful study of forty incendiary fires reveals that in thirty cases the insured value was higher than the full value as determined by the tax assessor. In nineteen of the thirty cases, the insured value was 15 per cent higher, and in eight cases 50 per cent over-insurance, as measured by the 100 per cent assessed valuation. A comparison of the amount of insurance actually collected and the damage sustained in twenty-seven incendiary fires shows that the average losses paid on buildings and contents amounted to \$743 more than the damage estimated by the city fire marshal whose estimates of damage are generally liberal. By comparison of insurance payments with building permits for repairs, the average profit on buildings alone appears to be between \$500 and \$800. This figure combined with the fire marshal's estimate of \$430 average profit on contents shows a profit of from \$900 to \$1,200 per fire. It is believed the experienced arsonite could expect at least \$1,000 profit on each fire. These and other facts discovered in the survey led to the conclusion that: (1) Property is widely over-insured, (2) total loss fires are negligible, (3) profits on incendiary fires can be charged against poor and not to the "value-of-policy" law which requires full payment of the face of the policy, (4) insurance agents are careless about inquiring into the moral hazard, (5) adjusters accord little if any attention to evidence of arson, (6) skillful and effective and often dangerous salvage work of the fire department is often wasted because of lax adjusting, (7) arsonites receive larger proportional damages than do honest victims of fire, and (8) insurance companies do not adequately oppose payment in cases of known arson.

ELECTRICAL WIRES TURN WATER BAD
Practice of "Grounding" on Home Pipes Said to Cause Condition

Electrical appliances are turning the household drinking water pink, blue or green and giving it bad tastes and odors, the Hackensack Water Company (N.Y.) announced recently.

The trouble comes largely from the widespread practice of "grounding" electric wires on home water pipes. Fugitive currents of electricity are set up. They cause a hitherto unreported source of electrolysis whereby the metal of the pipes is chemically activated. Many instances of this chemical activity reaching the trouble stage are reported by Nicholas S. Hall jr., president of the water company. They were usually cases in which the water in the mains outside was pure, but bad when it flowed from the kitchen tap.

"Blue water in a Bergen County bathtub," he stated, "was apparently traced to a radio grounded to a water pipe. The condition was intensified late at night when the radio was operating continuously. The blue disappeared when the ground wire was reconnected at a different point. The current had apparently slightly disintegrated a brass pipe."

"In another place a radio grounded to a brass water pipe used to supply a continuous stream of water to a small aquarium caused the death of two out of three goldfish. In another case a storage battery radio was grounded to a hot water heating system, and therefore connected with the water service. Removal of the radio ground eliminated a disagreeable odor."

Investigations were made embracing 51 communities in Bergen and North Hudson counties, to discover the cause of tastes and odors in tap water at certain premises.

The tastes and odors would not occur uniformly throughout the day, but would be more noticeable at certain fairly well defined hours. In each case where trouble was finally attributed to electrical currents, ground wires from electric light or power lines, radio or some other electrical equipment were found attached to water piping within the building.

The report says similar experiences have been noted in New England cities where tooth brushes turned blue and sinks green from defects in an electrical refrigerator. Pink water also has been traced to electrolysis.

POLICE WANT BETTER ENGLISH

Much interest has been aroused among members of the New York City Police Department in the course in written and oral English, which is being given at the police academy under the direction of the College of the City of New York—says a writer in the Christian Science Monitor.

Designed to eliminate slang and bad grammar and to improve the speaking and writing abilities of the bluecoats, the course has proved exceedingly popular. The opening session was attended by more than 500 men. Subsequent sessions have been equally well attended, and the large enrollment is the more striking when it is considered that the policemen appear voluntarily and during their off-duty hours.

The course is one that has been sought by members of the department on their own initiative. The need for such training was brought to the attention of police officials by a group of men assigned to the "Midtown Squad", a body of selected policemen who "sell the town" to visitors by their courtesy.

Police Commissioner James S. Bolan sums up the situation thus:

"Police problems call for courteous public service, involving accurate information spoken in clearcut grammatical language. The benefits of this course will be reflected not only within the department but in our contacts with the general public. Improved oral English will increase the high respect which the people of this great metropolis have for our splendid force."

"Hundreds of thousands of people leave their homes daily bound for a particular destination. Many come to the policeman for information as to locations. Innumerable favorable comments are made with regard to the willingness and desire of police officers to assist courteously our citizens and especially our visitors. Surely this reflects great credit on the rank and file of the force."

Commissioner Bolan believes that among the influences that make it difficult to cultivate the habit of good English are the modern novel, the indifference to what constitutes good speech on the part of society in general, and the pervasive effects of the slovenly speech of the streets.

The policemen attending the classes include inspectors, captains, lieutenants and sergeants, as well as patrolmen, patrolwomen, policemen and detectives. The detectives in particular, are expected to receive benefit in making out their reports, which frequently have to be used in courts as official evidence.

Dr. Frederick B. Robinson, president of City College, was present at the inaugural session and it is reported that one of the policemen, a burly six-footer, rose from his seat self-consciously and gave this explanation for his attendance:

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TRADITION AND PROGRESS

A phase of radical regime little talked of and perhaps less understood on this side of the Atlantic, is mentioned by Professor Albert Einstein in his comment on the trend of German affairs. In ten years of existence under present conditions, the Professor asserts, the universities of Germany will lose their tradition completely. He adds, incidentally, that 10 years of such conditions will never materialize, for "government under such crazy people cannot last."

In our state of New World modernism, the depth of tradition underlying European peoples, their institutions, customs and ideals, is not readily appreciated. How completely they have been obliterated in Russia, since the systematizing of life under Soviet supervision! The most sacred of religious beliefs irradiated; the most revered institutions overthrown. Education proceeds—but it is so "purged" of its time-honored rudiments that it must be truly tragic to those who knew and cherished pre-revolutionary culture.

Can the same tragedy recur in Germany? Already we see exponents of the arts and sciences driven abroad—notably the performers, the musicians, who cherish the classic creations of German genius. Will these compositions be scarified next, for traces of Semitism?—and so through every phrase of culture, and the tradition embedded therein?

No matter what benefits may accrue to the tangible, physical Germany under its new-found radicalism, it were perhaps better for the German soul that "government under such crazy people cannot last."

A FULL LEGISLATIVE PLATE

The opening of parliament at Quebec reveals a full and interesting program, and if a few of the government's aims can be achieved there will be at least one or two measures effecting the lowly citizen—whose voice in these matters seems oft times so faint and unavailing.

There are measures regulating the operation of police services. There are concessions directed to lumber and pulp interests. . . . But closer to the interests of the rural Canadian, there are ideas to establish the fair price of milk; there are plans to improve the wages of lumbermen.

Truly, as a press-gallery critic remarks, it is a program which, in these four items alone, "smacks of elections." But if the same spirit can proceed through the session, to the achievement of something worth while, then the progress of deliberations will meet with general approval regardless of politics.

A PITFALL OF TERMINOLOGY

Commenting on the budget principle and tax levies, Oscar Morin, Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs in Quebec, points to the folly of budgeting on the basis of Revenue rather than on Receipts. Revenue, in civic parlance, represents amounts assessable and due to be collected. Receipts, however, signify amounts actually collectable. And in times like these the two terms are far from synonymous.

In small business, the hand to mouth principle has made it more or less instinctive to govern expenditure by actual receipts. "Try and collect" is a theme too often encountered to be ignored. And in civic business too, it is evident that unsoundly based budgets are at the root of many a burdensome debt.

If there is any truth in the assurance that real old-fashioned winters are followed by the choicest summers—we can perhaps revive our spirits and begin counting the days till next spring.

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The Ottawa Spotlight

A Weekly Review of National Affairs
By Wilfrid Eggleston

Ottawa, January 10.—The restoration of titles has been received with mixed feelings. The Conservative 'board of strategy' did not welcome the move at just this time: they are afraid of the effect on the country. Nor did some members of the cabinet. The character of the appointments themselves, however, was generally applauded. Duff, in particular, is a jurist, scholar and statesman all who know him delight to honor. But there is some suspicion that the move is the 'thin edge of the wedge' and the rumor that Premier Bennett is getting ready to accept a seat in the House of Lords is being revived. The Liberals look upon the move as another gift from the gods to help win the next election. The Socialists will, of course, condemn it as an effort to perpetuate a social caste system. The King's Birthday list given out on the 3rd of June will be of more than ordinary interest to Canada this year.

Deputy Ministers Go

A wholesale house-cleaning among the heads of the Ottawa civil service has been in effect now for some time, the latest being the retirement of W. J. Egan, deputy minister of immigration. This is the third departmental head to retire in three weeks. Since the present government came into power no less than 14 deputy ministers or heads of departments have been retired or have resigned, and one or two more moves are said to be pending. There are now only five deputies left who were here when Mackenzie King left the prime minister's office.

Political Appointments.

These heads of departments are, of course, party nominations, and so do not go through the Civil Service commission. Just the same, the civil service is keenly affected when a deputy minister is replaced by some outside man. Normally the assistant deputy hopes to be promoted when the deputy head retires. This in turn leaves a place for the next in turn, and so on. As many as ten promotions in one department may follow in such cases. There are, in both Labor and Immigration, assistant deputies who have been 20 or 25 years in their present duties and who under other circumstances would inevitably step up. The Civil Service has been working for three years without the usual statutory increases and with a salary cut, and feels very keenly any additional disappointment.

To be fair to the present ministry it should be recalled that there have been a number of appointments recently which show recognition of merit and a willingness to forget party affiliations. David Sim, the new commissioner of excise, was a Liberal who came to Ottawa as Hon. W. D. Eulor's private secretary. Watson Selar, who is Controller of Expenditure, was Hon. James Robb's secretary and was also known as a liberal. Hector MacKinnon, secretary of the tariff board, is another Liberal who has been advanced by Premier Bennett.

More Work and Lower Taxes

The provinces come to Ottawa looking for a generous public works program to be started in the spring, which will have the effect of lifting many thousands off the bread lines and relieving the situation in several ways. The federal government will be expected to foot the bill largely, because the provinces have for the most part spent and borrowed as much as their condition permits. As heralded by Premier Bennett in a radio address, it is supposed that the federal end of this building will be financed partly by the issue of new notes, based on the present gold holdings.

The four western provinces want some relief from their heavy interest bill. The federal government is getting tired of acting like Santa Claus for various provinces, but the provinces in turn have grievances of their own against Ottawa. They claim that the fiscal policy, immigration policy, etc., of the Ottawa government, over which they have no direct control, are capable of placing tremendous burdens on the provincial governments. A mild 'revolt of the provinces' particularly in the Maritimes and on the prairies, against trade restriction, is being considered, so I am told.

With Local Sports Fans

(Continued from Page 1)

Hockey

featured the game, refereed by J. McGibbon and E. Barker. Penalties were few and of a minor nature. Brownsburg appeared in their new uniforms of smart black and white. Their loss, to the tune of 2-4, was cheerfully taken. Golden and McGibbon scored for the visitors, and the 'Burg players dished up their usual brand of clean-cut and sporty hockey. The Lachute goals fell to the credit of J. Berniquier (2), Browns (a solo score) and H. Jones. . . . Incidentally the Express team to date count only three tallies against them in the League play—which may be considered a credit to their defence and goal-tending. However, the season is yet in its early stages.

AYERS' VICTORY EVENS BROWNSBURG AND MILLS STANDING

A victory for Ayers in contest with Brownsburg last Tuesday evened the two clubs in the standing to date, each with four games played and two wins to their credit.

The score was 5-3, in a match which was voted one of the fastest and most gripping of the season. The first period ran even and closed at 1-1. The second clash evidenced a slight edge for the home players, although the scoring closed even again, at 2-2. The final period was the highlight of the game, each team set upon striking a decisive lead. Ayers had the definite advantage of the play, doubtless spurred by Bidou Patry's tally early in the third session. Brownsburg boys also exerted their best, and edged their score up to 3; Ben Patry and Roberts were kept on the jump at the nets, both goalers making fine saves which kept the score down low considering the heat of the bombardment. Ayers Limited, however, climaxed their victory at 5 goals.

Scorers for the Lachute team were Cousineau, Joly, McFaul, and Bidou Patry (2).

The play was refereed again by Messrs. McGibbon and Barker, minor penalties falling to Miron and Joly of Ayers, McGibbon and Gagne, of Brownsburg.

TWO LEAGUE GAMES TONIGHT

Both at Lachute and Brownsburg, the series will be continued tonight, the four League teams being engaged on the ice. At the Arena L.A.A.A. will meet Ayers Limited while at Brownsburg the game will be between Laurin Express and the Burg.

Another engagement between Ayers and Laurin should attract a good following at the Arena on Saturday.

Only the insane take themselves quite seriously.

—Max Beerbohm.

Curling

LADIES' CURLING CLUB

Among the local lady curlers, play for the coveted Club Trophy concluded on Saturday. In the winning rink were—Miss Janet McQuat, Mrs. W. K. McArthur, Mrs. F. A. Brennian, Miss Alice Riddell (Skip).

A series of contests for the President's Prize commenced on Wednesday.

Next Monday, Jan. 15th., will be an occasion of social interest, being the semi-monthly tea of the Club.

MEN'S CLUB (Continued)

At Caledonia Club

W. Cottingham, S. Campbell, R. Todd, J. A. Rice (Skip) won with 13-6, over A. G. Fenwick's rink (Royal Montreal).

W. M. Scott, D. J. Bates, W. Deacon, G. Hay (Skip) lost with 5-16 to S. H. Gebbie's rink (Caledonia).

At Thistle Club

T. K. Haller, C. E. Richardson, R. McArthur, J. W. Gall (Skip) tied 13-13, with M. T. Trenholme's rink (Montreal West).

At Heather Club

L. King, R. Vickery, W. S. MacKimmie, J. P. MacKimmie (Skip) lost with 5-17, to Mr. Mowatt's rink (Heather).

At the three clubs, Lachute's visiting curlers report hospitable entertainment, and without exception the events were most thoroughly enjoyed.

DUNANY CUP GAMES PROGRESSING

Four games for the Dunany Cup have been played off to date. Activities are somewhat curtailed as one sheet of ice has undergone an eruption and on Wednesday only one rink was in use.

Tuesday's results are not available. Last night (Wednesday) H. M. Gall's rink were victors over J. A. MacKimmie; and J. P. MacKimmie, substituting for Dr. J. M. Drew lost to a rink skipped by J. A. Rice.

Policeman: Hey, what are you trying to do?

Inebriate: I'm trying to pull this lamp off the bridge, hic, my wife wants a bridge lamp.

INTERNATIONAL ARMY

Spiritual Head of the Moslems Would

Abolish National Armies and
Change League of Nations.

The Aga Khan, one of the world's twelve richest men, says he would wipe out all national armies and navies, and substitute an international army and navy to police the world.

This international peace force would be controlled by a world parliament at Geneva, in place of the "present unsatisfactory League of Nations."

If he were dictator of the world instead of being the ruler of a mere 100,000,000 persons, he said in a recent radio address, his big object would be to make peace assured. He



THE AGA KHAN

was recommended by the Council of State for India for the Nobel Peace Prize in 1923.

The Aga Khan speaks of a world parliament. As a beginning, he proposes that an international army be formed to operate in those danger zones where there is a continual threat to world peace—Central Europe, the Balkans and Asia. He would demilitarize the little nations of these zones, and by properly-conducted and free plebiscites adjust their political quarrels.

The Aga Khan is spiritual head of the Indian Mohammedan community.

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Sale Commences Friday, Jan. 12

Want Ads.

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LOST.—A small black suitcase between C.P.R. Station and Hill Head, on Dec. 23rd. Initials A. H. G. Reward \$20.00 on return to Mr. R. McFaul's Store or phone 923 r 1-2. J-11-2-c.

TENDERS

Tenders are called for 140 Red Cedar Posts—7 ft. long, small end not to be less 5 inches in diameter, and 10 Red Cedars—22 to 25 ft. long, small end not to be less 12 inches in diameter.

The 140 Posts to be delivered at place specified by Council, the 10 large cedars to be delivered at Parish Lot, Upper Lachute Road. Said tenders to be in the hands of the Secretary on, or, before Monday, January 22nd. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Municipal Council,
Parish of St. Jerusalem.
J-20-2-c.

AUCTION SALE

There will be sold by Public Auction at the farm of
ROBERT CREIGHTON
East Settlement,
January 20th, 1934

The following effects:—One horse; mare; filly, 17 months old; 6 milch cows; 2, two and a half year old heifers will freshen in the spring; 2 one and a half year old heifers; 2 summer calves; 2 Leicester sheep; Deering grain-binder; Deering mowing machine; Massey Harris 12 ft. horse rake; Massey Harris broad cast seeder; McCormick disc harrow; smoothing harrow; iron plough; rack sleigh; pair of sloops and rack; buggy; express, manure spreader; Moody steel land roller; hand ensilage cutter, sheep shearing machine; cream separator; a quantity of hay, and all the smaller articles too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 12 o'clock
Conditions of Sale: \$10.00 and under cash, over that amount 10 months credit on approved joint notes.

Robert Creighton, Prop.

WIVES NOW FAVORED

In Granting New Rights to Women
Parliament Forgot Sometimes
to Safeguard Husbands.

The scales are tipped against the husband in favor of the wife, in the opinion of Professor Vincent Macdonald, former private secretary to Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, now a member of the Dalhousie Law School staff. He expressed this opinion in the course of an address at Halifax.

"In attempting to remove woman's disabilities Parliament has tipped the scales against the husband, for it has given women new rights whilst failing to make the necessary adjustments in the corresponding position of the husband."

"If the unity of persons is gone and the wife is now an individual before the law it may be that her position should be as well secured as his; but in fact it is more so, in-so-far as he is still subject to 'habilities' arising out of legal incapacity, though that incapacity exists no longer."

It was Professor Macdonald's opinion that the doctrine of uniformity suffered some erosion in the course of time and the husband's rights were modified and his privileges restricted with the growing recognition of the rights of women in an individualistic world.

Until sixty years ago she was still subject to grave disabilities. The scales were in favor of the husband. Beginning with 1870, however, Parliament enacted a series of married women's property acts designed to remove her disabilities and to give her the capacities of the fully competent legal person with respect to the making of contracts, the holding of property, etc.

"Wives possess powers and privileges denied to husbands. Husbands suffer burdens from which wives are free. A wife may by her negligent driving or slanderous tongue involve her husband in ruinous liability to a third party injured thereby, but she is in no way liable to pay for 'his' negligence or slander though she may possess millions," said Professor Macdonald.

The speaker pointed out, however, that there is still one important situation in which the husband's rights are paramount. That is the capacity of wives to contract bills in the names of their husbands; wifehood does not of itself confer on a wife any authority or power to pledge her husband's credit.

Coming Events.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church will be held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 16th., at 8 o'clock.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the St. Jerusalem Farmers' Club will be held in the Town Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 16th., at 7.30 p.m. W. T. Jackson, Pres.; D. G. Simon, Sec.-Treas.

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Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Laurentian Ayrshire Breeders' Club will be held in the Town Hall, Friday, Jan. 26th., at 2 p.m. Everybody welcome. A. M. Smith, Pres.; D. G. Simon, Sec.-Treas.

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County and Scarlet Meetings

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Loyal Orange Lodges of the County of Argenteuil will take place in McArthur's Hall, Lachute, on Saturday, Jan. 20th., at 2 p.m. sharp. Business: Election and Installation of Officers, receiving Reports and other General Business. By order of the County Master, W. L. Dawson, C.M.; W. T. MacNaughton, C. Rec.-Sec'y.

RADIO IN ENGLAND DOES MUCH TO ENCOURAGE AMATEUR MUSICIANS

Radio in England is encouraging amateur musicians rather than tending to exterminate them, according to prominent British musical authorities, including Sir Jno. Reith, Sir Walford Davies and Dr. Adrian Boult. The nation, in their opinion, may be turning into one of listeners, but out of the nation of listeners is being born a nation of music makers equipped with a knowledge gained from their listening.

The question of the effect of the radio on amateur musicians was discussed by the British Federation of Musical Competition Festivals at a national conference held not long ago. Now is the moment, it was pointed out, for people—faced with more leisure—to gain intimate understanding of music which wireless can give.

"I dislike the words 'mechanized music,'" said Sir Walford Davies. "Nobody has ever attempted to prove that a telescope mechanizes the landscape. By the use of a telescope, more of the landscape becomes visible; by the use of the wireless, more of music becomes understood, and only through understanding will music be appreciated."

Sir Walford says that a "huge territorial army of music makers" is waiting in Great Britain to be marshaled into action, and that such marshaling must be accomplished without delay.

"We of the British Broadcasting Corporation," he said, "do not pretend that we can make the whole world musical, but we do claim that we can release in England an imaginative response in people, and indigenous energy that would not otherwise be released."

And, he continued, "such release is imperative when it is realized that, sooner or later, authority will decide to shorten working hours in order to balance the possibilities of employment, and that, when this happens, people will be thrown back on their own resources for the right use of their leisure."

Dr. Geoffrey Shaw, authority on music broadcasting, raised the question of how best to prepare for the occupation of leisure by the use of music.

Where most people make a mistake, he said, is in concluding that the teaching of music

Town Locals.

Mr. Harold Nicoll left this week for Howick, Que.

Miss Gisele Legault returned to College on Monday, after spending the holidays in town.

Miss Grace McMahon returned to Harrington on Saturday last to resume her duties there.

Miss Margaret D. Rogers, of Calumet, spent the week-end, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rogers.

Miss Edith Morrison leaves this week to spend the week-end with her father in Mat-tawa, Ont.

Miss Shirley Hamilton, of Montreal, spent the week-end, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton.

Miss Edith Gall who has been spending the holidays with her parents, left this week to resume her studies in Montreal.

Mr. Ben E. Rogers of the Inspection Staff of the Bank of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents, prior to leaving for Guelph and other points in Ontario.

Miss Elizabeth Goldsworthy and Mr. Gibson Brown left on Monday to resume their duties at Toronto Bible College, after spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Goldsworthy.

Mrs. R. Beers of Sherbrooke, Que.; Mrs. Beattie, of St. Annes de Bellevue; Mrs. R. Cook, of Arundel; Mrs. Murray, of Montreal and Messrs. James and Leonard Armstrong, also of Montreal, are in town this week, attending the funeral of their mother, the late Mrs. Wm. Kidd.

Four vacancies are opened in the Town Council through the retirement of Alderman Chas. Miller, James P. MacKimmie, Joseph Speight and Remi Ledoux whose terms of office have expired. In the East Ward, it is reported that papers are out for Kenneth McOuat to replace Mr. McKimmie and C. Miller has, we understand, again accepted to stand. Jos. Speight, like Mr. McKimmie, feels he has done his duty to the town and papers are now out for Mr. H. E. Desjardins and James MacGibbon for the seat in Centre Ward. The West Ward will likely return Mr. Ledoux for a second term.

"Yea, music is the Prophet's art. Among the gifts that God has sent, One of the most magnificent." —Longfellow.

should begin only when a child is eight or nine years old. Musical appreciation should, he claimed, be taught in the infant school by means of rhythmic movement and by the use of percussion bands which—once adverse sentiment in respect to them has been overcome—offer one of the finest methods of training in musical concentration ever invented.

"How many people," he asked, "are capable, for instance, of counting 23 silent bars and of playing 'ting' on their triangle on the second beat of the twenty-fourth?"

Much is done in the elementary schools of Great Britain for the musical education of the child, but there still exists no official organization for the purpose of carrying that education over to the adult period.

Dr. Shaw said he would like to see a greater activity among educational authorities for the building of bridges which would span the period between childhood and the period of being "grown-up," and keep young people musically interested at every stage.

—Christian Science Monitor.

MILK PRICES—

(Continued from page 1)

have become colonists. The past year has even seen an increase in the exodus from the towns to the country.

Our mining industry has benefitted by an unprecedented activity, thanks to the diminution of the royalty exacted and to the construction of roads which have rendered easier of access the mines for the miners. "In spite of the depression, the Government has thought it was necessary to maintain in good condition the roads constructed during the days of prosperity so as to preserve this precious capital. It has thought also that it was necessary to make these roads attractive for tourists and agreeable for our own people. During the past year 157 miles of roads have been built; 260 are being prepared."

"We have generously contributed to the advancement of agriculture, and the produce of the harvest was superior to that of the previous year."

"Grants to the schools, both superior and primary, have not been reduced and if the revenues of the public assistance are less, the funds of this service have been aided out of the general funds of the province. On this sole head, our charitable institutions have received over \$5,000,000."

"But new problems are going to arise during this period of economic reconstruction."

"Social and labor legislation, aid to colonization and to agriculture, development of our natural wealth, public instruction, health, mines and fisheries, all are so many questions that you will have to study."

"The Government will submit proposals for laws allowing municipalities, in their respective territories, to municipalize their electric systems, if such is the desire of the taxpayers."

"It will also ask you to authorize it to set up and maintain farms where unhappy men on coming out of prison instead of being thrown without means of subsistence on the great towns, where frequently their only resource is a relapse into crime, will be able to start their life and take an honorable place in society."

"The Government will also lay before you a bill for controlling the price of milk, so as to render the dairy industry more remunerative for the farmer, but without adding to the charge to the consumer. This law will also assure the purity of dairy products."

"Finally, you will have to study an insurance law which, I hope, will put an end to the conflict between the Dominion and the provinces."

"Various other measures of general interest will also be submitted to you. I may mention briefly:

"The protection of woodmen in the forest; the control of electric rates; the control of transportation by trucks; the revision of our police laws so as to give our provincial police the advantage of a single direction; permanence of the dues for the cutting of timber granted to concessioners who have conformed to the requirements of their permits; juridical extension of the collective convention of labor, a system loudly called for by our labor unions."

"The study of these proposals for laws will demand on your part all the toil and care which I know you will be willing to give them. These laws are important and will contribute to the advancement of the province, to the return to a more stable economic life and to the happiness of our people."

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Canadian Pacific

BIRTH

WARWICK.—At Mabel, Que., on Jan. 4th., 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Warwick, a daughter (Phyllis Lillian.)

DEATHS

GOODFELLOW.—At Hill Foot, farm, Lachute, on January 7th., 1934, Catherine Sandilands, widow of the late Robt. Goodfellow, in her 68th year.

KIDD.—At Lachute, on Tuesday, Jan. 9th., 1934, Margaret Swail, widow of the late Jas. Armstrong, and of the late Wm. Kidd, in her 77th year.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Goodfellow acknowledge with grateful appreciation, the kind expression of your sympathy in the loss of their beloved parents.

IN MEMORIAM

PETRIE.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Alexander Petrie, who passed away Jan. 10th., 1933.

Mother

In all the world I shall not find So soft a voice, sweet a smile, A heart so wonderfully kind, An inspiration so worth while, A sympathy so sure, so deep, A love so beautiful to keep.

Inserted by her only daughter, Mrs. A. L. Trussler.

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By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.
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Lesson for January 21

JESUS BEGINS HIS MINISTRY

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 4:12-25.
GOLDEN TEXT—From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand. Matthew 4:17.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Finds Some Helpers.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How Jesus Began His Work.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Jesus Begins His Life Work.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Threefold Ministry of Jesus.

Matthew's purpose was to present Jesus the Messiah as king. Strictly speaking his official ministry began at his baptism. So far as his preaching was concerned the present lesson is properly designated "Jesus Begins His Ministry."

I. The King His Own Herald (vv. 12-17).

1. The reason for this (v. 12). The news of the imprisonment of John the Baptist caused Jesus to forsake Judea and go into Galilee. The fate of John was accepted by Jesus as foreshadowing his own death. This was an act of prudence on his part. When the people reject the truth and attempt to do violence to the messenger, there should be a turning from them unless specifically directed otherwise.

2. To whom the proclamation was made (vv. 13-16). It was to the people at Capernaum in fulfillment of Isaiah's prophecy (Isa. 9:1, 2). This is a section of the country most overrun by the warring nations and therefore most exposed to the blighting effects of war. Thus we see that the darkest and most corrupt of the provinces was first in getting the light. In this we see a foreshadowing of the present age when the gospel of the grace of God is being preached to the Gentiles. It is just like Jesus our Lord to extend his grace to the lowest and most despised peoples. He came not to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.

3. His message (v. 17). "Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." This is the same kingdom which John the Baptist and the Old Testament prophets proclaimed. It means the messianic earth rule of Jesus Christ. The time is coming when heralds will again announce the coming of the kingdom and the King himself will come forth from the heavens to establish his mediatorial kingdom. It is for this we pray when we intelligently say "Thy kingdom come."

II. The King Calling to Himself Assistants (vv. 18-22).

1. His command of authority (vv. 18, 19). He did not try to persuade them by the use of arguments but issued a mandate. To command is the prerogative of a king.

2. The station of the servants called (vv. 18, 21). They were men of lowly birth and occupation—fishermen. These men were busily engaged in service when the Lord issued the call.

3. To what they were called (v. 20). They were called to definite service. "I will make you fishers of men." He had previously called them to be disciples (John 1:36-42). He now called them to service. The qualities which made for good fishers of fish—patience, bravery to face the storm and the night, the perseverance which held all night though no fish were caught—would make them good fishers of men.

4. Their prompt obedience (vv. 20, 22). They put their trust in him who called, believing that he was able to supply their needs. When the king commands there is no time for delay.

III. The King's Triumphant Progress (vv. 23-25).

He went the whole rounds of Galilee teaching the Scriptures, preaching the gospel of the kingdom and healing all manner of diseases. He did a threefold work.

1. Teaching the Scriptures in the synagogues (v. 23). The revelation of God needed to be explained. This is what he was doing in Nazareth (Luke 4:16-22). Such is the primary business of every Sunday school teacher and minister.

2. Preaching the glad tidings of the kingdom (v. 23). The king who was then present and was heralding his own mission, was ready to establish his kingdom if they had been willing to receive him.

3. Healing all manner of diseases (vv. 23-25). There was no form of disease which he could not cure, and so abundant was his success that "his fame went throughout all Syria; and they brought unto him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatick, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them."

The Great Secret

To the man without faith the universe seems to be a gigantic, merciless, grinding machine, but to us who have learned the secret of the Lord it is our Father's House, in which not a sparrow falls to the ground without his notice.

Hold Fast the Faith

Trust and confidence must be exercised where there is silence and darkness. We must hold fast the faith that truest love inspires all discipline; and justice, mingled with mercy, rules.

Hints for Homebodies

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman.
By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

THE RADIO COMMISSION

It must be discouraging to work under such a barrage of complaints as the Radio Commission get and what all the picking is about is more than I can see. Is it because there is a feeling of ownership, that people feel they have the right to kick? The Commission's programmes are not all good, but do you know of any station or broadcasting company that has every programme a good one? The programmes may not all be first class but a good many of the very finest programmes to be heard are broadcast by the Radio Commission and the ratio of good programmes is steadily increasing. The fact that the U. S. chains take some of their programmes and give in return the very cream of theirs, is proof enough that they are good. The large chains are not philanthropists. Tastes differ so that what one person may think is a good programme leaves another cold. The complaint of some is that there are not enough dance programmes or comedians. The Commission is giving us dance music now and as to comedians if they have not found good Canadian comedians they are wise to keep the mediocre ones off the air, because there is nothing worse than poor comedy. Tastes there differ too. I heard a woman say the other day that the air was all cluttered up with comedians. She enjoyed Will Rogers and Eddie Cantor occasionally but how anyone could listen to The Baron or Ed Wynne, she could not understand. So there you are. Then there is all the objecting about the French language. There are so many French speaking people in Canada that it is only fair that they should have a proportion of the programmes in French. There are a surprising number of others who are welcoming the opportunity to hear French and are listening with the definite object of learning to speak it. It is unfortunate that most of us are content with one language. The fee of two dollars has been called exorbitant. Where in the world can you get such entertainment as we get for that small sum of money? Good programmes cost money and the radio user is the logical person to provide it. I heard some place but cannot vouch for its correctness that the Radio Commission got only 40 cents of that fee. The French programmes are interesting because of their different quality. As for the speeches if you cannot or do not want to follow them, one can always twiddle the dial. The Radio Commission need more publicity as sometimes outstanding programmes are broadcast and are missed because of lack of publicity. It always gives me a thrill when I am tuned into one

of the large U. S. stations and listening to lovely music, then hear the announcer say that it is being broadcast by the Canadian Radio Commission.

