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Group Discussion Again Emphasizes Parental Blame in Child Delinquency

"Prisons or Playgrounds" Topic At Brownsburg Lighted School

Specially contributed to The Lachute Watchman

Brownsburg —

Almost a year ago the Brownsburg citizens became very active in the formation of a Community Council. A considerable amount of preparatory or promotional work was accomplished. Plans were drafted for the erection of a Community Centre and a lot of enthusiastic organized effort, fresh and vital, was injected into the movement. . . Then a hiatus occurred, and we are now waiting for the balloon to come down or — bust.

The unsettled state of Provincial-Dominion relations has had a lot to do with the present uncertainty; until such time as a definite understanding has been arrived at, or the British North America Act has been revised or reverts to the status quo, it is impossible for any estimation of government assistance to be arrived at. Meanwhile there is a great volume of local opinion which believes that "God helps those who help themselves", and that a more active participation in local projects would react to the advantages of the community when government action in this direction becomes crystallized. The basic objective of a Community Council is to co-ordinate all sections of the community in common effort to improve life in that community. Any council therefore which is dominated by one particular outlook, ethnic background, or "waits for something to turn up", is in danger of missing the tide and perhaps making a mockery of the whole idea.

The Lighted School's answer to the question under discussion last week "Prisons or Playgrounds," was in the general direction of Community Centres. Although the problem of juvenile delinquency is very much in the public eye today, it is hard for most parents to admit, publicly at least, that "there, but for the grace of God" go their children. Every child has within him the capacity for lying and the seeds of aggression which can lead to crime. Nor are opportunities lacking today for youngsters to become proficient in any branch of crime. There are reasons for their training in that direction, and conditions at present are highly conducive to their doing so. We cannot toss it off our shoulders by saying no decent playgrounds were available when the children were growing up. Nevertheless, we have taken a step along the right road if we look seriously at the matter of recreation needs. The offences of juveniles are in two main directions — offences against the person and offences against property, with violence or maliciously. There has been an alarming increase in juvenile-delinquency in the war years. In 1936 the number of juvenile convictions was 7,210. In 1939 the number had increased to 7,613; but in 1942, after three years of war, the figure was 11,758.

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Golf Course Open At St. Andrews

(Our District Correspondent)

St. Andrews East — The St. Andrews golf course was opened on Saturday, March 30. Quite a number of players took advantage of the fine weather to renew their skill on this fine course over the week-end.

Town Brochure, Advice to Cyclists

A vest pocket folder outlining the provincial traffic rules as regards bicycles, has been printed for distribution to cyclists in Lachute, and is being handed out by Police Chief D. Villeneuve with the sale of 1946 bicycle permits. These fall due on May 1, and it is forecast the issue of licenses in Lachute this year will reach 500 or more. . The brochure, in French and English, gives the following instructions:

The provincial law considers a bicycle as a motor vehicle subject to the same rights and obligations.

For your security it is recommended that the following rules be observed:

1. Do not ride or park your bicycle on sidewalks;
2. One person only on the bicycle;
3. When in a group, never ride two bicycles abreast;
4. At night, have a white-colored light or reflector in front, and a red-colored light or reflector as a tail light;
5. Always ride on the right-hand side of the road, never in the centre;
6. The municipal license is due on or before May 1st.

Offenders are subject to all the penalties provided by law.

Sewers, Garbage, Building Permits, Before Council

The regular Town Council meeting was held last evening, with Mayor Léopold Carrière in the chair and Aldermen Alex Bothwell, Wilfrid Morrissette, Henri Trichard, Stanley Holt, Léonard Bédard, J. R. Paquette and D. G. MacRae in attendance.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed on motion of Alderman Stanley Holt seconded by Alderman Léonard Bédard.

It was decided to have the sidewalk extended on the south side of Robert Street from Mary Street corner.

Building permits were granted to Frederic Beauline and Mrs. Léo. Carrière, for houses to be erected on Sydney and Drew streets, respectively.

The Lachute Lions Club was granted permission to erect a fence on the three bridges to separate the sidewalk from the roadway, in order to prevent children from running from the sidewalk onto the road.

A drain was ordered installed in front of the United Church on Main Street.

Decision was taken to purchase the first page in the Lachute Fair program, for $50.

The usual recommendations were granted Messrs. L. Lacoste, Gagné, Bélanger and Patry to operate pool rooms, and to Marcel Deschamps to operate a bowling alley.

Accounts were approved for a total of $4,991.36.

It was agreed to extend the sewer on Robert Street, if the majority of interested property-owners express their wishes to have this improvement — payment of same to be effected on completion of the work.

The contract of collecting garbage was granted to Theodore Durocher at $40 a week, the work to be done with team and wagon.

The Park Committee was granted authority to purchase two hundred chairs for the Auditorium.

The Secretary was instructed to call atention of the C.P.Rl'y to the bad state of repair of Wilson's crossing on Princess Street, with a request to have this remedied immediately.

A firm conscience is better than a stiff upper lip.

Shower Held for English Bride

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — Mrs. Thomas Bishop, who recently arrived from overseas to join her husband, was welcomed at a kitchen shower given by the W.A. of Grace Church. Neighbors in this community wish her success and happiness in her new life in Canada.

The Early Spring

(Our District Correspondent)

St. Andrews East — The rapid advance of spring is denoted by the last of the ice moving out of the North River, on March 27. Mr. W. C. Stonard, bee-keeper, had his hives moved out on March 30. Roads which are not paved have dried up. Fur coats and overshoes have been aired and tucked away in moth balls. Butterflies have been noted by at least two persons whose homes are widely separated.

CALL FOR IMMIGRANTS

With heavy emigration to the United States and smaller Canadian families, plans must be made for an increase in immigration from Europe. This will not only provide us with needed population but it will relieve the pressure on over-populated areas there and perhaps prove a factor in maintaining peace.

— Strathroy Age Dispatch

Lachute W.I. to Cater at Fair

Lachute Women's Institute meeting on Tuesday was attended by 41 members. Blue Cross fees were paid by 47 subscribers.

This branch will have charge of the dining-room and lunch counter at Lachute Spring Fair. Members were reminded to have their entries ready for the handicraft exhibition.

The next "Saturday Night Hop" in Lachute Auditorium, for recreation of the younger townfolk, will be on April 13th.

An item from the Macdonald College Magazine was read by Mrs. George McGibbon, on the theme, "Are you an active member, or do you just belong?"

Lachute W.I. has again renewed affiliation with the Associated County Women of the World.

Mr. Stuart Jones gave a talk on the "Rambles of a Soldier". He thanked the ladies for the parcels he had received while overseas, and gave an interesting account of his experiences in the army, his impressions of the Canadian West and the Pacific Coast, and of life overseas.

Young Cyclist Struck by Taxi, Seriously Hurt

Jacques Legault, 13-year-old son of Albert Legault, Centreville, was struck by a taxi while riding his bicycle on Main Street west around 7.30 o'clock Saturday evening. A companion named Seguin, 15, with whom he was riding, turned across the road on his bicycle, and the approaching taxi driver, R. Campeau, confused as to the cyclists' intentions, could not stop his vehicle in time to avoid striking the younger lad. Hurled from his bicycle, the boy was severely injured in both knees.

The victim was taken to the office of Dr. Jules Lafleur, and thence to the Providence Hospital for X-ray examination. No fracture was visible in the bones of the legs, but the flesh and ligaments being badly torn, the youngster was sent to Montreal for further treatment at the Jeanne d'Arc Hospital.

The accident occurred near the Cayer Garage in the west end. Police Chief D. Villeneuve investigated.

FASCINATING TALE, DEVELOPMENT OF NATURAL RUBBER AND USE OF SYNTHETIC SUBSTITUTE

Another Practical Topic by Rotary Speaker

Brownsburg — Mr. McGiverin, sales manager of Dominion Rubber Company, gave some interesting facts connected with the history of rubber, at the regular dinner meeting of the Rotary Club on March 28 at Carriere's Hotel.

A member of the Rotary Club of Westmount, the speaker was accompanied by their president, A. A. Boire, and secretary, "Ted" Harrison.

The speaker began by pointing out that our muscles are made up of "polymers" — the same type of chemical chain construction that goes to make up rubber.

The crew of Columbus' ship were first astonished to find the natives of Haiti playing with balls, and called it "India rubber" because Columbus thought he had arrived in India.

The first known use was for waterproofing clothing, in 1615, by the Spaniards.

Due to the very sticky nature of the crude rubber, the material did not find any uses for 200 years. It was then reported to be useful for erasing pencil marks from paper.

In 1823 a Scotsman, Charles Macintosh, made satisfactory waterproof coats, which still bear his name. Shortly after, Thomas Wales of Boston began sending wooden lasts to Brazil, where they were coated with the rubber or latex to form waterproof footwear.

Charles Goodyear was the first of the many who were trying to cure rubber of its sticky properties, to discover — accidentally — the process of vulcanization which changed it from a very unstable, sticky mass or hard, brittle one, depending on the temperature, to the dependable product as it is known today.

The speaker told the story which relates that Goodyear, having spent all his money and that of his relatives, plus his wife's patience, was experimenting with a mixture of the gum and sulphur when his wife suddenly arrived home. He threw the mass into the stove, but some spilled on the hot lid and to his amazement formed the very substance he had been searching for. Although he was bankrupt, he could see success and a brilliant future. He travelled to France and England but found that others had made, by some strange coincidence, the same discovery. Goodyear failed to reap the benefit of his findings.

Rubber first took on greater importance when J. B. Dunlop, a veterinary surgeon of Belfast, Ireland, first invented a pneumatic tire for bicycles. This was similar to the present-day design and made the motor car age possible.

As the demand increased, the requirements for larger quantities of clean gum became greater. The supply was chiefly from Brazil, and the natives were not particular about what they included in the rolls of gum. Foreign material increased the quantity shipped. Stones were sometimes added to increase the weight!

The finest rubber, called Para, was obtained from Brazil. Sir Thomas Wickam of England planned a trip up the Amazon to obtain botanical specimens for Kew Gardens, near London. He collected thousands of seeds of the rubber trees, and had them cleared by the Brazilian authorities without their knowledge. The seeds were planted at Kew Gardens, transplanted in India, Ceylon and Singapore, and the jealously guarded Brazilian monopoly was broken.

As late as 1910 most of the world's rubber came from Brazil and Africa, but plantation rubber gradually supplanted the undependable native gum, until there were 9,000,000 cultivated trees producing before the war. The Dutch followed the British by growing rubber in their East Indies.

After years of such careful cultivation it was necessary to protect the owners against production at a loss, so the British and Dutch formed a cartel to maintain fair prices for both the public and the producer. It was the speaker's opinion that this had been accomplished. The price was maintained at approximately 25c per lb.

Rubber is tapped from its tree similar to our maple sap. It is prepared for shipment by coagulating the latex in pans, then curing it by smoky fumes of creosote. The natives do the same thing by rolling it on a stick over a smoking bonfire.

Another method is to run it from a faucet onto a disc running at high speed in a heated room. It is broken up into a dry powder, which is swept up for packing. The latest method is to keep the latex liquid with ammonia and ship in tank cars and tankers.

Synthetic rubber had been sought for nearly 100 years. . . German chemists had produced a rubber product from coal and limestone for World War I. Russia and the United States did considerable research in the years previous to World War II. The Dupont Company developed Neoprene, and there were several other types available at the start of the last war.

With plantation rubber cut off by the Japs, the United States and Canadian Governments organized to make a type which could be manufactured in quickest time and in largest amounts. Bura-S was chosen. It was called G.R.S. (Government Rubber Synthetic).

The speaker thought that the Allies' product was much superior to any the Germans produced. A butyl synthetic is used for tire inner-tubes and has the advantage of being less porous to the compressed air of a tire. It seldom needs refilling.

When asked about the traction of synthetic tires he stated that there should be slight, if any difference, but due to the greater stiffness of the synthetic product, the tread design needed to be considered.

The future of synthetic rubber appears very bright, according to the speaker. Contrary to popular opinion there is practically no plantation rubber being received yet.

The thanks of the club were expressed by Dennis Staniforth. Guests of the evening, as well as those mentioned, included Bryant Townsend, of Lachute, Lou Richmond, of Montreal, Harold Dando, Roy Bedard and Keith Rutherford, of Brownsburg.

Ration Coupons Due This Month

April		
4	Sugar-Preserve coupon	S5
	Butter coupon	R5
	Meat coupon	M31
11	Meat coupon	M32
12	Sugar-Preserves	S6 and S7
	Butter coupon	R6
	Meat Coupon	M33
25	Meat coupon	M34

Argenteuil M.P. Speaks on Three Current Issues in Commons Debate

Plan Local Drive For Red Cross Memberships

The monthly meeting of the Red Cross Society was held yesterday afternoon, when plans for the Red Cross drive, commencing April 5, were completed. A total of 1,500 new members for Lachute and district are being sought in this effort — which is exclusively a drive for new memberships. Canvassers will be calling on local residents shortly.

St. Andrews East Citizens' Group

(Our District Correspondent)

St. Andrews East — The Citizens' Committee met at the town hall Monday evening, March 25.

Among matters discussed was the question of garbage disposal. It was moved that the parish council be asked to locate a garbage dump outside the village.

Also under discussion was the desirableness of having the down-train continued on Sunday evening. In this connection it was resolved that the council also be asked to petition the C.N.Rl'y to continue this train service to Montreal through the summer.

DIZZY WEATHER!

The early evidence of spring, unparalleled in recent years, caused misgivings, even among the optimists who were preparing their gardens for seeding. There was an air of expectancy — a belief there must be snow in the offing, or some phenomenon of weather to disprove the budding lilacs and other signs of spring.