EGGS HAVE DIFFERENT USES

Eggs in cooking have various uses. They are used for flavour and for nutriment. Then they are used as a lightening agent and for thickening and it is these two uses that we will speak about to-day. Egg cells are elastic and will stretch when they are beaten and will hold air. It is this enclosed air which makes a mixture containing a well-beaten egg light. So if you want a light mixture as a cake, a soufflé, a meringue or a light pudding, beat your egg until it has incorporated a quantity of air and is light. If you want to use your egg as a thickening agent as in custards, puddings, or sauces, beat the egg only until it is mixed and will not form lumps when cooked.

SHOE TREES

Shoes will last much longer if proper care is taken of them. Very often shoes are not actually worn out but are so badly out of shape that they no longer look wearable. Shoe trees will help to remedy this. To get full benefit from the shoe trees, they must be put in while the shoes are warm. So each time you take off good shoes, put in shoe trees and you will be surprised and pleased at the improved shape of your shoes. Shoe trees cost so little that it is economy to buy them and it does not take a minute to put them in your shoes.

CHOCOLATE SOUFFLE

3 tablespoons cocoa
2 tablespoons quick tapioca
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons butter
1/3 cup sugar
3 eggs

Add milk slowly to the cocoa and stir over heat until mixed, add tapioca and cook in double boiler for 15 minutes. Add butter and sugar. Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon-coloured and stir in tapioca mixture slowly. Cool. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a baking dish and bake in moderate oven of 350 degrees for 50 to 60 minutes or until the souffle is firm.

CORN AND KIDNEY BEANS

Mix one can of corn and one can of kidney beans, add 1 chopped green pepper if available, 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1 beaten egg. Put into baking dish, sprinkle with 3 tablespoons grated cheese and a layer of dried crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven of 375 degrees for 30 minutes.

Fritzi Scheff, styled a former "Idol of Vienna", is now reported to be singing in a New York tavern. She was a child of eight when her voice enraptured Vienna, in 1886, and the critics called her a prodigy. But she began singing at five, won acclaim at eight and came to America 33 years ago to sing for 30,000 marks a year. She was the unseen forest bird in "Siegfried" and Musetta in "La Bohème." In late years Fritzi Scheff has passed from the operatic stage.

SURE WAY

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CORRESPONDENCE

Disease and Watercourses

To the Editor of the Watchman
Dear Sir:—

In reference to your last week's correspondence on Disease and Watercourses by my neighbor, Mr. Donald Greig, I would answer in the words of Alexander Pope—

"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing,
Drink deep or touch not the
aperient spring
When shallow drafts intoxicate the brain
But deeper drinking sobers us again."

The solution of these drains and ditches is quite easy, for the Municipal Code reads as follows—In the absence of any by-law, deed of agreement, or process-verbal, the work on a municipal watercourse is performed by the owner or occupant of each piece of land through which such water course passes.

Let our Municipal Council see that these wheels are put in motion and properly kept in motion the year round and I will have no water in my cellar or lying on my garden after every shower of rain. Mr. Greig is right as far as he goes, there is no vestige of a ditch from my cellar to my line, for it has long disappeared, and in its place is a small canal dug out for a portion of the way and the rest of the way a valley with sloping bank that permits me to drive across it with a horse and cart almost any part of its length. That has been scooped by a team of horses and scraper. It has a nice grassy bottom and a fall of at least three feet from my cellar outlet to my line fence; so for sure if the Council see that everyone else is as well in line as I am and kept in line, as I said before, the seasons through out, I should have no further water in my cellar. Maybe I am mistaken in the idea, but I think it is within the jurisdiction of my business to get said water removed at all hazards.

C. F. Kains.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUBJECT IS "SACRAMENT"

The subject of the Lesson Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, for Sunday, January 14, is "Sacrament."

The Golden Text is: (1 Corinthians 5: 8) "Let us keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness; but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth."

Among the citations comprised in the Lesson-Sermon is the following verse from the Bible: "Wherefore laying aside all malice and all guile, and hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings. As new born babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby." (1 Peter 2: 1, 2).

Also included in the Lesson-Sermon is the following passage from the Christian Science text book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Our baptism is a purification from all error. Our church is built on the divine Principle, Love." (Page 35).

READ THE WATCHMAN
WANT ADS.

Peace Hymn Prize

Prizes for the contest of American poets for an international hymn to the first sixteen bars of the "Ode to Joy" of Beethoven's Ninth Symphony have been awarded by the League of Nations Association, Inc. which sponsored the contest.

The poem given the first prize, by Josephine Daskam Bacon, follows:

Hymn for the Nations

Brother, shout your country's anthem,
Sing your land's undying fame,
Light the wondrous tale of nations

With your people's golden name;
Tell your father's noble story,
Raise on high your country's sign;
Join, then, in the final glory—
Brother, lift your flag with mine!

Hail the sun of peace, new rising;
Hold the war clouds closer furled;
Blend your banners, O my brother,

In the rainbow of the world!
Red as blood and blue as heaven,
Wise as age and proud as youth

Melt your colors, wonder woven,
In the great white light of Truth!

Build the road of Peace before us,
Build it wide and deep and long;
Speed the slow and check the eager,

Help the weak and curb the strong.

None shall push aside another,
None shall let another fall;
March beside me, O my brother,
All for one and one for all!

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WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

Scout Good Will Tourists

A party of Hawaiian Boy Scouts on a good will tour to Japan were given a hearty reception and entertained at a party by Kyoto Rotarians.

Australia's 50,000 Boy Scouts.

There are 17,000 Boy Scouts in the state of Victoria and over 50,000 in the Commonwealth of Australia.

Another Scout Rhodes Scholar.

A second former Boy Scout, Duncan McT. Cowan of North Vancouver, has been selected as British Columbia's Rhodes scholar for 1934. The Coast's Rhodes man for 1932, Wm. T. Brown, also was a Boy Scout.

Youth of Today.

"I venture to say that the youth of this generation is of finer material than the youth of any other generation of which I have any knowledge in the history of this country. They are so frank, so sincere, so straightforward, extraordinarily hopeful and courageous in their outlook on life."—The Archbishop of Canterbury.

Bronze Cross for a London Rover

The latest award of the Scout Bronze Cross, Scouting's V.C., was made by Lord Baden-Powell to Rover Scout Stanley Gibbs of London. While passing Cleopatra's Needle, on the Victoria embankment, with his fiancée one cold, rainy evening in October, he heard a splash, ran down the steps to the river, and in the darkness saw something white, like a hand. Gibbs sent his fiancée for the police, threw off coat and shoes and plunged into the strongly-running tide. He found an elderly woman, got her to the steps, and gave artificial respiration successfully. The fiancée returned with two constables, the woman was taken to Charing Cross Hospital, and Gibbs and his fiancée disappeared without identifying themselves. They were traced by the police, the matter reported, and the medal awarded.

There are 1,427 radio broadcasting stations operating throughout the world.

WISE MEN, AND GOOD
(Ottawa Journal)

The Stratford Beacon-Herald notes the death of Thomas Magwood, formerly sheriff of Perth. He was a township councillor in his early days, then deputy-reeve, sat eight years in the Legislature, was sheriff. Outside his official duties he was prominent in his church, a devoted friend of the Children's Aid Society. In all "a gentleman," says the Beacon-Herald, "of the old school. He was kind and good and he left an honored memory."

Perhaps few in this part of Ontario will have heard of ex-Sheriff Magwood, but everybody knows the type, can duplicate it in his own experience of men, realizes the part such men play in the daily life of this and every country.

It can be the privilege of but few to attain to places of national prominence. But every street, every village, every back concession, has its men and women who are "kind and good," who are ladies and gentlemen in the fine, old-fashioned sense. The circle of their immediate influence may be small, but in the aggregate the men and character of this sort give tone and on from one generation to another the fine traditions, the creed of conduct, which establish our claim to call ourselves civilized.

To say in truth of a man that he was kind and wise and good is to class him with those who have learned to live—and have lived to hand on the lessons they have learned.

TAX EXEMPTION IN CANADA

(Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.)

When one considers the burdens placed upon the Canadian taxpayer by the cost of municipal government, it is not fair to place all the blame upon extravagant or inefficient administration. Some responsibility must also be placed upon the amount of exempted property.

We do not intend to suggest that there is anything that can be done about this situation; there are substantial reasons for the exemption of property in every case. For instance, orphanages and hospitals are really public institutions whose maintenance must be provided by the taxpayer in any case. Nevertheless, exemptions are high in this country and do make necessary a heavier assessment of properties subject to being levied upon.

Official statistics show that in 1931, the value of exempted properties in all Canadian municipalities of 10,000 population and over, was \$1,095,643,000, as against total taxable values of \$4,612,343,000. The largest amount of exempted property was in the Province of Quebec with \$491,496,000; Ontario coming far behind in second place with \$351,649,000.

Among individual cities Montreal had the largest exemptions with \$303,793,000. Quebec City was in fifth place with \$55,351,000; coming ahead of comparable municipalities such as Winnipeg, Hamilton and London.

Burnley, England, experiments with a plan for producing gas from city refuse, as an economy measure. Behind America as usual. Converting non-essentials into hot air for the benefit of the citizenry has long been standard practice among our municipal politicians.

—National Municipal Review, New York.

A CLIMATE'S FORECAST

October twenty-fourth, the snow began to fall. A foot of icy white, before it stopped at all; The bulb dropped down till zero stood atop Of many lines that marked degrees of cold. There's been a surfeiting of sleet, Of slippery streets, and biting, wind-swept blasts, Of spindrift, blinding atoms, knife-keen sharp, Till now, methinks that soon 'twill be our lot To wake some morn, and view The North Pole, standing grim and stark; The while, within our home of ice and snow, The men will sit at ease, to guzzle On the blubber of the whale, And sternly eye their women folk To see they waste no time nor speed A-chewing on the skins of Caribou, Until they're supple, fine and soft— Then shape them into moccasins, Shirts, caps and leggings warm and snug To clothe the men, when they Go dicker with the Eskimo Who come from warmer clime; Top coat, silk hat, and swagger-stick arrayed They'll bring tobacco, snuff and bootleg stuff To trade for bead-trimmed things the women make

From chewed-up skins of Caribou. And then, alas, the day will come, I fear, When we will crawl a tunnel long and low That leads outside our home of snow, And there, the only glimpse we'll ever get To prove where once we were and what, Will be the gallant Union Jack Atop that North Pole grim and stark; While overhead be heard the drone Of plane that circles near and low As Lindbergh gently tosses down Synthetic gin, in sample bottles small, The souvenirs that he has gleaned In air-line trips around the globe.

—L. R. Lonsdale.

Brownburg, Dec. 1933.

"MOST PECULIAR ADMINISTRATION
IN THE WORLD"

The City of London—the "one square mile"—traces the foundation of its government to the time when the Romans were in Britain. Its first charter of freedom was granted by William the Conqueror, and the courts of law which still operate within the borders of the city perpetuate a method of judicial administration established more than 800 years ago. The Corporation of London today is as jealous as ever in preserving its ancient institutions and special privileges. Its resistance in olden days to despotic actions by the sovereign is still symbolized in the fact that when the King pays a state visit to the city he is met at Temple Bar by the Lord Mayor, who hands him the City Sword in token that the King enters with the goodwill of the citizens.

In the modern municipal government of the city there remains much which, at first sight, seems to be archaic. The aldermen are elected for life, and are irremovable. The Court of Common Council conducts the ordinary administrative work of the city, and although representing only 27,000 electors it has a membership of 206, or 62 more than the London County Council.

MR. KELLOGG GREETSS
SALES STAFF IN A
LARGE WAY

On a radio telephone hook-up from St. Petersburg, Florida, reaching Sydney, Australia; London, England; London, Ontario; Mexico City, Mexico, Battle Creek, Michigan and twenty-six sales offices throughout the United States, W. K. Kellogg, President of the Kellogg Company, extended New Year's greetings to members of the Kellogg Sales Organization at home and abroad, at the same time reviewing conditions throughout the past year and outlining plans for the future.

The founder and president of the world's largest manufacturers of ready-to-eat cereals stated that 1933 had proved an extraordinarily good year for the company and that he expected conditions to improve. "The Kellogg Company," Mr. Kellogg stated, "are employing more people, spending more money and working harder for business than at any other period in our history."

Touching on plans for 1934, Mr. Kellogg said that the company's promotional budget for the year ahead was larger than ever before and that the newspaper advertising alone would reach a new high mark in both scope and intensity.

ADVERTISING NUISANCE
(The New Outlook, Toronto)

Some inventive genius among radio listeners, driven to distraction, perhaps, has fitted up for his own use a device which permits him to cut off the receiver, no matter in what part of the house he may be, whenever the announcer begins advertising. Editorial comment on the subject in a leading journal has suggested that the listener in this case has simply carried to a little greater length the action of countless thousands of radio-set owners who, by habit, now either cut off the set entirely or detune it during the period when the announcer is extolling the merits of coffee, patent medicines, gasoline and cigarettes. The same journal sighs for some perfected device to take advertising completely out of radio. There is a constantly swelling chorus of disapproval and even disgust with what has amongst radio owners come to be known as the advertising nuisance. American visitors to Europe are always favorably impressed by the absence of those blatant advertising features which have been degrading the radio programs of their own country. Canadians have been hoping for better things under the new system of Government control of radio—and there has been considerable improvement in this respect—but the matter can never be settled satisfactorily without the closest co-operation with the United States. There are signs, however, that the advertisers are awakening to the fact that the mere mention of a firm's name in connection with a program will win more support and respect from the listeners than the cheap and nauseating repetition of a slogan or a statement that has long grown stale.

"It's faith in something and enthusiasm for something that makes life worth looking at."

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Main Street, Lachute



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Churches

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH

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

7 p.m., Evening Service.

Subject:
"SHOWING THYSELF A
MAN"

11 a.m., Morning Worship.

10 a.m., Sabbath School.

2.30 p.m., East Settlement.

3 p.m., Thomas' Gore.

Welcome to all Services.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.

Sunday, January 14, 1934

10 a.m., Sunday School.

11 a.m., Morning Worship.

7 p.m., Evening Worship.

Subject: "Ruth, an Idyl."

For young people.

The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on Thursday evening, January 18th., at 8 o'clock. Refreshments.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. F. W. Dyson, Pastor.

Dalesville 11 a.m.

Brownsburg 3 p.m.

Lachute 7 p.m.

MAPLE AVE. BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. E. G. Baxter

10 a.m., Sunday School.

11 a.m., Morning Service.

7 p.m., Evening Service.

New Song.

Monday, 7:00 p.m., B.Y.P.U.

8 p.m., Annual Business Meeting of Church.

Friday, 7:30 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

2nd. Sunday after the Epiphany

St. Simeon's Church, Lachute

11 a.m., Morning Prayer.

St. George's, Brownsburg.

7 p.m., Evensong.

Rev. W. LeCras, Rector.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES

St. Aidan's Church, Louisa

10.30 a.m.

St. Paul's Church, Dunany

2.30 p.m.

FRENCH BAPTIST CHURCH

The Quarry French Baptist

Church Services are held every

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Sunday School 10 a.m.

Worship 11 a.m.

PRINTER HAS ORIGINAL METHOD FOR SUICIDE

A suicide by one of the

strangest methods ever to con-

front Budapest police lay in the

recent death of Andrew Kohn,

youthful printer. Following a

lover's quarrel, Kohn, with a

sense of the dramatic, swallow-

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spelling the name of his be-

loved, Marianne Eleonore Schel-

lenberger.

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Poet: "But I tell you I've

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poem."

Editor: "And I tell you we're

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Toilet Paper, 7 rolls 25c

Cream of Wheat, per lb. 5c

Evaporated Apricots, lb. 20c

Canadian Cheese, per lb. 15c

Beef, Iron & Wine, 69c

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Red Rose Tea, per lb. 50c

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∴ District News ∴

CUSHING

Mr. Fred Brown spent the week-end with friends in Mabel.

Miss Myrtle Donaldson spent several days this week in Grenville, the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. McIntyre.

Miss Dorothy Smith, R.N. has returned to Montreal, after spending the holidays with her aunt, Miss M. Hill, of Chaboro.

A combination meeting of the Ladies' Association and the Women's Missionary Society of St. Mungo's Church was held at the manse on Tuesday of this week.

Cushing and Greece's Point played a friendly game of hockey on Cushing Rink, on Wednesday evening, Greece's Point being the winners by 1 point, the score being 2-1. The Cushing team also played the garage team at Brownsburg on Saturday night with a score of 4 to 3 in favour of the Garage team. Our hockey boys are planning another social evening in the club room for the 19th. of this month.

CUSHING WEST

Miss Lila Swail returned on Monday from Arundel, having spent the holidays at her home there and resumed her duties as teacher at No. 2 School.

Mrs. Douglas Hartley, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her friends here.

Mr. C. F. Watson has been engaged during the past month on the work of the new clubhouse, which the Laurention Ski Club have had built on the mountains a few miles north of Grenville.

Mr. E. J. Mahoney of Montreal, spent the week-end at Monalea, as the guest of his brother-in-law, W. H. Robert, returning on Sunday, accompanied by his sons Billy and Teddy who had spent their holidays with their uncle.

Messrs. W. Burke and Napoleon Gagnon of Greece's Point, left on Tuesday for St. Jerome where they were called as witnesses in the trial of Portelance for manslaughter in connection with the death of P. Lizotte, who was drowned in the canal at Grenville during a scuffle with Portelance on a barge last September.

MORIN HEIGHTS

School re-opened on Monday, Jan. 8th., after the holidays.

The postponed meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of the County President, Mrs. J. D. Davis. A candy-making contest had been planned for the evening, Miss Bragg, Mrs. H. Paquette and Mrs. H. Lacken being chosen as judges. The prize was awarded to Mrs. R. McCullough. A paper on First Aid was read by Mrs. J. D. Davis, and another on Home Economics by Mrs. Wm. Doherty.

Mr. H. Paquette spent the week-end at his home here.

On Wednesday, Jan. 3rd., the St. Sauveur hockey team played here, the game ending in a score of 7-6 in favour of Morin Heights.

Rev. W. J. H. Lummis, Mrs. Lummis and daughter Isabel, spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Miss Mona Kennedy, who has been spending some days with Mrs. Robt. Kennedy returned to her home in Pine Hill.

REGULATIONS

Constable, to airman who has made forced landing in country lane: "You'll have to move this obstruction. When you're on the ground you come under motoring laws."

Airman: "If I'd fallen into a pond would I come under shipping regulations?"

PLEASE!

Daily newspapers must be paid for in advance. But the question is, "How do you stand with your Home Weekly?" Look at your label. If it is not paid in advance a money order, postal note, check or cash, would be the most acceptable thing we know of.

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Miss Eva de la Ronde left Tuesday morning to spend some days in Montreal.

The Misses Elizabeth and Jeannette Wales left last week to resume their studies in Montreal.

A Concert is to be held on February 2nd. in St. Andrews East, in aid of the local Boy Scouts. Tickets may be had from any of the Scouts.

During the week of prayer services are to be held every day. On Sunday evening, Mr. Boevey conducted the service in the Presbyterian Church and on Monday night a service was held in the United Church.

On Wednesday evening Jan. 3rd., in the United Church an illustrated lecture on China was given by Miss Lamb, under the auspices of the Reading Circle. The Society and their friends are greatly indebted to Miss Lamb for the pleasure of hearing her vivid and picturesque account of missionary life in West China. Miss Lamb left early this week to take up a course of instruction in Montreal.

ARUNDEL

In spite of the cold weather which prevailed during the holidays, an enjoyable season was spent by the local people, their friends and visitors. Bridge parties, dances, skiing and skating, were the chief sources of diversion.

Miss Laura Davis was among those who entertained during the holidays, having a sleigh drive to her home, followed by five tables of bridge. A most pleasant evening was spent by those present. Prizes were won by Miss Jean Smellie and Mr. Howard Cooke.

A party consisting of five tables of bridge and a sleigh drive was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cooke, last Thursday evening. Prizes for card playing were won by Mrs. Veit and Mr. Barker.

Plans for the forming of a Bridge Club are under way, and it is expected that a meeting will be held for this purpose.

Mr. Barker, of Montreal, returned home last week-end, having spent the past three weeks at the Bank of Montreal, relieving for Mr. Y. Paquette, who has been on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bennett, of Sudbury, Ont., returned home this week, after a few days' visit at the home of Mrs. Bennett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cooke.

Miss Taylor returned to town last week-end to resume her duties as teacher, at the re-opening of schools on Monday.

The Girls' Guild met at the home of Mrs. Melvin Cooke last Saturday afternoon.

CAMBRIA

The people of this neighborhood were shocked to learn of Mr. Jas. Dawson's great loss by fire, when his big residence, (The "White House") was destroyed on Monday night. The fire started in the chimney. The sympathy of the community is felt in this great loss, representing time, labor, and investment, and also many prized possessions impossible to replace. It is little over a year since Mr. Gilbert Ryan's house was destroyed by fire.

Poverty is no disgrace, but it is confoundingly inconvenient. —Sydney Smith, 1771-1845.

Assad's Seasonal Bargains = =

On sale this week we offer a special line of

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FUR TRIMMED OVERSHOES, in jersey \$2.95

FUR TRIMMED OVERSHOES, in velvet \$3.25

These are very special values

238 Main Street, Lachute

ST. ANDREWS EAST

(Intended for last issue)

Miss McCallum is staying with Mrs. LeRoy for a few days

Mrs. Ryan returned to Montreal Wednesday, after visiting her uncle Mr. C. Pease.

Miss Mabel Simpson spent the New Year's holidays with the Misses Hibbard.

The Misses Boevey were home for Christmas and the New Year.

Miss Sutherland is the guest of the Misses Pitcairn.

Mrs. Jones, of Westmount, visited her brother-in-law, Mr. C. Pease for some time.

Mrs. Charman saw the New Year in at her old home in Moncton, N. B.

Mrs. Perks was in the city over the holidays.

The Boy Scouts of St. Andrews East held their regular meeting in the Town Hall on Friday last. Mr. Harry Kay was made the Troop's Official Chaplain. His chaplain's pin was presented by Mr. Leslie Hooker, chairman of the troop committee. Refreshments were served after the meeting. Owing to the cold weather there was a very small turnout.

Mr. and Mrs. Gagnon and their small son were at the home of her father, Mr. W. J. Rodger at Christmas time. Miss Jessie Rodger, of Montreal, returned also.

Messrs. Keith and Bill Pitcairn spent their holidays at the home of their father, Mr. Pitcairn.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Alexander LeRoy is seriously ill.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomalty are entertaining the W. I. and Farmers' Club at their annual banquet, to be held on Tuesday, Jan. 16. All are welcome to this event.

Mrs. G. L. Rogers entertained the ladies of the W. A. on Wednesday last. This being their annual meeting, much business was transacted. A number of the young people called in during the evening and a pleasant social time was spent.

The Misses Marjorie and Grace Mount were guests of their parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Andrews and son Hartland, have returned to Lakefield, after spending the holidays in Montreal.

GRENVILLE

The village school opened on Monday, after the Christmas and New Year holidays.

Miss Evelyn McCullough, Miss Enid McIntyre and Miss Lillian Steele, are attending High School in Hawkesbury.

Mrs. Freddie Goudie and Master Gordon Goudie, of Toronto, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. MacKan for a week at Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Goudie and family of Ottawa, were holiday guests of Mrs. A. Goudie.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Cooke, of Ottawa, were guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pickett at Christmas.

Mrs. Isaac Arnold visited her son, Stephen, and his family at Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Gaudley and family spent Christmas with her brother and his family, Mr. Victor Prophet at Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cousins and little daughter, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. Hoare at Christmas.

Rev. and Mrs. Tucker, of St. Lambert, spent Christmas with her father, Mr. John Gill, of Grenville.

Mrs. E. Matthew, of Kilmar, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray, recently.

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BROWNSBURG

Miss B. Thibeault spent a few days in Montreal visiting her sister.

Mr. Mansiel Wilson has returned to Toronto to resume his studies in the university.

Mr. W. Prosser and boys paid a visit to their summer cottage at Lake Louisa on Saturday.

The many friends of Rev. J. A. Lackey were pleased to see him in this district on Tuesday.

The C. I. L. are building another fine residence on the hill overlooking the Company's works.

Road work here has closed down till the first of April.

Cars are passing through to Lachute without obstruction.

Mr. C. M. Gardiner, of Montreal, and Mr. W. A. Morrison, of Lachute, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardiner for Xmas.

Mr. John Cafferty, of Ottawa, spent New Year's as the guest of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gardiner, also of Mr. Jas. Donaldson.

The Choir and few friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Reid on January 2nd., as a surprise in honor of Mrs. Reid's birthday. A jolly time is reported.

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Tug-Boat Pilot Found Guilty of Manslaughter

The trial of Alphonse Portelance, arrested in connection with the death of Captain Lizotte in the Grenville Canal last Fall, was held this week at St. Jerome. Capt. Lizotte, it is recalled, was allegedly pushed off his tug and crushed against the side of the vessel.

Fifteen witnesses were heard on Tuesday, and some testified that Portelance had threatened Lizotte that he would either "drown him or kill him." Mr. Justice Louis J. Loranger, heard the case, presiding at the assizes.

Gun Licence May be Imposed on Quebec Hunters

Steps taken by wild-life protectionists to have the provincial authorities establish a gun licence of one dollar for hunters resident in Quebec, have aroused considerable interest among prominent sportsmen and have met with ready endorsement on all sides.

"I understand that it has been suggested to Hon. Hector Laferte, Minister of Colonization, Game and Fisheries, that the revenue so derived from this licence would, for the most part, be used to defray the cost of further measures to protect our wild life," said a leading conservationist to a representative of the Montreal Gazette.

"This, to me, is an excellent move and one deserving the support of all hunters. It would not apply, and rightly so, to settlers, farmers, or colonists. And non-resident sportsmen, those who come up here from the States, would still have to pay the present higher fee. Quebec authorities, in my opinion, will find little or no opposition to the plan from sportsmen who once a year go after their favorite quarry, especially when it is recalled that in other provinces or states, the gun licence is far higher than that which has been suggested for Quebec.

During the hearing, it was revealed that Portelance had made several threats against the victim, Lizotte, and it was due to these threats that the Attorney-General's Department in Quebec ordered an investigation, and a warrant for the arrest of Portelance on a charge of murder was issued.

Joseph Lizotte, brother of the dead captain, recounted the incidents leading up to his brother's death. He said that on September 10, 1933, the barge "G-W" was anchored in the canal at Grenville, Que.; the locks were closed. While awaiting their turn to pass through the locks, the witness said, he and Captain Lizotte fell asleep.

At about one o'clock they heard the siren of the "Drag," a nearby tug, which meant that the canal should be cleared. Captain Lizotte and his brother started dressing, but by this time the tug had reached the side of the barge.

Portelance, pilot of the Drag, then shouted: "It takes you a long time to move." The captain replied: "Give us time to dress." Swearing and threatening the captain with death, Portelance jumped from the tug to the barge. "He rushed toward my brother," continued the witness, "but when he saw me standing nearby he stopped and hesitated. The captain then told him: 'If that's the case, we will remain here'."

Both Fell into Water

Lizotte was then called to another part of the barge, but could see what had occurred. He said that Captain Lizotte was leaning over the side of the barge watching the fenders at the side which prevent the wharf from causing damage to the side of the barge, when Portelance, his face red with anger, jumped on the captain's back and both fell overboard. Portelance fell into the water while Capt. Lizotte's body was

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Canadiens at Ste. Agathe Last Sunday

A new arena at Ste. Agathe-Monts was inaugurated on Sunday with an exhibition game in which the Canadiens, of the National Hockey League, participated. Low-rate excursions were run from Mont Laurier and intermediate points down to Ste. Agathe for the event, and a full round of sports activities made the village a busy spot last week-end.

Milk Shippers Discuss Transportation

A somewhat informal meeting of Milk Shippers was held this week, at which Mr. Tweedie, of Montreal, was present, the object being to get the views of the shippers as to whether they were to handle their milk by train or truck in the spring. This information was required by the C. P. R. in order to make provision for the change of time-table. It was said by some that the Milk Dealers demanded the milk be shipped by truck, while others gave assurance that they would ship by train.

In order that definite arrangements could be made it was decided that a meeting of the Shippers and Dealers would be held next week and an endeavor made to arrive at an amicable understanding between all parties concerned.

Fills Appointment as District Coroner

Friends of Dr. L. P. Sauvé, of Lachute, congratulate him on his official appointment as Coroner for the district of Terrebonne. He succeeds Dr. B. N. Wales, of St. Andrews East, who has concluded twenty-five years of service in the capacity of Coroner. He has earned his retirement, and in his advancing years will doubtless appreciate a release from duties which, in seasons such as this, must be onerous indeed.

Two Outbreaks of Fire at Same Time

At 7.30 Monday evening the fire brigade responded to a fire at the West End residence of Alderman Remi Ledoux. Small damage resulted, from an outbreak in the wall where a pipe entered the chimney. The fire was subdued without difficulty.

While still on the scene, a further summons was received, and the firemen piloted their truck and equipment to a stiff blaze in the stables of Alex. Larocque on Chatham Street near the Exhibition Grounds. Considerable damage was done to the building and to poultry housed therein, but by means of the fire pump a 95 lb. pressure of water was made available, and danger to the nearby buildings was averted. The firemen then called it a day and turned for home.

Fewer Contests in County Municipalities

In the elections for councillors of various neighboring municipalities last Monday there appear to have been fewer vacancies contested and more acclamations. In the case of Chatham Township, as an instance, it would also seem there has been a trifle less enthusiasm. Of the possible 1200 votes, only 619 were cast, in the election of three councillors.

Chatham

Albani Brunelle, Jno. S. Dixon, and Arthur Robbins were the successful candidates in Chatham, O. Allard and Exelus Lemay being defeated.

St. Andrews East

At St. Andrews East there was also a contest, for Seat No. 2, in which Wilfred Fournier defeated J. Baptiste Charlebois with a majority of 98 votes.

St. Columban Council Unchanged

According to the secretary's advice, there has been no change in the St. Columban municipal council for the past five years—which is something of a tribute to the judgment and devotion of its members.

Mr. Stinson had been nominated to oppose John Kenna, but he duly withdrew, and the vacancies were uncontested. The council comprises—Mayor Francis Keyes, Aldermen William Woods, Wm. Carroll, David Kennedy, John Kenna, and Jno. Drennan.

The secretary-treasurer, Henri Joly, has also been in office now for five years, and deserves credit for the unfailing care he has given to his duties.

Grenville and Augmentation

Five candidates entered the contest for three council vacancies in Grenville and Augmentation. The election was won by Geo. Reeves, Neil McCallum, and C. A. Lowe (in order of votes polled), defeating Thomas Cousens and J. B. Deslauriers.

Only Four out of Fifty Respond to Invitation to Work!

TOWN REJECTS DEMANDS FOR DIRECT RELIEF

Up to the present time Lachute has been fortunate in its freedom from disturbance by labor troubles. But the last few weeks have found a changed condition, largely due to certain outside influences that are bent on stirring up strife and sowing the seeds of dissension among our unemployed.

Every sympathy and consideration is felt for those who are in need. Last year, through the gratuitous services of several of our townsmen, it was systematically arranged for the distribution of supplies to those legitimately entitled. And in like manner at the present time, no deserving case will be allowed to suffer, as the town is prepared to stand by and render assistance where needed.

On Monday morning, we are informed, following a series of meetings in Reilly's Hall and elsewhere, some fifty of the unemployed gathered in front of the Town Hall, making all sorts of fantastic demands, the pur-

Village of Calumet

In Calumet, three council seats were filled by acclamation Messrs. T. G. Foreman, E. T. Willman, and Ed. Rochon receiving the public acclaim.

Morin Heights

In the municipality of Morin Heights, three vacancies in the council were filled by the election of Lawson Kennedy, Wm. Watchorn, and R. J. Seale.

Mille Isles

The election of Councillors for Mille Isles, took place on Monday, the 15th., in Mille Isles No. 2 school house, Messrs. A. Dawson and A. McCullough were re-elected, and Mr. R. Patterson was elected to replace Mr. John Steen, who had tendered his resignation, also Mr. Gilbert Ryan was elected.

Century of Canadian Life Recalled in Death of Mrs. White

Mother of Lady Perley, Was Venerable figure in Affairs of the Capital

By special coach on the C.N.R. from Ottawa, the remains of Mrs. Thomas White were taken to Montreal last Monday for interment in Mount Royal Cemetery. To Lady and Sir George Perley, and to her remaining family and relatives, deepest sympathy is extended from this section.

The late Mrs. White had long association with the political life of this country and with society at the Capital.

The days of Sir John A. Macdonald and Canada's genesis as a confederation are brought to mind by her death, which occurred in Ottawa early last Saturday. Mrs. White was the widow of Hon. Thomas White, Minister of the Interior in the second ministry of the Dominion's first premier.

Mother of a large family, four (Continued on Page 4)

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

Highlights of the Week's Events

Hockey

TWO LEAGUE GAMES LAST THURSDAY

Laurin Express continued their leading performance on Thursday last in an eight-goal victory over Brownsburg. The chances were considered fairly even, but a large crowd of fans, including many from Lachute, witnessed a fast scoring event which chalked a credit to the Lachute team, to the tune of 8-0. Brownsburg's play lacked nothing of either pep or perseverance, but luck favored the transportation line-up, and their offensives were well timed and well managed. Good defence work and goal tending made the Burg's rushes ineffective.

At Lachute the result was more as the crowd expected—although the crowd in numbers was slim that evening. Ayers Limited here took the long end in a 3-1 score with L.A.A.A. It was a good, close game, and while the Mills boys played with their usual dexterity, the L.A. line-up evidenced again those marked possibilities—which possibilities however, can hardly mature in time to beat this season's schedule.

LAURIN EXPRESS WIN IN OVERTIME SESSION

Step Up Another Point

From the viewpoint of an impartial spectator, Saturday's game at the Arena was real hockey, exhibiting two home-town teams closely matched, both keyed to their finest effort and dishing the brand of hockey which League officials had been looking and hoping for. The result was another victory for Laurin Express, who have yet to be beaten in the series, and are practically assured of a honking time in the play-offs. Ayers Limited, however, were also on their mettle, and shook a mean stick. The junior forward line were particularly to the fore, and but for the stolid Express defence, would have been equally efficient as effective. Goalers Patry and Church played a fine game, and the scoring was at an even "low" up to the last minute of

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Curling

HOUSTON CUP

The Houston Cup games proceeded on Saturday, after two days of inactivity due to softness of the ice at the local Curling Club. Mr. John Falconer's rink beat Mr. J. W. Gall's rink with a score of 10-6. The teams appeared as follows:

W. K. McArthur, W. J. Deacon, R. McArthur, J. W. Gall, L. E. McMartin, (sub. for H. McFaul), A. A. McQuat, R. Hamilton, Jno. Falconer.

The Dunany Cup games and results are listed below. The first group of fixtures was arranged to be completed last night, but there remain still a few games to be played owing to hold-ups during poor ice and soft weather.

Skips—

F. A. Brennan beat Geo. Hay 7-5.
H. M. Gall beat J. A. MacKimmie 10-8.
Geo. Hay beat P. Chabot 13-3.
F. A. Brennan beat J. W. Gall 14-3.
Geo. Hay beat H. M. Gall 11-2.
J. A. MacKimmie beat F. A. Brennan 12-6.
P. Chabot beat H. M. Gall 12-4.
Geo. Hay beat J. A. MacKimmie 12-8.
R. P. Fraser beat G. Valois.
J. A. Rice beat Dr. J. M. Drew 10-5.
Dr. J. M. Drew beat J. P. MacKimmie 12-4.
R. P. Fraser beat J. Falconer.
J. Falconer beat Dr. J. M. Drew 14-5.
J. A. Rice beat R. P. Fraser 12-4.
J. P. MacKimmie beat G. Valois 11-6.

LADIES' CURLING CLUB

Two rinks of Lachute's lady curlers were invited to Hawkesbury on Tuesday and report a very pleasant day. The rinks comprised—Mrs. Cockfield, Mrs. Cousens, Miss G. C. McQuat, Mrs. J. W. Gall, Mrs. Ardill, Miss Lila Giles, Mrs. H. Giles, Mrs. A. Middleton.

The Bonspeil for the President's Prize is still in progress. The final game is to be played on Friday.

Time-Faded Program Recalls Centennial Observance in Pioneer Village

COSTUMES AND SONGS OF 1777 WERE REVIVED IN OLD-TIME REALISM

THE OLD FOLKS' CONCERT IN ST. ANDREWS

In glancing over ancient files for items of interest, one of the keenest contrasts one remarks is in the matter of public entertainment. Making History in Argenteuil, The Watchman's weekly feature of recollections, reveals the manner of these early entertainments, and how they differed so queerly from gatherings and performances of the present day.

In the year 1877, the Queen's Birthday was celebrated in the neighboring village of St. Andrews with just such a concert. That was fifty seven years ago. Habits and customs of that time in Argenteuil County would strike us very strangely today. But this was no ordinary occasion. It was no ordinary concert either, for the observance took the form of a Centenary (even in those early days they had them!)

If it is difficult to cast our minds back so far, how much more difficult to imagine the surroundings of 100 years previous to that date! But this is just what these pioneer folks of St. Andrews were doing. It was the theme of their concert, a representation of life in the New England settlements in 1777. The characters were revived, the costumes and customs revived, and the old time songs were sung.

Through the interest of one warmly concerned with old and

musty records, we have a fairly accurate description of that ancient celebration. We have even the four-page program, which was printed in the old style of language and presentation which the Pilgrim Fathers must have used. What makes the incident doubly interesting is the fact that the performers, all local characters of St. Andrews, were themselves actual descendants of the earliest New England emigrants.

A contemporary report of the concert, given in 1877, and a reproduction of the four-page program, are given here for the interest of our readers.

OLD FOLKS' CONCERT AT ST. ANDREWS

Dr. Beers' Report of Old Folks' Concert held in the Drill Hall in St. Andrews, May 24th., 1877, the Queen's Birthday.

The "Queen's Birthday" was kept with religious loyalty in St. Andrews. In the afternoon the Market-square was made lively with games, and the Fife and Drum Band discoursed favourite national airs. But all thought was centered upon the coming event of the evening; and before the hour fixed the Drill Shed was occupied by over four hundred people, eager to see and hear the way the folks lived, dressed and sang in "Ye Olden Time."

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FORMER DALESVILLE RESIDENT DIED IN CALIFORNIA

News has just been received of the sudden death of James Murdoch, a former resident of Dalesville, Que., which took place on Tuesday, Jan. 16th., at his home in Oakland, Calif.

Deceased was in his 61st year, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Murdoch, of Dalesville.

Besides his loving wife, formerly Margaret Marshall, of Dalesville, Que., he leaves to mourn his loss one daughter, Jounita, two brother, Chas., of Banff, Alta.; and Norman, of Oakland, Calif.; also five sisters, Mrs. Robt. Silvester and Mrs. Thos. Morrow, of Dalesville, Que., Mrs. T. R. Cregeen, Mrs. W. H. Brady and Miss Charlotte Murdoch, of Montreal. The funeral service is being held in Oakland, Calif., to-day.

What the Gray House Hid



The Mystery of a Haunted Mansion
by Wyndham Martyn

"Yes," said Mr. Appleton, smiling. With that he gave the other a push. The professor, with waving arms, sought to recover his balance, but failed. He went up to his knees in mud. His precious camera had parted company from him. The spectacle of the amiable gentleman with the florid face, who smiled down at him, angered him. He shook a muddy fist.

"You shall pay for this outrage!" he shouted.

"Perhaps," said Appleton cryptically, "but not just yet."

Mr. Appleton gave another of his excellent owl imitations. In a few moments Luigi Bartoli joined him.

"In order that he might not escape," Appleton explained, "I had to push him down there. He enjoyed it less than I. Your task, Luigi, is to get him out and put him with the man who came first."

Adolf Smucker had proved a tractable prisoner. In reality he lacked the courage to do anything that might bring him punishment. He



"You Shall Pay for This Outrage!" He Shouted.

realized that he was the prisoner of three men who had powers of life and death over him. Of Appleton he saw almost nothing.

James Delaney, the second in command, knew Smucker's sort and despised him. Luigi was his jailer. He enjoyed incendiary talk. The day could not come too quickly which would permit of looting, unattended with death penalties.

By this time Smucker was so much the prey of delusions that he had almost forgotten his home and family. He brooded upon the chaotic day when, by the alchemy of strange events, he should be high among those whose mission it was to destroy. Luigi, who cringed to capital in the guise of Appleton, would be an early victim.

Adolf Smucker looked up, that afternoon, to find his cell invaded by a stranger—not such a man as the previous young capitalist in evening dress, but a worker clad in muddy khaki, stained and torn.

Professor Burton wondered at the heartiness of his welcome. After he had been an hour in Smucker's company, he spoke incisively.

"Your mania," he said, "is termed dementia praecox. Our word 'precocious' comes from the common root. It means that your intellect is unable to assimilate the ideas you crowd into it. Be kind enough to leave me in silence. I find such twaddle as yours extremely tedious."

Infuriated at this, Smucker attacked the professor. He was rescued by Luigi. The professor was bigger, stronger, and in a rather evil temper. Luigi dragged him to another small stone room and shut the door.

"What the devil?" said Leslie Barron, rudely awakened.

"I am not the devil," snapped the professor, "but I feel like him. I have been brutally beaten. A Caliban from southern Italy has promised to twist my head from my neck. I am in no mood for the ordinary social amenities."

"Another nut!" sighed Leslie. "Tell me, if you've any decency left, whereabouts I am."

"You are in what my cousin Hilton Hanby terms a bird sanctuary. You, I take it, are one of the birds. I presume that I am another."

"I was blackjacked by that infernal Appleton. I had an idea that I'd been put in an automobile and taken miles away."

Leslie recounted the misadventures he had suffered.

"Never mind!" said the other. "You will be rescued when they get me out."

"Cheery little optimist, aren't you?" Leslie retorted. "That man Appleton is the devil. He'll arrange it so that you won't be looked for."

"Impossible!" said the professor. Leslie Barron was right. Appleton, who had a skill with the pen that might have earned him a great name among forgers, was at that very moment looking at Professor Burton's notes and forging a letter. He called to mind the professor's way of speaking. This is what Mrs. Burton read:

Have sustained injury to corner of right eye through a thorn spike. Inadvisable to trust to local physician. Have accepted offer of passing motorist to go to a specialist. Do not worry. Will telephone you from the city.

"Tom is always nervous about his eyesight," Mrs. Burton declared. "It is just like him to rush to see a specialist. Oh, why was I out?"

"You couldn't have done anything if you had been here," her cousin said, comforting her. "We shall have a telephone call before long."

But nothing was heard from Professor Burton.

CHAPTER X

At one o'clock in the morning Bill Pelham heard a rap on his door. Hilton Hanby entered. Behind him was Junior. They were both dressed as if for hiking.

"Am I asleep at the switch?" Bill cried, rubbing his eyes. "What is it?"

"Florence Burton is going to see the Pine Plains police tomorrow," Hanby answered. "I can't blame her. You know what that means. Every movement of Tom's will be traced. I suppose I shall have to tell everything I know, from Miss Selene down to this last disappearance. Dina says she thinks Tom has been murdered."

"You don't mean to say you've got some explanation?" inquired Pelham, with incredulity in his voice.

"I mean just that. If you'll get up and put some such kit as this on, I'll tell you."

"Shoot!" Pelham urged. "I'll be ready in three minutes."

"The last I saw of Tom Burton was when he walked toward that bird sanctuary—those acres that I've guarded so carefully. I don't deny he might have run a spike in his eye. It may be that he's in a nursing home, and we shall have a wire from him in the morning. I've been thinking about that sanctuary a while. It doesn't owe its conservation to any idea of mine. I should never have thought of it but for that talk over the telephone with a man who deliberately stirred his name so that I shouldn't get it straight. Another thing—this man pretended to be a writer on bird subjects, and yet he quoted in extenso from an article that Tom Burton wrote. The man was a liar, but he gained his end. I did not have the thicket removed. He evidently wanted it kept as it was, and I obediently fell into the trap."

Hanby's manner was impressive. "Bill, there's something wrong about that bird sanctuary!"

"I believe you're right," agreed Pelham, much impressed. "Who could have done it?"

"Dad thinks," Junior broke in, "that we ought to see what that bird sanctuary really contains." He took an automatic pistol from his pocket, and handed it to Pelham. "Dad and I have one each."

"Does Dina know?" Pelham asked. "No. This is one of the few times I've had a secret from her. She would worry. You know, old man, there may be danger. You're a deputy. It will be up to you to arrest them. That's why we are taking you along. Junior wanted to do the stunt alone. Observe his sullen face. He thinks we are going to steal his stuff."

The distance from the extreme boundary of the building and the wire that inclosed the thicket was not more than fifty feet.

When dawn came slowly down the skies, it found Hanby cutting methodically at the wire fence. When the others had passed in, he twisted the cut ends together, so that no passerby would notice that an entrance had been made.

The three soon stood in an area lighted from above by the early light filtering through a screen of leaves. There was a chlorotic, eerie quality about this illumination. The stream flowed to them out of the darkness, and a few yards below it disappeared into a black channel.

"Can we work upstream?" Hanby asked.

Junior made an examination.

"It seems impassable. This place has been cleared out for some special reason—probably because the brook makes that sharp turn, and they had to smooth it out."

"Exactly, Sherlock," his father glibbed. "Even I see that; but why?" Junior, in answer, clutched the other's arm. He pointed upstream to the tunnel from which the water poured in unvarying volume.

"What's that?" he demanded.

Peering into the shadows, the others could see that the stream carried a burden—a large dark mass that came steadily toward them. Sometimes it was completely immersed, and then it seemed to lift itself from the water, as if it were a huge animal swimming.



"You Don't Mean to Say You've Got Some Explanation?" inquired Pelham.

"G—d!" cried Hanby. "It's a man's body." The thing was now almost at his feet. He nerved himself to stoop down for a closer inspection. "It may be poor old Tom Burton!"

Shuddering a little, he turned the corpse over so that its face could be seen. The sightless eyes of Adolf Smucker stared up at him.

Instinctively Hilton Hanby released his hold, and the stream again took up its burden.

"Thank God it wasn't Tom!" Pelham whispered.

"Perhaps, if we wait long enough, he'll come by," Hanby said gloomily. He was depressed to think that he had allowed Junior to come with him. There was no doubt now that danger lay ahead of them. He knew he could not expect his son calmly to leave his father and his friend to face it alone; and if anything should happen where by not all of them returned, what would Dina do?

Why had they murdered Smucker? And what was Smucker doing here?

"Well," he said aloud, answering his own question, "speculation is silly and time-wasting. We've got to follow the stream. We can't do it down here, but the channel is easily seen from the outside."

The three made their silent way along the narrow path, each with the conviction that at the end of it something of a vaguely dangerous character would be found.

"Appleton lied," he said a minute later. "Look—the lake wasn't filled in, after all!"

The path led them suddenly, with a right-angled turn and a quick descent, to the stream level again. It ran through a hollow a hundred yards in length. The place was a natural amphitheater. Coarse-meshed wire had been stretched from side to side, and was so densely overgrown that the hollow, as observed from the roof of the Gray house, seemed but a natural part of the five acres that had been a lake.

The three shrank into the bushes at the edge.

"Who did it?" Junior whispered.

"Why was it done?" Pelham answered.

"We've got to cross this, if we're to find out," Hanby said.

He led the way, keeping to the edge of the leafy wall of this natural tent. He stopped them with a gesture. The odor that floated toward them was unmistakable.

"Coffee!" they whispered in unison.

Hanby went on even more warily than before. When he stopped, the two behind saw the reason. He was looking down a narrow tunnel piercing the solid earth, shored up with timbers, as mine passages are protected from the caving in of rocks or earth. It was from this passage that the coffee odor came. No light was to be seen at its end.

(To be Continued.)

Who hears music feels his solitude peopled at once.

—Browning.

AUNT JEAN HERSELF

A Column for the Kiddies
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THE BIRDS WERE WISE

A little wind fairy, high up in a tree, Was swaying and tossing as gay as could be, She had blown some snow in Bobbie's eyes, And given Black Pussy a dreadful surprise— By tumbling a heap of snow on her back, As she raced to the barn To her bed of warm sacks. She had piled all the highways Full, full of soft snow,— The mailman, the butcher, To their homes, could not go. She had blown a fierce blast As she saw little Ted Bringing in wood with his gay painted sled, She filled his eyes full of sawdust and bark, And shrieked out "Hoo, hoo" at this jolly fine lark. She just loved to tease birds, But they stayed in the shed, Until this naughty wind fairy Had gone home to bed.

EARLY MORNING BROWNIES

Next morning Ben Harper waked up rather early for him, sat up in bed, and looked out of the window. With a muttered exclamation he reached for his clothes and began dressing hurriedly. As he was seated on the side of the bed his hasty, jerky movements awakened his brother Joe.

"What's the big rush, Ben?" Joe said, turning over lazily so that he might see what Ben was doing.

"That measly Jones crowd are at our slide again, after our being so good to them last night too, the mean little hunks."

"No!" Joe said unbelievably, hopping out of bed and going close to the window. Sure enough the Jones crowd were at the slide again, but—a careful survey of the situation told Joe that they were not destroying but trying to improve it. He started to chuckle; then said "Ben, you silly! come here and watch them."

"I'll watch nothing!" Ben said, impatiently, tugging at a refractory buckle. "I am going straight out there to, to—"

"Help them!" finished Joe with another chuckle.

"Help them!" stormed Ben. "I'll help them home with Dad's rawhide whip, the little sneaks!"

"No you won't!" said Joe, they are not hurting our slide, but working as hard as they can to make it better. Look at that little chap tugging a pail of water along almost as big as himself."

"Sure it is not ashes?" questioned Ben scoffingly as he came to the window to look over his brother's shoulder at the Jones crowd, scurrying here and there in their efforts to get their work done before the Harper household awakened and saw them.

"See that water splash!" Joe said excitedly, as the little chap who was tugging the heavy pail of water along, stumbled, splashing the water over the top of the pail and over himself too. Undaunted the little lad jumped up, took the handle of the pail firmly in his hand and started towards the slide again.

"There must be something good in a chap as game as that," said Joe. "I am glad we found out all there was to know about them before we acted real mean with them. I am sorry I spoke to them the way I did yesterday. Perhaps they would not have touched our slide if I had not said what I did."

said their daddy as he passed the door on the way downstairs to light the kitchen fire.

"Tonight will tell the tale," Mother replied, with a smile.

—But we will have to wait until next week; Children, to see what happened.

Lovingly,
Aunt Jean.



WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

Australian Scouts Staff Big Store

At Brisbane, Australia, Boy Scouts took over McWhirters', a large departmental store, for the day. An Assistant Scoutmaster acted as managing director, a Scout as cashier, and 32 Scouts were detailed as heads of departments and floor walkers.

A Frozen Lamb for B.P.

A frozen lamb carcass for Lord Baden-Powell was the unique Christmas gift of the Boy Scouts of Australia. Lambs also were sent to Roland House, the East London Scout Settlement centre, and Rosemary Home, the Scout Association's convalescent home at Herne Bay.

Santa Claus' Assistants' Good Job.

Santa Claus' Boy Scout and Girl Guide assistants, operating toy shops in over 150 towns and cities across the Dominion, once again took care of their quota of 75,000 needy-family children. The number included 5,000 kiddies on prairie farms. Scout-Guide toy shops have been assisting Old Saint Nick since 1924.

Fellowship of Youth to Make Peace.

"I should like to say how strongly I feel the debt which every country owes to you and the Scout Movement. I am sure that it is more by the natural strengthening of links of fellowship and understanding between the young of different nations, than by any machinery that we can secure peace for the future." — The Bishop of Dover in a letter to Lord Baden-Powell.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Town of St-Jerome will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, to obtain the adoption of a special law amending its charter on the following subjects:—about the electric transmission lines,—about the maintenance and improvements of private properties,—about the taxation of properties and trades,—about the dividing properties into lots,—about the valuation roll,—about the delay to execute public works,—about the responsibilities of the Town,—about the date of the municipal elections and the qualifications of electors,—about the rate of interest and a discount on municipal taxes,—about the hour of polling and the vote on by-laws by land-owners,—about the deposit, fines and disqualification on the contestation of municipal elections,—about the authorization to the Town to fix, for municipal purposes, the valuation of companies for a period of not more than ten years, and for other purposes.

St-Jerome this 11th. of December 1933.

CHS. ED. MARCHAND, Attorney duly authorized for the Town of St-Jerome.

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Making History in Argenteuil

Extracted from files of The Watchman.

50 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 18, 1884.

The Skating Rink has been enlarged to 140 x 80 feet, and a fence has been put around to keep the wind off.

The Canadian Illustrated News, after lingering for thirteen years, has at last gone out of existence.

A few quarters of good beef still at sale at W. Banford's... Ladies' fur caps, kid mitts, shawls and clouds.

Under auspices of the Mechanics and Artisans of Lachute, a Ball was held in Victoria Hall. An "Italian Orchestra" was in attendance, which cannot be surpassed for dancing. Our well known townsman, Mr. J. Hope, provided the supper.

Loyal Orange District Lodge held its annual meeting in Pollock's Hall, Lachute. The following officers were elected—Bro. J. Chambers, Dis. Master; Bro. Alex. Lister, Dep. Master; Bro. Ed. Robinson, Secy.; Bro. John Raitt, Chaplain; Bro. R. Wilson, Treas.; Bro. T. Dixon, Director of Ceremonies.

25 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 15, 1909.

Miss Margaret Hilliard, of Renfrew, is the guest of Mrs. Deacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Giles leave tomorrow for a visit to Florida.

Mrs. Mackie and Miss Ethel Mackie left yesterday for Montreal, having closed their house here for the winter months.

The Ladies' Guild, of St. Simon's Church, by their recent bazaar, have succeeded in wiping off the debt on the parsonage.

Mrs. Hughes, of Webbwood, Ont., is on a visit to her father Mr. Jos. Campbell, of Dalesville, and was the guest of Mrs. J. D. Campbell yesterday.

Mr. J. E. Valois was accorded the honor of being appointed again as mayor; Mr. Geo. Hay, retiring mayor, has ably occupied the chair during the past two years. The council remains unchanged, with exception of Coun. Raymond, who is succeeded by Coun. Jos. Lafleur.

Vankleek Hill beat Lachute Hockey Team with 8 goals to 3.

"Carleton Place Canadian"—

Radio advertising reached a climax in an announcement from a Chicago station Saturday evening. A clothing firm announced its store would be open that night until ten o'clock and on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. And to think we have to listen to such announcements. Apparently Sunday has lost its significance with our American friends.

"I'm giving yer a week's notice," said the maid. "Why, Jane," replied the mistress, "you have only been here a fortnight, and I'm quite pleased with you; whatever do you want to leave for?" "Well, you see," said Jane, "I find as 'ow you don't trust me." "Why, my dear girl," replied the lady, "I gave you the keys of the master's desk, the sideboard and my jewelcase." "Yes," snapped Jane, "but they don't fit."

Lou Lesperance, of the Imperial Life Assurance Company, says: You can get a good slant on a man by the tidiness of his desk.

"Swanton Courier"—

Massachusetts has some queer laws, but other states can beat it. It is said that during the making of the film "Disorderly Conduct," search was made for odd statutes and among dozens of others, these were found: That Pennsylvania has a law forbidding singing in the bathtub; that in Kentucky anyone operating a still must blow a whistle; that impersonating Santa Claus on the street is illegal in Minneapolis; that in West Virginia it is against the law to sneeze on Sunday; that in Newark, N. J., it is illegal to sell ice after 6 p.m. without a doctor's prescription, and that in Zion, Ill., it is a crime punishable by a prison sentence to make ugly faces at anyone.

Many terrible things are done in the cause of the theatre, but surely this from "The Daily Telegraph" advertisement columns is too cold-blooded:

TENOR SOLOIST WANTED for "Crucifixion" in S. W. district.—Write at once.

—English Exchange.

Buy from our Advertisers.

Fifty-seven Years Ago --

Old Folks' Concert at St. Andrews

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As we entered the door, there stood the red-vested and quaint costumed figure of ye old soldier of ye last century, Praise-worthy Tenneye (Mr. Beattie), now for the nonce battling with small change and yellow tickets, with no higher thought of glory than netting a handsome receipt. Ascending the few steps to the right, we were admitted into the sanctum of "ye men and women singers" — where, by the dip light of the windows and the brightness of lovely eyes and dresses, we found as ga and powdered a company as might have followed in the train of Queen Elizabeth when she visited Kenilworth. But there in strange contrast stood beauties of the 16th 17th, and 18th centuries—Martha Washington chatting with Hezekiah Perkins; Experience Billing receiving admiration from Father Dean; Prudentia and Araminta, all in smiles and pearls; everybody getting rid of their laughter at the oddity of the events and their admiration of the dresses before they went on the stage; a general revelry of joking—while, stalking among the pretty dresses and handsome faces, "ye Poet" appeared, looking like a disconsolate author who had been rusticating for a month in an attic and hadn't taken time to dust his gown or brush his hair. When at last they were marshalled in order, Miss Wales played Mendelssohn's "Priest March," and led by Father Dean the company trooped in at a leisure walk, like the entrance of a gorgeous pageant, or a Court revel of Queen Bess. The effect was very picturesque, and not only excited the admiration of the audience in general but of the engaged young men, whose hearts were smitten to deeper love and pride as they saw the beauty they had won transformed from modern to old-time loveliness in dress. After marching in gracefulness once around the stage, the ladies sat on the right and the gentlemen on the left, ye poet sitting like the shadow of a pirate turned poet, in dark contrast to the freshness and beauty about him.

And now one has time to run over the group. Behind the platform the deft fingers of the indefatigable Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wales, had together arranged very pretty evergreen decorations. "King George, 1777" formed a circle on one side, and "Queen Victoria, 1877" on the other, while above and between them ran the words "God Bless our Queen and Prosper our Dominion"; while the Union Jack drooped gracefully from the corners. To the right of the stage was the entrance to Aunt Jerusha's (Mrs. C. Wales, Jr.) refreshment table—where, arrayed in a pretty cap and double ruffle and a tasteful dress worn in the latter part of the last century she and her aids dispensed tea,

coffee, doughnuts, cake, sliced oranges, and sweet smiles. There, in the centre stands the tall figure of Father Dean (Mr. Wales, sr.), dressed in a picturesque costume of the 17th Century, much like that worn by Sir Christopher Wren, holding in his right hand the original walking-stick used by his grandfather—an officer in the time of the American Revolution. We must compliment Father Dean on the dignity of his conduct as leader and of his conduct as leader. Miss Barclay, in costume, occupied an arm chair 80 years old, and sat behind a spinning-wheel. As an old woman she was simply perfect, and wore her specs, handled her snuff-box, used her huge fan, and even sneezed, as if she were really as old as her rocking chair. She wore what is called in Scotland a "high blackit mutch cap" used by old people everywhere in the old country a hundred years ago. The way she unfolded and placed her small shawl on her shoulders was a perfect piece of acting. Her bandanna handkerchief, her knitting her ear-trumpet, all kept in an old-style reticule and used in turn, added to her own keen conception of her character; she melted the adamant heart of one old bachelor of seventy. Beside her sat a darling little old woman of about sixty summers, named Aunt Hespere Pettibone (Miss Maggie Davis) — wearing a black satin dress, wide muslin collar, a delightful old cap of three towers, and spectacles. Her bright eyes flashed fun around as if to let the world know there was life in the little old woman yet; and when she and Aunt Sally were seen promenading afterwards, one on each arm of Ichabod Peabody, they captivated the hearts of at least four men who had reached their eightieth year. Polly Spriggins (Miss Davis), having a very handsome coal-scuttle bonnet on one side of which reposed a miniature flower-garden, had on a silk dress with open stomacher and kerchief worn at a wedding half a century ago, and for all the world looked as natural as if she had stepped out of an old picture. The ingenuity displayed in her tout ensemble did her great credit, and evidently she felt as happy as she looked. Looking like a rose-bud beside her, sat Prudentia Holdfast (Miss Jennie Meikle, of Lachute), wearing a very pretty cap drooping down at the back, a rose-crape dress worn by her grandmother, lace collar and frill; hair powdered. "Were those cheeks painted?" we heard asked in the audience. Yes: by the same artist who made those roguish laughing eyes. In good company with her, sat Experience Billing (Miss Annie Benedict, of Lachute), dressed in pure white antique lace—a modest and marriageable girl of the 17th century, whose "loveliness needed not the aid of ornament." Priscilla Spaulding (Miss Georgey Benedict) wore a high Pompadour; had her hair covered with milk-white feathers and powdered; and in her light silk dress puffed at the sides, and cashmere front, was a veritable type of ye charming creature who broke knightly hearts, and for whom nobles let daylight through each other's bodies with their good swords. And there, on her left, reposed Araminta Putnam (Miss Sharpe), hair powdered to perfection and crowned with a large comb, as natural as if she were really a heart-breaker of the 16th instead of the 19th century in her nodding plume and short skirts — the latter

showing to advantage the high-heeled shoes and splendid buckles worn in the olden time. Her dress was of chene silk looped up through side pocket holes; while a gorgeous embroidered Indian scarf and a fine old cameo pendant portrait gave to the character she selected a charming naturalness and grace which must have made mouths water and somebody wish St. Andrews could revive the fashions of long ago—which made que, while not losing one iota of beauty so much more picturesque its naturalness. But who is our very pretty and Puritan young lady on her left?—she of the frank eyes and hair (all her own, by the way) puffed out on each side and with two puffs on top with a big comb between, dressed in light brown silk—her own mother's wedding dress, stomacher of white satin, lace scarf, embroidery four generations old, and looking the sort of olden-time lassie into whose heart it would be lucky for a bachelor to get. She is Sunlight Hopkins (Miss Mary Wales) verily, and there she sits as calm as a star, and sometimes looking as sharp as a shooting one, but always a calm star—as if she kept somebody's secret. What a sweet quaint dress to be sure has Prudence Proudfoot (Miss Kate McMartin) put upon her sweet self; a silver grey silk moiré; wreath of silver, mauve and pearls on her hair; a tasty cap such as Queen might wear on her holiday, and yet with no more grace than our Prudence. We wonder how many hearts those eyes made to flutter! And there, beside her, is dear Martha Washington — on programme, Keturah Hopeful (Miss Harrington) dressed in most rich buff brocade silk, open front; handsome reticule, rich jewels, prettiest of pretty caps; hair powdered and puffed—for all the world the very delightful young wife of newlywed George Washington — who has run over to Canada to spend the summer and teach the young girls good taste and the winning manners of a sensible faithful girl as she was. Did any one ever see neater little lady at Court reception of Louis XVI. than Mehitabel Vanderwater (Miss Kneeshaw) charming young Puritan colonist, spending a season in Paris and making very Parisian belles sick with envy at the splendour and good taste of her powdered head-dress and chaste robes—her Puritan fathers having conquered a New World, and she gone over the sea to conquer the old? And there in most natural beauty sits Sophia Shuffles (Miss McEwen), becomingly attired in rich Court dress of the time of Elizabeth, of variegated brocade silk; an Elizabethan ruff, as chaste and rich a coronet sitting like a dove on puffed and powdered hair; pearl necklaces in tasteful profusion, jewels and wreath of flowers—all worn with such perfect repose and sweet dignity as would have won the heart of the Virgin Queen.

Among the men singers Hezekiah Perkins (Mr. T. Barron, of Lachute) was enough in himself to bewilder one's senses, and to make him doubt if the scene before him was really a representation of a by-gone age itself. There was no exaggeration in his dress or his manner, but a most perfect picture of "the fine Old English Gentleman, one of the olden time." Ichabod Peabody (Mr. C. Barclay) was very well got up as an old man, with powdered wig, snuff-box, a curious old carved stick, etc. The manner in which he snuffed the candles, the unsteadiness of his hands, the stiffness of his legs, and the thorough way in which he acted his part, were generally remarked. Of the other men-singers we need not speak, save to say that they were very appropriate dresses and acted their parts to perfection. Ye poet alone, not having found a publisher for his "ingenious nonsense," as Newton termed poetry, had to wear a motley suit or go naked.

The Programme began with "Auld Lang Syne," by all ye men and women singers, which was loudly applauded. Ye Poet Obediah Mather (Dr. W. Geo. Beers, of Montreal) delivered the following Prologue, composed expressly for the occasion — (copyright secured, for sale by all booksellers in Europe, Asia and Africa; those in America know better) —

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Cookery Hint: The taste of an onion can be improved greatly by adding a pound of steak to it.—Los Angeles Record.