Sure enough, something rare happened here this week. After a cold spell which put domestic heating back in vogue and stressed the folly of removing double windows too early — something broke. A high wind during Monday night brought a considerable snowfall; but more surprising, it was accompanied by thunder and lightning more appropriate to a summer heat wave!

The weather has since moderated, and the snow has disappeared.

Judge Warns, Life Of Crime May Lead to Gallows

L'Orignal, Ont. (CP) — Three Hawkesbury youths were sentenced to a total of more than eight years in Ontario Reformatory when they pleaded guilty before Magistrate Raoul Labrosse to charges of theft. They were Dorius Ranger, 17, Royal Vallieres, 16 and Oscar St. Denis, 18.

In handing down the sentences Magistrate Labrosse recalled that several years ago he had warned a youth that continuation of a life of crime would lead to the gallows. That youth was Eugene Larment, of Ottawa, recently hanged in the capital for the murder of Detective Thomas Stoneman, he said.

"I want to put you boys away where you will have lots of time to think over what I have just told you", he said.

All were sentenced to two years less a day definite and six months indefinite on charges of breaking, entering and theft from a school and breaking the seal and theft from a C.N.R. boxcar, while Ranger and St. Denis were sentenced to an additional six months for bicycle theft.

The Zoroastrians of ancient Persia built their temples around natural gas vents in what is now the Baku oil fields, and thus obtained the eternal fires which they worshipped.

The Watchman is on sale at 5-cents a copy at the following stores:

Lachute: Beaton's Pharmacy, Lachute Medicine Store, Rex Café, Main Street.

Lachute Mills: Harbour Drugstore.

Brownsburg: J. R. Thompson's.

"No Taxation Without Explanation"

Georges H. Héon, M.P., Wants "Whole Truth" on Proposed Loan to Britain . . Has Compromise Suggestion for Canadian Flag . . Criticizes Publicity on Spy Case, Defeating Ends of Justice

The official report of parliamentary debates, as it appears in Hansard for Tuesday, March 26, reports a speech given by Georges H. Héon, M.P. for Argenteuil constituency. On this occasion Mr. Héon voiced pronounced views on three matters now before the house; and these opinions appear substantially stated in the following extracts from his address:

Loan to Britain

"As compared with our good neighbour to the south . . . we have undertaken a tremendous burden of international financing and obligations; on the proposed loan to Britain we are 3-5 times more generous than the United States of America. If the great republic wants to equal our contribution in ratio of population and dollar for dollar, it should lend $12,250 million without interest. For our friends to the south of us, who love to establish world records, this is one to shoot at.

"Apropos of the British loan, Mr. Speaker, I must candidly admit that I have not found amongst my constituents, nor in my province, nor particularly amongst the farming and lower-income groups, that degree of enthusiasm which has become evident in certain quarters. To these of my fellow citizens who are not acquainted with the intricacies of cyclical financing, international obligations, and world responsibilities, and who are mainly concerned with making both ends meet in their own little family budget after income taxes have been deducted, the proposed loan is more than a question mark.

"I believe that on this proposed loan, as in any other important item of the country's policy, particularly foreign policy, the government should take the house and the country into its confidence. . . The popular saying, 'no taxation without representation' should be extended to 'no taxation without explanation', so that every Canadian will know in advance what is expected of him and will then be free to determine where his true course lies.

"Perhaps if Canadians were told the true situation in Great Britain, its appalling financial position, its declining world trade, and the importance of maintaining, within the European sphere, sympathy and goodwill, the answer might be quite different. Why not put the cards on the table? Marshal Stalin has, without any scruples, in his answer to Mr. Churchill's speech. Mr. Bevin has, in answer to Vishinsky's accusation. Let that be the rule the whole way through!

"Personally, and I owe it to my constituents, I am awaiting the explanation of the sponsor of the British loan bill before I form a definite opinion. I want to be shown that this loan will be to the best interests. . . . By all means let us have the truth, the whole truth, on this measure.

"— Canada is not in a more advantageous, but rather a less disadvantageous, situation than some other countries. It is a fact that we have not been invaded, nor have we been stamped with the immediate horrors of war. This is wholly due to the grace of God, our geographical situation, the valour of our arms and the scientific certainty that planes must sacrifice distance to bomb loads. . . Let us not lose the sense of real perspective. We are not as badly off as some other nations; that is self-evident, and thank God for it; our territory has not been riddled, nor have our women and children known the fear of a heeled and ruthless enemy knocking at the front door. Thank God for that. We are not in the demoralizing position of having to count on the generosity of other peoples for food, clothing or credits; nor are we, through immediate needs, forced to forget national pride and international prestige. Thank God for that.

"But all these situations do not make our own position one whit better than it really is. Our war veterans' full and successful rehabilitation is not yet achieved, and one has only to visit, as I do, the various branches of our veterans' associations to realize that. Our housing problem remains unsolved; unemployment is too high for comfort; our industrial reconversion from war to peace lags, and one has only to enter any store to find out the discouraging shortage of consumer goods. Finally, let one glance at the income tax schedules, and he will readily grasp what our financial burdens are. It is not unfair to say, then, that although we are not so badly off as some other countries, we still have plenty to do to improve our own situation, and the Canadian people will expect us to do so immediately.

The Taschereau-Kellock Commission

"Another great issue is occupying the minds of our people through the shocking revelations of the Taschereau-Kellock commission . . Much wrongful publicity is being given the affair and to those involved. There has been such an orgy of pictures of the accused, portrayed in delightful poses with their wives, that one would almost be led to think that some of the accused have hired Hollywood press agents. There is a grave danger that the ends of justice may not be served; and those of us here in the legal profession will easily understand what I have in mind. The accused have not yet been tried, and the twelve men who will decide their fate remain to be selected. With this flood of publicity it will not be easy to select jurymen who have not formed an opinion, and the defence will have an opportunity of challenging almost everyone on the jury panel. Further, the accused have not yet been found guilty, and my years of experience as prosecutor have taught me to expect the unexpected verdict from the twelve "tried and true" men. With the imaginative stories that are being circulated, the accused who may be acquitted will proclaim themselves martyrs to the cause of the proletariat; those who may be found guilty will proclaim that they were the victims of prejudice and persecution. Some restraint is in order. . .

A Canadian Flag

"I would like to close by giving briefly my opinion on the question of a Canadian flag. The various polls conducted amongst all sections of our people, and particularly our armed forces, have shown that an absolute majority deems it a matter of national pride that Canada should have a flag which it can truly call its own. The difficulty arises however in the choice of a proper design. Some have shed abundant tears over the prospect that the union jack might be withdrawn from the design; others have championed the cause of the fleur-de-lis, but almost all have shown a particular inclination for the maple leaf.

"I humbly submit . . an honorable compromise. It is not the union jack which binds the people of the commonwealth together, much less the fleur-de-lis. It is the allegiance to a common and revered crown which has given unity and strength through peace and war. It is our loyalty to the crown which has inspired us to take up arms and fight the good fight. . . The most rabid nationalist and the most fervent imperialist alike will proclaim their allegiance to the king of Canada.

"I am not versed in heraldics, but I feel that a flag of sober coloring with a large maple leaf in the middle, in the centre of which would be imprinted a large and distinctive crown, would meet with universal respect and approval".

Post-War Boom in Saskatchewan Town

Yorkton, Sask. (CP) This eastern Saskatchewan town is on the edge of a post-war boom.

With 13 business firms definitely building new premises or enlarging existing buildings, with 35 new homes put up in the last year and with rumors taking in at least one and perhaps two new hotels, Yorkton's city council appears justified in preparing plans for enlargement of the business district.

In addition a large Canadian industry has made enquiries about the possibility of establishing a pickle plant to bottle fruits and garden produce at some prairie community and Yorkton has put in a bid for the plant.

NEED WORLD CITIZENS

Until the people of the world are prepared to forget nationalism and become world citizens instead of proud, arrogant and hostile citizens of their own neck of the woods, more wars will be inevitable.

— Val D'or North Star Miner

Seasonal

FARM TOPICS



New Holstein Fieldman

The Quebec Section of the Canadian Holstein Friesian Association has retained the services of J. Réal Proulx as provincial extension fieldman. Mr. Proulx obtained his degree in Agricultural Science from Oka last year. He then took a position with the Ayers Crest Farm, (Chute à Blondeau), changing to the Glen Ayerst Farm, Ormstown; he was also interested in Extension Service work for the Quaker Oats Company. It is believed he will prove a valuable assistant to the secretary of this Association, Hermas Lajoie.

Apiary in Florida

Canadians are not lacking in initiative. This fact is proven by Mr. Hector Béland, a Louiseville beekeeper, who operates an apiary in Florida at an orange grove in Wassika, Fort Laudervale. Mr. Béland has been operating this apiary for several years now. He obtains honey of excellent quality, increases his hives to the limit, and his specialty is raising queen bees of high quality.

INVADING JUDGE

Woodstock, Ont. (CP) — George Innes, president of the Canadian Jersey Breeders Association made a successful foray into enemy territory when he carried off first prize in judging a competition staged by Oxford County Holstein Breeders Association.

Explains How Virus Diseases Are Spread

Diseases of plants caused by viruses are widespread in nature, occurring in most species of plants. There are, for example, mosiac and ring spot of dahlia, break of tulip, mosaic of lilies, lettuce, beans celery and other plants. The mosaic diseases, says G. H. Berkeley, Officer in charge of the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, St. Catharines, Ont., have one symptom in common, namely, a mottling of the leaves in various shades of green and yellow showing in some plants in rings, flecks, streaks, or patches. In other cases, leaves are curled or distorted, such as in the leaf curl of raspberries. In virus diseases, also, spraying is of little value, because the ultra-microscopic virus which causes the disease is confined within the plant, where sprays cannot touch it.

In nature, these diseases are spread from plant to plant by insects, especially aphids, leaf hoppers, and certain mites. The infective principle is present throughout the plant and is carried over in cuttings, corms and bulbs. Some of the diseases are transmitted even through seeds from the infected plants. A plant once infected with a virus never recovers, and, because such plants may act as sources of spreading the disease to nearby healthy plants, they should be pulled up and destroyed. Control consists in maintaining a healthy source of seeds, corms, bulbs, or cuttings and destroying infected plants without delay.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Arundel

The Woman's Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. P. Gordon on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Gordon were the joint hostesses.

The Girls' Guild held their monthly meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Gordon Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilfillan, of Montreal, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooke last week.

Miss Florence Rae visited Mrs. Val Swail over the week-end.

Week-end visitors here included — the Misses R. Cooke, E. Cooke, Muriel Graham, L. Davies, Betty Moss, also Dr. Flannagan and Mr. J. A. Staniforth.

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Chase, of Ottawa, spent the week-end here with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrow.

Mr. Robert Arnold, who has spent several weeks at his old home here and in Montreal, has now returned to Saskatchewan.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Biglow, Calumet, is spending a week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley.

Friends of Mr. Thomas Cousins are glad that he is gaining after his recent illness. . . Mr. Willie Gauley is also making a good recovery after an attack of pleurisy.

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Mr. Innes Canning, of Ottawa, is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Canning.

Mr. Gordon Moncrieff, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss May Conway, who has been ill at her home, returned to Ottawa on Sunday.

Mrs. Eddie Barron spent several days in Montreal.

The Misses B. and P. Welden of Ottawa spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Welden.

Wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Mr. Adam Dewar, who has been very ill for some time; his condition is reported somewhat improved.

Mrs. Grant McLauchlan spent a few days in the city recently.

Miss Inez Dewar, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dewar; also Mrs. Hugh Rayson was a Sunday guest at the Dewar home.

Mrs. Russell Owens and Miss Phyllis Owens spent a few days in Ottawa recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crooks spent a recent week-end in the capital with Mr. Crooks' sister, Mrs. F. Hunter.

Mrs. Howard Moore and daughter Lynda, of Ottawa, spent a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens.

Auction Sale

At the farm of
GEORGE B. KELLY,
Avoca, County of Argenteuil, on Thursday, April 25, 10 a.m. sharp:

Gelding 7-years-old and gelding 4-years-old (both 1400 lbs.) 4 yr.-old mare (1600), 7-yr.-old mare in foal June 2, 1-yr.-old colt, 18 head Grade milch cows (Guernsey and Holstein), Jersey bull 1-yr.-old, sow with litter, registered Yorkshire boar 10-mths.-old, 20 Leghorn hens.

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Light buggy (almost new), set light driving sleighs, rack sleigh, cutter, set of heavy sleighs, steel scraper, pony cart and sleigh, light express, truck wagon with rack, low farm wagon with rack, set cart harness, 3 sets double harness, set single light harness, drag saw, circular saw, milking machine, 2 double units, hand dump for truck, 30 ft. pump, 5 30-gal. milk cans.

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The annual campaigns for funds undertaken by the branch included the following centres — Arundel, Barkmere, Bell Falls, Crystal Falls, Gray Valley, The Glen, Harrington, Huberdeau, Kasil, Lakeview, Lost River, Rivington, Rockway, Rouge Valley, 16 Island Lake and Weir. The collections for 1942 totalled $617.61; 1943 — $893.40; 1944 — $1,306.69; and 1945 — $1,384.68.

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Return to Familiar Earth

JUST AT THIS time an interesting experience is being shared by thousands of Canadians. Men who for years have thought of machinery — and worked with it — in terms of jeeps and bren carriers and tanks, are readjusting themselves to the tractor seat and the ways of disc harrows. Eyes that looked along the rifle barrel will soon be sighting quizzically down garden-rows; and hands long concerned with the care and feeding of machine-guns will be holding the reins of horses, or closed around plow-handles smooth with the contacts of many years.

In Italy and Normandy and Holland and Belgium, Canadians from the fruitlands and farming country of both coasts, the mixed farms of central Canada and the grain growing west, must have looked occasionally with some critical interest at the agricultural practices of other men. But there was little time. And the core of their interest was in something else — in living from day to day, in finishing the job of war and getting back to their familiar pursuits.