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(Note:—All locals advertising any event from which there are financial proceeds will be charged at the above rate.)

ILLEGAL SHOOTING IN DISTRICT

Despite a warning through the columns of this newspaper, so called "sportsmen" of the locality have shot one of the pheasants recently liberated for breeding in this section. It was the aim of Quebec's Department of Game and Fisheries that pheasants should be allowed to propagate at strategic points through the province, and a number of these birds were placed in the vicinity of Lachute.

Finding a scarcity of food, one of the pheasants had made it a practice to approach Mr. Barron's farm buildings, where grain had been spread around to feed it. The sudden disappearance of the bird led Mr. Barron to believe it was shot last week—a suspicion confirmed by a trail of blood where the pheasant usually appeared.

At Huberdeau, Montebello, and Ste. Marguerite, also last week, the carcasses of four deer were seized, having been shot illegally by hunters, who were arrested and summoned for arraignment before a justice of the peace.

The deer hunting season is closed.

Throughout the winter, these animals continue to roam the province's wooded areas; they make runways in the snow, and confine themselves to such paths. If they leave them, they venture into deep snow, the crust breaks and they sink. And their shanks are cut and torn, and they are trapped, facing death from starvation or freezing. But nature teaches the deer never to abandon the runways, except in cases of exceptional danger.

It is easy, then, for unscrupulous hunters to trail deer along these runways and force them to leap into the deep snow, where they are easily shot. The ruthless shooting of deer in the yarding season is a crime from legal standpoints. From human and ethical standpoints, however, it is not only criminal but a wanton breach of the decency and honor becoming to a gentleman.

NO HONOR AT HOME

While the Radio Commission is receiving such wide adverse criticism, the Editor would pay humble tribute to the Saturday and Sunday afternoon operatic features—which are among the few radio programs which editors are privileged to sit back and enjoy. If the Commission has done no more than to enlist a few regular attractions of this kind, it has fully justified its existence in the supervision of Canadian broadcasting.

But apparently the Commission has done more. While it is quick to bid for the best musical presentations across the line, United States listeners are also taking note of Canadian broadcasts.

The Radio Editor of the "New York Daily Mirror" has paid enthusiastic tribute to the work of the Canadian Commission. Its commentary is based on exchange programs of Canadian origin which the Commission is sending to the United States. It announces that Congress will probably appoint a joint committee to make a sweeping investigation into radio matters, and adds, "Senators and representatives are being swamped with letters and telegrams from American radio fans who have been lucky enough to catch Canadian exchange programs which have been conspicuously devoid of advertising blarney." It publishes in full a letter from a listener in the Bronx, New York, who was particularly delighted with one of our Canadian programs, and adds, "It made me wonder if the American public is not being robbed of a tremendous instrument for good by the radio interests who are using this God-given discovery as a ballyhoo medium."

B. C. Man Pays One Cent Fine

One cent was the fine imposed upon a citizen who appeared in court at Nanaimo, B. C., for evasion of poll tax. Two dollars was tacked on for court expenses, however.

The Ottawa Spotlight

A Weekly Review of National Affairs
By Wilfrid Eggleston

Ottawa, January 17.—Something in the nature of a butter war is raging in the outside world. European countries have been raising the barriers against butter from New Zealand and Australia, and this has diverted unusually large supplies into the British market. The price of the highest grade Australian butter in London has fallen in the past two weeks as low as 14 cents in Canadian money.

So far Canada seems to be fairly well sheltered against this battle of butter, and in the second week of the year the price of No. 1 butter at Montreal was as much as 11 cents above world figures. Whether this wide spread can be maintained remains to be seen. The duty on New Zealand butter is only five cents a pound, and it is surprising that with a 11 cent spread attempts have been made to ship from New Zealand into Canada. New Zealand shippers undoubtedly recall what happened to their shipments last winter, when anti-dumping legislation was invoked against them.

Against other sources of supply than her sister Dominions, Canada is well protected. The price of butter at New York has been around 18 cents a pound, and with a price of 25 cents at Montreal quantities would unquestionably have flowed northward had it not been for the duty of 14 cents a pound on United States butter.

From the viewpoint of the dairyman, Canada just now is in the happy position of producing just about sufficient for domestic needs, and very little more. Canada did ship about 4 million pounds, mostly to Britain, in September and early October, but all the rest of the year the price of butter in Canada was above the world price. From the producer's viewpoint this would seem to justify our high tariffs; from the consumer's, it has meant higher prices to pay for butter.

Will Have to Import?

The unusually severe winter and the rapid depletion of butter stocks during the last three months may make it necessary to import some small quantity before the winter is over. It will be done very quietly and foreign exporters will be warned that only a limited market exists.

As the session draws nearer, the likelihood of a wholesale or widespread Marketing Act for farm products along the lines of the British scheme seems rather more remote. There are many obstacles, legal and constitutional. I do believe, however, that the idea of public utility boards, fixing prices to be paid producers, and another set of prices for consumers, compelling the distributor to work within the spread prescribed, is growing and will in time be applied to such necessities as milk in most parts of Canada.

Deaths in the Senate

The passing of Hon. Jules Tessier again makes a total of 7 vacancies in the Senate. A remarkable change in the political complexion in the Upper Chamber has occurred in the past three years. Most of the senators who have died have been Liberals, and the small Liberal majority which Mackenzie King, after nine years of government, was able to achieve, disappeared some time ago. There are now only 38 Liberal senators living, and by filling the vacancies the Conservatives will have a majority of 20. Indeed, with three or four more deaths a majority might be set up which would outlast the present generation of politicians. A Conservative Senate might have important repercussions in the next parliament, should it be either Liberal or C. C. F.

The new minister of national revenue, Hon. R. C. Matthews, is making a determined effort to give the taxpayer and importer of Canada a new deal and with Hugh Scully and Dave Sim heading the important branches of customs and excise this should be possible. In the past there has been a vast amount of indignation at the sand in the wheels of business which that department could—and often would inject. Without, of course, abandoning the policy of high protection which is government policy, a fair and reasonable dealing with those who have business to do with that branch of government is being sought.

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

Hockey

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the final overtime session. It was then that the crowd bellowed, either with dissent or approval; but from the onlooker's viewpoint it was a real game.

A pleasing feature of the evening was a gesture of friendliness between these two rival teams. Manager Chas. Walker of the Mills team took pleasure in presenting the Express line-up with a serviceable Ayers' rug for the use of the players.

The name of the team was worked on the cloth. It was a highly appreciated gift, of which Maurice Navion, on behalf of the Express, made fitting acknowledgment in a few appreciative words.

The opening score of the game was by Berniquier, of the Express, in the first period. Second period was scoreless, but Bidou Patry of Ayers evened the count in the third.

The overtime session, opening at 1-1, was a clash both played and witnessed with the tensest excitement. After five minutes the teams changed over, and it was in the final minute of play that Geo. Lefebvre, Cruise and Berniquier clicked in a fine combination rush and turned the balance with another goal, making the score 2-1 for Laurin. Jas. McGibbon refereed the game.

BROWNSBURG AND LACHUTE HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDING TO DATE

	P	W	L	T
Laurin Express	5	5	0	0
Ayers Limited	6	3	3	0
Brownsburg	6	3	3	0
L.A.A.A.	5	0	5	0

THE ST. SIMEON'S CLUB

On Thursday of last week, the yearly business meeting of St. Simeon's Club, was held in McArthur's Hall.

A good representation of members listened to a splendid report regarding the activities for the past twelve months. During the last year, a sum of approximately \$250 was added to the finances of the club, and a Building Fund of \$925.00 has been put in Trust with the Synod Office at Montreal.

Officers for 1934 are:—

President: J. S. Skuffham.
Hon. President: Rev. Winter LeCras.

Vice-President: Gerald Taylor.
Secretary: Miss J. Valpy.

Treasurer: Chas. Henderson.
Auditors: Geo. Leggett and C. L. Hall.

Social Committee: Mrs. LeCras, Mrs. Leggett, and Mrs. Stansfield.

Educational Committee: Rev. LeCras, Mr. Stansfield, Mrs. Bothwell and Mrs. R. Graham.

Refreshment Committee: Mrs. R. Miller, Mrs. W. McFaul and Mrs. S. Holt.

Committee of Plays: Mrs. Leggett and Miss Valpy.

Casting Committee: Mrs. Bothwell, C. L. Hall and Chas. Henderson.

BROWNSBURG BEAT L.A.A.A., 7 to 1

Brownsburg visited Lachute on Tuesday, playing the eleventh League game, against L.A.A.A. The visitors held a marked edge on the play, and the periods showed their score well in the lead, at 5-1, 6-1, and 7-1. The hockey was fast, and L.A. were frequently in the 'Burg's territory, but were out of luck around the visitors' net. Gagne of L.A. drew a major penalty in the second session. Referee Prevost held the whistle.

Teams Presented With Ayers' Blankets

Both Brownsburg and L.A.A.A. at this game became the recipients of a fine Ayers' blanket, presented by Mr. Walker, manager of the Mills team, in token of friendship existing between the League participants.

LEAGUE GAMES TONIGHT AND SATURDAY

The Lachute and Brownsburg League fixtures will continue, tonight, Laurin with L.A.A.A., and on Saturday at Brownsburg where Ayers will play against the Burg.

From the following standing, the latter two teams appear even in second place, while Laurin Express top the list with a good lead.

Discriminating movie-goers should turn out, rain or shine, to see "Bitter Sweet," Friday or Saturday at the Rex Theatre. It stabs the heart, like "Smiling Through" . . . Noel Coward's operetta as presented by Florenz Ziegfeld, but even more exquisite than the stage production itself.

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of whom survive, including R. S. White, M.P. for Montreal, and Lady Perley. Mrs. White was granted extraordinary length of years. If she had lived until the 31st of this month she would have been 99 years old. She was married to the future cabinet minister in Quebec in 1853, fourteen years before Confederation. Mrs. White had lived under four sovereigns, having been born two years before Queen Victoria ascended the throne.

Mrs. White was formerly Miss Eleanor Vine, of Quebec, in which city she was born on January 31, 1835. She was married to Mr. Thomas White, then a young journalist of Quebec, in May 1853, removing immediately thereafter to Peterboro, Ont., where Mr. White joined his brother-in-law, Robert Romaine, in the publication of the "Peterboro Review." In 1864, Mr. White and his brother Richard, having purchased the "Hamilton Spectator," removed to Hamilton, where he and Mrs. White resided until 1870, when the brothers, having purchased the "Montreal Gazette," returned to the city of their birth.

Mr. Thomas White was elected to the House of Commons for the constituency of Cardwell, Ontario, in September, 1878, and upon entering the Government of Sir John Macdonald in August 1885, as Minister of the Interior, he with his family took up residence in Ottawa. Hon. Mr. White died in 1888 and since that time his widow had lived almost continuously in Ottawa.

She was a woman of great vivacity, a lively sense of humor, courteous and kindly, and to the last took a keen interest in public affairs.

Mrs. White was always a most devout church woman. When younger she was an active worker of Grace Church (St. John's) and was held in the highest esteem by all connected with the parish. Even in later years it had to be a very stormy day which kept her away from divine service. Two of her daughters made their home with her and with these, her other children and happy association with old friends she enjoyed the long sunset of a memorable life.

Mrs. White is survived by one son, R. S. White, M. P., for Mount Royal, Montreal; three daughters, Lady Perley, and Mrs. John Cotton, widow of Major Cotton, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and Miss Laura White, of Ottawa.

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TRIAL OF TUG-BOAT PILOT AT ST. JEROME

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crushed between the barge and the wharf.

Shouts were heard, and all hands on board the barge and the tug rushed to the aid of the two men. Portelance was brought to the surface, and at once is said to have returned to his tug without aiding in the rescue of the captain. The latter's body was recovered several hours later after it had been crushed against the wharf and fell into the waters of the canal.

A Gagnon, a sailor aboard the tug, testified how he had rescued Portelance. He stated that the next morning Portelance came to him and said: "Gagnon, you saved my life." A little later, the witnesses continued, Portelance added: "Well, I drowned the old b..." At this juncture of the trial the lawyer for the Crown and the Judge reminded the witness that he was making a serious accusation against Portelance, but the witness insisted that he was telling the truth, adding, "I also heard Portelance say before Lizotte was drowned: 'I will drown you or I will kill you.' This the witness stated was said by Portelance to Captain Lizotte.

First Verdict Recalled.

Dr. Rosario Fontaine, provincial medico-legal expert, testified how Lizotte had died. He said that he suffered fractured ribs, other severe internal injuries, and was drowned. The provincial police related how a verdict of accidental death had been returned by a district coroner when Lizotte's body was found in the canal. It was later on, they said, that relatives of the dead captain heard of the threats made by Portelance and communicated with the Attorney-General's Department in Quebec. The body was ordered exhumed, an autopsy performed, and a thorough investigation started, which led to the arrest of Portelance.

Several other witnesses were heard by the jury and finally Hermann Barrette, lawyer for the defence, addressed the jury, and was followed by Ernest Bertrand, K.C., for the Crown. Mr. Justice Lorange re-opened the trial on Wednesday and summed up the case before the jury, who retired at 6 o'clock, and after deliberating until 11 o'clock next morning, returned a verdict of Manslaughter.

Coming Events.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Laurentian Ayrshire Breeders' Club will be held in the Town Hall, Friday, Jan. 26th., at 2 p.m. Everybody welcome. A. M. Smith, Pres.; D. G. Simon, Sec.-Treas.

County and Scarlet Meetings

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Loyal Orange Lodges of the County of Argenteuil will take place in McArthur's Hall, Lachute, on Saturday, Jan. 20th., at 2 p.m. sharp. Business: Election and Installation of Officers, receiving Reports and other General Business. By order of the County Master, W. L. Dawson, C.M.; W. T. MacNaughton, C. Rec.-Sec'y.

Concert

A concert under the auspices of the Young People's Society, of the Lachute United Church will be held in the Church Hall, on Friday evening, Jan. 26th. A good programme is being prepared. Music and singing will be supplied by Messrs. Owen and McMillan, of Montreal. Doors open at 8.15 p.m. Admission 25c. J-24-2-c.

St. Valentine's Tea

The Ladies' Aid of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church are holding a St. Valentine's Tea and Sale of Home Cooking on Friday, Feb. 16th., at 2.30 o'clock in the basement of the church. J-18-1-c.

Bridge Party

The St. Simeon's Club are giving a Bridge in McArthur's Hall on Monday, January 22nd., commencing at 8 p.m. All members are heartily invited to come and bring their friends. Refreshments will be served. Admission 25c. J-18-1-c.

MORIN HEIGHTS

The January meeting of the W. A. was held at the home of Mrs. F. T. Watchorn on Thursday afternoon. A good attendance was reported.

On Thursday, Jan. 11th., the Ste. Adèle Hockey team played Morin Heights, resulting in a victory of 5-4 in favour of our home team.

A very enjoyable sleigh drive and supper was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church, on Friday evening last.

On Saturday night, Jan. 13th., the Morin Heights Hockey team played in St. Adèle, the game ending in a final score of 5-4 in favour of Morin Heights.

Miss Marjorie Syvret is spending a few days the guest of her friend, Miss Elsie Knott, at "The Bridge House" Shawbridge.

The election for councillors took place on Monday, Jan. 15. Those elected to office were Messrs. Lawson Kennedy, Wm. Watchorn and R. J. Seale.

The Annual Vestry Meeting of Trinity Anglican Church was held on Monday evening. All the officers were re-elected for another year.

Miss Phyllis Aumais, who has been spending some time with her grandmother, Mrs. W. Ward, has returned to Montreal.

BROWNSBURG

Miss Cafferty, of Ottawa, was a guest of Mrs. H. Gardiner for the week-end.

Mrs. Jas. Reid spent a day in Montreal this week.

There was a good attendance at the Clinic on Friday.

Miss Eleanor Hanson, of Notre Dame de Grace, was home for the week-end.

Mr. Wilbur Hardie, who has been in the employ of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Ottawa, came home Friday and was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal on Monday, for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. George Hosgood is very ill, with little hopes reported for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Donald, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cameron, left on Monday for Calgary.

Chatham Council had a fine day for the election of councillors on Monday. The three vacancies were filled by A. Robbins, A. Brunelle, and J. Dixon.

Town Locals.

Mr. Douglas Todd spent a few days in Sherbrooke this week.

Miss Maude Cleland spent the week-end at her home in Dalesville.

Mr. Arthur Titley spent Sunday at Mr. Henry Cleland's in Dalesville.

Mrs. Alvin Kyle, of Montreal, is spending this week visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Beers.

The Misses Paquette of Buckingham, were guests of Miss J. Lavigne for a week-end recently.

Mrs. Don Titman has been visiting in Saint John, Fredericton, and Pinder, N. B., during the past week.

Miss Willow Lavery of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur for the week-end.

Mr. Leslie Smith, who has been visiting relatives in this vicinity for the past few weeks, left on Sunday for his home in Aurora, Ill.

Mr. P. D. Lessard of the C. P. R. is leaving Lachute next week to assume his new duties, as agent of Westmont Station, Montreal. The recently appointed operator, Mr. Trotter, has also vacated his position, finding the work a little too strenuous, so that Lachute Station will have two new officers in charge. Owing to routine of appointment it will not be known for probably a couple of weeks just who the successors will be, but it is hoped we may be favored with those for permanent citizenry, as Lachute Station has been treated to many changes since the death of our old friend, Mr. Monette.

ST. SIMEON'S ANNUAL VESTRY MEETINGS

The annual vestry meeting of the Lachute Anglican Church was held on Monday evening last, with a very good attendance present.

Rev. Winter LeCras presided, and reports from the various church organizations were presented, and all of them showed an excellent progress for the year. The finance condition of the church was very favourable, and encouraging as a good substantial balance was the reward for the untiring efforts of the Rector, officers and members. Suitable votes of appreciation were extended, and appointment of officers for 1934 were:

Wardens: Rec. Warden, Herman Stansfield; People's Warden, Stanley Holt.

Lay Delegates to Synod: Andrew Elliott and Jas. Morrison.

Vestry Clerk: Geo. L. Leggett.

Auditors: H. Slater and Alex. Bothwell.

Sidesmen: Russell Elliott, Randolph Rogers, Sam Milnes, Harry Ashworth, Lloyd Graham, Edwin Pollock, Fred Stansfield, Ben Maiden, Robt. Miller and Alvin Ward.

TENDERS

Tenders are called for 140 Red Cedar Posts—7 ft. long, small end not to be less 5 inches in diameter, and 10 Red Cedars—22 to 25 ft. long, small end not to be less 12 inches in diameter.

The 140 Posts to be delivered at place specified by Council, the 10 large cedars to be delivered at Parish Lot, Upper Lachute Road. Said tenders to be in the hands of the Secretary on, or, before Monday, January 22nd. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Municipal Council, Parish of St. Jerusalem. J-20-2-c.

Lachute High School Reports

Grade XI, Physics

A+ George Martin, A Jean Campbell, B. Clunie. A- Fred Beattie, G. Boyd, G. Morrison, Stanley Morrison, M. Walker. B+ Sam Milnes. B Edna Davis, Winston Drew, Hazel LeCras, Lois O'Reilly, S. Roberts, Anna Rosborough. C Verna Bates, Myrtle Kelly, Robert Miller, Eileen Morrow. C- Dorothy MacFarlane. D Mona Bates, Willie Davis, Dougal Leishman.

Grade X, History.

A Harry Ashworth. A- Allison Cleland, E. Silverson. B+ Edna Aitkin, G. MacRae Clifford O'Reilly.

B Lillian Gordon, Lloyd Graham, Marjorie Kettle. B- Bernice Langille, Isabel MacCallum, Mac Walker. C+ Margot McGibbon, Una Morrison, Jean Picken, Edwin Pollock. C Ronald Brigden, C. Drew, Murray Lyster.

C- Jas. Clark. D+ Bernice Roberts. D Alice Berniquier, William King.

Grade VI, Literature

A Lois McFaul. A- Annie McGibbon, Kenneth Patterson. B+ Margaret Birse, J. Canning.

B Morris Bates, Hugh Brennan. B- Mary Belanger, Anna Brennan.

C+ Therese Berniquier, H. Carpenter, Elmer Hooker, Elinor Morrin.

C Helena Black, K. MacLean. C- Stella Brown, E. Gauley, Grace Robinson.

D+ Harry Lister. D Arthur Ashworth, Margaret Bigelow, Edgar Black, A. Cox, Douglas Hay, Leslie Lloyd, Margaret MacKenzie, Lois Pollock, Perry Rowe, Ruby Tossie.

D- Roger Laurin, Violet MacKrieth.

Grade V, Hygiene

A Gwen Boyd. A- Gordon Sly. B+ Ruth Armstrong, Edna Kettle, Eleanor McQuat, Roberta Robinson.

B Irene Clifford, V. Hooker, Jack MacKimmie, Richard McLean, Clayton Rogers.

B- Hilliard Anderson, Albert Boa, Edward Hammond, Florence Jenkins, Margaret MacKenzie, Grace Stein.

C+ Marion MacRae, Gilbert Scott.

C Bella Bigras, R. Maiden. C- Geo. Cox, Ian Gordon, G. MacKimmie, John Maiden, C. Riddell, Harold Wheatley.

D+ Gerald Riddell. D- Paul Lynch, Ruth MacNaughton, Leonard Scott, D. Stewart.

D- Willard Langille.

Excursion to Montreal Saturday, Jan. 20th. 90 cents Return

Good going on trains leaving Lachute at 10.12 a.m., 4.55 p.m. and 6.31 p.m. Return limit, Monday night, Jan. 22nd.

J. S. GILES, Agent, Lachute.

Canadian Pacific

Announcement

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Grade IV, Geography

A+ Helen Deacon, Margaret McKiddie.

A Alfred Assaly.

A- Lorna Carpenter, Irene Cox, Louise Deacon, Dorothy Drew, Eda Rashcovsky, Isabel Simon.

B+ Bories Arran Willie Boa Robert Burns, Earle Gordon, Ruth LeCras, Edmund McFaul, Audrey McQuat, R. Morrison, William Richards, Jas. Sheppard, Joan Stansfield, Alex. Todd.

B Olive Bradford, Glenn Warwick.

B- Rodeen Hadley, I. Leishman, Reginald MacRae, Harold Warwick.

C+ Angus Pollock, Florence Richards.

C Irving Cleland, Roland Elkington, Felice Lloyd, Billie Stewart.

C- Sarah Chapman.

GRENVILLE NORTH

Miss Sarah Stewart has returned home from Montreal, to spend a few months with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, of Calumet, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cousins.

Work has commenced on the Carillon and Grenville Canal, and quite a few from this locality have been fortunate in getting work.

Mrs. Eddie Mathieu and son Walter, of Kilmor, Que., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murray.

Death of W. Gauley

We regret the report the death of Mr. Willie Gauley, which took place at his brother's home on Friday, Jan. 12.

Mr. Gauley was a life long resident of this vicinity, and had passed the mark of three score years and ten, and was esteemed by the entire community.

The funeral service was held on Monday last in the United Church, Grenville, where a large gathering of old neighbors and friends paid their last tribute to a boyhood friend. The service was conducted by Rev. J. W. Maclean, pastor.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. T. A. Gauley, only remaining brother.

SOUNDS LIKE THE MOVIES TOO!

An overdose of movie mysteries was probably responsible for the predicament of a young burglar, arrested by detectives in a labyrinth of underground tunnels, dug beneath stores in the heart of Hollywood. The man dug down in his assailed lair after he had been shot in the hip. Detectives expressed belief his arrest solved the recent mysterious \$1,700 burglary of a drug store. They believe Wright spent one to two years honeycombing the ground beneath seven stores.

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

(By R. V. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for January 28

STANDARDS OF THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 5:1-48.
GOLDEN TEXT—Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God. Matthew 5:8.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Teaches the People.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus' Rules for Right Living.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Following Christ's Ideals.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—A Christian According to Christ.

1. The Characteristics of the Subjects of the Kingdom (vv. 1-12).

Those who are members of Christ's kingdom must possess character consistent with the nature of the king.

1. The consciousness of utter spiritual poverty (v. 3). "Poor in spirit" does not mean to be without money (Isa. 66:2), but to be to the end of self in a state of absolute spiritual beggary, having no power to alter one's condition or to make oneself better.

2. Profound grief because of spiritual insolvency (v. 4). The mourning here is not because of external grief but because of the keen consciousness of personal guilt before a holy God.

3. Humble submission to God's will (v. 5). This meekness is an outgrowth of mourning over spiritual insolvency.

4. An anxious longing to conform to the laws of the kingdom (v. 6). The one who has received the righteousness of Christ as a free gift follows after the purity of character which expresses itself in deeds of righteousness.

5. Merciful (v. 7). Subjects of the kingdom now take on the character of the king. He was the pre-eminently merciful one.

6. Purity of heart (v. 8). Since Christ the king is absolutely pure his subjects must have purity in order to enjoy fellowship with him.

7. Peacemakers (v. 9). The one who has received the peace of God through Jesus Christ will not only be at peace with his fellows but will diffuse peace to others.

8. Suffering for Christ's sake (v. 10). The world hated Christ the king. Therefore those who reflect his spirit in their lives shall suffer persecution (II Tim. 3:12).

9. Suffer reproach (vv. 11, 12). To have all manner of evil spoken against one falsely for Christ's sake is an occasion for glorying.

11. The Responsibilities of the Subjects of the Kingdom (vv. 13-16).

The subjects of the kingdom are to live such lives as to purify and enlighten those around them. Their responsibilities are set forth under the figures of salt and light.

1. Ye are the salt of the earth (v. 13). The properties of salt are (a) penetrating; (b) purifying; (c) preserving.

Since salt only preserves and purifies in the measure that it penetrates, so Christians only, as they enter into the life of the world, can preserve it from decay.

2. Ye are the light of the world (vv. 14-16). The subjects of the kingdom should so live as to prevent the unwariness from stumbling and falling.

III. The Laws of the Kingdom (vv. 20-48).

1. As to deeds of righteousness (v. 20). The deeds of the subjects of the kingdom must spring out of nature which are like Christ's.

2. As to sanctity of life (vv. 21-26). The duty of the subject of the kingdom is to conserve and sustain his own life and the lives of others.

3. As to organized life (vv. 27-32). The family is the unit of society. The two awful sins against the family are:

a. Adultery (vv. 27-30).

b. Divorce (vv. 31, 32).

4. As to oaths (vv. 33-37). Speech is the absolute test of character. The truth, and that alone, is to be uttered by a subject of the kingdom.

5. As to behavior toward those who do not recognize the laws of the kingdom (vv. 38-48).

a. Not revengeful (vv. 39, 40). Turning the other cheek after being smitten, means, after one insult prepare for another without revenge.

b. Willingness to do more than is required (v. 41). Rather than quarrel with a man for causing you to do that which you cannot help, show willingness to do more.

c. Be charitable (v. 42). Our hearts should always be open, ready to give to all, worthy or unworthy.

d. Love enemies (vv. 43-48). Love to our enemies consists in:

(1) Blessing them that curse us;
(2) doing good to them that hate us;
(3) praying for those who despitefully use us. Such behavior affords the positive proof that we are God's children.

Wasting Life

Many a person wastes much of life waiting for an opportunity to do some great thing. While thus waiting for large opportunities, they overlook the little daily duties, the doing of which will inevitably fit us for the accomplishment of greater tasks.

A Christian Attitude

No matter how much a man may differ from you, that is no reason why you should not maintain a Christian attitude toward him and treat him kindly at every opportunity.

Hints for Homebodies

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman.
By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

A CASH DONATION

Women have some queer quirks and one of the queerest is their dislike to giving a cash donation. They will give willingly time, work and materials, but just try getting money from them. The same woman who will object to giving fifty cents will work for days arranging a sale, will donate a cake and tarts that will cost her more than the fifty cents and will then turn around and spend sixty cents on some other woman's baking. It may be an unconscious hangover from the days when women did not have any money—literally hadn't any. The husbands handled all the money and paid the bills. It was an easy matter for women to donate food and so on as they could always manage that but they might not have the money. No matter how generous a man is, no woman enjoys asking for money. Most men these days realize that their wives are partners and as such should handle a definite part of the money, but there are still a few who feel that the money is theirs and dole it out to their wives. Next time you are rushing about cooking for a sale, figure out how much you spend and see how much cheaper it would be to donate cash.

THOSE NIGHT MEALS

Lately I have been doing considerable reducing work and I find that in most cases there is one definite reason for making an individual gain too much. You would be surprised at the number of people who are fat because they eat an extra meal going to bed. They may not call it a meal but it puts the fat on just the same. One woman ate a piece or two of pie and a glass of milk each night. Another takes cake and cocoa, others have a sandwich and biscuits and cheese are frequent offenders. It requires 4000 calories to make a pound of fat. A piece of pie is about 350 calories and a glass of milk is 120. If you take that 470 calories above your needs it will not take long to put on another pound of fat. If you must have something to eat on retiring and are trying not to gain, be careful of what you eat and choose low calorie foods.

THE DAILY NAP

All small children require a sleep in the daytime but sometimes mothers have difficulty in getting the children to go to sleep. Even if they do not actually sleep they should be put to bed for a rest. One of the reasons for not going to sleep may be that they are not put to bed soon enough after the noon meal. Immediately after eating there is a change in the circulation and the system is ready

A JACK CORNWELL DECORATION

The Scout Cornwell decoration, given at rare intervals for unusual examples of "courage, capability and character," has been awarded by Lord Baden-Powell to Scout Allen Henson, 16, of the 7th Ashford Scout Troop, England. Through out several years of serious illness, including five painful operations, Scout Henson carried himself with undaunted cheeriness, continued his Scout work, and drew the tribute from the surgeon of the Ashford Hospital that his bearing would have done credit to a mature man.

"Arthur Enterprise-News"

An exchange was not far wrong when it remarked "Hello everybody!" would appear to be the proper greeting when you take down the receiver on a rural party line.

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for sleep and rest, but if the child is allowed to play around the food will stimulate and rest it and the desire for sleep is lost. So tuck your small child into bed immediately after eating, undressing him so that he will have the right attitude for sleep.

CRANBERRIES AS A FRUIT

Do you ever serve cranberries for a fruit as you would strawberries or raspberries? If you have not tried them, do them this way and see if you do not like them. Pick over a pound of cranberries, discarding all soft ones, and wash. Make a syrup of 2 cups of sugar and three cups of water and boil for 5 minutes. Add the cranberries, cover and cook for some time over a gentle heat until the cranberries are quite soft but not mushy. Serve very cold. They are very pleasant as they are sweet and yet tart. The colour of the juice is delightful. You may have the added pleasure of knowing that cranberries are very good for you, but if you are one of those who hate to eat anything because it is good for you just skip this last sentence and eat them only because they taste good.

BAKED SPAGHETTI

Break a half package of spaghetti into pieces and boil in salted water, keeping the water boiling rapidly all the time. While the spaghetti is cooking, cut 3 onions into small pieces and cook slowly in butter or bacon dripping (I prefer the bacon fat), until soft but not browned. Be sure that the onion is thoroughly cooked. When it has cooked sufficiently add a can of tomato soup and 1 cup of cheese sliced thinly. Add the drained spaghetti and mix thoroughly. If the mixture is at all dry, add a little milk. Pour into a baking dish or casserole and cover with buttered crumbs. To butter crumbs, melt 2 tablespoons butter and stir in 1/2 cup dried bread crumbs. Bake in a moderate oven about twenty-five minutes or until the crumbs are slightly browned. This is a very appetising supper dish and to my way of thinking is one of my best recipes.

MARMALADE COOKIES

1/2 cup butter
1 cup granulated sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon baking powder
3 cups flour
3/4 cup orange marmalade
Cream butter and sugar, add beaten eggs, then the marmalade. Sift in the flour and baking powder. Mix thoroughly and drop from teaspoon on a buttered pan and bake in a hot oven of 400 degrees.

Prof.—Why are you taking this course, Mr. Brown?

Stude—"Er, well, because I am very fond of the subject. It gives me a new insight into the problems which—I'm called upon to meet in everyday life. It has been an inspiration to me."

Prof—"Very good. Now, Mr. Smith, you tell one."

Correspondence

Watercourses

Greece's Point, Que.
Jan. 13th., 1934.

To the Editor 'Watchman'.

May I please have a little more space in your valuable columns, in answer to a letter in your last issue by Mr. C. F. Kains.