Now, for the most part, those who survived the battle for the right to till the earth as free men and to make possible for others at least the opportunity to develop that freedom, are back at the old task. They are regarded as adventurers by sons and brothers, men who have gone forth in the world, crossed oceans and carried arms in a present-day crusade.

And so they are.

But for themselves at this moment the important thing must be the fact that they are back, after varying periods in regions so different from home that they must have seemed at times like parts of another world.

As the years pass other matters will grow in their minds; the many considerations of life and work in normal times, in depression, in prosperity. Some will find their interest increasing in the influence of the individual and the community on relations that determine war and peace. Others in the stress of individual problems may see their interest in the larger scene decline.

However it may be, the all-absorbing thing in their minds today is the return to familiar earth.

Support the Food Program

MR. MACKENZIE KING'S program to maintain Canadian food shipments to starving people is being generally well received throughout the Dominion. No one minimizes the seriousness of the situation, as suffice it is to say, we in Canada are getting off very lucky compared to the lot of millions of people.

The reduction of 10,000,000 bushels of wheat for milling will not mean a dark loaf, but merely that we will have to avoid the disgraceful habit of waste. There still will be more than enough bread for everyone. No one will criticize the 50 per cent cut in wheat available for distilling purposes. It will not be felt for some years, and anyway who could be so low as to prefer a drink of whisky to the saving of a child's life?

Mr. King urges farmers to plan their production so as to obtain a maximum yield of foodstuffs during the next four years. The co-operation of the farmers will be forthcoming, never fear. They will do all in their power to increase production. The scheme, however, demands support from the citizens in towns and cities, who can greatly help by preventing even a slice of bread from going to waste. The cultivation of small garden lots will help immensely, as the British found out during the war.

Yes, Mr. King, the farmer will be supporting your program. We hope you will support the farmer when he needs help.

Can You Untie That ?

"CAN YOU tie that?" is a favorite expression. "Can you untie that?" would be a question better suited to the times. We are facing the greatest crisis in man's history. And we need to face the fact that, at a time like this, the average Canadian still finds himself tied up in a petty round of meaningless activities.

We are "tied to our desk," tied up in ourselves" or "fit to be tied." All to what end? To make a living, when our desperate priority is to learn how to live. To make money, when our need is to make history. To make a name while unnamed idealogies are on the march to replace our names with numbers. To pursue these ends in a world where atom bombs may so soon make an end to all of us. To kill time, when there is so little time left.

In such critical days there can only be one meaningful purpose in life. It is to build a world that works. A world fit for heroes of two world wars to live in. A world safe for their children to grow up in. A world secure because it is free from fear, and hate, and greed. A world which honors and reflects the God who made it.

We need to untie every tie that keeps us from thinking and working towards this one great end. Freed from all our small self-seeking purposes, there is not one among us who could not find and take some special place of leadership in the forward progress of mankind.

Diplomatic Words

PRIME MINISTER Mackenzie King in speaking about the espionage probe said he did not think Mr. Stalin would "countenance action of this kind on the part of his country." He said he believed that a change would come when the facts were known to the Soviet Premier and other responsible Russian authorities.

Nice words, indeed Mr. King — diplomatic, we are sure. But we wonder if you are not suffering slightly from spring fever.

Looking at the facts we learn that it was away last September that Igor Gouzenko, the cipher clerk, sought protection from Canadian authorities and "spilled the beans" in regard to the espionage activities. We learn also that directions for the operations came from Moscow. One of the principals working in Canada was Col. Zabotin, military attache, who escaped to Russia. If Mr. Stalin is so good in the eyes of Mr. King, perhaps he might be induced to have Zabotin returned to Canada to stand trial.

And has there been any penitent attitude in the Russian press? No, nothing but abuse for you, Mr. King — and the editorial policy of those papers is directed by none other than Joseph Stalin.

Let's Get Rid of Them

ONE OF THE MOST disturbing disclosures in the Canadian spy probe is that some of the accused have declared their allegiance to Russia to be greater than their allegiance to Canada. How any person with a shred of pride could continue to hold Canadian citizenship and at the same time harbor such feelings is beyond our comprehension. If there are people living in Canada who admire the Communist way of life so much, then let them go to Russia. And how many actually would want to go? Very few, because they know the restraint on freedom of action there, compared to Canada.

THE BRITISH diplomatic service will now be open to women. Some of the wives of diplomats will claim that women have been active in that field for years, if the truth were known.



"Prisons or Playgrounds" Topic At Brownsburg Lighted School

(Continued from page 1)

Why Do Children Go Wrong?

A great deal of talk is heard at the present time about the causes of juvenile delinquency. Everyone thinks it's a terrible state of affairs, and nearly everyone tries to lay the blame somewhere. Snatches of conversation reveal just what people think about it. The Lighted School, which is a fair cross-section of local opinion, gave as reasons: "Just what you would expect in a house where the kids don't have to go to church and Sunday school"; or their dad's at war; or their mother works in a war plant; or the kids are given too much spending money. The radio, comic strips, and the movies came in for their share of criticism — while all these things were considered as probable contributing factors, to a greater or lesser extent. And as signs of the times, they don't reflect too much credit on our common sense or genuine interest in family life.

The chief reason for the increase in juvenile delinquency is the loosening of family ties and parental control by the necessity and the desire for both parents to go out to work. The absence of parents from the home, and the children's consequent freedom from supervision, has the undesirable effect of allowing them to select associates without discrimination, and to follow pursuits detrimental to their future well being. The young mind, not being able to judge moral values, becomes governed by a desire for excitement, and in search of pleasures youth descends into the byways and pitfalls of life.

During a time of war, such a decline is accelerated by the slackness of moral fibre, disregard for conventions of peaceful living, the mass hatred engendered against an unscrupulous enemy, and the publicizing of atrocities and unsavory acts which are necessary companions of war.

The Remedy?

Most parents are anxious to send their children off to school at as early an age as possible. Parents reason that it keeps them out of mischief, free from danger of accident or injury. We have heard parents say, when their children go to school at the early age of five or six, "We don't mind how much they learn, or if they learn anything. It's the thought of their being off the streets, away from danger that impells us to send them to school". Later in life we pay considerable attention to the kind of school, and the kind of teacher. We insist on cramming the children for five or six hours a day, five days a week. But we neglect the fact that education is a continuing process and does not stop after five or six hours, nor at any time the child is awake. We are careful to provide for eight hours' sleep, five or six hours' study at school, two hours for homework and meals — and then we tell little Johnny to "run out and play" without making any attempt whatsoever to provide facilities for him, or help him to expend the time to good advantage. Yet, these are the hours which **create delinquency and during which the child learns the evil which weighs him down for the rest of his life,** no matter what educational abilities he may otherwise attain.

If we can provide a teacher for six hours for his academic education, we should also provide a teacher for his physical, moral and vocational education. We should supervise and teach the boy how to make best use of his recreational hours, so that his gain will build up a character to combat and avoid the pitfalls of afterlife. We pay religious teachers for one day of the week; why not utilize their services for the hours of play for the younger generation.

Dominion and provincial governments could do much to bring about improvements in playground facilities and recreation programs. A move in that direction may be in the making with the present bill on National Health and Welfare, which is being introduced by Premier Duplessis at Quebec. Its importance may be gauged from the fact that a separate cabinet post is being created, to be in charge of a Minister. Municipalities in particular can include in their plans for community centres the equipping of good playgrounds, with programs planned to keep youngsters interested. This includes the selection of a well-trained staff. All citizens should have an interest in their development and contribute to their success by helping financially, exercising their votes in municipal councils, and offering constructive criticism and suggestions.

SCOUT CABINET MINISTER

The first former Boy Scout to become a cabinet minister in Great Britain is John Hynd, recently appointed Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. As a youth, Mr. Hynd was a member of the 29th Perthshire Troop in Scotland, known as the Seaforths, from the fact they wore the Seaforth kilt.

THE WEEKLIES SAY..

INTEGRITY BEFORE WEALTH

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— Revelstoke (B.C.) Review

RED-LETTER YEAR

The year 1946 will go down in history as when the Canadian Parliament placed a limit to the number of speeches that could be made in reply to the "Speech from the Throne." This will rank as almost of equal importance to "The Bill of Rights" or "Magna Charta".

— Pembroke Standard-Observer

TALK OF TAXES

We often hear men say that they are not going to milk cows any more, or raise pigs or do this thing or that thing or the other thing, or work at all because the government takes it all in income tax. It is true the income tax is stiff, and it hurts to pay over large sums that way, but at the same time we feel it is not the right attitude.

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Oil Drills Return to Western Ontario

— From the Imperial Oil Review

Under the rich earth of western Ontario there are, geologists are convinced, untapped stores of oil. Petrolia, in western Ontario, was the site of the continent's first oil field. Several smaller fields have been discovered since in the southwestern townships, but a complete, broad survey has never been done. With this in mind geologists from Imperial Oil Limited began a survey which lasted three years. Early in 1945 they had decided where there might be oil, and the drills began an exploration programme. The chances of success are only one in thirty, for the geologist can only show where oil should be.

Southwestern Ontario, the site of the continent's first commercial oil production, is today under the most comprehensive scientific survey for oil it has ever received. Well above 100,000 acres of land have been leased by Imperial Oil in the western counties and already some 20 exploratory "wildcats" have been completed.

Ninety per cent of the oil produced in Ontario has been taken from fields discovered prior to 1886, and 85 per cent of the province's natural gas from fields discovered prior to 1910. The possibilities of "second-crop oil" in southwestern Ontario were emphasized by similar discoveries in the United States just across the border. It was very well known that the southwestern Ontario formations continued across under Lake Erie and were to be found in Michigan and Illinois. As a result Imperial Oil began, in 1941, a systematic collection and analysis of all available information obtained in previous drilling in southwestern Ontario and related sections of U.S. So much interesting data was discovered that the present board programme was decided upon.

In general, the subsurface structures are similar to those in southern Michigan where many fields ranging from a few hundred acres to 3,000 and 4,000 acres in extent have been found, yielding many hundreds of thousands of barrels of oil in some cases and several billions of cubic feet of gas in others.

Two interesting facts stood out about southwestern Ontario exploration: many potentially productive areas had never been explored at all, and in other areas where wildcat wells had been sunk the drills did not penetrate deep enough to test formations which in U.S. and Canada were already proven producers.

Lest this sound too hopeful, however, geologists hasten to add that Ontario can never expect "big" production. It can hope for a number of small commercially profitable fields, but not for any rich bonanza to be compared with the world's great finds. Ontario's total production to date is only 30,000,000 barrels of oil and 385,000,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

A vast amount of work, too, must be done before it is reasonable to expect results. In Michigan, out of a total of more than 12,000 wells drilled, about 5,000 were dry. This is in line with results obtained in drilling for gas by one of the larger companies operating in Ontario. Of 350 holes drilled by this company in recent years about half were dry. In 1944, in Michigan, about 22 wildcat tests were made for each discovery.

Geologically, southwestern Ontario is a problem child. This entire region is covered with a mantle of glacial drift, laid down in the ice age, which varies from a few feet to more than 500 feet in thickness. Rock exposures, the geologist's clue to secrets below the surface, are few and widely scattered. The surface topography in no way expresses the underlying structures. There are many small underground faults and folds which, for the most part, reveal themselves only through a detailed study of drilling records.

These faults and folds, of course, are where oil is likely to be found. It is commonly known that oil saturates the pore spaces of rocks laid down by ancient seas, as water lies in a sponge. Oil is also known as a migratory substance; if it is not held it will escape to the surface. It is found, therefore, where underlying rocks have been gently folded upward that large quantities of oil and gas have become trapped on the crests of these folds under an impervious covering.

By painstaking examination of drilling records the geologists believe they have marked out the most favorable sites for folds; these markings, of course, indicate the areas to be leased and explored.

Leasing and drilling are familiar to residents of western Ontario. Since the first oil field on the continent was brought in at Petrolia men with property in the region have dreamed of bringing in fortunes in their back yards. Around Petrolia and Oil Springs and some other old fields one may still see plenty of tripod derricks with the traditional "walking beam" that brings up anywhere from one to four, five, or perhaps half a dozen barrels of oil a day. These old fields, however, are being stripped in an operation that has long had a very narrow margin of profit. Most leasing and drilling in recent years has been for gas.

In the early days quite a reputation grew up about the lease man. He was believed to be a

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Oil Drills in Ontario . .

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sharper who was out to chisel everybody in sight. In the early boom days there were doubtless promoters of this type in the field; today, however, the business is well standardized and — conscious of the whisperings of the past — reputable companies make every effort to engage the most reliable men for leasing and give them a clear cut set of instructions to work and abide by.

Most of the leasing is from farmers, as southwestern Ontario is a fertile district famed for fine crops of corn, tobacco, and other produce. Leasing has a natural appeal to them. They know when they sow their crops in spring that they are gambling on a harvest in the fall. The lease provides a very similar gamble, except that the oil company assumes the risk. As an initial payment the farmer usually receives a nominal sum of five dollars. In the present programme Imperial Oil thereafter pays for its lease rights a standard amount per acre per pear, usually on a ten-year contract. In addition crop and any other damage is made good.

This, however, is the least interesting part of the lease. If oil is found the farmer gets one barrel in eight. In Ontario, of course, the farmer owns the mineral rights on his land. As an indication of what could happen, the biggest producer among the wells in the Oil Springs area had an initial yield of 7,500 barrels per day. The average production over the whole field ran above 9,000 barrels per acre. The current price of western Ontario crude oil — the price varies according to quality — is about $2.40 per barrel, although in pre-war peacetime quotations were much lower than this.

At that rate signing the lease on a 100-acre farm which subsequently proved productive might result in the farmer utimately receiving a cool quarter of a million dollars!