I am a very poor scholar, but intelligent enough to understand the meaning of his poem by Alexander Pope. Mr. Kains has the happy knack of being able to quote poetry to suit any occasion, and is very fond of showing his ability. He is a good example of a man who becomes inebriated at the exuberance of his own verbosity. Mr. Kains claims to be an invalid of long standing, and on more than one occasion has told me that if he had my physical abilities combined with his brains he would have been a millionaire long ago. He has repeatedly termed me a fool and a jackass. I am both, for having anything to do with him. He reminds me of the story—The devil was sick, the devil a saint would be; the devil got well, but devil a saint was he.

When inspectors are appointed by Council to view our ditches, Mr. Kains claims they are not qualified to inspect ditches. I would advise that the Council keep a staff of Civil engineers on hand for the purpose of inspecting drains, etc.

I liked Mr. Kains story about his nice little canal, with the lovely grassy bottom. He forgot to mention the locks, and that the lockman had left the gates rust for want of opening when he went on holiday so many years ago. We need more clever men like Mr. Kains in our Councils, and I am surprised that he doesn't become a Councillor to represent the front of Chatham.

To get back to the ditches and canals—I have no nice little canal, but if anyone is interested enough I can show a pretty fair river flowing through my land that has no right to be there, as it rises some distance away. I don't wish to be the cause of anyone having water in cellars, least of all Mr. Kains but when he admits a fall of at least three feet from his cellar to line, I still claim water will not run uphill.

Sincerely,
Donald G. Greig.

Editor's Note: A constructive discourse on Disease and Waterways appears to have developed into an exchange of personal grievances which are far removed from the subject. With the above letter, our columns are closed for the further discussion on this topic.

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Discolored Snow

Editor Watchman,
Dear Sir:

You asked in a recent issue whether any of your readers could suggest an explanation of the brown coloured snow that fell recently. I did not see any further reference to the matter in The Watchman.

Probably most of your readers saw an account in the Montreal papers of a solution given by McGill University. Some of the professors of the Geological Department took up six square feet of the brown snow on the campus and melted it. They then analysed the sediment after removing any soot, and found that it consisted of minute grains of felspar, mica, quartz and other minerals found in volcanic rock.

The conclusion reached was that it was the result of a volcanic eruption somewhere. But where or when this eruption occurred, nothing is known.

A full account of this interesting experiment was given in the Montreal papers a few days ago.

—T. J. Barron.

Lachute, Que.

Jan. 13, 1934.

Three Welshmen in an inn praising a glass of beer:

First Man—"Best glass of beer; I never tasted no better".

Second Man—"So did I, neither."

Third Man—"Neither did I, too."

WONDERS OF CAT'S EYES.

Biologist Discovers Why They See Better Than Humans In Dark.

That a cat can see forty times better in the dark than a human has been established by a German biologist, says Popular Mechanics Magazine.

It has long been known that a cat can see better, but just how much better had not previously been computed.

The reflecting tissue that lines the rear of a cat's retina, and the results of which can be seen when a cat's eyes shine in the dark, really acts as a light amplifier. It has been found. The human eye has no such lining. The "reflector" sends the rays falling on it back to the front of the retina where the nerve rods and cones are located, thus augmenting the light stimulus coming from the outside through the eye's lens.

The color of the reflector varies in different animal species, but regardless of its color it will reflect light waves of the same length as those received.

FACTORY IN THE ARCTIC.

Soviet Established Chemical Works In Far Frozen North.

Russia in its quest for chemicals has invaded the Arctic. An apatite plant, scheduled to produce more than a million tons of concentrates the first year, was recently opened in the Khibiny Mountains, Basile W. Delgass, former vice-president of the Amtorg Trading Company, says in reporting Soviet scientific explorations for "Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Journal."

The factory is beyond the Arctic Circle, eighty miles north of the White Sea and approximately 100 miles inland from the Arctic Ocean. "It is a bleak, forbidding region," says Mr. Delgass. The cost of the plant was 5,000,000 gold rubles.

The stoical scheme of supplying our wants by lopping off our desires is like cutting off our feet when we want shoes.

—Jonathan Swift, 1667-1745

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THE OLD FOLKS' CONCERT
IN ST. ANDREWS
(Continued from Page 3)

YE PROLOGUE

God bless you, merry gentle-folks;
may nothing you dismay.
Warm welcome to St. Andrews, on
this our good Queen's day.
Bright be the bright young faces; let
age its fancy twine
Around the memories of the past,
the days of auld lang syne.
For but a night let us bring back
the antiquated jokes;
The Hymns and tunes and worldly
songs and dresses of Old Folks;
The rare old Christian Gaffer and the
gammer loved so well,
The staid and straight-cut Quaker—
his prim and pretty belle;
The grand old honesty of speech, the
quaint old Christian name,

"How did you succeed in your
action for compensation against
the man whose dog bit you?"
"His lawyer proved I bit the
dog."

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loves the best,
For every noisy stirring elf, and
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For brave bright boy and pretty girl
—not one age could we spare.
Thank God for all the children do
to make this dark world bright,
For all their chat and cheerfulness,
the trust their lives invite.
—But is there not a holy calm, a
peaceful restful day.
When, sitting in the Old Folks' home,
you watch those children play?
You think of all the tender love from
those Old Folks you got,
The sympathy and prayers for you,
the constant wearing thought;
The hope embalmed in 'mother's
heart for her own darling boy,
Her pride in your success at school,
her joy in your own joy,
Her pity in your failures, her sac-
rifice in pain.
And tell me, do you ever think those
dear Old Folks too plain?
Does Father's bended figure, or
Mother's sunken eye,
Waken aught else but warmest love,
most heart-born sympathy?
Is your affection lost by sight of
their old coats and cloaks?
Ah! no. Your heart, most honest,
says,
"God Bless my dear Old Folks."
Merry then may you be, good friends,
both now and evermore.
Virtue has always worlds of richest
mirth and love in store.
May the old lessons learned this
night lead you to gentle deeds;
Charity and pure Truth rise far a-
bove all human creeds.
And when you think of bygone days,
when George the Third was King,
Waken betimes to present life and let
your voices ring;
Sing for the Queen whose purity of
life and kindness,
Make her beloved o'er all the world
for woman's best loveliness.
Sing for our grand old heritage of
British law and sway.
Sing for the oft-repeated anniversary
of this day!
Then when the years go rolling by,
and the babes have fully grown,
May the dear old land which links us
now still call us its own.
When the world is working changes
and the marvels multiply,
When the hot rush of your younger
days is turned to charity—
When the fire is burning dimly, and
the day of life's night done,
When grandchildren cluster round
you in merriment and fun—
When the prattling darlings look
you in the face and ask you why,
You tell of this Old Folks' Concert,
and the days of a Queen gone by;
When they listen with hungry eyes
so wide, and hearts so full of
truth,
And you tell of th Good Victoria
who was your Queen in your
youth—
Then will the dying embers of your
life receive fresh flame,
Then will those young hearts loyal-
ly repeat her noble name;
Till down the ages it will shine like
stars in heaven seen,
And men thank God for giving Eng-
land such a noble Queen!

The first part of the pro-
gramme then proceeded—*Polly*
Spiggins singing the solo of
"Ye Pilgrim Fathers" charm-
ingly; *Prudence Proudfoot* leading
in "Ye Old Folks at Home" with
mellow voice; *Hezekiah Perkins*
raising such rapturous encore
with his worldly song and or-
iginal local hits that he had to
rise again and sing the "Low
Back Car," both of which he
did capitally. After "Cousin
Jedidiah" was sung by *Aunt*
Hepsey and all the singers, an
intermission of half an hour
took place, and *Aunt Jerusha*
was besieged by the well-pleas-
ed crowd, who in their thirst
and hunger for more old-time
music, had to take old-time re-
freshments in the meantime.

Ye Seconde Parte

comprised several sacred and
some secular pieces. "All things
are Beautiful" by *Aramintah*
and *Martha Washington* being
beautifully rendered, *Joseph*
Marigold sustained his charac-
ter well in the song "When
George the Third was King;"
Experience Billing rendered
"Rousseau's Dream" on the
nopia with much taste; *Mehit-*
abel sang with great sweetness
a worldly song; *Hezekiah* gave
a fine Treble Fiddle Solo, and
the audience finally joined in
"God Save the Queen."

Before closing this report it
is only just to say that the in-
genuity and good taste shown
by the ladies in their dress did
them great credit. Moreover,
the utter absence of affectation
made their old-time apparel sit
on them with charming natural-
ness. We don't think the same
number of young ladies could be
picked from the most fashion-
able centres of the Old World
and in such dress look half as
natural—which in itself is
beauty.

As the audience dispersed, a
display of fireworks took place
on the Square, and young St.
Andrews was made happy with
the sight of Roman candles and
blue balls shooting into the sky.
And so the day ended, and
good old Argenteuil again, as it
always has done and will al-
ways do, testified its love for the
best of Queens the world ever
knew—

GOD BLESS HER!

Following is a reproduction of the four-page program,
as given in a mellowed leaflet now in possession of Dr. B. N.
Wales of St. Andrews East. The most interesting portion,
perhaps, is the fourth page, on which appear numerous in-
junctions to govern the behaviour of both players and spec-
tators.

A LYSTE
Of Sacred Hymns and Tunes, and likewise Worldly Songs, certaint
of wh were sung in ye yere of our Lord
1777
And wh pieces will be once more played and sung at a
GREAT CONCERT
to be attended at
YE DRILL SHED in Ye Towne of ST. ANDREWS
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24th. Day of ye Monthe of May
1877.
When ye Queen will be 58 yeres olds.

PROGRAMME OF YE CONCERTE

YE FIRST PARTE	YE SECONDE PARTE
1. Auld Lang Syne	1. Majesty
2. Ye Poet will deliver ye Prologue composed exprefly for ye pres- ent occasion.	2. David's Lamentation
3. Invitation	3. Worldlye Song—"All Things are Beautiful"
4. Ye Pilgrim Fathers	4. Worldlye Song—"When George the Third was King"
5. Anthem for Easter	5. Piano Solo
6. Sherburne	6. Strike the Cymbal
7. Worldlye Song—"Old Folks at Home"	7. Worldlye Song
8. Sound ye Loud Timberel	8. Jerusalem, my glorious home
9. Treble Fiddle Solo	9. Worldlye Song
10. Worldlye Song—"Cousin Jedi- diah"	10. Child of Mortality

Ye Last Tune—"God Save Ye Queen"

N.B.—All ye men and women singers, and all thofe who are blessed
as to have good lungs, Religious training, and loyal hearts, are expected
to ftand up and help singe ye laste tune.

N.B.—Forafmuch as ye young women who singe are shamed, ye
young men are desired to looke away from them when they singe, so
that they may not be put to confusion and make miftakes.

N.B.—Parson Howard will have a front Seate in ye Halle, where he
will observe ye actions of ye young-men and maidens. Undue levity
and sparking will be mentioned from ye pulpit ye next Lord's Daye.

N.B.—Ye people who attend ye concerte have no neede to fetch candles
with them, as ye caretaker will furnifh ye lites.

N.B.—Some of ye coftumes will be very riche and none muft covet them.

N.B.—Between ye Firste and Seconde Parte there will be a refing spell
for ye singers and their breaths; they and ye young men can take ye
cousins to ye Tea table, where Aunt Jerusha will sell cheap to help
on ye good cause.

WILLING TO PAY

Up at Powassan the editor of
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payment of overdue accounts.
It is said he recently received
the following in his morning's
mail: "Dear Sir: I got your
bill what I owed you. I ain't
forgot you; please wate. When
some other fules pay me I pay
you. If this wuz judgment
day and you wuz no more pre-
pared to meet your maker as I
am this account, you sure would
go to hell. Hoping you will do
this, I remain yours truly."

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Rev. W. B. Rosborough,
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7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject:
"CARDINAL POINTS IN
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11 a.m. Morning Worship.
10 a.m., Sabbath School.
2:30 p.m., East Settlement.
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Rev. H. Cousins, B.A., B.D.,
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11 a.m., Lachute. Subject:
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7 p.m., Lachute. Subject:
"Be not afraid."
3 p.m., Brownsburg.

BROWNSBURG UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.
Sunday, Jan. 21st., 1934
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
Subject: "Winter."
7 p.m., Evening Worship.
Subject: "Ruth, an Idyl."
All are cordially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. F. W. Dyson, Pastor.
Dalesville 11 a.m.
Brownsburg 3 p.m.
Lachute 7 p.m.

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Rev. E. G. Baxter
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject: "A new Man."

CHURCH OF ENGLAND

3rd. Sunday after the Epiphany
St. Simeon's Church, Lachute
11 a.m., Morning Prayer.
7 p.m., Evensong.
St. George's, Brownsburg.
3 p.m., Evensong and Litany.
Rev. W. LeCras, Rector.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES

Sunday, Jan. 21st., 1934
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.. District News ..

ST. ANDREWS EAST

Mr. John DeWitt is spending
the week in Montreal.

Miss Ruth Bradley spent the
week-end at her home.

Miss A. Funcheon is spending
a few days in the city.

On Monday of this week, Mr.
Wilfrid Fournier was elected
Municipal Councillor, with a
majority of 98.

The pulpit in the United
Church was filled on Sunday
evening by Mr. Silcox of the
United Theological College.

Miss Elizabeth Wales, who is
attending the Royal Victoria
College, McGill, is home for her
mid-term holidays this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryhill
and little son, from New York,
are visiting her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. R. J. Bradley, Lachute
Road.

Provincial Field Secretary F.
Hicks visited the St. Andrews
Troop of Boy Scouts at their
meeting in the Town Hall on
Friday evening last.

The many friends of Miss
Tina Walsh are pleased to hear
that she is returning home this
week from the Royal Victoria
Hospital in Montreal.

On Friday last the St. And-
rews Hockey Team defeated
Cushing with a score of 5-2.
In Sunday's game with St. Eug-
ene the score was 2-2.

Mr. Hal Leroy, of Toronto,
was called here by the illness
and death of his mother. The
funeral service of Mrs. Leroy
was held in the Anglican Church
on Sunday afternoon. Among
those attending were, Mr. and
Mrs. Saunders, Mr. Rejall, Mrs.
G. F. Shaw, and Miss Dewar,
all of whom came from Mont-
real.

On Tuesday, Jan. 9th., the
W.M.S. of the United Church
met in the Church Hall. Mrs.
Lilly, the new President, was in
the chair. The meeting opened
with a Memorial Service for
Mrs. C. A. Pease, who was for
years an active and loyal mem-
ber of the Society. A tribute
to Mrs. Pease was read by Miss
Tita Wales. In the middle of
the last century, her parents
had crossed the Atlantic in a
sailing vessel, and settled in
Montreal, where Mrs. Pease
was born and educated and lived
all her life, until she came to
St. Andrews about 20 years
ago. She has been "Missionary
Monthly" Secretary for 13
years, and her keen interest and
generous spirit will be greatly
missed in all the activities of
the W.M.S.

ARUNDEL

Rev. H. MacPhail spent a
few days in Montreal last week.
The annual church meeting
of the Church of England was
held last Saturday.

Mr. K. A. Moore was a week-
end guest at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. H. G. Cooke.

The Annual Meeting of the
Arundel Development Company
was held on Monday of this
week.

Much sympathy is extended
to Mrs. R. G. Cooke in the loss
of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Kidd
of Lachute, who passed away
last Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. Veit, manager of
the local branch of the Bank of
Montreal, spent Friday and Sat-
urday of last week in Montreal
attending "Medical Board." Mr.
A. W. Smith relieved Mr. Veit
during his absence.

The Bridge Club met at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Veit
last Wednesday evening for the
purpose of forming a club for
the balance of the winter. After
the meeting bridge was
played, the highest points be-
ing won by Mrs. Veit and Geo.
Thompson.

An exciting game of hockey,
between Carling's of St. Jovite
and Arundel, was played on the
local rink last Friday evening.
The score was 2-0 in favor of
Carling's. The local young
ladies served refreshments to
the players after the game.

The annual meeting of the
Ladies' Aid was held at the
Manse last Tuesday afternoon.
Members re-elected to office are:
Mrs. J. Moncrieff, President;
Mrs. H. C. Cooke, 1st. Vice-
President; Mrs. P. Staniforth
2nd. Vice-President; Mrs. M.
E. Davis, Treasurer; Mrs. R.
Moss, Secretary.

CUSHING

The attitude of some of our
Front Concession residents to-
ward the Municipal election on
Monday, reminded us somewhat
of a picture we saw once, of a
disconsolate-looking rooster
with his head half buried in his
feathers, and standing on one
foot. Beneath him was print-
ed these words: "Oh darn!
what's the use. To-day I am a
rooster, to-morrow I may be a
feather duster."

One citizen was heard to re-
mark, "So they done us out of a
man on the Front again." To
this we reply, "Yes they have."
Those of us who stayed at
home, shrugged our shoulders
and whined "What's the use,"
instead of going to the Poll and
supporting our man.

If the soldiers in the war had
thought and acted like that, we
should doubtless be under Ger-
man rule to-day.

Mrs. Joseph Bradley of Caril-
lon, was the guest of her bro-
ther, Mr. Roy Dobbie on Thurs-
day.

Mr. Vincent Elliott and Mr.
Neil Maclean were in Grenville
on Wednesday night of last
week and attended a Hockey
game between Grenville and
Greece's Point which finished
with a score of 2-1 in favour of
Greece's Point.

Our sincere sympathy is ex-
tended to Lady Perley in the
loss of her mother.

Cushing Hockey Club have
been enjoying their games, hav-
ing played a practice game on
Tuesday evening of last week,
with Chute au Blondeau hockey
boys, who have no rink of their
own this year.

On Thursday evening the
Cushing boys played at St. And-
rews, much handicapped by the
fact that at the last minute
word was received that their
goalie was ill and would not be
with them. Lefebvre, of Caril-
lon, who is a sub-goalie for the
St. Andrews team, kindly help-
ed them out, but was himself
handicapped, being not familiar
with the men of the team he
was helping out. And St. And-
rews goalie, according to the
boys, "Surely could goal." It
is understood he had experi-
ence with the Ahuntsic team
for some several years previous
to returning to his home in St.
Andrews. The score was 5-2
for St. Andrews.

On Monday night, a friendly
game was played between the
Carillon team and Cushing,
with a score of 4-1 for Cushing.

LAKEFIELD

The Annual Meeting of the
ladies of the W. A. of Holy
Trinity Church, Lakefield, was
held at the residence of Mrs. G.
L. Rogers on Wednesday, Jan.
10th. The president, Miss M.
Sherritt, occupied the chair.
The report of the Treasurer,
Mrs. Geo. L. Rogers, showed a
most encouraging condition of
affairs. After having paid for
the new kitchen for the Parish
Hall, installing range, etc.,
there is still a balance of about
\$150.00. The officers for 1934
were appointed as follows—
Hon. Pres., Mrs. A. E. Mount;
Pres., Miss Millie Sherritt;
Vice-Pres., Mrs. Thos. McCam-
bly; Treas., Mrs. Geo. L. Rog-
ers; Sec'y., Mrs. R. Williamson.
At the conclusion of business
matters, dainty refreshments
were served.

The Annual Vestry Meeting
of the congregation of Holy
Trinity Church, Lakefield, was

held in the Gibb Parish Hall,
on Tuesday, Jan. 9th. There
was a fair number present.

The report of the People's
Warden, Mr. Wilbert Sherritt
was a most encouraging one;
all expenses for the past year
paid up, there remains a bal-
ance of \$109.00 to carry for-
ward to 1934. The officers of
the previous year were unani-
mously re-elected, viz: Minister's
Warden, Mr. George L. Rog-
ers; People's Warden, Mr. Wil-
bert Sherritt; Lay Delegates to
Synod, Mr. Wm. Rogers and
Mr. Laurence Overing; Sexton,
Mr. Leonard Legg. The chair-
man, the Rev. Allan E. Mount,
temporarily in charge of the
parish, expressed his heartfelt
appreciation for all the sym-
pathy and help he had received
from the congregation, espe-
cially mentioning the two church
wardens, the ladies of the W.A.,
the sexton, and all who by don-
ations of wood for the church,
transportation for the minis-
ter, had helped in bringing a-
bout such an encouraging state
in the church's affairs.

It is planned to incorporate
in the minutes of the Vestry a
resolution of regret at the loss
of the presence and support of
the late Archdeacon Overing,
and to forward an expression
of sympathy to Mrs. Overing
and family.

MILLE ISLES

The election of Councillors
for the Municipality of Mille
Isles, took place on Monday.
"Gilbert Ryan, after a year's
absence, was returned to duties
with 49 votes; Arthur Dawson
45; Alex. McCullough 35; Rus-
sell Patterson 31.

Mrs. John E. Ward and son
Albert spent a couple of days
in the city recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ward
returned from Montreal on
Wednesday last to Lily Crest.

Friends of Mr. James Daw-
son sympathize in his heavy
loss by fire. A number of men
gathered on Tuesday to cut and
take out timber to start build-
ing as soon as possible.

Mr. John A. Ward is busy
working at his own cottage,
where he intends to reside in
the near future.

Visitors at Lily Crest recent-
ly included Mrs. Wm. Morrow,
Mrs. Captain and daughter,
Mr. Albert Scott, of Lakefield.
Miss Vera Ward was visit-
ing with her aunt, Mrs. John
Noble, recently.

Rev. W. J. H. Lummis spent
Tuesday night at Mr. Wm.
Wood's.

Mr. G. A. Ryan paid a short
visit to the city recently.

Mr. William Maxwell spent a
few days last week with Mr.
and Mrs. Arnold Maxwell, at
Lachute.

Calumet A.Y.P.A. feels hon-
oured by the fact that their
Secretary, Miss M. Foreman,
was elected a member of the
Suggestions Committee of the
Montreal District A.Y.P.A., at
its meeting in Montreal recent-
ly.

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MARRIAGE

STEWART - LEISHMAN—At
Cushman Memorial Presby-
terian Church, Hull, on Sat-
urday, January 13th., 1934,
by the Rev. R. Good, Hazel
Elizabeth Leishman, eldest
daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Leishman, Lachute,
Que., to John Russell, young-
est son of Mr. and Mrs. John
P. Stewart, of East Temple-
ton, Que.

IN MEMORIAM

MONCRIEFF.—In loving mem-
ory of a dear husband and
father, Joseph Moncrieff,
who departed this life Thurs-
day, Jan. 21, 1926. "Though
lost to sight, to memory ever
dear." Wife and family.

PETRIE—In loving memory of
my dear mother, Mrs. Alex-
ander Petrie, who passed a-
way Jan. 10th., 1933.

Mother

In all the world I shall not find
A heart so wonderfully kind,
So soft a voice, sweet a smile,
An inspiration so worth while,
A sympathy so sure, so deep,
A love so beautiful to keep.
Inserted by her only daugh-
ter, Mrs. A. L. Trussler.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. A. St. Jacques
and family wish to express their
sincere thanks for sympathy
shown and spiritual offerings
received during their recent sad
bereavement.

HOCKEY GAME

Saturday, Jan. 20th., at 8:30 p.m.

ROYAL CANADIENS of HAWKESBURY
(Leaders in the Argenteuil & Prescott League)

will meet

LAURIN EXPRESS, LACHUTE,
(Still leading and unbeaten in the local League)

A good, keen game assured!

Lachute Brass Band in Attendance

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of Comfort Soap at 33c.
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CLARK'S SOUPS 3 tins 20c.
QUAKER OATS, Quick or Regular pkg. 19c.

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Iona Cocoa 1-lb. tin 17c
Special Blend Tea, black or green 1b. 39c
Encore Pure Baking Powder 1-lb. tin 19c
Encore Mayonnaise, 8 1/2-oz. jar 17c
Maple Leaf Matches 3 boxes 25c
Salt bag 5c
Royal Rose Golden Bantam Corn, tin 10c
Shirriff's Jelly Powder pkg. 5c
Pat-a-Pan Pastry Flour 7-lb. bag 18c
Aylmer Kentucky Wonder Beans tin 15c

RED CIRCLE COFFEE 25c
EIGHT O'CLOCK " 1b. 29c
BOKAR " 35c

Ripe Bananas Doz. 23c.
Apples, Greening 4 lbs. 25c.
Apples, fancy McIntosh, doz. 25c.
Grapefruit each 05c.
Lemons, California doz. 29c.
Oranges, for juice doz. 29c.
Sweet Potatoes 1b. 07c.
Iceberg Lettuce, 2 heads 15c.
Beets, cleaned 1b. 05c.
Carrots, cleaned 1b. 05c.
Celery Hearts, bunch 15c.
Mushrooms, 1b. 29c.
Beans, fresh green 1b. 19c.
Shallots bunch 06c.

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Agricultural Society Holds Its 108th Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Argenteuil Agricultural Society was held in the Court House on Tuesday afternoon, and was presided over by President W. H. Ayers.

Secretary Treasurer, Alex. Bothwell, after reading the minutes of previous meeting, presented a very encouraging report of last year's Fair and in spite of the general depression was able to show a substantial balance on the right side of the ledger.

A discussion took place as to the desirability of extending the scope of exhibitors from the limitations imposed upon the association last year.

The dates for 1934 Fair were set for June 13-14-15 and 16, with Saturday open free to all children under 12 years of age. It was also urged by some of the members that the directors should not charge for the first day of opening, but this question was left open for the newly appointed directorate.

The following directors were then elected:—C. Tremblay, W. H. Ayers, J. H. Black, E. K. Wilson, W. J. Rodger, Gilbert Arnold, Amedée Maisonneuve, Wm. Bradley, Simon Wilson, W. Morrow, Jas. McKenzie, Major G. G. Mitchell, Albert Stewart, Jas. Murdock, and Jas. Hay.

"Swanton Courier"—

A newspaper would be real entertaining if the editor could print half the hear-say and rumor that is passed around by people who rarely know what they talk about.

Memories of Old St. Andrews and the Seignior of Argenteuil

(Copyright)

To the reflective mind, there seems to be an obligation to perpetuate the memories of those long ago days when our forefathers courageously played their part on the stage of life in old Argenteuil.

The story of how they toiled to overcome the obstruction of the Longue Sault, before the canals were built, forms an interesting chapter in the history of the Lower Ottawa.

The tide of migration from the British Isles and the New England States had set in, and the toilsome ascent of the Carillon and Long Sault Rapids, by difficult and costly portages, hastened these early efforts to improve navigation.

Vestiges of the Treadwell Trenches can still be traced along the North Shore of the river between Grenville and Greece's Point. These water-filled ditches were fed from small river-shore streams from the foot-hills of the Laurentians, and were deep and wide enough to float the laden bateaux and canoes of the voyageurs. This enterprise was sponsored by Nathaniel Hazard Treadwell the Seignior of L'Orignal.

The story told so graphically in the Ottawa Evening Journal of recent date, in its reference to slave labour, requires a word of explanation. The negro labourers employed in this work which N. H. Treadwell brought from his father's estate, were freemen and not slaves. Hon. Thomas Treadwell was no malevolent slave owner, but a very benevolent one, and had manumitted his 40 slaves before the Emancipation Act passed by the New York State Legislature in 1799. On receiving their freedom, they elected to remain in his employ. One of them, Phyllis, a faithful domestic in the family, the mother of ten colored servants, outlived her master, and her last dying request was, "Lay me at Massa's feet," a wish that was religiously honoured. Years ago, the writer when visiting the Treadwell burial place at Cumber-

First Mayor of Shawbridge Victim of Heart Attack

John W. Kimpton, aged 71, died last Sunday following a heart attack, which seized him a few minutes before the commencement of the morning service in Fairmount-St. Giles Church, Outremont.

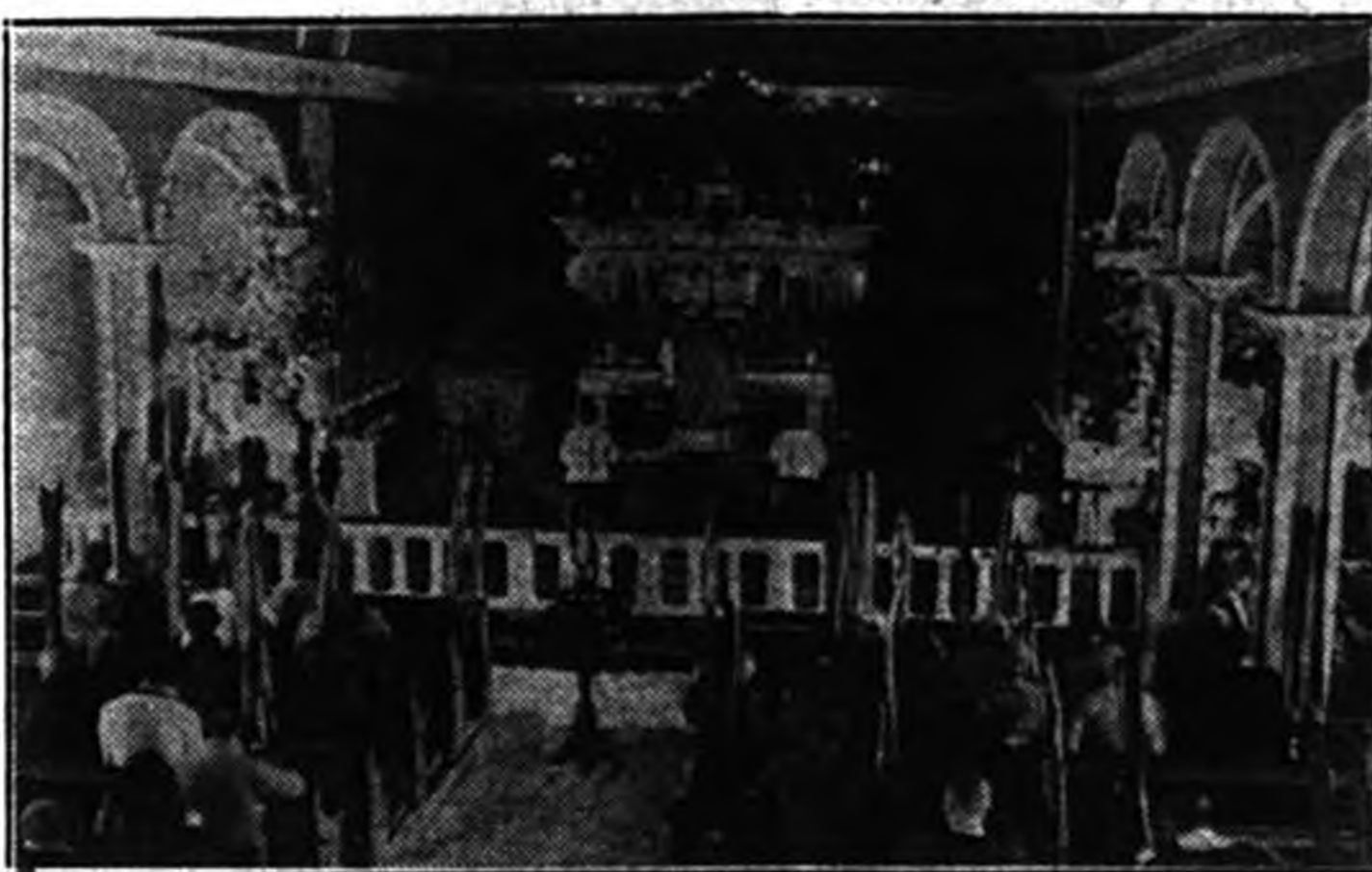
Born at Ste. Thérèse in 1862, Mr. Kimpton resided in Shawbridge for the greater part of his life and was the first mayor of the municipality after its incorporation as a village.

Council Election Prospects

The elections look as if they may pass off without much excitement. The seats in the East Ward, in which Aldermen C. Miller and Jas. MacKimmie were the representatives, will be occupied by the return of Mr. Miller, and Mr. Kenneth McQuat has been acclaimed successor to Mr. MacKimmie. There was considerable talk of a strong contest being waged in the Centre Ward to replace retiring councillor Jos. Speight. The name of Mr. Desjardins was brought forward, but as the law debar him from occupying the office, being in the hotel business, his paper was withdrawn; there will likely be two candidates for this seat, Messrs. James MacGibbon, son of ex-Mayor Archie MacGibbon, and Mr. Laurin of Laurin Express. Mr. Cyprien Du-rocher is likely to be appointed successor to Alderman Ledoux whose term of office has expired in the West Ward.

Last minute nomination results will be found on page 5.