However, a much lower figure is likely in any western Ontario discovery. More probably an eighth interest on a hundred acres in the type of field likely to be found there would result in a total of $15,000 - $20,000 per hundred acres.

So much for the farmer's share. What does the oil company do to earn the other seven barrels?

In the first place the oil industry is faced with the need to develop Canada's oil resources. Canada is the second largest per capita user of oil. In almost every field of effort there is a large and constant increase in the use of petroleum products every year. Yet Canada produces only 15 per cent of her needs.

If an oil company, therefore, is to meet its responsibilities as a good citizen it must seek to develop Canada's natural oil resources. This means gathering and employing scientists who will map out millions of acres in which it is possible oil may be present, and isolate the few square miles in which a producing field may actually be discovered. Years of study, as in the present exploration in Ontario, may precede the sinking of the first hole. Fortunately the western Ontario formations are shallow; even there it costs up to $30,000 to drill one hole, depending on depth. And the average is still roughly 30 dry holes to one producer!

Seeking oil, therefore, means a large outlay of capital and a skillfully planned, intelligently pursued programme. Once the oil is found there is the cost of opening up the well and installing efficient producing apparatus, and of transporting the crude oil to the refinery.

In the meantime money is flowing into the pockets of many deserving farmers, drillers and other residents of the southwestern Ontario counties. In Petrolia, the home of many retired drillers and rig men, little groups discuss the possibilities of a find in this new exploration programme. Whether or not it proves productive, many an oil man, many a farmer, many a plain John Citizen will have anxious eyes focussed on western Ontario in the months to come.

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HIGGINSON — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills, on March 30, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. I. Higginson (née Eileen Cameron) a daughter, both well.

WALKER — At the Homoeopathic Hospital, Montreal, on March 29, to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Walker, (née Hazel Boyd), a son, Stewart Norman. Both well.

DEATH

SECORD — At Seattle, on March 31, 1946, Jessie Kay Wason, wife of the late S. Secord, in her 33rd year, sister of J. R. Wason, Lachute, Que.

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How bitter is our loss."

MacGIBBON — In loving memory of our little son, Wyman, who died accidentally at Nitro, Que., April 3, 1943. — Sadly missed by Mummy and Daddy, Vancouver, B.C.

"Dear little hands, I miss them so,
All through the day, wherever I go,
All through the night, how lonely it seems
For no little hands wake me out of my dreams,
I miss them all through the weary hours,
I miss them as others do sunshine and flowers,
Daytime or night-time, wherever I go,
Dear little hands, I miss them so."

MacGIBBON — In loving memory of our little grandson, Thomas Wyman, accidentally drowned on April 3, 1943, aged six years. —Inserted by Grandma and Grandpa MacGibbon.

"He has gone to be an angel
Secure in our Father's care,
And his dear little feet now patter along
The beautiful streets up there.
"If only the sky could open
And his dear little face we could see,
Oh, what a wonderful feeling
In our aching hearts would be.
"But he is with the angels
Far from sin and pain,
Where Jesus said 'Believe in Me
And thou shalt see him again' ".

MacGIBBON — Cherished memories of our dear grandson, "Wee Wyman," who died accidentally at Nitro, April 3, 1943, in his sixth year. — Grandpa and Grandma Williams.

"I wonder, oh I wonder
Where the little faces go,
They came and smiled and stayed awhile
Then passed like flakes of snow."

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Morin Heights

Mrs. F. J. Watson spent the past week visiting in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Anderson, also Mr. Lloyd Watson, of Montreal, were at Laurentian Rest Inn over the week-end.

Cpl. W. R. Bell, of Ottawa, is spending this week with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham, of Montreal, visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Boyd, during the week-end.

Rivington

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Currie and little daughter spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McCabe and friends, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe.

Brownsburg

Mrs. C. Hardie spent the week-end with relatives in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser were in Montreal for the week-end.

The United Church Junior Woman's Association held its monthly meeting this week at the home of Mrs. C. J. Wheeler.

Misses Jean and Hilda Birch, of Montreal, were home for the week-end.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the United Church met last week at the home of Mrs. T. G. Pasco, the president. Refreshments were served.

Baptist Mission Circle

The Young Women's Mission Circle of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their annual meeting on Tuesday evening. Satisfactory reports were given by different conveners; the treasurer reported that the financial objectives had been met, leaving a substantial bank balance. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Hon. president, Miss Elizabeth Tomalty; president, Mrs. F. Campbell; vice-pres., Mrs. F. Barker; secretary, Mrs. C. E. Prosser; treasurer, Miss Jean Nason.

The organization honored Miss E. Tomalty and Miss J. Nason by presenting them with life membership certificates. Plans were made to hold a sacred concert on April 16, in the church. The program will consist of Easter music, pantomimes and a play.

A church group from Montreal will assist in the first of a series of pre-Easter services on Sunday evening, April 14, in the United Church.

An Easter pageant on the "Crusade for Christ and His Kingdom" will be presented at the United Church on Easter Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock.

The Brownies, under the joint leadership of Misses A. Zimmer and D. Steere, are rehearsing for a sacred concert to be given on Wednesday evening, April 17.

The Boy Scouts are busy preparing for a concert to be given in the Consolidated School Friday evening, April 26.

Cushing West

Capt. Thos. Weir was in Montreal on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pinkerton motored here and spent the week-end at their residence.

Mr. Eddie Whelehan and son, Edward, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Gordon Hampton, of Grece's Point, who with Mrs. Hampton arrived home last week after spending the winter months in Florida, was a guest of the Misses Hampton at Lachute on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robert and little daughters were Sunday guests at the home of the former's mother at Monalea.

Mrs. C. F. Watson was hostess to the Ladies' Aid of St. Mungo's, at their monthly meeting on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dewar and family, who spent the winter months at Stonefield have returned to their home at Grece's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex M. Stalker, Westmount, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casement, Town of Mount Royal, Mrs. Wm. Fitchett and daughter, Susan, of Outremont, were week-end guests of Capt. and Mrs. Thos. Weir — Mrs. Fitchett and daughter remaining for the week.

Mr. Angus Greig, late of the R.C.A.F., who is now attending Carleton School in Ottawa in preparation for his senior matriculation, was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Usher, on Sunday.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Morrison spent the past week visiting friends in Lachute and Hudson Heights.

Mr. Ray Craig spent the week-end in Montreal.

Pte. Frank Hurdle, of Montreal, who just recently returned from overseas, spent the week-end as guest of Mr. Gordon Beaven.

Mrs. P. Dubeau spent a few days in Montreal last week visiting with friends.

Mr. Jack Bell, of Montreal, spent a few days recently at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. John Morgan.

Mr. Basil Kerr returned home on Wednesday after spending a few days in Montreal.

Mrs. Chas. Mountain spent the past week in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. E. Robitaille spent the past week visiting friends in Montreal and Joliette.

Mr. A. Chartier spent the week-end in Montreal, where he visited his wife and baby daughter.

CONNIE MACK BASEBALL BOYS HARD

West Palm Beach, Fla. (CP) — In all Connie Mack's 52 years as a baseball manager, starting with Pittsburgh in 1894, he admits he never drove a baseball squad so hard in spring training.

"You know this will probably be the greatest season we've ever had in the game," explains the Philadelphia Athletics' boss, "and we've got to be ready for it. The boys returning from service are setting us a very good example."

Calumet

Mrs. T. G. Foreman, who spent the winter wonths in Ottawa with her daughter, Mrs. R. G. White and Mr. White, returned home on Friday evening. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. White — the latter will remain here visiting for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Muszynski and infant son, Steffan, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce.

Mrs. M. R. Robinson entertained a few friends Thursday evening.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hoare were— Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDougall, of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. William McCullough and daughter, Betty, of Grenville.

Mr. H. Lessard and small daughter, Heather Anne, spent Friday with Mr. W. E. Brigden.

Messrs. W. M. Brigden and Stephen Brigden motored to Montreal for the week-end.

Miss Frances Irving, R.N., of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer home here.

Mr. G. Higginson is home after his recent operation in hospital in Montreal. His friends are pleased to hear that he is progressing favorably.

Miss. Eileen Hoare, of Avoca, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hoare.

Mr. George Martin was a week-end visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Martin.

Badminton Club

The Badminton Club held a meeting Tuesday evening, to choose the players to take part in the final tournaments against Lachute, Grenville, Kilmar and Brownsburg. Those chosen were as follows:

Ladies' Doubles, Mrs. G. B. Murphy, Mrs. E. Racine, Mrs. R. C. Whinfield, Miss Irene Druce; sub., Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Men's Doubles, Messrs. R. Robinson, E. Racine, L. P. Robinson, G. B. Murphy.

Ladies' Singles, Mrs. R. C. Whinfield.

Men's Singles, Mr. C. G. Foreman.

River Hebert, N.S. (CP) — Garfield Stevens was not surprised there was no wildcat in his wildcat trap, but he was startled to find an eagle with a six-foot wingspan. The bird was still alive when Stevens made the daily round of his traps.

OBITUARY

Lady, Native of Morin Hts., Dies In Saskatoon

Late Mrs. Christina Hamilton

Mrs. Christina Hamilton, a native of Morin Heights, died March 2 after a short illness, in hospital at Saskatoon.

Born at Morin in the year 1871, she was one of a family of eleven. Her father was a direct descendant of Lady Newton of Holland.

In the year 1896 Christina was married to John Evans, who died in 1908. Of this union three children were born — a daughter Isabella, who died in her infancy, and two sons, John Alexander, and Ernest Thomas, who live near Kenaston, Sask.

In 1916 she was united in marriage to Thomas Hamilton, with whom she moved in 1918 to Hazenmore, Sask., and then to Kenaston in 1919, where both lived until their death, Mr. Hamilton predeceasing his wife almost two years ago.

She is survived by her youngest sister, Mrs. Maude Murray, of Ottawa; two sons, and a number of grandchildren.

Mrs. Hamilton was a very fine citizen of the community in which she lived, and was held in high esteem by her many friends.

The funeral service was held at the Evangelical Church, and interment was made in the family plot at the Kenaston Cemetery.

Lake Keatley

Principal J. G. Bennett and Mr. M. McFarlane visited "Echo Valley Camp", Lake McLeod, last week-end.

Miss Enid Stewart and her cousin, Miss Shirley MacVicar, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stewart.

Mrs. Wm. Barnes and young son, Jackie, are at present visiting friends in L'Orignal.

Bell Falls

Miss Donna Snow, of Lachute, was the week-end guest of Miss Edythe McCallum.

Mr. John Campbell spent Monday in Montreal.

Mrs. J. John is spending a few days visiting in Montreal.

Mrs. Neil MacCallum entertained Bell Falls group of the Ladies' Aid on Saturday afternoon at a quilting.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Pension Fund Drive For United Church

A nation-wide drive to raise $3½ millions new capital for the Ministers' Pension Fund has been announced by a national committee of prominent laymen of the United Church of Canada. The drive for new capital to place the existing fund "on a sound basis" will take place from April 28 to May 12 and will be marked by an organized appeal by laymen canvassers to members of all United Church congregations.

In announcing the drive, it is stated the "the United Church ministers to about one-fifth of the population of Canada. We believe it is the responsibility of laymen to make sure that the pension fund into which at present some 2,600 ministers pay is a sound one — which is not the case at present. We want to encourage young men to enter the ministry by removing the fear of destitution in old age. This drive has long been contemplated and the need is urgent."

— A committee has been appointed in the Lachute charge to fulfill a creditable part in this campaign.

C.G.I.T. Concert Helps Save-the-Children Fund

A varied and enjoyable concert was presented by members of the Lachute United Church C.G.I.T. on Friday evening last, for the benefit of the "Save the Children Fund".

The program featured piano solos and duets, three plays, recitations and vocal numbers, and the audience reacted favorably to the varied interpretations. The girls were under direction of their leaders, Mrs. H. Jacobsen and Mrs. M. Lyster, who were assisted by Mrs. K. McOuat in the musical numbers.

The total proceeds amounted to $56.60

Lachute United Y.P.U. Hears Timely Topic

It was Citizenship night at the Lachute United Church Y.P.U. on Wednesday, and the program was directed by the convener, Roland Maxwell. An appropriate scripture reading was given by Doug Gordon and the group was led in prayer by John Wilson.

Because of the small attendance, arrangements for the Fireside evening to be held in the near future were deferred until next week. Those present were asked to contact all members and stress the need of supporting the efforts of the Y.P.U.

The Rev. W. B. Rosborough was guest speaker of the evening, and was introduced by Roland Maxwell. Mr. Rosborough took as his subject "The Social Gospel of Christ", and emphasized the part that the Church should take in all social, economic and national affairs. He strongly stressed the need of many reforms in our present system, where great wealth and dire poverty were permitted to rest in their respective forms, and pleaded for the need of Christian living in our personal, social and economic spheres.

Easter Week Activities At Brownsburg United

Brownsburg—The Crusade committee at its meeting last Sunday, under chairmanship of the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike, brought previous plans to a more definite shape. Beginning Sunday, April 14 and continuing through the week, special services will be held, with visiting preachers and singers.

On the Sunday evening, and again on the Thursday evening, April 14, and 18, groups from Montreal will bring messages both in sermon and song. One of the visiting groups will represent the Christian Business Men's Crusade Committee. On Monday and Tuesday evenings there will be speakers and singers from Ste. Therese and Vankleek Hill respectively. On Good Friday evening the usual preparatory service for the Easter Communion and Reception will be held. On Easter Sunday evening at 8 o'clock an Easter pageant — under the direction of Mrs. Wm. King, Mrs. R. B. Johnson and Mr. D. N. Atkins — will be presented. This pageant will depict the spirit and progress of the "Crusade for Christ and His Kingdom." The services of the week will begin at 7.30 p.m.