MASS HELD FOR SKIERS



A unique event was held recently in the Roman Catholic Church at Val Morin, when a mass was held for Sunday skiers. Pictured above, the event is believed to be the first of its kind ever held. The mass was preceded by Benediction of the Skis.

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

Highlights of the Week's Events

Hockey

TWO VISITING TEAMS HERE SATURDAY

High School Sextet Beat Mount Royal

Saturday afternoon the local scholastic hockeyists were hosts to a team from Mount Royal High. A good, fast game was staged, in which it appeared at first the visitors would draw the laurels for superior hockey. The initial period gave them a 3-goal lead, in a score of 4-1. The visitors skated an edge on the local boys still during the second, as the score climbed to 6-3. It was in the final clash however, that the Lachute boys exhibited a latent skill on the ice, blocking their opponents, and registering 5 tallies. This turned the tables completely and brought victory to Lachute High with 8 goals to 6.

Laurin Meet Their Equals

A mighty good game, with glimpses of spectacular hockey, and 3 periods free of penalties, was the performance staged at Lachute Arena Saturday evening, when Laurin met Royal Canadiens of Hawkesbury, leaders in the Argenteuil & Prescott League series. A good crowd attended.

The Express line-up found a strong and adept opposition, and in a close and even game the visitors kept a one-by-one edge on the scoring. With one minute to go in the final period it looked as if the honors were theirs, as the score-board indicated 3-2. The Express, however, evened up in the last gasp of the session; the visiting players declined an overtime set-to, and it was a tie at 3-3.

League Games on Page 4

Curling

FINAL FOR DUNANY CUP IN MEN'S CLUB

Due excitement has witnessed the conclusion of the group games for the Dunany Cup, and F. A. Brennian's rink won out from a tie with Geo. Hay's quartet, to contest in the finals tonight as winner of the first group. The second group was headed by R. F. Fraser's rink, after an interesting series of games.

The teams in the two groups, and results, are listed below:

Group 1.			
Skip	Won	Lost	
G. Hay	4	1	
J. W. Gall	2	3	
P. Chabot	2	3	
H. M. Gall	2	3	
J. A. MacKimmie	1	4	
F. A. Brennian	4	1	

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LADIES' CURLING CLUB

Play for the President's prize ended on Friday. The winning team were: Mrs. Cockfield, Mrs. Ardill, Mrs. F. A. Brennian, Mrs. W. Cottingham (Skip).

The first of the challenge games for the Wilson Challenge Cup was played on Monday. Mrs. Wilson's rink again holding the cup.

The defending rink were: Mrs. J. Gall, Mrs. W. Deacon, Miss E. Fraser, Mrs. Wilson (Skip).

The Challengers: Mrs. S. McFaul, Mrs. Geo. Mitchell, Mrs. F. A. Brennian, Miss A. Riddell (Skip).

Doubles are being played for the Vice-President's Prize.

A Winter's Day

(On Reading an Account of the Sunny South.)

Who would live
Where sunbeams give?
It's winter in the Northland
Who would choose
A torrid cruise
And semi-tropic shades?
It's winter in the Northland
And it's great to be alive!

Here are clouds
That shake like shrouds
With the laughter of the skies:
Here are drifts
With many rifts
Where man their might defies.
Canada in winter-time
Is good enough for me!

Sheltered nooks,
Covered brooks,
Muffled waterfalls:
Sleigh-bells jingling,
Cheeks a-tinging,
A chickadee's sharp calls,
It's glorious to be abroad
Upon a winter's day!

ARNOLD A. MATHEWS,
Drummondville.

Rev. Arnold A. Mathews, contributor of the above poem in the Montreal Gazette, is well remembered here as a graduate of Lachute Academy and son of the late Rev. A. Mathews, pastor of the former Lachute Methodist Church.

Quebec M.P. Favors Compulsory Voting

A motion to make voting compulsory in Canada will be presented to the House of Commons during the approaching session by Dr. F. J. Lafleche, Conservative representative for Richmond-Wolfe, Que. In the last Dominion election 76 per cent. of the electorate voted. A total of 5,153,571 were eligible and 3,992,481 went to the polls. In the general elections of 1926 only 68 per cent. voted.

King's Bench at St. Jerome

The Court of King's Bench, now sitting at St. Jerome, has disposed of several interesting cases, in one of which Mr. Osias Laurin, former postmaster of St. Philippe, who was charged with arson, was acquitted.

Another case of importance was that of J. McRae of Laurel, for recovery of a cheque issued without sufficient funds to cover. According to an amendment of the Criminal Code, anyone now issuing a cheque without provision for its payment is liable to one year's imprisonment as it is considered to be tantamount to fraud. Mr. McRae having since made payment, the sentence was suspended.

Mr. Beatty of St. Columbia, was found guilty of attempted rape.

The case of Mrs. Paquette, of Terrebonne, charged with gross cruelty to her daughter, has

County and Scarlet Chapter Orangemen Elect Officers

The semi-annual meeting of the County and Scarlet Chapter of Orange Lodges of Argenteuil was held on Saturday afternoon at McArthur's Hall. In the absence of County Master Bro. W. L. Dawson, of Lakefield, who is on business in the West, the meeting was presided over by Past Master Bro. Stanley Holt, of Lachute, sixty-five members being present. Reports were presented showing substantial increase of membership, and a presentation was made to county recording secretary Bro. W. T. MacNaughton, in recognition of thirteen years' service in this position.

The following officers were elected and installed by Past County Master Bro. A. O. Kerr, of Lakefield; Stanley Holt, county master; Victor MacVicar, D. C. Master; Harold W. Butler, county chaplain; Joseph Boyd, county treasurer; W. T. MacNaughton, County Sec'y.; J. A. MacGibbon, County Lecturer; James Morrison and Geo. Neill, Deputy Lecturers.

"We live in the twentieth century; but where politics and higher education are concerned we employ the methods of the thirteenth." Aldous Huxley.

been set for the 6th of February.

L. L. Legault, K.C., of Lachute and J. D. Belair, K.C., of St. Jerome are acting as joint crown attorneys.

Major-Genl. Armstrong of Carillon Succumbs in 62nd Year

Served in South African War, and World War
Had Outstanding Army Career

A figure well known in this district, and widely respected in military circles of Eastern Canada, passed on Tuesday with the demise of Major General Charles Johnstone Armstrong, C.B., C.M.G., V.D., in his 62nd year.

General Armstrong, as he was usually known here, retired from his military office last summer to reside at his Carillon home, where the beautiful colonial house Bellevue, overlooking the Ottawa River, and the surrounding estate, have for many years been connected with his name. His well earned retirement was brief, however; following an illness of several weeks, during which he had received treatment in the Montreal General Hospital, he expired on Tuesday night.

Surviving are his mother, Amelia Frances Johnstone, of Montreal; his widow, two sisters, Mrs. William Bentham and Miss F. Elsie Armstrong, both of Montreal; four brothers Col. Bertie H. O. Armstrong, C.B., C.M.G., retired from the Royal Engineers and now living in England; Percy Armstrong and J. Hector de L. Armstrong, both of Montreal, and Colonel Logie Armstrong, of Winnipeg. Another brother, the late Edgar Noel Armstrong, K.C., predeceased him.

Montreal military circles in particular will mourn his passing, for they owe much to the organizing and administrative ability of this soldier, for it was under his regime as District Officer Commanding M.D. 4 that a number of militia units were reconstituted immediately after the close of the war.

On returning to this country early in 1919, he was appointed acting D.O.C. in June, and was confirmed in this command four months later. During the next few years General Armstrong assisted materially in the reorganization of overseas units returning to peace-time conditions and establishments. In October 1926, he was transferred from Montreal to Lon-

don, Ont., as D.O.C. of Military District No. 1.

Born on the 27th. of August, 1872, Major-General Armstrong was educated at the Montreal High School and proceeded thence to the Royal Military College of Canada, Kingston, Ont. He was graduated in 1893, and the following year was gazetted Second Lieutenant in the 5th Royal Highlanders, now the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders) of Canada. He was promoted lieutenant the following year, brevet captain in 1900 and captain in 1901.

When the South African War broke out, he proceeded to Cape Town in 1899 with the Canadian forces. He was severely wounded at Paardeburg, and was decorated for his services.

During the Great War he was badly injured in the wreck of a troop train in France, and carried the effects of that accident throughout the remainder of his life. He filled many staff appointments, and was several times mentioned in despatches. Besides receiving the 1914-1915 Star, British War Medal and the Victory Medal, General Armstrong was made a Companion of the Bath (C.B.) a Companion of the Order of St. Michael & St. George (C.M.G.) and received the Auxiliary Forces Long Service Decoration (V.D.). His foreign decorations include the Belgian Ordre de la Couronne and the Portuguese Military Order of Avis (Grand Officer.)

Major-General Armstrong was descended from a family long associated with military activities. Bellevue, his Carillon home, bears evidence of many distant campaigns and military associations in the relics which adorn its walls.

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders) of Canada, of which Major-General Armstrong was the oldest surviving member at the time of his death, will pay a final tribute to this gallant soldier at his funeral.

What the Gray House Hid

The Mystery of a Haunted Mansion
by Wyndham Martyn

Hanby measured fifty paces before he stopped. Apparently he had run into solid ground. Then he saw that the passage bent sharply to the left; and when he turned his eyes, he could see light coming from a doorway. It was not daylight, but came from some artificial source.

"Dad!" Junior whispered excitedly. "This is our house—I'm certain!"

The three intruders passed through the entrance. It seemed odd that it had no door. The light which enabled them to dispense with the flashlight came from a low-powered electric bulb in the masonry ceiling of a large chamber. The insufficient illumination showed the room to be almost ten feet in height, and filled with piles of lumber.

Now for the first time they heard voices. They drew back into an unlighted chamber, of whose dimensions they could not judge. Here they waited, having for the moment no set plan of action. Junior's guess seemed to be a correct one. For some reason which might soon be discovered, the owner of the Gray house was allowed to use only one-third of his cellar space. Unknowns occupied the rest, and had piled lumber in it. More than that—unknowns made their homes here and breakfasted here.

When the distant voices ceased, Hanby turned on the flashlight and looked about him. They had strayed into a storeroom. On shelves were potatoes, onions, carrots, pears, and apples. The floor was of concrete, and an electric light bulb was the source of illumination.

"I bet I'm paying for their juice!" Hanby whispered.

He stopped suddenly. At last he heard footsteps. The three took what cover they could in the corners.

Luigi entered, and switched on the light. It was Junior whom he first saw. With a roar of anger, he sprang at the crouching lad and had him by the throat.

Hanby remembered those dreadful bruises on Smucker's neck. He raised the heavy cane and brought it down on the stranger's head with all his strength.

"Thanks, dad!" said Junior, making an effort at superb calm.

Bill Pelham, with a yeatsman's skill, trussed up Luigi with knots that the ruffian could not break when he came to. The whole thing had occupied only a few seconds, and had made little sound. Luigi's cry of rage, apparently, had brought no one to investigate its cause. They left him to lie in a corner, covered with sackings. The odds were growing more favorable.

Hanby was amazed to see Bill Pelham stop before another narrow door and slip a key into the lock. He had not noticed that his friend had taken a bundle of keys from the man he was binding.

Pelham worked quietly. The oiled lock made no sound. Darkness was on either side of the door. As it swung open, the three, listening intently, heard a sound as of a man sighing.

"Celia! Celia!" sighed the unseen "Les!" Junior whispered, and turned his flashlight on his friend.

Pelham shut the door and looked about for the inevitable electric light. Leslie Baron blinked at them in amazement. For weeks—or so it seemed—he had looked only into the cruel face of a jailer; and now he saw Celia's father, Celia's brother, and Bill Pelham. His face was blood-stained, and there was a deep cut over one eye, but he sprang to his feet readily enough. They could see that he was practically unhurt.

While the bird sanctuary was being violated, Mr. Appleton drank his early coffee and took his cereal and fruit in his customary unhurried way; but his humor sat on his floor face, and the eyes peering through his thick lenses no longer looked childlike and bland.

Three people were in the room with him—the woman who had a dozen

years ago supplanted his wife, Jim Delaney, and Luigi Bartoli. Jim had been a bully all his life, a man who had innumerable times proved the fatuity of the axiom that every bully is a coward. By his side stood the big Sicilian, gesticulating wildly, and voluble beyond words.

"You murdered a man unnecessarily," said Appleton coldly.

Stripped of the exuberant verbiage interspersed with parenthetical remarks in his native tongue, Luigi's story was this:

He had gone into the little room that was Smucker's cell, there to sleep off some strong wine, and to escape from the observant eye of John Delaney. While slumbering, he had suddenly awakened to find that Smucker had stolen his knife and was about to slit his wrist. He had done what he did to save his own life. In

moments of vinous rage he did not properly estimate his own strength. He had been horrified to find Smucker lifeless, but Luigi contended that not a jury in the land would convict him of murder.

"You fool!" said Appleton, coldly venomous. "I do not object to your killing him. It is the manner of disposing of the body that stamps you as an imbecile. Why didn't you bury it where nobody could find it? What madness made you put it in the stream? It is beyond recovery by us, but the others will find it, and they will hold it like a club—not over you or Jim, but over me. You will find it hurts you, too! Well, it's done now, and we know that it will be discovered. Also we know that the men we are dealing with will make capital out of it." Appleton's icy rage grew with the thought of the disaster. "I shall be the sufferer—I, who thought that after tonight I should have no worries in the world!" He pointed at Luigi. "And this mass of clay from Palermo's underworld, who has had sanctuary here, and food and drink, when he should be in an Italian jail, has twice imperiled us!"

"That isn't fair, Fred," the woman protested. Alone of them she seemed to be in no fear of him. "Kerr, or Chapin, or whatever his real name was, got that job because he knew there was some mystery here, and he hoped to blackmail us. Some one must have given us away. Either Luigi had to get him, or we might all have been discovered."

"Stupid!" he commented crossly. "Why do you all persist in misunderstanding me? You seem to think I am worrying about the death of an escaped convict, when I am only remembering that Luigi, instead of concealing the body here, must throw it in the lake, under the impression that there was an end of it." He waved his hand to the Sicilian. "Go! Remember, we need all your strength today. Sleep, if you want to. Jim will call you when we are ready."

Luigi's great carcass bowed, and animated itself with relief. His was a child's mentality. He bowed to them all. Jim liked his cooking. "I getta you your breakfast, Jeem," he said, smiling. "I make-a the tomato, garlic, and potato you like."

He took his way to the storeroom. After the meal he would sleep. After that, there would be work for him that no other man here could perform. Jim Delaney was stronger than most men, but he was not like Luigi, who had carried a grand piano on his back.



With a Roar of Anger, He Sprang at the Crouching Lad and Had Him by the Throat.

"You see, Jim," said Appleton, when the Sicilian had gone, "that we are now in the position of dealing with people who hold something definite against us."

"They're in as deep as we are," said Jim.

"Nothing of the kind! We may suspect them of a dozen murders, but whereas we have only suspicion they have a corpus delicti—actually the body of the crime. They can't help finding it. It has cost me a great deal of money and time to make it certain that they must find it. That's one of the exasperating things!"

"Forget it, Fred," the woman said, patting his head. "Two weeks from now we'll be in Europe, living like lords."

"Sure, chief," Jim declared. "They won't want to give you away, anyhow."

"There's risk in the whole affair," Appleton retorted. "If the deal goes through safely, they will use their knowledge to cut my price. If I refuse, they will pay, perhaps, but they'll get me too."

If they are discovered, they will have to accuse me to save themselves. Luck doesn't keep on. It was sheer luck that the police dropped the Ited Chapin case when they found the mangled body of an old cell mate who had threatened to kill him. This thing worries me. Of course, you might get the body at the culvert, but you would most likely be seen. Safer, perhaps, to let things go. See that Luigi is ready when we need him."

Jim walked to the storeroom, calling the Sicilian by name. This cellar had been so constructed as to be sound-proof.

It was Jim's quick ear that heard him first, as he passed the door of Leslie Baron's cell.

"They'll find that man and know we're here," he whispered.

"We'll get him as he's finding him," Hanby said.

There were four now who crept toward the storeroom. They entered it just as Jim was kneeling by Luigi's side, untying his bonds. It was Leslie who made the first spring at him. Jim had not a chance. Outnumbered, taken by surprise, unable to rise to his feet, his struggle was futile. Side by side, he and Luigi nibbled viciously against gags.

"Now for Tom Burton!" said Hanby, when they left the storeroom.

When the door opened, Burton stood up and clenched his fists. He knew that some day Luigi's inherent love of torture would lapse into some such exhibition of violence as would kill him. Burton had great ideas of Nordic racial pre-eminence. He would show that even in their moments of dying, the Nordic strain was the thoroughbred one.

"Ah!" he said satirically. "The gentle Luigi! Good morning, Caliban!"

Not until that moment had Hanby really liked Burton. It was as he saw him standing braced for punishment, and unafraid, that there came a change of heart.

"Tom, old man," he said, "Junior, Bill, and I are here. We've trussed up two gallowas birds. How many more are there?"

When the light was turned on, it was seen that Tom Burton had suffered at his warder's hands. His face was thin and lined, his body bruised and aching. There were tears in his eyes, as he shook his rescuers' hands.

Burton had little to tell. He knew only that the infamous Appleton, who had tipped him into the pit, ruled here absolutely. Burton had seen only Luigi, Jim, and Smucker. There might be others of whom he had not heard. He had no idea for what purpose Appleton had made his home here, or that he had been imprisoned beneath his cousin's house.

"We're here to clean out this place," Hanby said. "You'd better come along with us."

The searchers made slow progress, because they were as yet unaware of the number of inhabitants this subterranean fastness concealed. The general layout was speedily made clear. The large cellar with the lumber was the main feature. Then there were three little cells, a kitchen, a storeroom, and one other apartment. It was through the doors of this last that by straining their ears they could hear the faint hum of human voices.

While they were wondering whether to attempt to force an entrance, or to wait until the people within came out, they were relieved of making the decision. Mr. Appleton stepped out. He looked into the mouth of an automatic pistol in Hilton Hanby's hand.

For a moment flaming hate looked out of his eyes; then it died away. He was again the bland and suave little man whom they had known so long.

"I dislike revolvers," he said gently. "Furthermore, I am unarmed. You have something to say to me?"

"Quite a lot," said Hanby. "I trust you and your friends have been comfortable in my house. I begin to understand now on what you expended so much money. Mr. Douglas was puzzled about it. You are going to tell me why you spent it."

There was no question but that a look of relief passed over Appleton's face at what was virtually a confession that his purpose remained a secret.

"Call it a fad," he observed benevolently. "This living underground is nothing new. The famous duke of Portland, as you no doubt remember, constructed a ballroom and a riding school under the lake of his famous Welbeck Abbey estate. Consider me a humble disciple."

"He did what he chose on his own property. You are trespassing on mine."

Appleton sighed profoundly.

(To be Continued.)

Of the thirty billions of people who have inhabited this earth, only five thousand names are remembered by men.

—Golden Book.

AUNT JEAN HERSELF

A Column for the Kiddies
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A MOUSE'S COMPLAINT

Two little gray mice
Said "Squeakety, squeak,"
As they raced to the pantry
For something to eat.

"I'll get there first,"
Said Mouse number one,
"I'll eat all the good things
Then you'll have none."

The second mouse hurried
But did not catch up
Until his wee brother
Climbed over a cup.

There was a terrified "Squeak."
A clinkety-clap . . .
Wee mouse number one
Was caught in a trap!

His brother ran back
To his home in the wall,
Said he, "This catching by traps
Is not fair at all—"

AN EVENING'S FUN AND SURPRISES

Such a clamor shook the Harper home as the boys opened the door after school and dashed in. "Mother! oh Mother!" Ben shouted. "Ted Scott and Bill Kemp went home at noon to ask their mothers if they could come to slide tonight, and they said Yes. May we go over and ask the Jones crowd to come too? May we, Mother?"

"If you wish to, my son, but do not stay long as it is almost tea-time; it may be tea-time at their house too, and it might annoy their housekeeper by rushing in at this time."

"We won't stay long, Mother." Joe called back as he stopped to close the door behind him. Ben and Jack were off as fast as they could go to the Jones house.

Mabel turned from the window where she had been watching their mad rush, and said, "What a strange place this world is, Mother. Just yesterday morning we children were all hating the Jones crowd and wishing that they did not live near us, and this evening our boys cannot get to their house quickly enough."

"Which goes to prove that there would be less quarrels in the world and more love, if people would only take time and trouble to understand each other a little better before they rush into hasty and unkind actions," replied her Mother.

"I suppose so, Mother. We youngsters are too quick to want to pay back injuries, I expect, but I am going to be as nice to those Jones girls as I can."—Here are the boys coming back.

"Well! can they come to slide?" Mabel asked, the moment Ben's face appeared in the doorway.

"Their father said they might, but if he had not been there that old dame would not have let them come."

"For shame, Ben!" their mother said. "You should not call a lady an old dame, or speak in such a disrespectful tone of voice."

"Oh, but, Mother! She's so cross; why she's as cross as cross can be," said Jack. "Oh boy! I am glad that I haven't got a mother like her."

"Why," she snapped out "No!" so fiercely when Ben asked her, that we all jumped in surprise," Joe said. "I felt like running but Ben stuck out so bravely that we could not desert him."

"Yes," said Ben "I asked her why they could not come and she snapped back 'Because they can't and that's all about it.'"

"Where was their daddy all this time?" Mabel enquired eagerly.

"He came out from behind the dining room curtain and said 'Lydia, I think it would not hurt the youngsters to have an evening's fun with the other

children. You may go to bed if you wish, I will stay up until they come in and see that they lock up.'"

"What happened then?" asked Mabel again.

"Oh, the Lydia woman just grunted something about 'if he was boss she supposed the kids would go out' and Mr. Jones said 'all right boys, they will go' and that settled it."

"I am glad they are coming," their mother said. "But come to supper now, then get your lessons done so you will be able to enjoy your evening."

Mr. Jones from his window watched his family playing happily with the others. He could even distinguish their voices from the others'; and he sighed happily. It seemed like old times, when their mother had been living. "Thank God for good neighbors," he murmured softly to himself, as he pulled his easy chair still closer to the window, so that he might get a better view of flying sleighs and the figures of happy, scrambling children in the moonlight.

The fun had gone on for some time without any sign of weariness from the children. They were half-way up the hill with their sleighs when Bob Jones said suddenly, "Oh! Oh! Old Grumpy's house is on fire!"

"Who is Old Grumpy?" asked Ben Harper.

"That cross old chap, who lives in that little green house over the hill. We call him Old Grumpy because Keith and I wandered over there one day and he almost chased us. We did not know who lived there; we were just wandering around to see what the country looked like, when he came darting out of the shed shaking his fists at us and shouting 'Humph you knew that Pincher was dead. If Pincher had been living, you wouldn't be a-sneaking around here!'"

By this time the boys were racing towards the fire, almost too breathless to speak, but Joe Harper said "He took you for some of our crowd, I expect. Pincher was his dog and a mean sneaking old cur he was, I am glad he is dead."

—To be continued next week.

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Scouts Assist His Majesty's Mail

Scouts of Anyox, B. C., repeated their annual Christmas good turn of assisting in the delivery of the heavy festive mail throughout the district.

An Archbishop on Scouting.

"I am always, in season and out of season, calling attention to the great fact and still greater possibilities of your wonderful Movement." The Archbishop of Canterbury in a letter to Baden-Powell.

Now Scouts in Liechtenstein.

The Boy Scouts of the Principality of Liechtenstein have been recognized by the Scout International Committee. This makes a total of 48 countries (counting the British Empire as one) in the World Brotherhood of Scouts.

Christmas for the Sarcees.

A colorful festive happening was the presentation of gifts by Calgary Scout leaders to Indian children on the Sarcee reservation, in the presence of Chief Joe Big Plume and a large gathering of braves and squaws in gay blankets and shawls. A Union Jack flew from the skeleton framework of a summer teepee.

Santa Really Came over the Housetops.

The belief that Santa Claus comes skimming over the snowy housetops was fully confirmed last Christmas for the kiddies of 150 families on homesteads in northern Saskatchewan. The old gentleman was caught in the act. He was disguised as an Airways pilot. Between you and I, he had filled his bag at Santa's Boy Scout-Girl Guide workshop in Saskatoon.

A Determined Scout.

An example of persistence which won was offered by Rover Scout Fred Blight in capturing the 28th running of the Calgary Herald seasonal road race against 46 other finishers. Blight first competed as a 15 year old Scout in 1926, taking 4th place. Subsequent places farther back did not discourage him, and in the last run, in 10-below weather he came through. Rover Scouts Tappin and Broderick took 14th and 27 places.

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50 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 25, 1884.

The public are invited to a grand bonspiel at the Curling Rink; admission free. The competing teams—Mr. Hope, Mr. Henry, Mr. Milner, Mr. Fraser (Skip). Mr. McQuat, Mr. Campbell, Rev. Knowles, Rev. Mackie (Skip).

Great efforts are being made for accommodation of the 100,000 Americans expected at the Carnival in Montreal this year.

The Directors of the Agricultural Society have been served with a notice that they are not legally elected.

C. P. R. locomotives take water now at the new tank in the West End.

Mr. A. Roberts of Chatham, lost a fine team of horses at the Carillon Dam works.

Cornwall has been visited with a fire which destroyed the Commercial Hotel and two large blocks.

The C. P. R. have paid to Mrs. Monette and Mrs. Jacob Bradford \$50 dollars each on account of injuries they sustained in a collision some time ago at St. Martins. No claim was made by the ladies, but the company made this voluntary recompense.

25 Years Ago.

Friday, Jan. 29, 1909.

Mr. Rodney Craven, of Pier-son, Man., an uncle to Mrs. H. R. Hammond, is here for a brief visit accompanied by his wife and family.

Miss Squires, of Grand Mere, was the recent guest of her father, Mr. J. Squires.

Miss Katie Beers visited in Montreal last week-end.

Cushing. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warwick of Mt. Maple were guests at Highland Home on Tuesday.

Vankleek Hill ran an excursion to the Hockey match held here last evening, and also managed to double the score on our local boys.

A sorrow has been cast over Lachute Academy by the sudden death of Lyall Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett, of Calumet. Six of his school-mates, namely Arthur Joss, Reid Giles, Verna Hammond, Lloyd Stevenson, Robt. Beers, and Douglas McGibbon acted as pall-bearers at the funeral.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LESSON-SERMON

"Truth is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, for Sunday, January 28.

The Golden Text is: (Deuteronomy 32: 4) "He is the Rock, his work is perfect, for all his ways are judgment: a God of truth and without iniquity, just and right is he."

Among the citations comprised in the Lesson-Sermon is the following verse from the Bible: "These are the things that ye shall do; Speak ye every man the truth to his neighbor; . . . And let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbor;" (Zechariah 8: 16, 17).

Also included in the Lesson-Sermon are the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Truth has furnished the key to the kingdom, and with this key Christian Science has opened the door of the human understanding." "Science makes no concessions to persons or opinions. One must abide in the morale of truth or he cannot demonstrate the divine Principle." (Pages 99, 456.)

PARISH OF GRENVILLE VESTRY MEETING

The 103rd. Annual Vestry of the Parish of Grenville was held on Thursday, 11th. January, members being present from St. Matthew's and Trinity (Calumet) Churches.

The Rector's report showed that the attendance at St. Matthew's had been well maintained, and at Trinity, it had increased. At both Churches the number of Communicants had increased considerably over 1932. The organizations of the Parish had also maintained or increased their membership. At Calumet an A.Y.P.A. had been formed, and a Young People's Club at Grenville.

During the year a number of gifts had been received. These included a pair of brass Altar Vases at Grenville, from Mr. and Mrs. G. Hampton; a legacy of \$100 from the late Miss R. E. Whinfield to Trinity Church Calumet; also, to the same Church, an Altar Desk, a notice board, and a gate for the Communion Rail, all from Mr. and Mrs. F. Dakin, also three purifiers from Mrs. J. Irving. A wire screen had been erected outside the Chancel window at Calumet, and the Church painted.

Mr. MacI. Pridham gave an automatic pump to the Rectory, which was installed free of charge by Mr. W. J. Gauley.

The financial statement was then read by Mr. W. M. Bradshaw for the whole parish; this showed a small deficit on the year's working.

The following officers were elected—St. Matthew's Grenville, Rector's Warden, Mr. H. Rayson; People's Warden, Mr. Ross Matthew; Financial Secretary, Mr. W. M. Bradshaw. Select Vestry, the Wardens and Financial Secretary & Messrs. W. Dewar, J. Keatley and J. R. Littleton; Sidesmen, Messrs. Willis Crooks, Ray Dawson, V. Dawson, Fred Dewar, R. Dodd, Grant Dodd, J. Keatley, Vernon Rayson, James Stewart, John Stewart, Geo. Taylor and John Taylor; Delegates to Synod, Messrs. R. Dawson and J. Keatley; Sexton, Mr. John Taylor.

A Troop Committee for the First Grenville Troop Boy Scouts was elected, consisting of Messrs. W. L. Bradshaw, R. Dawson, R. Matthew, H. Rayson and the Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster.

The officers for Trinity Church, Calumet, are—Rector's Warden, Mr. G. E. Higginson; People's Warden, Mr. H. G. Brannan. (These are also Delegates to Synod;) Financial Secretary, Mr. L. J. Martin; Select Vestry, the Wardens and Fin. Secretary and Messrs. R. Arnold, D. Higginson and R.

STERILIZATION LAW IN ALBERTA PROVING EFFECTIVE

Since the bill providing for the sterilization of the mentally deficient went into force in Alberta in 1927, nearly three hundred inmates of institutions after the single operations necessary had been allowed to leave mental hospitals, materially diminishing the burden to the taxpayer, Hon. George Hoadley, Alberta Minister of Agriculture, said in an interview recently.

"The question of sterilization is no longer a matter of discussion in Alberta," he declared. "All political parties have accepted it. The character of the Board of Administration is so outstanding and the results so satisfactory, that the whole question was long ago put outside politics."

VILLAGE COUNCIL WITH OUT QUORUM ALDERMEN BECAME LUMBERJACKS

When the three of its six aldermen left to work in lumber camps, the little village of Ste. Anne, Quebec, faced a baffling problem.

Its mayor, an undertaker, resigned as result of the refusal of the municipality to pay him for interment of two village paupers. The municipality held that, being mayor, he had no right to do business with the municipal corporation over the destinies of which he presided. This was in November last. The council met to designate one of their own as mayor until the municipal elections next April. Ambrose Tremblay was selected. Their problem thus solved, three of the aldermen departed immediately for lumber camps in the Lake St. John timber areas. Mr. Tremblay has since announced that he will not accept the post.

With only three aldermen remaining in the village, no quorum existed, and a meeting could not be held to appoint a successor.

Oscar Morin, Deputy-Minister of Municipal Affairs for Quebec and chairman of Quebec's Municipal Commission, was asked to assume charge of the municipality's affairs until its three aldermen returned from the woods to constitute an aldermanic quorum. Mr. Morin acquiesced to the demand.

SMOKE NUISANCE IN NEW YORK

A good illustration of what a city can do when it seriously sets out to abate even minor nuisances is furnished on the retirement of Dr. Thomas Darlington, Chairman of the Smoke Trial Board of the City of New York—says the Montreal Gazette. During his term of office as a sanitary engineer under the Municipal Health Board he has heard more than 4,300 cases of offences against the smoke ordinances and estimates that the smoke and soot evil in New York has been reduced eighty per cent since the Health Department started its drive against the nuisance only three years ago. He adds that before the city finally decided to start a real campaign damage from this cause alone amounted to \$100,000,000 a year.

C. Whinfield. Sidesmen, Messrs. H. Bridgen, W. E. Bridgen, Woodrow Brinden, T. G. Foreman, Thos. Foreman, D. Higginson, G. Martin, R. C. Whinfield; Sexton, Mr. T. Foreman. Two Wardens were also chosen for Rawcliffe Mission, Mr. Ernest Nixon was appointed Rector's Warden and Mr. S. Rainey was elected People's Warden. Mr. R. Dawson was elected Missionary Representative for the Parish.