A more detailed outline of these gatherings will be contained in an Easter folder and accompanying letter, to be sent to the congregation and others associated.

Members of the congregation are urged to keep the evenings mentioned free for these pre-Easter services.

On the Wednesday evening, April 17, the Brownies, under the joint leadership of Misses A. Zimmer and D. Steere, will give a sacred concert.

Choirs for the special pre-Easter gatherings will be made up from the various organizations of the church, in addition to the regular choir, now preparing special music for the season.

Christian Endeavor

The regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor group was held Sunday evening in the Presbyterian Church hall, under the chairmanship of Gladys Vessie.

This being Citizenship night, the program of prayers, lesson and topic were based accordingly on the citizenship theme.

The topic, entitled "The Ideal System", was on the following trend: Western civilization has been in constant trouble and turmoil since the start of its history. It has tried various methods of regulating its political, economic and social systems, and it is even now in the process of experimenting with new ones. For the bulk of the populations, none of these methods has been an outstanding success.

In its 2,000 years of existence western civilization has tried every system but the one which has been guaranteed to work, namely that based upon the teachings of the Christian bible. Christ taught a way of life which not only leads to the kingdom of God after death, but which, if followed faithfully, cannot but result in an ideal system of life on earth. It follows, then, that if we base our individual actions, our economic, political and social structures upon the foundation of Christ's teachings, our civilization must function ideally.

Since it is functioning in a manner far from the ideal, it must be concluded that the Christian countries are Christian in name only. Our assumption of the title "Christian" is fraudulent. — So let us do something about it. Let us either admit we are pagan, or let us truly earn the title "Christian".

The meeting of Sunday next will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. E. Orsborn.



GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

THE WEEK'S SERVICES

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D

10.00 a.m. Sabbath School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship. "Saving and Keeping Power".
7 p.m. Evening. Worship "Not Slaves but Friends".
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.
Y.P.U., Wednesday, 8.15 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. W. Black, Minister.

10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.
7 p.m. Evening Worship.
8 p.m. to 8.45, Christian Endeavor.

ST. SIMEON'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

5th. Sunday in Lent, April 7.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
Wednesday, April 10, Evening Prayer 7.30 p.m.
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector.

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor — W. H. Britton.

Bible School 10 a.m.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
7.00 p.m. Evening Worship.

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Evensong each Sunday at 7 p.m.
Holy Comm. 4th Sunday at 9 a.m.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, Pastor

BROWNSBURG

Bible School	10.00 a.m.
Church (Communion)	11.00 a.m.
Happy Hour, Monday at 7 p.m.	
Young People's Monday, 8 p.m.	
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.	

DALESVILLE

Bible School	2 p.m.
Church (Communion)	3.00 p.m.
Prayer, Wednesday	8.00 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Sunday, April 14, beginning of Pre-Easter Services. Group from Montreal assisting.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Minister: Rev. W. H. Leaton

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Service.
7.00 p.m. Evening Worship.
Thurs. 7.30 Adult Fellowship.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

Dunany, 11 a.m.
Louisa, 2 p.m.
Morin Heights, 3 p.m.
Shrewsbury, 4 p.m.
Lakefield 7 p.m.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. H. B. Kingsbury is visiting at Morewood, Ont., the guest of the Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Heustin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dance and daughter, Wenda, left last Thursday to take up residence in Paris, Ont.

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Miss Freda McVicar, of Macdonald College, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker and daughter, Beth Anne, and Miss Gwen Walker, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Walker.

Mr. Lorne Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Boyd, of The Glen, Dunany, recently returned to his home in Montreal after a two months' business trip to California.

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Mr. Stephen May, of Ste. Agathe, who visited here on Monday and Tuesday, leaves this week-end for Kingston, Ont., where he will study in the Arts course.

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LAW. Marjorie Kettyle, of the R.C.A.F., (W.D.), Lachine; Miss Edna Kettyle, Lachine; LAW. Verda Hooker, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), Ottawa; and Miss Eleanor Smith, of Montreal West, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Kettyle.

PRESENTATION BY RADIO LISTENERS OF FARM FORUM

Members of the East Settlement Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Rodger on Monday evening. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

A presentation was made to Mrs. Rodger, who has served as secretary and contributed much to the success of this group.

H.S. GLEE CLUB TO PRESENT A VARIED PROGRAM

For the second consecutive year, Lachute High School Glee Club is presenting a program of song, ranging from semi-classical to popular, sacred selections, Negro spirituals and modern compositions. The Glee Club will again be under direction of Earl Morrison, while a group of younger vocalists, under the baton of Miss Elva Ness, will take part, as well as soloists.

Two very beautiful compositions, "Dear Land of Home" by Sibelius, and "Panis Angelicus" by Franck, will be sung by the choristers, as well as "The Bells of St. Mary's", "Home on the Range", "All Through the Night" and many other selections.

The junior choir will sing "You're a Grand Old Flag", "Without a Song" and other lighter numbers. A tenor soloist will interpret "The Stranger of Galilee" and "Sonny Boy", while the contralto will sing "A Dream of Paradise" and "I'm Always Chasing Rainbows". A quartet, and Don Reid's orchestra, will round out the program.

The concert will be held in the Lachute Auditorium on Friday, April 5, commencing at 8 p.m.

Radio Licenses

Perley Murdoch, a returned disabled veteran of this war, sponsored by Branch No. 70 of the Canadian Legion, is handling the Radio Licenses for Lachute Town and district. Purchasers are requested to wait until he calls in the near future., or they may get in touch with him by calling at his home, 5 Gilbert Street or phoning 528-W.

"He helped you,
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Lachute C.G.I.T. Group

At the regular C.G.I.T. meeting, held Monday afternoon in the United Church hall, it was reported the sum of $56.60 was received as proceeds from the concert given by this group last Friday.

No Young Folks' Dance This Saturday

The regular "Saturday Night Hop" at Lachute Auditorium, sponsored by Lachute W.I. will not be held this week — the next such event is announced for Saturday, April 13.

New ideas of what can be accomplished in our schools, new techniques of instruction, new methods of school organization and administration have been dramatized in National Film Board films.

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Cushing

Miss Alice Davidson, who has been spending the winter in Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burton and son, Scott, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at the home of the Misses Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie motored to Montreal on Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Joseph Bradley and son, Ian, of Carillon.

The Women's Missionary Society of St. Mungo's will meet at the home of Mrs. W. Usher on Tuesday afternoon, April 9.

Mr. John Innes returned home Friday night after visiting with friends in Montreal.

Miss M. E. Smith, of Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryerton at present.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Longmore, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning on Saturday. Miss Helen Hoare and Mr. W. H. Godwin, of Montreal, were their guests on Monday.

W.C.T.U. Juvenile Contest.

Mrs. W. Y. King, superintendent of the W.C.T.U. scientific study course, has received the list of prize winning entries sent to the Provincial W.C.T.U. in Montreal, and out of the small number of papers sent, 13 contestants have been listed as provincial winners — with Audrey Heatlie of Chatboro heading the list of seniors from this district and ranking sixth in the province. Her small sister, Vivian, entered in the six-to-nine years class, was also a provincial prize-winner. The twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaston, Myrtle and Myrna, were winners in the 10-11 age class.

Intermediate winners, all from St. Andrews East Consolidated School, were — Frances and Lorraine McOuat, Eileen O'Brien, Diana McAllister, Irma Allmen and Jean MacAdam. The prizes are war savings stamps.

Three pupils from St. Eugene School, Carl and Geraldine Harvey and Lawrence Capron, were also provincial prize-winners.

Avoca

Messrs. William and Evan Bates, of Clova, Que., and Elden Bates, of Lachute, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates this week.

Miss Ethel Arthurs, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents.

Miss Junia Young and Miss Grace MacLeod spent the week-end with the latter's parents.

Mrs. Edgar Crawford is in hospital at Lachute, suffering from a severe cut on her foot.

Mr. Norman Arthurs, who was visiting friends in Montreal, has now returned home.

Mrs. Wesley Mahon, who has been visiting her mother, has returned to her home in Petawawa.

Mrs. Everett Young is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Provincal, in Harrington.

The Rev. S. J. Pike, of Brownsburg, will hold the next service at the home of Mr. S. E. Smith, on Thursday, April 11.

St. Andrews East

Mr. Paul Bisaillon, of Montreal, visited his mother for two days.

Mrs. Perks' sister, Miss M. Beatty, is visiting her this week.

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Hew Wood upon the double bereavement he has suffered, in the passing of his sister, Mrs. Herbert S. Baile, and his brother, Mr. Gerald B. Wood, both of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton York, of Outremont, occupied their summer home for the week-end.

Mrs. Leonard Bezanson was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder.

Mrs. Reynolds, of Montreal, is spending a week's vacation at the Walter Carr home.

Wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Mr. Jos. Bradley, Carillon, who underwent an operation at the Montreal General Hospital this week.

Evening services have been discontinued at the United Church and the morning services will be resumed on April 7.

The Women's Guild of the United Church met March 27 at the home of Mrs. Robt. Robinson. The president conducted the meeting and the tea hostesses were Mrs. David Morrison and Mrs. K. de la Ronde. Miss Lamb and Mrs. D. Rodger were appointed to purchase material for sewing and knitting.

OBITUARY

Western Resident Visiting in East Dies at Sherbrooke

Late Mrs. John McIntosh

The death of Mrs. John McIntosh occurred recently in Sherbrooke, Que.

Mrs. McIntosh was formerly Martha MacArthur, of Dalesville, daughter of the late Archie MacArthur. After her marriage to John McIntosh she lived for a few years in Rivington, and then went to Melford, Saskatchewan, where they settled.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh were on a trip back East visiting friends in Welland and Sherbrooke, and planning to go to Montreal and Rivington, when Mrs. McIntosh became ill with pneumonia while visiting her nephew Albert Robinson in Sherbrooke. She died in Sherbrooke Hospital.

Burial will take place in Melford, Saskatchewan.

More than one hundred films produced by the National Film Board have been seen by television through the facilities of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

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BOX-STOVE AND CRACKER BARREL GIVE WAY TO MODERN ATMOSPHERE

But Happy Compromise Makes Campbell's Grocery Still A Forum of Town and County Affairs

IN THE PAST two decades three establishments on Main Street, Lachute, have held claim to the gathering of the clans — the wags — the armchair strategists. And since the closing of the Banford Store, this distinction has been retained by two such sites — among which Campbell Reg'd holds an honored place. A forum of community affairs — it may be the arrival of the daily papers that fosters this popularity . . it may be the old box-stove, now obscured from general view but still invitingly flanked with chairs . . or it may be just the tradition of Campbell's, which until last year remained the "most typical country store" in this town.

Originally styled "J. D. Campbell's Grocery", it was operated by the late Jim Campbell, member of a pioneer county family, who on his death was succeeded by his brother Stuart. The latter disposed of the business last year to Harold E. Carson, who with a background of merchandising experience soon gave evidence of an enterprising spirit, by remodelling the interior and installing self-service for his groceries, fruit and vegetables. As mentioned before, however, he kept the old box-stove, and the time-honored clock. It was a masterly stroke — retaining these utilitarian links without detriment to modernization. And if you wish to meet the town's unproclaimed philosophers, step in at almost any hour — but particularly after train time — and you will find Campbell Reg'd living up to the old tradition.

H. E. Carson, the proprietor, plans further renovation to the premises by revamping the store front, as soon as conditions permit. Meanwhile he is catering to the best interests of his customers, as evidenced in his convenient delivery service which has been appreciated by housewives in the past winter.

A write-up of this business would be incomplete without mention of Stanley Boyd, who has been virtual manager, factotum, sales clerk and discreet sidesman to the wit and wisdom of the town's cronies. Since his schooldays, 'way back, Mr. Boyd has served loyally at Campbell's — and now he's pretty well versed in local politics!

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WOMEN'S INTERESTS

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

BACK AGAIN

Here I am, back again after a holiday of three months. After writing the column for exactly seventeen years without missing a week, I felt I deserved some time off. One of the surprising and delightful things was the number of letters from editors and readers telling me how much they missed it. The column goes out week after week, and the only indication I have that people like it is the fact that the editors keep on taking it, many of them have been using it from the time it started, or very shortly after. Another thing that surprised me was the time it took and how much leisure I have had in the last three months. It is not the actual writing which takes so much time, but I do spend a lot of time studying and verifying facts. I try in every way possible to be sure that any fact I use is so. Often I throw out items that, although I believe them to be the case, yet I cannot verify it. I have learned to be careful because readers have told me of following things I have said, sometimes years before. When I started out I did not feel the same necessity for accuracy, but my readers have taught me that. I have appreciated the letters very much, and they have provided an incentive to work even harder.

MORE HELP MIGHT BE GIVEN

Most of us have times of feeling quite uncomfortable, in fact an almost guilty feeling, when we think of all the good food we are having when so many others are hungry. We feel that not enough is being done to send of our plenty to the British. The Government has given the individual only one lead, and that is not to waste bread. I was surprised that the millers were not made to mill a larger proportion of the wheat into flour, as is being done in the United States, and has been done in Britain for years. The flour that is milled in Canada for Britain is a different flour than that milled for use in Canada. We might not like the taste or the appearance of this flour as well, but it would not hurt us to eat it; in fact, it would be a very good thing for our health. If the very high rate of postage of parcels to Britain could be reduced many more persons could send boxes of food and thus share what we have. The Government could go much farther than it has and still have the weight of public opinion behind it. By the time this appears in print, changes may have been made. That is one of the chances taken in writing a column, especially in upset times.

PEAT-MOSS

When you have used peat-moss in potting your plants have you ever given a thought to what it was and where it came from? I know I never have. We were driving near Shippegan in New Brunswick and we found the answer to that question. There is a large level stretch there of peat-moss bog. It was being cut in strips to a depth of three or four feet. This left trenches which had filled with water. The peat-bog moss was stacked in piles to dry, reminding you of cord-wood piles. There were large buildings to which the moss is taken after it is dry for further processing before shipping. It looked like quite an industry.