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DITCHES AS DEATH TRAPS

In some localities where road improvement is being undertaken veritable trenches are being built along the sides of the highway which, when a motor car skids off the road or turns turtle cause greater damage to life and limb than would have happened had the ditch been shallower. Only torrential rains would necessitate drainage systems as deep as those in some places. It would answer the same purpose were they to be built wider and shallower and would be a great deal safer. It seems that accidents are bound to happen even on the best regulated highways and it is necessary to prevent, as far as possible, them from becoming dangerous to motorists. Many times injury would have been prevented if a car could take the ditch without overturning. It could not possibly escape damage in going over some of the embankments which present drains form. When building road systems it would be prudent to take this consideration and build shallower and wider ditches, or put in sewer crocks and cover them up. Drainage systems along Provincial highways should all be sewered.

—Amherstburg Echo.

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GOOD MAYOR NOT NECESSARILY GOOD FELLOW

Mayor-elect Fiorello H. LaGuardia, of New York, as honor guest and speaker at the annual holiday luncheon of Columbia University alumni, promised that, as a good mayor, he would decline to be "a good fellow."

"An elected public official under our form of Government must be ungrateful," he said. "You simply cannot be grateful to the people who have elected you, callous as that may seem. I have friends who worked hard for my election whom I cannot appoint to the offices they seek because they are not fitted to hold them. You can't be a good mayor and a good fellow."

POLICE AND FIREMEN PAY FARES IN OTTAWA

In compliance with the order of the Board of Railway Commissioners which went into effect January 1, that firemen and policemen must pay fares when riding on the street railway, members of those departments in Ottawa were forced to pay their way, or walk to and from duty.

The order was passed some months ago but the board granted a delay until the first of the year before the order was put into effect.

POLICE CANNOT SIT WHILE OTHERS STAND

City policemen of Indianapolis must henceforth stand on crowded street cars and buses, by order of their Chief of Police. The order is to be strictly enforced, since complaints have been received from private citizens forced to stand while officers in uniform were comfortably seated and riding on free transportation.

PUBLIC SERVICE DISCONTINUED

Some years ago the city of Windsor, Ontario, spent considerable money in providing comfort stations for the convenience of residents or visitors. Now the hand of economy has literally barred the entrance to these places with chains, and the service to the public has been discontinued.

NEW PLANT ERECTED NEAR MONTREAL

A new and permanent factory, which contains 40,000 square feet of floor space to replace rented quarters used by the Williams Shaving Cream Company for 15 years, has been erected at Ville LaSalle, Quebec. The Canadian and British Empire market for the company's products will be supplied from the LaSalle factory, which is the latest to be built by the organization which has been in business for nearly 100 years, having been founded in Glastonbury, Conn., in 1840.

The Canadian factory is a model of modern construction throughout, and boasts in addition a covered shipping and receiving dock on the St. Lawrence River, a few miles west of Montreal.

Death Alone Ends Duel Between Fighting Fish

Siamese fighting fish have red fins, which they wave at friend or enemy, if they ever had a friend. These fish are known to the trade as Beta Cambodia and in Siam they are trained to battle in the manner of cock-fighting. Natives of Siam are fond of Beta Cambodia battles.

They take two males and put them in separate bowls of water. Then they bring out a bowl full of females, placing it between the two combatants.

The males stare rather resentfully at each other for a bit. Then they gradually start getting nastier. They begin churning up the water, waving their red fins and looking daggers at each other. Finally, when their wrath reaches the stage that they've either got to fight or explode, they are tossed into the same tank.

From then on the action is fast. The Beta Cambodia take their fighting seriously and there are no rest periods nor long counts. They fight until one or the other is dead.

Big Noise From Little Horn

In the Eighth century, or thereabouts, when the Vikings desired to summon a council or a body of soldiers they did so with the use of a horn of peculiar construction, and two of these have been recently sent to this country for exhibition purposes in a museum. The instrument consists of a long curled tube gradually expanding into a flare which resembles somewhat a modern loud speaker. Instead of a bell-shaped flare, the end has a number of small openings, and the noise made by one of these instruments blown by one who is experienced with them is capable of being heard for many miles. One who is inexperienced cannot get much of a peep from them.

Fish Draw Visitors

People who feel strongly about exotic fish gather at the American Museum of Natural History, New York, to examine one of the strangest aggregations of fauna assembled since Noah's ark. The two most popular fish on display from the layman's point of view, will fight at the drop of a hat.

There is one small blue fish which, in repose, looks harmless. This fellow, however, has a disposition like Schopenhauer's. He has already killed three mates, dispatching them neatly and without making much of a mess. And, then, having no others to polish off, he turned around real quickly and bit his own tail off.

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MIGRATION SCHEMES MAY CRYSTALLIZE

Brigadier-General Hornby's persevering efforts to inaugurate a scheme of immigration to Canada, will receive a deserved impetus in the British Parliament's consideration of this matter next week.

Brigadier-General Hornby has for many years been interested in a project of overseas settlement. He now asserts the question will be brought up in London next Monday, and it appears possible that Empire migration may be resumed on a large scale at an early date.

A committee has voiced its intention to start entirely new colonies of Britons in undeveloped territories in the overseas Dominions, building new towns and villages to house together migrants from the same districts in the Mother Country. A proposed corporation would be responsible for the transporting of the new settlers, clearing land for them and marketing their produce, it is explained. It is estimated the cost of settling a family in Canada would be about \$5,000, and \$6,000 in Australia. It is hoped 500,000 migrants might be settled overseas in the course of 10 years.

As far as the British Commons are concerned the discussion has reached the stage of debate, and the following resolution is to receive their prompt consideration. The motion, which has the support of 301 members of the House, reads:

"That this House is of the opinion that the time has arrived when active steps should be taken to consider schemes for the re-distribution of the population of the Empire, and therefore urges the Government to consult with the Dominions and colonies with a view to the promotion of organized Empire settlement."

General Hornby expresses pleasure that the matter is being ventilated, and hopes fruitful discussions between the Governments of Canada, and the United Kingdom will follow.

Streamline effects on some of the new automobiles are designed to reduce wind-resistance, but by their utter lack of beauty we guess they have only raised a stronger sales-resistance.

And remembering a weakness in the cylinder block, we only trust the new knee joints on 1934 cars do not develop a knock-knee action.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH BUSINESS?

Those relishing a keen sense of justice cannot but appreciate the fearless stand of our confrere, Mr. Alfred Wood of the *Sherbrooke Record*, who, like the Minister he is championing, has the courage of his convictions to speak freely. The following is digested from an article in the *Record* in support of the Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, who gave an address recently in Toronto telling some plain facts that were not wholly palatable to many in his audience.

Here is a Minister who has Courage of Convictions.

National Shoe Retailers of Canada asked Mr. Stevens to speak at their convention in Toronto, and there were present five hundred dealers from all parts of Canada.

Mr. Stevens listed what he termed glaring examples of unfair competition.

Mass buying by department and chain stores.

Meat packers' responsibility for low prices of beef and cattle.

Ownership of bakeries by the big flour millers.

Clothing manufacturers selling at less than cost through the old sweat shop methods of making cheap and tawdry garments.

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The Ottawa Spotlight

A Weekly Review of National Affairs
By Wilfrid Eggleston

Ottawa, January 24.—Of all the schemes tried for unemployment relief, land settlement seems to have come through with the greatest credit, and signs are not wanting that in the coming spring and summer efforts will be made to locate thousands of families on small tracts of land with enough equipment to make them comparatively self-supporting. Indeed, from what came out at the Dominion-Provincial conference last week, there would seem to be a determined drive to supplant direct relief, admittedly bad for the morale of the unemployed, by employment on public works or a home of some kind on the land. Judging from hundreds of personal letters and agents' reports received at the capital since land settlement was tried, most men of courage and spirit would much prefer being given a chance to win from the soil at least a portion of their living, rather than pace the streets aimlessly looking for work. Most parents, under these circumstances, prefer a country environment for their children, where at least they can do a little fishing, hunting, berry-picking or gardening to help keep themselves, and where the contrasts between wealth and poverty are not so sharply marked as in the city. Indications are that when the depression lifts and employment is again available, the 'land settlement' workers will be better able, physically and spiritually, to get back again into the world of industry.

Though much publicity has been given to cases of families settled on unsuitable land, in lonely areas far from social contacts, the figures released at the Ottawa conference last week show that 90% of the settlements may be regarded as successful.

An Amazing Change

From the federal end, this land settlement will be under the supervision of the Colonization Branch. In the past ten or fifteen years a great change has occurred in the so-called Immigration department. Not long ago, every effort was being bent to secure new settlers. The world was scoured for suitable immigrants. Then the depression came, and it was rapidly transformed into a Deportation department. In the past few months deportations have been reduced to small numbers, and now the third phase has arrived. The first duty of the department has now become the colonization of Canadians, many of them unemployed or dissatisfied with city conditions. While the best lands for mixed farming settlements have been combed over, there is no lack of land suitable for settlement by unemployed families prepared to "rough it" somewhat for the sake of maintaining their health and self-respect.

Ottawa will Back Them

Investors who own provincial bonds will be cheered by the announcement that the federal government does not intend to allow any province to default on its obligations. It is no exaggeration of the truth to say that if it had not been for the ample backing of the federal treasury, more than one province would, before now, have been forced to repudiate at least some part of its debts. This would have given a severe shock to Canada's reputation elsewhere, and Premier Bennett has taken the view that Ottawa cannot afford to let any provincial bond interest go unpaid.

This action on the part of Ottawa, while staying off any declaration of insolvency, leaves plenty to be accomplished. The federal government is demanding of the provinces that at least they balance their budgets in return for Ottawa's credit backing. But the trouble is that the western provinces owe so much money that at present prices they can't collect sufficient taxes to meet their interest obligations. Many provincial authorities are ready to confess that only by a radical reduction of their interest costs (which can only mean refunding loans, or else actual default) can they hope to emerge from their present difficulties and balance their budgets. One concrete suggestion is that the western provinces issue a re-funding loan at say 4% backed by the federal government, to be exchanged voluntarily by present holders of provincial bonds, the inference being that if the holders don't exchange them, they will have to take a chance on the ability of the provinces to meet these purely provincial obligations.

WITH LOCAL SPORTS FANS

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Hockey

AYERS-BROWNSBURG CLASH BREAKS EVEN STANDING

A good, close game last Saturday boosted Ayers Limited a notch by their 10-7 victory over Brownsburg, with whom they had been running even in second place among the League teams. The play was both keen and clean, only one or two minor penalties being meted out, under the supervision of Referees Barker and McGibbon.

With Ayers slightly in the lead as the game progressed, a juncture more than half way through the final period brought the play to a standstill in a disputed goal at the Ayers' end. The 'Burg offensive had made determined manoeuvres around the visitors' goal, and a tally had seemed probable at any moment. The referees and players disagreed however, and the Mills team withdrew from the ice, returning finally to play out the remaining six minutes of the session. The tally was counted and with the score now at 7-7, it bade fair to be "anyone's game."

The indecisive score, however, could not have appealed to the Industrial team, for their efforts were renewed with notable zeal, and they scored three successive goals in the six minutes which remained till the closing whistle. It was good hockey, and the 10-7 count left no doubt as to the winners.

CLOSE SHAVE FOR LAURIN IN HOCKEY WITH L. A.

Hard luck dogged L.A.A.A. again, as a good prospective victory faded last Thursday in third twenty-minutes with Laurin Express. It was the twelfth League game, and with the score at 2-0 for L.A. in the second adjournment from the ice, Lachute's newest line-up stood fair to chalk up their first triumph in the series. The tables were turned, however, in the final period, as the Express boys accelerated, scoring three more goals, and still holding unbroken their string of League victories.

The L.A. line-up featured Jim MacKimmie and Ken McFaul on defence, being their first regular appearance with the team. The game was fast and clean, refereed by H. Prevost. First period closed at 1-0 for L.A., the second at 2-1 for L.A., and the third at 4-2 for Laurin. Cruise and Brisbois scored each two tallies for the Express. The two Athletic goals were scored by Clarke and Barker. Laurin Express were admittedly up against a strong opposition and fast hockey from the Main Street team at this game.

LAURIN DRAWS ANOTHER LEAGUE CREDIT

The Transportation Boys of Lachute drew another triumph in the fourteenth scheduled game, on Tuesday, and Church was undoubtedly a star blockader in a steady offensive from the Brownsburg hockey squad. The score was 3-1. Berniquer scored four seconds after face-off, and the count was evened for Brownsburg at 1-1 in the first 20 minutes. In

Curling

(Continued)
Group 2.

Skip	Won	Lost
R. P. Fraser	4	1
J. P. MacKimmie	2	3
Dr. J. M. Drew	1	4
J. A. Rice	3	2
J. Falconer	3	2
G. Valois	2	3

As was noted above, F. A. Brennan climbed to top notch in the first group after breaking the tie with Geo. Hay, and the final between winners of the two respective groups, namely, F. A. Brennan and R. P. Fraser, will evoke considerable interest tonight.

The second clash, the Express marked a 1-goal lead and the period closed at 2-1. The final play brought misfortune to the visiting team in a disputed tally the second during this week's play (the other, however, was counted to their credit). The alleged goal was not seen by either of the referees, Barker or Prevost, and it appears the goal-umpire out-ruled it—amid an upheaval of protest. It was tough luck, but another goal by the Lachute puck-chasers made a decisive score of 3-1 and the doubtful goal would have made no difference in the victors.

The result adds another game to th Laurin's unbroken string of league triumphs. Their seven games and seven victories, with only 7 tallies against them, is a tribute to their play, and most notably to their goal-tending.

HOME TOWN HOCKEYISTS

The Simcoe Reformer sees the day of the tourist hockey player about ended. The Ontario Hockey Association, it says, has finally asserted its authority and numerous city clubs have found themselves without the services of imported stars this winter. So far as the small town clubs are concerned, the problem of importations has been solved for some time. The depression, untoward weather conditions, falling gate receipts and a general disgust at the performance of many so-called star imports, have combined to automatically stop the practice. Today in the majority of Ontario towns, the clubs are relying on native sons, or at least permanent residents, to carry their colors on the ice. Consequently an increased interest on the part of the fans is anticipated. The young home-town athlete requires and deserves every encouragement and support. It is the only way to foster true amateurism and to re-establish hockey on its rightful pinnacle.

—Granby Leader.

WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH BUSINESS

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Legitimate industry suffered through evil practices, whilst quality and sound values suffered.

"I believe in the ownership of private property. Private initiative is the best method of handling the nation's business. But abuses may creep into any business through greed and avarice. But such abuses must be corrected if we are to continue," he said.

"Abuses abundantly exist," continued the Minister. "I challenge the businessmen to face frankly the evils which like a canker are eating into our system. I warn them that unless they do, this canker will destroy them."

He cited specific cases which had come to his notice, among them:

"A manufacturer was invited by a department store to make one thousand dresses at \$5.95. When they were made and about to be delivered, the mass buyer said that he could get them elsewhere for \$3.75 and unless the manufacturer accepted that price he would be forced to refuse delivery. The manufacturer was forced to accept the lower price and was virtually ruined.

"All these abuses resulted in a lowering of the standards of living, the breaking down of fair prices in the various industries and the economic ruin of thousands of small manufacturers unable to hold their own against the ruthless, unfair competition of big organizations.

"The Manufacturers who have no desire to lower the standards of living of their employees, are forced to cut wages, and cut them illegally, to a point where persons cannot decently subsist. I have proof before me of wages paid men and women that are a scandal. There are cases where a working man receives only \$12 a week for a 60-hour week; another who gets seven dollars, another five."

The minister had a message to deliver, and he did not mince his words when he continued to recite further examples. He recited examples of price-fixing by the buyers for meat-packing houses, where all thought of fair competition in buying cattle and hogs had been surreptitiously killed by intrigue.

"Farmers could not buy shoes and clothing and other necessities of life when beef was held down to one and a half cents a pound. . . . The result is ruinous to the farmers."

We commend Mr. Stevens for his courage, for his study of his subject, and for his fearless exposition of those who would lower our standard of living by unfair competition in both import and export trade.

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Coming Events.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Laurentian Ayrshire Breeders' Club will be held in the Town Hall, Friday, Jan. 26th., at 2 p.m. Everybody welcome. A. M. Smith, Pres.; D. G. Simon, Sec.-Treas.

Concert

A concert under the auspices of the Young People's Society, of the Lachute United Church will be held in the Church Hall, on Friday evening, Jan. 26th.

A good programme is being prepared. Music and singing will be supplied by Messrs. Owen and McMillan, of Montreal. Doors open at 8.15 p.m. Admission 25c. J-24-2-c.

Valentine Social

The ladies of the Q. W. I. are holding a Valentine Social in the Gibb Parish Hall, Lakefield, Feb. 9th. Keep the date open.

Bible Meetings

Mr. Christopher Knapp, well known evangelist and Bible teacher, will hold meetings next week in the Hugh Street Gospel Hall on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights, as also Sunday night following. The subjects taken up are the Second Coming of Christ, and Events to follow, as the Great Tribulation, the Binding of Satan, the Millennium, and the Eternal State to follow. The addresses will be illustrated by a Dispensational Chart or Diagram. All are invited to attend. Week night meetings begin at 7.30 and Sunday at 7.00 p.m. J-25-1-p.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Lachute Protestant Cemetery will be held on Monday, Feb. 5th., at 8 p.m., in the Lachute Town Council Room for election of Officers, Directors, etc. J. W. Gall, Secretary. F-3-2-c

—The Annual Meeting of the Lachute Holstein Club, will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 31st., 1934, at 2 p.m. Everybody welcome. James McKenzie, Pres.; N. J. Boyd, Sec.-Treas.

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Diarist Kept Account of Magellan's Voyage

Fernando Magellan was a Portuguese navigator born about 1470. Early in the sixteenth century he offered his services to Charles V of Spain. He was given command of a fleet of five vessels and 230 men. With these he sailed in September, 1519, to find a western route to the East Indies. He passed part of 1520 in the bay of Saint Julian, where a serious mutiny was suppressed by the execution of two of his captains. In October, 1520, he rounded South America, discovered and passed through the strait which now bears his name.

He pursued his course through the Pacific ocean, of which he was the first navigator. He reached the Philippine Islands and was received by the prince of Zebu. He became an ally of this prince in a war against another island and was killed in battle in April, 1521. One of Magellan's ships, the Victoria, commanded by Sebastian del Cano, returned to Spain and was the first ship to circumnavigate the globe. An Italian named Pigafetta, who accompanied Magellan, kept an account of the journey which was later published.

Annual Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Lot Owners of the Brownsburg Protestant Cemetery Corporation will be held on Monday, February 5th., at 8.30 p.m. in the Canadian Industries Ltd., Employees Social Club, Brownsburg, Que. J-28-1-c.

MEMORIES OF OLD ST. ANDREWS AND THE SEIGNIORY OF ARGENTEUIL

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Through the courtesy of one of their descendants, the writer has had the privilege of handling an autograph letter of the renowned Generalissimo. After the battle of Waterloo, Wellington was at the height of his fame and without doubt his influence brought the Imperial Authorities to the determination to provide the men and the gold.

Forthwith two companies of miners and sappers were recruited in England, officered by civil engineers under the name "The Royal Staff Corps." They appeared on the ground as early as 1819, and commenced their work at Grenville.

And here is the place to make an important correction of a statement made in good faith, in an address given at the Chateau de Ramezay, and another made on the occasion of the unveiling of the memorial at Carillon. The petition in question belongs to a later date than the one given. According to the legend, which was not without foundation, the Royal Staff Corps on their arrival were urged to consider a plan to tap the waters of the Ottawa River and drain them into the North River by a proposed canal from Grenville Bay to the North River near Lachute, and from there to canalize the river through St. Andrews to its confluence with the Ottawa River. There is no documentary evidence that the scheme was seriously considered, nor is there any proof of an official survey in its favour. However, to the people of today, the plan seems as reasonable as the one to which the petition in question belonged.

After the completion of the Grenville Canal in 1829, plans for the construction of the Carillon Canal were submitted which had one feature giving rise to great opposition in St. Andrews, viz. an ingenious device called the "Feeder", to tap the water of the North River at

Isle aux Chats by an aqueduct one mile in length, and so augment the water level of the proposed canal. This diversion of North River water so disturbed the minds of the mill owners that they initiated the demand for the survey of an alternate plan, by which the proposed aqueduct would be made a section of the canal, and from there, the North River to be canalized through the town down to the isthmus (the old portage) and the isthmus to be cut through to the deep and placid waters of Argenteuil Bay, forming the last section of the proposed canal.

The plan was advocated by Lieutenant Stoddart, one of the civil engineers of the Royal Staff; and his Excellency Sir James Kempt, the Lieut. Governor of Lower Canada, in response to the appeal from the Andrews, ordered the re-assembling of the engineers for full investigation.

I have before me on my table thanks to Dr. Doughty, of the Dominion Archives, copies of all the documents relating to this interesting episode of one hundred years ago. The reports of the engineers pro and con, the address to Sir James Kempt, the disappointing reply to the petitioners, the diagram of the plan and even a photostat copy of the names of the 360 petitioners were all provided.

These papers are too lengthy for publication. It is sufficient to state, it was found that the water required to supply the lifting locks at the foot of the aqueduct involved as great wastage of water as the feeder of the original plan.

With this closing sketch for the press, my researches come to an end for the present. The remaining sketches that deal with events that come within the range of my own memory, will be reserved for publication in book form in the near future.

—B. N. Wales.

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Council Nominations

Through the Clerk of Lachute Town Council, the following particulars are made available concerning nominations for councillors, held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

East Ward—Seats vacated by Ald. Miller and Ald. J. P. MacKimmie. Ald. C. Miller re-elected; and K. McQuat acclaimed.

Centre Ward—Seat vacated by Ald. Jos. Speight. . . Now being contested between Jas. McGibbon and Lionel Laurin.

West Ward—Seat vacated by Ald. R. Ledoux. . . C. Duracher acclaimed.

Town Locals.

Mr. Geo. Leggett spent the week-end visiting his mother in Montreal.

Miss Katie Reid spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mrs. F. A. Brennan spent the week-end visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. Eric Middleton of Huntingdon, was a week-end visitor in town.

Mrs. Jack Findlay, of Montreal, is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Creswell.

Master Elmer Hooker, of Lachute Road, spent the week-end the guest of Master Geo. Leggett.

Miss Willow Lavery, of Montreal, spent the week-end the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walker McArthur.

Mrs. Andrew Walker of East Settlement, has been visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. W. S. MacKimmie.

Miss Kay Barter and Miss Ethel Morrison, of Longueuil, spent the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Morrison.

Mrs. Alvin Kyle has returned to her home in Montreal, after spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. A. Beers.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Robbins of Brownsburg, returned home on Monday from Carleton Place, where they had spent a few days, owing to the illness of their father Mr. A. M. Campbell who we are pleased to say is greatly improved.

MORIN HEIGHTS ALDERMANIC ELECTION

Detailed results of the recent council elections at Morin Heights are as follows:

Councillors elected—Lawson Kennedy 71 votes; Robert Seale 64 votes; William Watchorn 64 votes.

Douglas Davis and William Doherty were defeated.

LAURA SECORD'S KEY?

Interesting Find Made In Niagara District But Authenticity Doubtful.

Discovery in Stamford Township, Ontario, of a giant key, believed to have been lost by Laura Secord in her famous walk from Queenstown to Beaver Dams, has resulted, according to the Toronto Mail and Empire, in bringing to light the fact that the whole Laura Secord episode is regarded with such doubt by historians that it is not included in the new Canadian history in use in Ontario schools.

Seeking further information regarding the discovery of a half-pound hand-forged key on the old Woodruff farm in Stamford Township, by D'Arcy Cropp, the paper said it was told the Laura Secord incident had become so embroiled with a century's exaggeration that it was difficult to discover how much truth remained. The newspaper continued: "Historians, who declined to be quoted, pointed to the entire rejection of the story by W. Stewart Wallace, University of Toronto librarian, in his new public and high school histories. It was dropped after investigation revealed that the troops at Beaver Dams knew all about the surprise American attack before Laura Secord's arrival."

The key was unearthed by Mr. Cropp while ploughing on the Woodruff farm. It was buried about ten inches under the surface and was of the old-fashioned type hammered out by blacksmiths.

History has taught that Laura Secord lost the bulky key to her log cabin while hurrying to Beaver Dams to warn British troops stationed there of an impending attack by U. S. forces in the war of 1812-14.

The key is to be turned over by Mr. Cropp to the Lundy's Lane Historical Society.

Lachute High School Reports

Grade XI, Geometry
A Stanley Morrison, Lois O'Reilly.

A- Jean Campbell, Sam Milnes.
B+ Gertrude Morrison, Geo. Martin, Gerald Boyd.

B Anna Rosborough, Olive Boyd.
B- Hazel LeCras, Marjorie Walker.

C+ Bob Miller, Betty Clunie Edna Davis.
C- Fred Beattie, Alberta Dixon, Sidney Roberts.

D+ Myrtle Kelly.
D Verna Bates.
Grade XI, Trigonometry

A- Gerald Boyd.
B Sam Milnes.
B- Geo. Martin, L. O'Reilly.

C+ Stanley Morrison.
C Jean Campbell, Gertrude Morrison.

D Bob Miller.

Grade IX, Geometry
A+ Grace Lavis, Ross Beattie, Edith McQuat.

A Margaret Graham, Douglas Picken, Ivy Bates, Lorna Hammond, Irene McFaul, Bernard Jenkins, Hilda Searight.

A- Gerty Scott, Effie Pollock, Dorothy Copeland, Ruth McMahon.

B+ Gertie Cunningham, R. Dawson, Lila Carlin, Kenneth Falconer, Gladys Davis, Lloyd Creswell.

B Ramsey Shaded, J. Beveridge.
B- Myra Robinson, L. Boyd.
C+ Grant Stanforth, Lena Silverson.

C- Meryl Demerse, Janet McKenzie, Andrew Cleland.

Grade VIII, General Science
A Russell Noble, P. Patterson.

A- Margaret Gordon, Doris Kettyle, Kathleen MacVicar.
B Lillian Bridgen, J. Gordon Marion Hamilton, Joyce Milnes.

B- Margaret Dorion, Marjorie Searight.
C+ Alda Beattie, Stanley Cleland, Crawford MacKimmie, Dorothy Wheatley.

C Ernest Copeland, Edith Jackson, Cameron MacKenzie, Ronald MacKenzie.

C- Ross Gordon, F. Hume, Edna McAdam, Katherine Miller, Gladys Pollock, Gerald Walker, Alvira Ward.

D+ Dorothy Cooke, George Dorion, Freddie Stein.
D Evelyn Heatlie, Margaret Hume, Margaret MacLean, Jack McGibbon, Donald Rodger, E. Rosborough, Lillian Watchorn.

Grade VI, Spelling
A Annie McGibbon, Elinor Morrin.
A- Margaret Birse.

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Lottery Foiled at Hull

A sweepstake organization with world-wide contacts and operating under a non-existent "Public Hull Hospital" Trust Fund was unearthed by Quebec Provincial Police when they raided a house in Hull last Saturday. Books of lottery tickets purporting to be for a \$500,000 sweepstake on the Grand National, which is to be run March 27, were seized.

Sir William Mulock, Chief Justice of Ontario, has been receiving congratulations from all parts of the Dominion, upon the attainment of his 90th birthday which he celebrated last week. He is Canada's "Grand Old Man" and is able still to alertly perform the duties of presiding on the bench.

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Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for February 4

PUTTING GOD'S KINGDOM FIRST

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 6:1-34.
GOLDEN TEXT—Seek ye first the
kingdom of God and his righteousness,
and all these things shall be added un-
to you. Matthew 6:33.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Tells of
God's Care.
JUNIOR TOPIC—In Search of Riches.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—
Serving One Master Only.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—
Putting First Things First.

Having set forth in the previous
chapter the standards of the kingdom,
Christ the king now exhibits the un-
derlying principles which control the
subjects of the kingdom.

I. As to Giving (vv. 1-4).
Doing alms before men is not con-
demned as that would contradict
Matthew 5:16, but the doing of them
before men to be seen of them. To
seek publicity in doing our alms is to
miss the reward of the heavenly Father.

II. As to Praying (vv. 5-15).
The spirit of self-advertisement fre-
quently displays itself even in the holy
exercise of prayer. In order to cor-
rect this evil tendency he sets forth

1. False prayer (vv. 5, 7). This con-
sists in
a. Praying to be seen and heard of
men (v. 5). Many of the prayers ut-
tered in public are false, for the thing
uppermost in the mind of the one pray-
ing is what the people think rather
than what God thinks.

b. Using vain repetitions (v. 7).
This does not mean that we should
ask but once for a given thing. We
have examples of both Christ and Paul
praying three times for the same thing
(Matt. 26: 39-46; II Cor. 12:7, 8). It
means rather the using of meaningless
repetitions.

2. True prayer (v. 6). Since real
prayer is a transaction of the soul
with God, there should be a real de-
sire for fellowship with him which
moves one to meet him in the secret
place.

3. The model prayer (vv. 9-15).
This involves
a. Right relationship—"Our Fa-
ther" (v. 9). Before one can pray so
as to be heard he must, through the
regenerating work of the Holy Spirit,
become a child of God.

b. The right attitude—"Hallowed
be thy name" (vv. 9, 10). While God
is our heavenly Father he is more than
that. He is the Almighty. We should
go before him then with reverent
adoration.

c. A right spirit—"Give us this day
our daily bread" (v. 11). "Forgive us
our sins." "Lead us not into temptation."
(vv. 11-13). Those who would pray
effectively must have such faith as
would trust him for daily bread, and
such love as would forgive those sin-
ning against them, and such hatred
of evil as to desire not to be led into
temptation.

III. As to Fasting (vv. 16-18).
The true reason for fasting is to be
found in the opportunity it gives for
a clear vision of God.

IV. As to Earthly Riches (vv. 19-24).
The Lord knew the temptations
which would befall his children in
their pilgrimage and the anxiety to
which they would lead; therefore he
set forth the proper attitude toward
earthly possessions.

1. The nature of earthly riches
(vv. 19-21).

a. They are uncertain (vv. 19, 20).
Earthly treasures corrode, and may be
taken from us.

b. They are seductive (v. 21). Christ
called riches deceitful (Matt. 13:22).
It is not wrong to possess earthly
treasures, but when earthly treasures
possess us they become a snare un-
to us.

2. The effect of earthly riches (vv.
22-24).

a. They blunt the moral and spiri-
tual perceptions (vv. 22, 23). Those
who become enamored with the things
of the world soon become irresponsible
to spiritual things.

b. They render service null and
void (v. 24). As soon as one's heart
is stolen by riches, he is unfitted for
spiritual service.

V. As to Faith in the Heavenly
Father (vv. 25-34).

1. Be not anxious about food and
clothing (vv. 25-28). To be filled with
anxiety concerning food and clothing
a. Shows distrust of God (v. 30).
b. Is useless (v. 31). Anxiety
brings us absolutely nothing.

c. It is heathenish (v. 32). Those
who know God as the loving Father
will be free from anxious care.

2. Be sincerely anxious to seek the
kingdom of God and serve him (vv.
33, 34). This means that world af-
fairs should be subordinated to spiri-
tual affairs.

Friendship

No matter how prominent or how
numerous the advocates of error may
be, that is no reason why you should
espouse it. Personal friendship is one
thing, friendship for error is quite an-
other thing.

God's Name

As Phidias contrived his mechanism
so that his memory could never be ob-
literated without the destruction of his
work, so the great name of God is
interwoven in the texture of all that
he has made.

Hints for Homebodies

Specially written for Readers of The Watchman.
By JESSIE ALLEN BROWN

PARENT EDUCATION

There is a great interest be-
ing taken in Parent Education
these days. It used to be that
the children were brought up
by rule; that was all there was
to it, but as we no longer live
by rule, and methods of bring-
ing up children have changed
as have all our methods of liv-
ing. Rules were not satisfactory.
Parents realised that no two
children were the same and
consequently that they requir-
ed different handling. At first
child psychologists studied the
problems of children's behav-
iour, now they are trying to do
preventive work. They are
trying to teach parents to un-
derstand children so that they
know what is going to happen
before it actually does happen
and frequently to prevent it
happening at all.

One of the most interesting
and really one of the comfort-
ing things about child study is
finding that the other mothers
are having or have had the
same problems. We now have
a study group in our Home and
School Club and I am taking
University Extension classes in
Child psychology and hope to
pass on some of the interesting
things we run across. There
are some very wise mothers in
this world and some who have
a lot to learn. People used to
feel that when their school days
were over their education was
completed but now there are so
many possibilities for adult
education that no one need stag-
nate.

CONSTIPATION

Sometimes in my work as
consulting dietician I run across
some funny ideas. I thought
everyone knew the meaning of
constipation but I had one wo-
man tell me that she was never
constipated because she always
took a pill, dose of salts or
something like that every night.

Anyone who has to resort to
an artificial stimulation to
bowel movement is constipated.
Pills and laxatives generally are
dangerous to use daily or even
frequently.

After there has
been too frequent use of lax-
atives the bowel muscles are
weakened and it is difficult to
get them back into proper con-
dition. If something must be
used mineral oil is the best
choice as it is not absorbed into
the system but acts as a lubricant.

To overcome constipation
the diet should be bulky. Cooked
fruits and vegetables should
be eaten freely as well as raw
ones. A moderate use of bran
will be beneficial but it is even
better to use a whole grain cere-
al and get the bran in that
manner. Beside the usual or-
ange or tomato juice or grape-
fruit for breakfast, there should
be another fruit such as prunes
baked apples, apple sauce, dried
apricots and any stewed or can-
ned fruit. Fresh fruit of course
should be used in season. Two
vegetables beside potatoes for
dinner; supper dishes made
from vegetables; and plenty of
salads will correct the condition
in time. It did not come in a
day and you cannot expect to
cure it in a day either. Use a
bulky diet and continue the use
of mineral oil as long as neces-
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BEAUTIFUL HANDS

Have you ever noticed the
number of plain looking women
who have beautiful hands? When
I see them I often wonder
if the yare beautiful natur-
ally or if they have become
beautiful because of the care
taken of them. So little can
be done for a plain plain but a
great deal can be done for
hands. These hands are always
smooth, stainless and well man-
icured. Very often they are
used with a definite grace. Few
women on this continent use
their hands to good effect. I
have one woman in mind who
really is very plain but she has
the most beautiful hands. Their
every move is grace, whether
studied or natural I cannot say
but if it once was studied it is
natural now by force of habit.
When she plays Bridge her
cards are not thrown out any
old way but are laid down
gracefully. Her gestures are
restrained but effective. When
her hands are in repose they
are not clenched nor hanging
loose but held with lovely lines.
I have heard it said that five
minutes daily care is enough to
give us well cared for hands.
Hands, etao ishrd lrdl haroiff
That does not seem very long,
does it? But how many of us
manage even that long? A
bottle of hand lotion, whether
it be the old fashioned glycerine
and rose-water or one of the
newer more easily absorbed lo-
tions, should be on the kitchen
shelf by the sink, with the box
of amonia and the package of
cleanser. Hand lotion will do
the most good if used immedi-
ately after dishwashing and
other kitchen jobs which re-
quire wetting the hands. Try
that five minute a day stunt.
One good time to find those ex-
tra minutes is when you are
getting the children to bed and
are saying impatiently every
other minute "hurry." If you
have something special to do
yourself the time will not seem
so long.

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nate.

SAUSAGE IN YORKSHIRE PUDDING

1 cup milk
1 cup flour
2 eggs
1/2 teaspoon salt

Mix salt and flour and add
milk gradually to make a very
smooth paste; then add eggs
beaten until very light. Ar-
range small sausages in a bak-
ing dish, preferably one from
which they may be served.
Pour the batter over the sausage
and bake for twenty-five min-
utes in a hot oven of 450 de-
grees.

NUT HERMITS

1/2 cup butter
3 eggs, one at a time
1 1/2 cups flour
1 1/2 cups white sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup chopped raisins
1/2 cup chopped walnuts
1/2 cup currants
1/2 teaspoon soda

Cream butter and sugar and
add eggs one at a time, beating
after each addition. Add fruit
and sift in flour and soda. Drop
from teaspoon on a buttered
pan and bake in a hot oven of
400 degrees.

GRACE CHURCH ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING

The Annual Vestry Meeting
of Grace Church, Arundel, was
held on Saturday, Jan. 13th.,
1934, at the Parsonage. Dr.
Morrison read the very satis-
factory Warden's report. The
two wardens Dr. Wm. Morrison
and Mr. Hugh Boyd were re-
turned to their office again, to
the unanimous approval. Mr.
Harry Ronalds was re-elected
Vestry Clerk. Mr. Alfred Mor-
rison and the Honourable Smea-

ton White were appointed Lay
Delegates to the Synod. A so-
cial evening followed the busi-
ness meeting.

TRAINS KEEP THE RAILS

Travel by rail may have its
handicaps, but when the storm
king reigns trains still keep the
rails and, unlike their highway
adversaries, they do not have
the disagreeable habit of skid-
ding into the ditch.

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Old Songs are Come Again

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to observe all hopeful omens
cannot but be gratified to know
that Edwin Claude Mills be-
lieves the old songs are even
now in process of restoration,
says an illuminating article in
the *Christian Science Monitor*.
Gently but persistently the old
songs are displacing, in their
return, the less than meretrici-
ous croonings and caterwaul-
ings, the "hotcha" vulgarity,
which have constituted of late
years no minor portion of our
so-called popular music. And
Mr. Mills, as manager of the
American Society of Compos-
ers, Authors and Publishers,
voices this acceptable opinion
with an authority well-nigh ex
cathedra in its warrant. Come
now, distinctly, this rejuvenes-
cence of the old songs should
fortify our faith in the event-
ual dependability of human na-
ture.

Out in the garden the annual
flowers, that will not renew
their blossoming, were shal-
low of root and unsubstantial,
as befitted the briefness of their
tenure. But the perennial
plants, that withstand the north
wind, and yet shall come to
bloom time and again, even as
they have blossomed, are deep-
ly, firmly rooted in their moth-
er the earth. It is not a par-
allel, perhaps, but it will serve
in lieu of one. For so it is
chanced upon them in 1835, she
who later became Lady Scott,
revised the poem and set it to
music in the version that is
known wherever there is an
English heritage. How many,
many songs, indeed, have been
written since that time and are
forgotten. But the song called
"Annie Laurie" is as youthful
and as dear as when young
Douglas made his vow on a
Maxwellton brae.

In the middle of the last cen-
tury along came Stephen Col-
lins Foster, as minstrel to an
America that took its sentiment
seriously, and he gave us the
soul of the colored folk in songs
that are singularly triumphant
over time and vogue. And yet,
with songs. Certain of them
find constant nurture in our
hearts and all such songs are
timeless. Nor is it strange that
this should be—for they have
beauty in their very fiber, and
happiness and human wisdom,
and so are quite superior
to those inexorable laws which
determine that a cheaply popu-
lar song soon shall enter sil-
ence.

More than two centuries ago
a Scottish gallant, young Wil-
liam Douglas of Fingland,
found himself sighing for Sir
Richard Laurie's daughter, An-
nie, who dwelt in Maxwellton
castle, beside Cairn Water in
Dumfriesshire. Such youths
must fall to versifying as read-
ily as any thrush will sing in
April, and so it was with Mas-
ter Douglas. But the verses
he wrote to Annie Laurie lack-
ed something yet for song, and
when Alicia Anne Spottiswoode
how honestly and of what sim-
plicity are these, how seem-
ingly artless and unstudied. They
flow as gently as the Swanee,
where the old plantation was.
As gently, as intimately, as

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dearly as Robert Burns' own
"Sweet Afton," where the
stockdove served for mock-
ing-bird.

But it is not wholly in accord
with the circumstance to say
that the old songs are coming
back to us. They have always

been waiting their summons,
under the gaudy litter of the
music rack, and so they never
have been really away—the tat-
tered, beloved, sincere and won-
derful old songs that have their
other residence in the warmth
of our hearts. B. H. L.

Recovery Under Way E. W. Beatty Believes

Reviewing Canadian business
conditions of the past year and at
the same time looking forward to
the prospects for 1934, E. W.
Beatty, Chairman and President
of the Canadian Pacific Railway,
thinks the country is on the way
back to prosperity, although the
way may be long, and at times
difficult. In a statement published
in the "Montreal Star" he says:—

"Of 1933 I
think it is per-
haps with re-
lief that most
of us will say
—that's that,
and now for
1934. We meet
this New Year
with something
of a better un-
derstanding of
what this so-
called depres-
sion is all
about and what
we ought to do
about it. We see along the road
leading to its end more clearly
and further than we did a year
ago. That fact has inspired con-
fidence and courage and has
started us moving towards the
better times that broadened pros-
perity will bring to all. The road
is not an easy one; there are long
hills and difficult spots, but it
offers no danger or problem too
great to be surmounted by the
courage and energy of the Cana-
dian people. We have before us
problems that will tax the ingenu-
ity and strength of our leaders in
statescraft, finance and industry
and make great demands upon the
patience and understanding of our
people, but if these problems are
met with courage and dealt with
in accordance with the laws of
sound economics which are as re-
lentlessly unchangeable as the
laws of nature, this country will
emerge from the purging in far
better shape to progress than it
has ever been before, and individ-
ual prosperity for all classes of
our people will be more firmly
established. I believe that the
elusive corner we were hoping to
turn through many weary months,
slipped past us all unnoticed some
time ago, and that we have defi-
nitely passed through the worst
and most trying phase of the
period.

Railroad Situation.
"The past year has been par-
ticularly difficult for our rail-
roads and there seems little rea-
son to hope that conditions are
going to be much easier for those
who operate them in the im-
mediate or near future. Alteration
in Canada's status from the po-
sition we used to claim as the
world's chief producer of bread-
stuffs has already proved far-
reaching in its adverse effect upon
our transportation industry. Un-
der most favorable circumstances
governing development of other
lines of agricultural production for
export, it may reasonably take
some years to bring the volume of
Canada's rail freight back to the
high figures of a few years ago.

It is therefore imperative upon the
managements of those railways
depending upon earnings to meet
operating costs, interest and other
charges that all possible measures
of economy in operation shall con-
tinue in force. But when this is
accomplished the problem for
Canada is far from solved.

Must Reduce Taxes.
"All that is true of the railways
is true in some respect of most
other public facilities, and such
progress as has been made over
the past year along the line of
effecting economies in adminis-
tration of public affairs has been
helpful, but has served mostly to
point the way to larger and more
fundamental re-arrangements
looking towards an easing of the
great load of national debt, and a
reduction of taxation the extent
of which has come to assume
ominous proportions. There is
no need for further stressing the
inescapable necessity for such ac-
tion. I do not believe that any
thinking Canadian viewing nation-
al affairs without prejudice, will
deny that the drain consequent
upon the general railway situa-
tion continues to over-shadow all
other problems, and it is by far
the most important difficulty that
has to be surmounted before the
way to prosperity lies open before
us.

The Remedy.
In order to clarify the situation
early in the year, I outlined in two
public addresses what I believed
to be the only possible solution
for that problem. In effect, I
proposed that the people of Can-
ada as owners of the Canadian Na-
tional Railway should enter into
a partnership arrangement with
the shareholders of the Canadian
Pacific, and that the resulting or-
ganization should be operated by
the privately owned concern, thus
relieving railroad management in
this country from the too-well
proven evils of political influence
and at the same time removing
from the path of our greatly har-
assed political leaders the em-
barrassments that must ever ac-
company responsibility for rail-
way operation. My proposals at
that time met with a volume of
approval and support such as,
frankly, I had not anticipated, and
I found even in places where it
was least to be expected that they
received a serious consideration
that showed how widespread was
the conviction that this problem
had to be settled in some satis-
factory and permanent manner.
Nothing that has since happened
has tended to change my convic-
tion that in these proposals lies
the only sound ultimate solution
of the difficulty. I can think of
nothing short of this that may
be attempted that will offer ade-
quate relief from an economic
drain that has in it all the possi-
bilities of national disaster. I
have reason to believe, also, that
I share this conviction with a
large and increasing number of
citizens who are giving thought to
the state of real economic peril in
which we stand."

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He says there ain't a single
thing in it worth while to
read,
And that it doesn't print the
kind of stuff the people need.
He tosses it aside and says it's
strictly on the bum—
But you ought to hear him hol-
ler when the paper doesn't
come.

He reads about the weddin's
and he snorts like all get out;
He reads the social doin's with
a most derisive shout.
He says they make the paper
for the women folk alone,
He'll read about the parties and
he'll fume and fret and groan
He says of information it
doesn't have a crumb—
But you ought to hear him hol-
ler when the paper doesn't
come.

—Tara Leader.

Cupid is not only blind, but
also deaf, dumb and insane.

—Andy Gump.

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JOS. SPEIGHT, BUTCHER

Correspondence

DEATH TO DESTRUCTIVE
BIRDS!

Montreal, Jan. 22nd., 1934.

Editor
Lachute Watchman,
Dear Sir:—

I enclose a clipping, which I
thought might be of interest to
bird lovers in Argenteuil Coun-
ty.

A clean-up of starlings and
crows in district of Round Lake
and Weir would not be amiss as
we have noticed a decrease in
numbers of humming birds,
blue birds, larks, woodpeckers,
robins, and chardonets (Canuck
canary) especially since 1929,
since the starlings became so
numerous.

Doubtless other parts of the
County are bothered with these
pests which destroy the eggs of
other wild birds.

Very truly yours,
E. A. Williams.

A Big Bird Shoot

The killing in one county in
Ontario in one month of 20,000
starlings and sparrows, 15,000
crows, 200 weasels, 100 hawks
and 100 owls seems like a heavy
record of slaughter.

The Essex County Sports-
men's Association ran up this
record in the month ending with
Saturday last. Nine hundred
persons did the shooting and
used 25,000 rounds of shotgun
shells and an unknown num-
ber of .22 rifle cartridges.

The figures given in this Es-
sex county hunt will rather
stagger readers with no experi-
ence in such matters, as do the
figures given of groundhog
shoots by rival teams in one day
when as many as two thousand
of these animals are shot. One
would think that not even a
county, much less half a town-
ship, could yield up two thou-
sand and groundhogs in a day.

Mr. Frank Clark of Harrow
is secretary of the Essex
Sportsmen's Association and
for the benefit of those who ob-
ject to the slaughter of birds he
says for one thing that on his
own land the crows have de-
stroyed three hundred eggs of
ring-necked pheasants.

The starlings too, are great patriots,
determined to make the world
safe for starlings, they travel in
thousands and respect the
rights of no other bird. The
crow likes eggs and there is no
hope of educating him to a dif-
ferent diet. He eats other
things, it is true, but, as far as
he can see, other birds exist for
the purpose of supplying him
with eggs.

If the crow could break into
print he would probably write
a hot letter to Jack Miner
pointing out that while it is
true that he eats eggs so does
Mr. Miner, but as they eat dif-
ferent kinds of eggs why should
there be rivalry and gun-shoot-
ing between them? The crow
could say that he is continually
at the risk of being eaten by
owls, hawks and eagles, is pest-
ered all day by king birds and
finds business bad enough dur-
ing the depression without Jack
Miner inciting mankind against
him. Perhaps if the crows
would concentrate in warfare
on the starlings some kind of
truce could be arranged.

—Toronto Star, Jan. 20, 1934

All nations are marching to-
ward the battlefield with the
dove of peace embroidered on
their banners. —Lloyd George.

"Flag of truce, Excellency."

"What do they want?"

"They would like to exchange
a couple of generals for a tin
of condensed milk."

Teacher, introducing lesson
on Nelson: "What statue in
London has a blind eye?"

Bright Lad: "Cleopatra's
Needle."

PRaise FOR MUNICIPAL
COUNCIL OF CHATHAM

A New Tune from an
Old Flute.

To the Editor of the Watchman
Dear Sir:

The elections for our Mu-
nicipal Council of Chatham are
over, and it would seem all are
not satisfied with the results, in
that we have not been able to
elect a councillor from the front
of the municipality. Be that
as it may, if we have elected
reasonable and honest men, we
will be represented on the front
equally as well as if we had. I,
for one, was not satisfied with
the council and their action in
the matter of water courses, if
I may dare to say it, nor with
their tardiness to act in the
opening of a road on the front
of the seventh range of Chat-
ham. So much so, I was for
advocating a division of the mu-
nicipality. But having been a-
broad some of late, I have re-
turned home clothed and in my
right mind, not any more for a
split of the township, though I
still strongly advocate removal
of all disproportioned orders
that exist, for minorities have
equal rights, which equal laws
must protect, majorities must
not violate, and councillors liv-
ing up to their oath of office
must uphold, no matter what
range of the Township they re-
side in.

But let me say a word gen-
erally about our municipality
and council. No matter how
good or how wise a councillor
is, I am for rotation of office
in all public matters; and I
have returned from my rambles
more content with my municip-
ality and its council for having
run across the gentleman that
audits their books, also the
books of a number of other
Councils. I find that if ours is
not quite the first, it is certainly
in the first line. We have no
debts, and our rate of taxation
is very low, viz. 40 cts. on the
\$100.00 valuation. So we are,
comparatively speaking, on easy
street in these hard times. And
who will say that this happy
condition is not, in part at least,
due to the wisdom and moder-
ation of our council, some of
them just retired. And what
an ideal time to retire, when
matters are so rosy; and also
what an ideal time for new
councils to take hold, and en-
deavor to maintain the same
good conditions for all the
ranges.

I must acknowledge, I have
frequently attended council
meetings and roundly abused
the council, when perhaps a
word of praise would have been
more to the point. It might
have gained more, for molasses
is a better fly catcher than vin-
egar! Personally I think they
hold me no grudge and I freely
admit that in the main they
have managed wisely and well.
Good luck to them.

C. F. Kains.

SUNDAY FOR SLEEPING

(Manchester Guardian.)

This week-end traffic prob-
lem is not as new as I thought
it was (writes "W. V. N.")
Nearly two hundred years ago
England had its road hogs and
other disturbers of the coun-
try-side peace and safety. I have
just been reading a letter sent
to The World in 1753. "It is
my fortune," says the writer
'to live in what is called a pleas-
ant village upon one of the
great roads within seven miles
of London, where I am almost
suffocated with dust every Sun-
day in the summer, occasioned
by those crowds of prentice
boys who are whipping their
hired hacks to death or driving
their crazy one-horse chairs a-
gainst each other, to the mortal
havoc of young children."

After lamenting in ironical
vein that "before Christianity
was entirely reasoned out of
these kingdoms it was a mighty
custom for young folks to go
to church on that day," the
writer says that the best thing
to do on Sunday is to go to bed.
"This will indeed be making it
a day of rest . . . and permis-
sion should be given to those
who cannot sleep in their beds
to go to church and sleep there."

"Leisure may be a curse as
well as a blessing."
—Alfred E. Smith.



CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Septuagesima Sunday
St. Simeon's Church, Lachute
11 a.m., Morning Prayer and
Liturgy.
St. George's, Brownsburg.
7 p.m., Evensong.
Rev. W. LeCras, Rector.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. B. Rosborough,
B.A., B.D.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject:
"THE UNAVOIDABLE
CHRIST"
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
10 a.m., Sabbath School.
2.30 p.m., East Settlement.
3 p.m., Thomas' Gore.
Welcome to all Services.

MARGARET RODGER
MEMORIAL
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. H. Cousens, B.A., B.D.,
Minister
11 a.m., Lachute.
Subject: "Challenging Faith."
7 p.m., Lachute.
Subject: "The Heart of a Task
Gatherer."
3 p.m., Brownsburg.

BROWNSBURG
UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. E. Hagar, Pastor.
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Worship.
7 p.m., Evening Worship.
Sunday, January 28, 1934.
The Young People's Society
meets every Tuesday evening at
8.15. A good meeting. Every-
one welcome.

Wednesday, Jan. 31, W.M.S.
at home of Mrs. Leonard Wil-
son, 7.30.

BAPTIST CHURCHES

Rev. F. W. Dyson, Pastor.
Dalesville 11 a.m.
Brownsburg 3 p.m.
Lachute 7 p.m.

MAPLE AVE. BAPTIST
CHURCH

Rev. E. G. Baxter
10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m., Morning Service.
7 p.m., Evening Service.
Subject: "A new Earth."

LAKEFIELD SERVICES

Dunany 10.30 a.m.
Louisla 2.30 p.m.

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Sunday School 10 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.

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District News

MORIN HEIGHTS

Now that we have a live coun-
cil we may get the sidewalks
and bridge fixed up before the
tourists begin to arrive; they
are an eye-sore, and should be
repaired as soon as weather
permits.

The Boy Scouts, under the
leadership of Scout Master
Brownlee, is making wonderful
strides since having organized
here two months ago. There
are twelve members of the pat-
rol, known as the Beavers, and
they hold a regular meeting in
the school house every Friday
evening.

The Morin Heights hockey
team has played 8 games to
date, winning seven and losing
one to St. Sauveur, playing a-
way. R. Woods seems to be
the back-bone of the team, hav-
ing scored more goals to date
than all the players combined.

Mr. John Davis is around a-
gain and is much improved.
Station agent Bouchard is not
inclined to leave his fireside
these cold evenings, since he
acquired that radio.

The Beaver Patrol are hold-
ing a moonlight sleigh ride next
Friday evening; everybody is
invited to come along and help
a worthy cause.

Mr. Bradley has taken up his
residence again at the old Mill
House, after an absence of four
months.

Mr. Alary has sold his bak-
ery business to Mr. Renaud,
and has left to take up resi-
dence in St. Sauveur.

Friends of Councillor Willie
Watchorn are pleased to see
him around once again after
his sickness.

The next Council Meeting will
be held in Davis Hall the first
Monday in February, when the
new councillors will take their
seats.

ARUNDEL

Mrs. R. Moss spent a few
days in Montreal last week.

Friends of Mr. Thos. Smith
are sorry to learn that he has
been confined to a hospital in
Montreal, but wishes are ex-
tended for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Alex. Dewar returned
home last week, after being in
hospital for some time. It is
reported she is well on the road
to recovery.

Mr. James Smellie returned
home last Saturday from Lake
Superior, Que., where he has
been employed by the Interna-
tional Paper Co.

At a meeting of the W. A.
held last Saturday the follow-
ing members were appointed to
office: Mrs. G. Phillips, Hon.
Sec.; Mrs. J. C. Veit, Presi-
dent; Mrs. J. P. Gordon, 1st.
Vice-President; Mrs. M. Smel-
lie, 2nd. Vice-Pres.; Mrs. H.
Skinner, Secretary; Mrs. W. L.
Morrison, Treasurer; Mrs. H.
Boyd in charge of Work Com-
mittee. Mrs. Smellie and Mrs.
Veit were appointed as "sick
visitors". Delegates to dean-
ery meeting are Mrs. H. Boyd
and Mrs. Veit. The next meet-
ing will be held at the home of
Mrs. H. Boyd.

At the close of the evening
service of the United Church on
Sunday, Jan. 28th, a meeting
of the congregation will be
held. Members are requested
to be present and remain for
this meeting.

The Girls' Guild will meet at
the home of Miss Lillian Ben-
nett on Saturday afternoon of
this week.

The "Wild Bearcats" played
and defeated Huberdeau in a
game of hockey last Wednesday
night, the score being 3-2.

Arundel played Carling's of
St. Jovite, at St. Jovite, last
Friday evening. The game was
exciting and resulted in a tie.
One casualty occurred when
Grant Simon of the Arundel
team was knocked down and his
shoulder dislocated.

The junior school hockey
teams of Arundel and Weir
played on the local rink last
Saturday. A large number of
spectators gathered to watch
the little fellows play and they
certainly put on a splendid
game. The results were 3-2 in
favor of the local boys.

CUSHING

Mr. Bert Mitchell of Browns-
burg, was the guest of Mr. and
Mrs. F. Gaston for several
days last week.

Miss Myrtle Donaldson ar-
rived home on Saturday from
spending several weeks in
Grenville with her sister, Mrs.
A. McIntyre.

Mr. Roy Dobbie spent Sun-
day with his sister, Mrs. Jos.
Bradley of Carillon.

Mr. A. Graham was the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Bradley
on Wednesday of last week.

Miss McAdam, of Papineau-
ville, who has been the guest of
her cousin, Mrs. Girling, of
Chatham, for several months
has been spending a few weeks
at her home.

Messrs. Geo. Fuller, Stanley
Donaldson & W. O'Brien spent
the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. W. Canning and daugh-
ter Margaret spent Saturday in
Montreal.

Mr. L. O'Brien of Stayner-
ville, visited friends in Cushing
on Sunday.

Miss Irene Derrick, of Caril-
lon, is the guest of Mrs. John
Canning of Stonefield, this
week.

Mesdames Maclean, Hartley,
Cooke, Weir and Graham at-
tended the monthly meeting of
the W.C.T.U. at the home of
Mrs. Nowlan, of Carillon, on
Wednesday. Plans for new work
in connection with the needy
were made.

The snowstorm of Thursday
night prevented the hockey
game on Cushing rink from be-
ing finished. Two periods only
were played, with an even
break of two scores for each
side.

Mrs. H. McGerrigle and little
son John who have been spend-
ing the past month with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. John In-
nes, left for her home in Han-
over, N. H., on Saturday. Mrs.
Innes accompanied her daugh-
ter as far as Montreal.

Mrs. Austin McIntyre, of
Grenville, was the guest of her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Don-
aldson, of Chatham, during the
past week.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF
GRACE CHURCH, ARUNDEL

The Annual Meeting of Grace
Church Women's Auxiliary, of
Arundel, which is always held
in January, was held at the
home of Mrs. J. Veit on Sat-
urday, 20th. This gathering is
for the purpose of electing the
year's officers, as all officers
resign automatically in Decem-
ber. The year's appointments
are:

President, Mrs. Veit; First
Vice-President, Mrs. Gordon;
Second Vice-President, Mrs.
Smellie; Hon. President, Mrs.
Phillips; Sec., Mrs. Skinner;
Treas., Mrs. Wm. Morrison;
Lady Buyer, Mrs. Hugh Boyd;
Living Message Secretary, Mrs.
Hugh Boyd; United Thank Of-
fering Secretary, Mrs. Kerr;
Flower Fund, Mrs. Simon.

Thanks were expressed to
Mrs. Hugh Boyd who has acted
as Treasurer for the past seven
years; Mrs. Boyd has also had
charge of the buying during
that time. Both her offices
were well and ably filled dur-
ing that period and the mem-
bers are very grateful that she
will continue to act as Lady
Buyer.

A committee was formed for
writing the sick of the parish.
Mrs. Smellie and Mrs. Veit vol-
unteered to be the visitors for
the present month.

Mrs. Wm. Morrison was the
recipient of a very nice quilt, a
gift from her fellow members.
It was decided to have a "so-
cial Evening" on the Friday be-
fore Ash Wednesday.

The business meeting ad-
journd and Mrs. Veit served
delicious refreshments.

ST. ANDREWS EAST.

Miss Hopper spent the week-
end with her sister, Mrs. Char-
man.

Miss Gladys Hyde was home
for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Yale were
the guests of Mr. M. Yale.

Mrs. V. Jones has returned
to the City after spending sev-
eral days with her brother-in-
law, Mr. C. A. Pease.

The annual congregational
meeting of the United Church
was held on the evening of
January the sixteenth. There
was a large attendance in spite
of the cold weather. A small
surplus was evident from the
reports of the different socie-
ties connected with the Church.
Refreshments were served fol-
lowing this meeting.

Marjorie and George Gates
spent the week-end with their
sister, Mrs. R. Robertson.

Miss A. Funcheson spent Mon-
day in the City.

The regular meeting of the
Reading Circle was held last
Monday. Mr. De Witt read a
paper on Champlain's Voyages
up the Ottawa.

The St. Andrews East Hoc-
key team tied in their game
with Cushing 2-2 and won from
the Montreal Trust team 9-2.
The Juniors won from Lachute
to the tune of 5-2.

LAKEFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tom-
alty entertained the young peo-
ple of Lakefield on Wednesday
to a toboggan party.

Miss Marjory Mount spent
the week-end at her home in
Westmount.

Miss M. Higden and Mr. A.
Cotham, of Montreal, were the
week-end guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Miles Copeland.

CUSHING WEST

Mr. Wilfred Hartley, of Mon-
treal, was a guest of his mother
Mrs. S. O. Hartley over the
week-end.

Mr. C. F. Kains was in the
city last week.

Miss Muriel Cooke visited
friends in Grenville, during the
early part of the week.

Mr. Roy Gaston has been
going the rounds with his saw-
ing-machine and during the
past week has left his mark in
a number of the wood-piles,
which decorate the back-yards
in the locality.

Mrs. Usher left on Wednes-
day last for Ottawa, where she
intended to spend a few days
before going on to Belleville,
where she will be the guest for
some weeks of her daughter and
son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo.
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BROWNSBURG

Mr. Wilbur Hardie, who is a
patient in the Royal Victoria
Hospital, is reported making
splendid recovery following an
operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Manly Gardiner attended
the Motor Show in Montreal
last Saturday.

Mr. Jas. Reid spent last week-
end in Montreal.

Mrs. P. A. Wood returned to
Montreal Monday night, having
spent a pleasant week as the
guest of Mrs. Jas. Reid.

Miss S. Townsend leaves this
week, to take a teaching course
at Macdonald College.

ARUNDEL

The Girl's branch of the Grace
Church Women's Auxiliary met
at the Parsonage on Saturday
last.

The members of the A.Y.P.A.
and a few of their friends en-
joyed themselves at a small
party Saturday evening at the
Parsonage.

The regular fortnightly meet-
ing of the organization was
held Sunday evening after the
Church service. Two members
who have been away for some
time, Mr. R. Simon and Mr. J.
Smellie were welcomed back,
and Mr. Grant Simon, who was
injured in the St. Jovite-Arun-
del hockey match, was able to
be present.

LACHUTE HIGH SCHOOL
(Continued)

B+ Therese Berniquier, H.
Carpenter, Violet Mackrith, K.
Patterson.

B Perry Rowe.
B- Anna Brennan, Douglas
Hay.

C+ Stella Brqwn, Kathleen
MacLean,
C Leonard Armstrong, Hugh
Brennan, Lois McFaul.

C- Ruby Tossie.
D+ Jean Canning.

D- Arthur Ashworth, Mary
Belanger, Helena Black, Edwin
Gauley, Roger Laurin, Leslie
Lloyd, Grace Robinson.

Grade IV.

Spelling and Dictation
A+ Helen Deacon, Ruth Le-
Cras, Isabel Leishman, Reginald
MacRae, Eda Rashcovsky.

A Bories Arran, Olive Brad-
ford, Irene Cox, Louise Dea-
con, Rodeen Hadley, Margaret
McKiddie, Ruth Morrison, R.
Sheppard, Isabel Simon, Glenn
Warwick, Harold Warwick.

A- Alfred Assaly, Jas. Shep-
pard,

B+ Dorothy Drew, E. Gor-
don, Florence Richards.

B- Robert Burns, Lorna Car-
penter, Felice Lloyd, William
Richards.

C Angus Pollock.
C- Edmund McFaul.

D+ Irving Cleland.
D Roland Elkington.

D- Sarah Chapman, Joan
Stansfield.



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halves, No. 2 tall tin 2 tins 29c.

TOMATOES Lynn Valley, 2 1/2's 3 tins 25c.

WAX BEANS Polo 3 tins 25c.

PEAS Royal Rose, Choice No. 4 tin 10c.

Royal Rose Golden Bantam Corn tin 10c

Cherry Pound Cake each 19c

Christie's or McCormick's Soda Wafers pkg. 10c

Ingersoll Malted Cheese pkg. 10c.

Encore Pure Baking Powder 1-lb. tin 19c

Shirriff's Jelly Powder pkg. 5c

Corn Flakes, Kellogg, Quaker, Sugar Crisp,
3 pkgs. 25c

Maple Leaf Matches 3 boxes 25c

Babbitt or Classic Cleanser tin 5c

Pat-a-Pan Pastry Flour 7-lb. bag 20c

Red Circle Coffee, rich and full-bodied lb. 27c

8 O'clock Coffee, mild and mellow lb. 31c

Bokar Coffee, vigorous and winey lb. 35c

Ann Page Bread, 24-oz. wrapped loaf .06c

Apples, Spy 3 lbs. 21c

Apples, Russets 4 lbs. 25c

Grapefruit, each 5c

Lemons doz. 29c

Oranges (Sunkist) doz. 33c

Baking Potatoes, 15 lb. sacks, each 39c

Iceberg Lettuce 2 heads 15c

Tomatoes 2 lbs. 25c

Beets, cleaned 2 lbs. 13c

Beans, green lb. 19c

Carrots, new 2 bunches 25c

Celery Hearts bunch 15c

Spinach 2 lbs. 25c

Mushrooms 29c

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