CHINESE CHEWS

2 Eggs, 1 cup granulated sugar, ¾ cup flour, 1½ cups of chopped dates, ½ cup walnuts, 1 teaspoon baking powder, dash of salt.

Beat the eggs until light and add sugar gradually. Sift in dry ingredients, add dates and walnuts cut in pieces, and mix. Baked in a buttered pan 8" x 8", in a moderate oven of 350 degrees, for 45 minutes. Cut in squares and roll between palms of the hands into balls. Roll in granulated sugar.

COOKING SAUSAGE

There are a lot of sausages being used these days because they are easy on the ration and they seem to be plentiful, no matter what other meats are scarce. The best way to cook sausages is to cover them with cold water and bring just to the boil, then drain the water off, add a little dripping to keep them from sticking to the pan before their own fat oozes out. Cook over a slow fire so they will brown evenly. If the sausages are large, and you like crispy things, split them from end to end, so they will flatten out, then brown both sides. The object of cooking them in water first is to cook the pork thoroughly without having to fry them too long.

RAISIN BROWN BREAD

1 Cup flour, 1 cup Roman Meal, 1 cup Graham flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon baking soda, 1 cup raisins, ¾ cup molasses, 2¼ cups sour milk.

Mix the dry ingredients, add the raisins, and stir in the molasses and milk. Put in a buttered bread pan and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees about 50 minutes.

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The first half of the ten-pound allotment of sugar for home canning will be made available on May 2, the Wartime Prices and Trade Board has announced. This five pounds will be made available through use of the sugar-preserves coupons S8, S9, S10, S11 and S12. The second half of the canning sugar allotment, and additional five pounds, will be made available on July 4. These will be in addition to the two regular "S" coupons to become valid every month in May, June and July.

A series of posters illustrating the chief Canadian occupations has been prepared by the National Film Board for use in vocational guidance work.

Composer Honored



A gifted and capable pianist, and a composer of imagination, was how Minuetta Borek was described by New York critics following her Town Hall concert debut. Born in Calgary, where she received all her early musical training, the Young Canadian musician will be in Toronto to play her prize-winning "New York Suite" in the CBC "Canadian Composers Series" over the CBC Network Sunday, April 7, at 7 p.m.

SAYS GIRLS PREFER BEACH TO KITCHEN

Australian Women Agitated By Airman's Allegations

Brisbane, Australia (CP) — Girls recently were discussing in agitated groups an Australian airman's allegation that they were too independent and career conscious to make good housewives.

The airman, Corporal Michael McCormack of Queensland, was one of 400 R.A.A.F. men wed to English girls, who recently returned to Australia after five years service in Great Britain.

"Australian girls are smarter than Englishwomen," he said, "but they prefer to spend their leisure baking on the beach, rather than in the kitchen."

Which all goes to show that there's a way to a man's heart.

By way of compensation, about 1,700 Australian girls married to American servicemen with their babies were making last minute arrangements to leave Australia on the Monterey and Mariposa.

Some of the brides have been waiting for a passage to the United States for more than a year. Others not travelling in these ships have been heartened in their long waiting by an announcement that all U.S. servicemen's wives, approximately 6,000, should be on their way within six months.

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CRUNCHY CAKES FOR "JADED" HOUSEWIFE

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B'burg Skeet and Trap Season Opens Next Saturday

Brownsburg — The 1946 Skeet and Trap Shooting season of the Brownsburg Social and Athletic Club will get under way officially on Saturday afternoon, April 6, at the picnic grounds here. This announcement was made at the organization meeting of Rifle, Skeet and Trap held Tuesday, April 2, under the chairmanship of Harold Barber.

Prospects for the 1946 shooting season appear unusually bright. New members and ladies particularly are being encouraged and everyone interested in the sport is invited to be on hand. The chair pointed out the Club ruling that, in order to participate i n any sport, each individual must first obtain a membership in the Club. This could be arranged at the picnic grounds or through the membership chairman, John Duncan.

Guns will be provided as in past years, and shooting costs are again being kept to a minimum figure.

English and French Speaking Scouts Guests of Rotary

Brownsburg — At a recent Rotary Club meeting, Scouts of the Brownsburg first and eighth troops were entertained by a program consisting of singing, sleight-of-hand and moving pictures. The latter were very interesting as well as of an educational nature. They included one on the game of volleyball and how to play it, as well as one depicting a Scout camp in England. A film of outstanding interest showed actual pictures of the wrecking by windstorm of the several-million-dollar Tacoma suspension bridge, Washington. To see a gigantic steel structure with steel cables 18 inches in diameter, tossed about like a strip of paper in the wind, was amazing and almost unbelievable.

No. 1 troop sent the winners of their patrol competition for the past three months — Kevin and Michael Smart, Jerry Izzard, Milton and Greg Mason, and Harry Moseley. Scoutmaster Barrie Elliott and the Scout Committee chairman, John Connelly, were in attendance.

The French-speaking troop, the Brownsburg 8th, sent their troop leader and patrol leaders, including Claude Quesnel, Raymond Brunnelle, Andre Leveillee, Rodrigue Lamarche, Yvon Legault, Maurice Charlebois, Mozart Desforges, Maurice Parent. Scoutmaster Lionel Lavoie and Father Manseau were unable to attend.

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Auction Sales

At the farm of
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New Cockshutt tractor with 3-furrow plow and discs, new binder, new seeder with fertilizer attachment, new manure spreader, also Moody manure spreader, mowing machine with oil bath, set double discs, set grubbers, hay rake, turnip seeder, steel snow-plow, 2 double wagons, express, double sleighs, double harness, 2 sets of single harness, lot of harness parts (some new); milk cans, separator (De Laval); 14 cows to freshen this month, 2 Jersey heifers, one 2-yr.-old Ayrshire bull, one pure bred Percheron stallion, team work horses, pair French Canadian mares, two colts, chains, tools, household furniture, marble-top counter, glass show case and many other articles.

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— W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer

At the farm of
EDWARD BARRON,
Grenville R.R. 1, 2 miles east of Interprovincial Bridge, on Tuesday, April 16, at 1 o'clock:

17 Milch cows, 3 heifers, 3-year-old bull 2 mares (one 9 and one 10 years.), colt (coming two years), pig, 2 wagons, steel-tired express, steel-tired buggy, set bob-sleighs, broadcast seeder (Massey-Harris), set smoothing harrows, separator, 3 milk cans, quantity of hay about 33 tons, about 100 feet one inch-rope, 2 stoves, organ and other household effects.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 2% off for cash. Strangers please bring bank references.

Victor Courte, lic. auctioneer

Auction Sale also on page 2.

Canada's "Outdoor Ambassador"



Bill Lang, Fish and Game Authority, To Be Heard at Brownsburg

A close intimacy with wild life and big game is proven in the above picture of Bill Lang, termed "Canada's Outdoor Ambassador" — who will speak at the Capitol Theatre, Brownsburg, on Wednesday evening next, April 10. His authoritative discourse on the wild life, fish and game of this country is accompanied by some thrilling films — notably two reels, "The Battling Bass" and "Game Trails", which took three years to photograph, and are the latest thing in color photography.

Bill Lang's visit will be a notable event in entertainment for local sport lovers. The program is sponsored by the Brownsburg-Lachute Branch of the Anglers' Association of Quebec Inc.

In the above picture Bill is shown holding a cold, dejected fawn which he had just rescued from the icy waters after it had broken through the ice. So fond is he of these animals, that he has never even shot one.

Lions Take Lead In Service Clubs Bowling League

Brownsburg — In the first play-offs of the Service Clubs Bowling League, at the Brownsburg alleys on Monday, Lions Club took the lead at the expense of Rotarians. Doré Lepine's Rotary team conceded three straight games to Dr. Jules Lafleur's bowlers.

In the second game of the evening Gaetan Cousineau's K. of C. Blues took three straight games against K. of C. Reds. The latter were minus two of their stars, Jos. Joly, captain of the team, and Y. Chevrier, their steadiest player.

Lion Leonard Ayers shared the spotlight of the evening with Knight Jules Lemay, with triple scores of 648 and 647 — Lemay scoring high single with 327.

Grand total points were —
Lions — 954, 1050, 997.
Rotary — 912, 894, 837.

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GLEE CLUB

The Lachute High School presents the Glee Club, assisted by other school talent, in Lachute Auditorium on Friday, April 5, at 8 p.m. Adults 35c., children 25c. Dancing afterwards. A4-2c

SUGARING PARTY

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Winning Teams in Ladies' Curling This Season

Winning rinks in the Lachute Ladies' Curling Club games this season, and for the Gala Day contests, were as follows:

Club Trophy — Mrs. G. Muir, Mrs. E. K. Wilson, Mrs. A. Hills, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip).

President's Prize — Miss E. MacKimmie, Miss J. McOuat, Mrs. A. Hills, Mrs. E. H. Wilson (skip).

Wilson Spoons — Mrs. Ogilvie, Miss E. MacKimmie, Mrs. H. McFaul, Mrs. E. H. Wilson (skip).

Junior Bonspiel (Mrs. McArthur's Prize) — Mrs. D. MacKimmie, Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Mrs. G. Calder, Mrs. Jamison (skip).

Doubles (Mrs. E. K. Wilson's prize) — Mrs. W. S. MacKimmie, Mrs. A. Hills.

Singles (Miss E. MacKimmie's Prize) — Mrs. A. Hills.

Mrs. J. Barbour's Prize — Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Mrs. T. Bishop, Mrs. N. MacNeill, Mrs. F. A. Brennian (skip).

Wilson Challenge Cup — Mrs. R. McOuat, Mrs. J. MacKimmie, Mrs. W. Cottingham, Mrs. G. Mitchell (skip).

Gala Day (Mrs. W. J. Deacon's Prize) — Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Miss J. McOuat, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. F. A. Brennian (skip).

Gala Day Consolation (Mrs. G. Calder's Prize) — Miss Greig, Mrs. D. McGibbon, Mrs. H. MacNeill, Mrs. R. McOuat (skip).

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Lucky Number

A lucky drawing — which has been open to all visitors and customers at the Tessier Furniture Store, Main Street, in recent weeks — concluded last week-end, and the drawing took place Tuesday. Henri Sauvé, of St. Hermas, was the winner — being entitled to $50 worth of merchandise at this store.

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Well Known Brownsburg Raconteur Has Illuminating Story of Early Development Along Ottawa River

Rotary Club Topic, "History of Ottawa" Unfolds Facts of Interest in Pioneering of Valley Settlements

Brownsburg — Interesting facts and anecdotes connected with the birth and history of our country's capital were given by a native of Ottawa, Aurele Cote, at last Thursday's meeting of the Brownsburg Rotary Club.

Well known locally through personnel war work, with Defence Industries Limited, the speaker served as a lieutenant in World War I. He made his life's work the Topographical Surveys Branch of the Dominion Government, and is at present retired.

With a keen interest in Canada and its people, the speaker has enthusiastically studied and admired the great men of the country, its courageous pioneers and founders. He is well qualified to speak on the subject and has such unbounded optimism for Canada's future that his spirit is contagious — even though the writer is unable to transmit Mr. Cote's personality in words.

Long before the atom bomb or the friendliness of the United States made distance from the border of no importance, Ottawa was chosen as the seat of Government by Queen Victoria. That was in 1858, only 88 years ago. Its name was changed from Bytown the same year.

However, that is not where the story begins. . . In 1612 Champlain, who had founded Quebec four years earlier, sent Vigneau up the Ottawa River to explore it. This first white man to navigate the great Ottawa, returned to Quebec to find that Champlain had gone back to France. Following his leader he told such a fantastic tale that Champlain was tricked into making the trip himself.

Impressed with many things, this great explorer gave a lasting name to the beautiful curtain-like falls he found on the Rideau River. Being French, he called them "Curtain Falls", or Rideau Falls in his own language. Little did he know that modern and beautiful buildings, roads and clubs would carry with distinction that household word bestowed by the now famous Champlain.

He landed at Nepean Point, where a monument today marks the spot. . . It is a coincidence that Champlain first visited Ottawa on its plaza of today, the same grandstand spot where all the great, including royalty, are officially received.

Travelling farther up the river he came to a swirling falls that appeared to him like a boiling kettle. Kettle Falls he called it, or Chaudiere Falls in his native tongue. He travelled up to Allumette Island, where he met an Indian chief to whom he repeated the story Vigneau had told him of a vast sea farther up the river. The chief told him that the story was a lie; that no such sea existed. Thus it appears that the seed of two-timing was sown early in Canada's history.

It is interesting to note that Champlain carried crude instruments of measurement, compared with 1946 models, but his results were notably accurate nevertheless. This speaks well for his mathematical prowess, since latitude and longitude were calculated with the use of an "astrolabe" and hours of mathematical work. It was only a few years ago that Champlain's "astrolabe" was dug up on Allumette Island — evidently forgotten or misplaced. Through lack of interest until too late, this historical treasure of Canada has become the property of an American citizen.

After Champlain there is a strange silence about white men on the Ottawa for 150 years, except for the missionaries Dollard, Marquette and Joliette.

Fur was king of the Ottawa Valley. In 1797 Philaman Wright, a farmer from Boston — who, along with others, had been trading with Montreal, a walled city at that time — learned about the rich fur territory of the Ottawa. Being adventurous and a man of vision, he applied for information to the trading post in Montreal operated by the Hudson's Bay Company Oh yes, they knew all about the territory, and it wasn't worth bothering about. The part that was not covered with swamp and water was a barren land of lava rock. His curiosity unsatisfied, and dubious that a land so barren should produce such a wealth of furs, Wright — whose father, an adventurous farmer in England, had sailed to the new American colony — decided to make a trip up the unknown Ottawa.

In spite of the rich farmlands and forests of the valley as we know it, the Hudson's Bay description of the lava hills had some truth. The Laurentian hills are the oldest geological formation known to man. They were formed before there was any life on this planet, and at one time they were higher than the present Rocky Mountains.

On his first trip, Wright travelled as far as the Chaudiere Falls

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Ross Muir Heads Curling Club for 1946-47 Season

OFFICERS ELECTED, PRIZES PRESENTED, AT SUPPER AND ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of Lachute Men's Curling Club was held last Thursday evening at the club rooms. Officers were elected for the season of 1946-47, and awards were presented to winners of the past season's games. Two guests addressed the gathering — R. Raguin, secretary-treasurer of the Royal Caledonia Club (Canadian Branch), and Dr. H. Kirby, of the Hawkesbury Club.

Curlers' War Effort

Referring to a welfare enterprise undertaken by the curlers across Canada, Mr. Raguin, guest speaker, recalled that enthusiasts of the roarin' game had contributed a total of 9,000 woollen and 3,000 flannelette blankets — most of the former, incidentally, having been manufactured here in Lachute. Dozens of appreciative letters had been received in acknowledgment. The speaker read three of these acknowledgments to the gathering — from Holland, France and Scotland, respectively, each expressing warm gratitude from the war victims who had received these gifts.

Speaking of the playing of irons and granites here in Quebec, Mr. Raguin said there would be no change in the rule and procedure until such time as the various clubs express a desire to that effect.

Officers Named

Officers elected for the next curling season were as follows:

President, Ross Muir; vice-president, Fernand Legault; secretary, Harold McFaul; treasurer, W. M. Steeves.

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'Bolodrome' Chosen Winning Name for Bowling Alleys

At a gala performance last evening, sponsored by the Service Clubs Bowling League at the Rex Theatre, the winner of a contest for naming of the new Lachute bowling alleys was selected. The establishment, to be opened by Marcel Deschamps in the new Albright-MacAdam Building on Main Street, will be known as the "Bolodrome" — and the winner submitting this name was Miss Helene Paul, employee of Beaton's Drugstore. Miss Paul, who received the handsome trophy offered as a prize, was one of five contestants suggesting this name, and she was selected as winner by drawing from a hat. Police Chief D. Villeneuve made the deciding draw.

"Bolodrome", it should be remarked, is a name which appears on similar establishments operating in three Canadian cities — Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto. Other contestants submitting the name were — Bernard Gosselin, Roland Prairie, Horace Pagé and Leonard Bedard.

Philippe Roy, as master of ceremonies, made the presentation and also voiced the thanks of the service clubs to A. Fassio, Rex manager, for donating prizes for winners of the bowling league, and also for the privilege of sponsoring this special show, which was a successful and well attended event.

'Bride' in Ship's Sailing List

In the official sailing list of dependents aboard the Aquitania, which docked yesterday at Halifax, appears the name of Dorothy M., wife of Pte. J. R. McKenzie, R.R. 1, Brownsburg, and her seven-months-old son, Trevor J.

Ottawa River Clear of Ice

(Our District Correspondent)

Cushing W. — The Ottawa River is now clear of ice except for the huge pile which always accumulates opposite Grece's Point at the lower end of the Long Sault, and which is always the last to go down the river.

St. Jovite Air Service

Ottawa — Reconstruction Minister Howe announced Saturday that a decision approving insuance of a license to operate a non-scheduled commercial air service base at St. Jovite, Que., has been made by the Air Transport Board.

The license has been issued to Frederick Haskell "Tom" Wheeler who will transport passengers and goods between St. Jovite and Ste. Agathe and Dorval airport.

Canada's New Governor General



Field Marshal Viscount Alexander of Tunis, Canada's new governor-general. With Viscountess Alexander he arrived at Halifax yesterday, proceeding by special train to Ottawa, where he will be sworn into office Friday, April 12.

School Glee Club Concert Heard by Large Audience

For the second consecutive year, the Lachute High School Glee Club presented a very fine vocal concert, to a large audience in the Memorial Auditorium on Friday evening.

The Club was under direction of Earl S. Morrison, B.Sc., who has done much to interest the local pupils in musical education during the past two years.

The choristers contributed many numbers during the program, the outstanding being "Dear Land of Home" by Sibelius, "Panis Angelicus" by Franck (the soprano solo being taken by Miss Kay Moseley), "Deep River", "All Through the Night" and "Goin' Home" by Dvorjak. The students responded well to Mr. Morrison's conducting.

The solos by Kay Moseley and Jim Carpenter were appreciated by the audience.

The singing group from Grades IV and V of the school made a great hit with those present, as they sang with enthusiasm and appeal, under the direction of Miss Elva Ness. The last number "Without a Song", featuring two juvenile soloists, Master Wayne Riddell and Ruth Clarke, earned an encore for the group.

A quartet sang "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" to a jazz tempo; possibly this number would have been improved had the singers followed the more dignified form of this Negro spiritual.

A pianoforte solo, Chopin's "Minute Walt", by Miss Elsie Earle, delighted the audience. Miss Earle also played for the Don Reid orchestra which favored with many selections during the evening, and also for the dancing which followed the program.

Miss Elva Ness also won acclaim with her contralto solos, "A Dream of Paradise" and "I'm Always Chasing Rainbows".

Mr. C. H. Bradford, principal of the High School, extended a welcome to the audience, and expressed appreciation of the efforts made by Mr. E. S. Morrison, who is now attending McGill University as well as teaching at the Sir George Williams College, Montreal.

Well Known Citizen Mourned at Carillon

Late Joseph A. Bradley

A shock to neighbors and friends in the Carillon-St. Andrews community, was occasioned last week by the death of Joseph Andrew Bradley. In poor health for some time past, Mr. Bradley died Friday, April 5, following an operation in the Montreal General Hospital. He was 55 years of age.

Devoted to his home and to the working of his farm overlooking the Ottawa River, Joe Bradley nevertheless found time for community interests. He was a member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, of which he had been a manager for over 20 years, and was also a school commissioner of the St. Andrews Consolidated School.

The youngest son of Joseph Bradley and of the late Mrs. Bradley, of Carillon, he was born February 5, 1891. . . He is mourned by his wife, the former Helena Margaret Dobbie, and his son, Ian; also by his father, now advanced in years, and two brothers, John, of Ile aux Chats, and David, of Carillon.

The funeral, held Sunday afternoon at St. Andrews Presbyterian Church was conducted by the Rev. Dr. Wm. McMillan, and was attended by a large gathering of sympathizing friends and fellow citizens. Burial was made at the beautiful St. Andrews Cemetery near his home.

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Irving Fuller, Thos. Weir, Ernest Rodgers, Stanley Rodgers, Robt. Bradley and Gordon Bradley.

Widefelt sympathy is expressed to the bereaved family and relatives.

Public libraries in Canadian communities are using films to increase the circulation of books by stimulating interest in special topics.

48 Years Married

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Staniforth received congratulations from their family and friends, April 6, on the occasion of their 48th wedding anniversary.

Improvements and Changes in Section Near Post Office

A property in the business centre of Lachute, due to follow the trend of commercialization, has been bought by Omer Lafortune, licensed grocer. The building is that owned by L. L. Legault and occupied by P. E. Leger as a residence and hairdresser's establishment, opposite the post office.

Mr. Lafortune, the purchaser, has been situated in the Creswell property farther west, part of which has been bought by Michel Malacket to erect a store — thus obliging the occupants to vacate as soon as conditions permit.

The property taken over from L. L. Legault, K.C., is the old Stackhouse residence, which was later acquired by A. O. Richer, one-time proprietor of the Rodrigue (now Desjardins) Hotel. The home was subsequently owned by by Notary Z. N. Raymond and his family, and latterly by Mr. L. L. Legault.

Spacious Showroom

In the J. W. Lefebvre furniture store next to this property a complete remodelling of the premises has resulted in one of the brightest and most commodious showrooms on the main thoroughfare. The store, for which the plate glass was installed Tuesday, now includes the shop next door previously occupied by the Misses Fauteux.

New Store Front

A few yards from this scene of activity another new store front is being constructed, at Parizeau Freres' butcher shop. Projecting the windows and entrance to border the sidewalk, level with the Malacket Block and its two modern stores — will greatly improve the appearance of this section. Faced with new plate and vitrolite, the extension will also add considerable space to the store inside.

Restaurant Nears Completion

Across the street from these sites is the W. D. McOuat block, housing the A & P Store, the Masonic Hall and, until lately, the Chinese restaurant. This latter part has been completely revamped for its new tenant, Wm. Blakely, who formerly operated the Main Street lunch car. Mr. Blakely hopes to occupy the new restaurant next month; the front has been completed to the stage of installing the windows — this and previously mentioned contracts being handled by the same company, Consolidated Plate Glass.

B'bg Campaign for Legion Memorial Deferred Till June

Brownsburg — At the regular meeting of Brownsburg Branch of the Canadian Legion — held Tuesday, April 9, at the Consolidated School — it was announced that necessary steps had been taken to secure authority to canvass for funds to build an appropriate Legion War Memorial. Georges H. Héon, K.C., M.P., has consented to act as co-chairman with David Cooper of the Brownsburg Branch, in the direction of this campaign. The committee to be charged with the administration of funds raised specifically for the Memorial building consists of Georges H. Héon, K.C., M.P., Georges E. Dansereau, M.L.A., James W. McGibbon, Lachute, and Edgar A. Guilbert and Armand Bourgon of Brownsburg. Contingent upon the necessary authority being obtained, it is now planned that the drive will take place early in June. The objective has been fixed at $35,800.

Twelve new members were initiated, and 27 applications were received and approved, bringing total membership in the Branch to over 150. It was considered desirable to have representation at the Dominion and Provincial Conventions, to be held at Quebec late in May of this year, and Roy C. Bedard and Arthur W. Robbins were selected as the official delegates. With regard to the current campaign for funds to purchase a building to serve as a War Memorial in Montreal, and to house the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, the meeting approved a donation of $125, to be raised as a levy upon members. A suggestion that members of the Branch and their families hold a picnic in the summer, was enthusiastically adopted.

Drive for Cancer Control Throws Light of Publicity on the Trends And Progress of Modern Research

One out of Eight Persons over 40 Dies of Cancer; Incidence Increasing With Rise of Average Age Span

The slogan of a current national campaign, namely, "Help to Conquer Cancer", should be everybody's by-word during the next three weeks, and throughout the year. Knowledge is half the battle — and the logical antidote for this dread disease is therefore to Fight Cancer with Knowledge.

Cancer kills more than 33 Canadians every day! But if prompt and adequate treatment is carried out, 70% to 80% of all early cancer is curable.

Progress of Research

Although the universal cause of cancer has not yet been discovered, far more is known about the disease than is generally realized. It is therefore timely to quote the following information from a talk given by Dr. J. Patterson, an authority on the subject. . .

There are several approaches to the cancer problem by research; the method here described is that which involves the use of experimental animals. Its object is to study the cause, the nature, and the prevention of cancer in animals —which, for obvious reasons, are used instead of human subjects. The experimental animal of choice is the mouse. Using this small beast, many observations of importance have been made during the past 50 years.

Perhaps the most significant facts are that living cancer cells can be transplanted from one animal to another; that certain substances, when applied repeatedly to the body of a mouse, will cause cancer; and, that heredity is a powerful factor in the development of cancer in animals. These discoveries have had some effect on the prevention and control of human cancer.

Some interesting observations have been made on transplanted tumours in animals. It has been noted for example, that some cancer cells which have been transplanted into a fresh animal may lie dormant for a long time. They remain alive but do not grow. This is especially true for certain organs of the animal's body. These dormant cells, however, can be stirred to activity by various means. . . The bodies of some people or of some animals, or certain organs thereof, seem to have the power to prohibit the growth of cancer cells — and the factors which may be responsible for this prohibition of growth are receiving a good deal of attention today.

Experiments lead to a growing belief that perhaps a virus, or a chemical which cannot be filtered out, may be a factor in the causa- of cancer. On the whole, however, it is felt that the disease is not infectious.

The second major observation is that, in men and women chronic irritation will cause or stimulate cancerous growths. If points of chronic irritation are noted on any part of the body, they should be investigated for the presence of early malignancy.

Finally, there is strong evidence that heredity plays a part in the production of cancer in animals. Strains of mice can be so inbred that eventually 100 per cent of the offspring will develop a malignant growth spontaneously.

The cancer will appear at a definite age and in a particular organ. But human families are not inbred; and it is felt today that heredity plays only a subsidiary role in the cause of cancer in men and women. From the practical standpoint it can be stated that occasional cases of cancer in a family will not influence the descendants; but if many cases of the disease were present in one's forebears, and particularly if one organ was usually involved, then the living members of the family should be carefully watched.

From he foregoing, it will be seen that cancer research has not been entirely unproductive. But the mystery still remains unsolved, and much work must be done. The problem is particularly urgent today as, with the rising average span of life, more and more people are reaching middle and old age—the ages when cancer usually hits. Now that trained scientists are being released from their pressing war duties, there should be no shortage of workers. But money to support these men and to finance their experiments, will be needed; and it is the responsibility of each one of us that this be given without stint.

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Two Mountains to Pay $53,700 for Diverting River

DAMAGE CLAIM WON BY WIDOW, OWNER OF MILL IN FAMILY SINCE 1785

For having changed the natural course of the Riviere du Chene at St. Eustache, the municipal corporation of the County of Two Mountains has been condemned to pay Virginie Legare, a widow, $53,700 damages for loss of motive power for a flour and sawmill the Legare family had owned and operated for many years in the parish of St. Eustache.

The mill, dating back to 1785, is still in good working condition, and was driven by the waters of the Riviere du Chene until 1938, when the municipality of the County of Two Mountains decided to deepen the stream some distance from the Legare mill. Due to dredging operations the course of the river as changed. The result was that Mrs. Legare lost the water power which had for so long driven the mill on her property. She sued the municipal corporation for $59,800 damages.

Mr. Justice Louis Cousineau, in maintaining the plaintiff's action to the extent of $53,700, said that, under the Quebec law, the owner of a property which is crossed by a non-navigable river, has a right to utilize the stream for industrial purposes. If the works that the defendant municipality carried out did not actually exceed the corporation's jurisdiction, there had at all events been excess of the authority it enjoyed under the Municipal Code, inasmuch as such an undertaking could not be carried out by mere resolution of the council, as was done in the instance, the judge said. The municipality's liability toward plaintiff, His Lordship added, was engaged by the law of the Civil Code, inasmuch as Mrs. Legare had proved that, through the municipality's illegal act, she had suffered material damages, which the court assessed at the stated amount, plus the cost of the action.

Gaston Lacroix, K.C., and Gaetan Guerin, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff.

Trout Season Opens Saturday

On information furnished by Montreal offices of the Fisheries Dept. to George Davis, license distributor in Lachute, the fishing season for all varieties of trout in Quebec Province opens officially on Saturday next, April 13. This, however, does not permit trout fishing through the ice where lakes and streams may be still ice-bound.

This date is at variance with the Department's folder listing the opening and closing dates for fishing — the date having been set forward since publication of this list.

Plea for Farmers By Prescott M.P.

Farmers should be paid at least 22 per cent more for their goods than they now get, declared Ellie O. Bertrand, Liberal member for Prescott County, in the House of Commons recently. He urged that some consideration be given to "keeping the farmer interested in producing."

How can a farmer be expected to increase or even maintain his production, he asked, when the things he had to buy went up in price, in comparison with what he had to sell? He cited figures from the Department of Agriculture, showing that farmers were 22 per cent below what they should be in price spreads. The farmer must get better treatment, he insisted.

By all means bury hate, fear and greed. But don't bury them alive.

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FARM TOPICS



Hardening Young Vegetable Plants

(Experimental Farms News)

The potential yielding ability of vegetable plants is greatly influenced by the conditions under which they are started. Bumper crops are never harvested from poor plants, no matter how much care is given them after transplanting. Correct timing is most important, says C. E. Ste. Marie of the Dominion Experimental Station at L'Assomption.

More small greenhouses are now used by vegetable growers to grow their seedlings. A large number, however, still have to use hotbeds, consequently, they must start their plants earlier and take care of them for a longer period. Excellent plants can be grown either in a greenhouse or in hotbeds. Two points where a large number of growers seem to err are, first — the type of soil used and the spacing of young plants when pricking off, and secondly — the hardening-off period of their plants.

Seedlings should be pricked off in soil high in organic matter and containing very little clay. The soil, too, should be fairly well supplied with nutrients. Too liberal quantities of commercial fertilizers, however, may cause a rapid, sappy growth, giving soft leggy plants. Not more than a few pounds of the fertilizer, either 2-12-6 or 2-16-6, should be used per cubic yard of compost.

Seedlings in the frames should never be crowded. One pricking or transplanting is better than two. Not only does this save time and labor, but results in better plants. Soft, succulent, non-hardened plants often do not with stand adverse conditions satisfactorily when set into the field.

Too often the hardening off process is expected to compensate for poor growing. Hardening off is only one step in growing plants.

Best results will be had, and labor saved, if seed is sown just early enough to allow for steady normal growth of the plants with a few days for hardening off. It is a sound practice to make more than one sowing in order to have a choice of plants when suitable weather comes.

CHINESE ORDER STOCK

New Westminster, B.C., (CP) — Canadian dairy stock now is in demand in China. Already producers in this Fraser Valley area orders for several hundred head of purebred stock for Shanghai and Hong Kong dairy farms have been received.

Government dairy officials report that Shanghai and Hong Kong require up to 3,000 head of dairy cattle and a fair share will be purchased in British Columbia.

RATION EVASION

Inflation can be checked only if the people of Canada are willing to make the Government's price control and rationing regulations work. Evasion, as widely practised in some quarters now, will only serve to prolong the period it will be necessary to impose such measures.

— Comox (B.C.) Free Press

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OBITUARY

Burial Rites Held at Arundel

Late Mrs. James Ralph

Arundel — A funeral service held in Grace Anglican Church, Arundel, marked the passing of Ann Warren Folkard, in her 93rd year. She was formerly the widow of the late Benjamin Bulley, and later the widow of the late James Ralph. Mrs. Ralph is survived by four sons and three daughters.

Representing the family were her son, Ernest A. Bulley, of Montreal; two daughters, Mrs. A. B. Berry, of Schenectady, N.Y., Mrs. I. Ferguson, of Ottawa; and one grandchild, Mrs. Hilton Nelson, of Schenectedy, N.Y.

The service was conducted by the Rev. E. C. Royle, of Grace Church, assisted by the Rev. A. Wilfong, of Arundel United Church. Mrs. W. Morrison played the organ.

The casket was surrounded by many wreaths of bright flowers, bringing their message of life and hope — the thoughts which were so sincerely presented by both ministers.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Hugh Cooke, Eddie and Melvin Graham, Homer and Douglas Cooke, and Percy Staniforth.

After the service the cortege proceeded to the Arundel Memorial Cemetery, where the remains were laid to rest.

Shortcuts to wealth short circuit happiness.

Funeral of Late Mrs. Jas. Cameron

The death of Mrs. James Cameron occurred suddenly on March 26, at her residence, 5335 Des Erables Street, Montreal. The former Ruth Florence Bennett, she was the youngest daughter of the late John Bennett and Elizabeth Chapman, and the beloved wife of James Cameron. She was 47 years of age.

Left to mourn her loss, besides her husband, are one son, Stanley, and one daughter, Ruth, (Mrs. J. Gobby), one sister, Mary (Mrs. P. Di Carlo), and one brother, Gilbert Bennett, also four granddaughters and two grandsons, all of Montreal.

The funeral was held Friday March 29, from the chapel of Jos. C. Wray & Bro. to the Mount Royal Cemetery.

YORKTON HOPES FOR TEEN-TOWN

Yorkton, Sask. (CP) — The Yorkton physical fitness organization has formed a club known as the "King of Clubs." More than 175 teen-aged boys and girls are members.

Director Lindsay Holt said that it is hoped to form a teen-town next fall. Teen-towns elect their own mayor, aldermen, police chief, city engineer and city clerk. Mr. Holt said that in cities which now have teen-towns, juvenile delinquency has dropped by 90 per cent.

Teen-agers also have a weekly swing session with their own orchestra and program over the local station. Dances and socials are held, chaperoned by adults, and close at 11.30 p.m. A well-equiped canteen at the centre provides refreshments.

MEMORABLE RIDE

Drummondville, Que. (CP) Albert Roch, 20-year-old resident of Amherst, N.S., slipped and fell in front of a train entering the station here and was dragged more than 100 feet before the train stopped. He spent a few days in hospital recovering from shock but suffered no physical injury.

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At the farm of
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Centreville Road, Lachute, on Monday, April 15, at 1 p.m. sharp :

New Cockshutt tractor with 3-furrow plow and discs, new binder, new seeder with fertilizer attachment, new manure spreader, also Moody manure spreader, mowing machine with oil bath, set double discs, set grubbers, hay rake, turnip seeder, steel snow-plow, 2 double wagons, express, double sleighs, double harness, 2 sets of single harness, lot of harness parts (some new); milk cans, separator (De Laval); 14 cows to freshen this month, 2 Jersey heifers, one 2-yr.-old Ayrshire bull, one pure bred Percheron stallion, team work horses, pair French Canadian mares, two colts, chains, tools, household furniture, marble-top counter, glass show case and many other articles.

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— W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer

At the farm of
EDWARD BARRON,
Grenville R.R. 1, 2 miles east of Interprovincial Bridge, on Tuesday, April 16, at 1 o'clock :

17 Milch cows, 3 heifers, 3-year-old bull 2 mares (one 9 and one 10 years.), colt (coming two years), pig, 2 wagons, steel-tired express, steel-tired buggy, set bob-sleighs, broadcast seeder (Massey-Harris), set smoothing harrows, separator, 3 milk cans, quantity of hay about 33 tons, about 100 feet one inch-rope, 2 stoves, organ and other household effects.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 2% off for cash. Strangers please bring bank references.

Victor Courte, lic. auctioneer

At the farm of
DAWSON BURWASH
St. Andrews East (2½miles east of Village of River Rouge Southwest), Tuesday, April 23, at 12.30 o'clock:

Wagon, buggy, express (two seats), two sets tumbril wheels with axles, rack-sleigh, 2 cutters, light bob sleighs (3 sets), wheelbarrow, double plow, single plow, cultivator, root cutter, clipper, light single harness, 2 tin water tanks (60 and 40 gals.), grindstone, emery-stone, fence wire double blocks with rope, chains, de-horner, planes, saws, hammers, 45 gal. oil tin, churn, toboggan, skiis, snow shoes, ice tongs, household furniture, dishes and kitchen utensils and many other articles.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; 3 months' credit on approved joint notes.

Farm sold, and all articles to be sold without reserve.

— W. J. BOYD, licensed auctioneer

At the farm of
GEORGE B. KELLY,
Avoca, County of Argenteuil, on Thursday, April 25, 10 a.m. sharp:

Gelding 7-years-old and gelding 4-years-old (both 1400 lbs.) 4 yr.-old mare (1600), 7-yr.-old mare in foal June 2, 1-yr.-old colt, 18 head Grade milch cows (Guernsey and Holstein), Jersey bull 1-yr.-old, sow with litter, registered Yorkshire boar 10-mths.-old, 20 Leghorn hens.

Visco grinder (9-in. plate), shingle mill, fanning mill, International single riding- plow, 3 walking plows, 2 sets finishing harrows, spring tooth lever harrows, Massey-Harris disc harrow, Frost & Wood 7 ft. mower, 10 ft. Moody rake, hay loader, Massey-Harris grain binder and corn binder, Moody ensilage cutter with 27 ft. elevator carrier. Papec ensilage cutter (with blower), Massey Harris manure spreader, ½ h.p. air-cooled motor.

Light buggy (almost new), set light driving sleighs, rack sleigh, cutter, set of heavy sleighs, steel scraper, pony cart and sleigh, light express, truck wagon with rack, low farm wagon with rack, set cart harness, 3 sets double harness, set single light harness, drag saw, circular saw, milking machine, 2 double units, hand dump for truck, 30 ft. pump, 5 30-gal. milk cans.

Electric fence, cross-cut saw, bucksaw, anvil, cooking range, tumbril cart, logging chains, whiffle-trees, cant hooks, picks, shovels, crowbars, etc., 2 cart wheels hand sleigh, J. B. Doré threshing machine and blower, set heavy pulley blocks, quantity of half-inch cable, hay tedder, 2 Massey-Harris cultivators, set beam scales 300 lb. capacity, grindstone, quantity of firewood, Cecilian piano, household furniture, Daisy churn, etc.

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Stuart Armstrong, sec. treas.

At the residence of —
W. M. COTTINGHAM
Bethany Road, Lachute, on Wednesday, April 17, at 1 o'clock p.m.

HORSES — Matched Percheron team 4 and 5 years; matched General Purpose black team 3 and 4 years; 2 Geldings 4 and 7 years, (Carriage); General Purpose, 4 years; (3 of the above are broken for saddle.)

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The New Governor-General

VISCOUNT ALEXANDER, our new Governor-General, who arrived with his family in Canada this week, is undertaking his new duties with an enthusiasm which seems to exceed that of any previous office holder. He has expressed in a number of press interviews his desire to serve Canada, and has indicated that he does not want to be merely a social figure. This earnestness on his part is welcomed by all Canadians, who join together in wishing the Viscount and his family a happy stay in Canada.

Viscount Alexander has proved his mettle in two wars, being one of the ablest generals and war leaders in the Allied Command. He was never one to seek publicity for himself, yet he planned and directed some of the most successful military feats of the war.

We can be sure that Viscount Alexander will not be inactive during his tenure of office. He intends to travel extensively throughout the Dominion, and personally meet as many Canadians in all walks of life as is possible. He is no stranger to Canadians, either, since he has had large numbers of Canadian troops under his command on various occasions.

In a recent interview with The Canadian Press he stated he hoped to encourage "Canadians' awareness of their great nationality and of their wonderful position in the Commonwealth and in the world."

In other words, he is going to help us along the road to world nationhood. Let us hope that all Canadians will assist him in his task.

For Men Only

THIS MIGHT be taken as warning to all family men in good health, sound in wind and limb — eye well the Little Woman these days, keep your powder dry, your tackle hidden and don't even think out loud about baseball or golf!

For this is the time of spring. The woods come alive now, fish run in the freshets, the golfers test their backswing, ball parks open soon and (whisper low and woefully here, brother) the Little Woman thinks only of spring house cleaning.

Strike out for the hills and streams now, men. Delay and you may never make it. Young fellows, perhaps entering their first spring as an ever-loving husband, should confer immediately on evasive tactics with some old timer who hasn't missed opening the trout season more than once or twice in 25 years.

Already many men, the unwary and unready, must have been caught and bludgoned into long dreary week-ends of floor-polishing or furniture-shifting while more canny pals tramped the outdoors.

There is a report in Toronto of April's first Monday and the wan figure that entered a Bay Street office, stooped and dazed looking, a mere husk of the man who a few days previously promised dire things for the perch up Lake Simcoe way . . . Obviously this man's spirit was gone. His friends wondered. Then they noted he still clutched in a blistered hand that may never open again that degrading instrument, the carpet beater. His only words: "It was murder, chum."

Then there is the story of the Poplar Point blacksmith, a giant who for years was one of Manitoba's first spring fishermen, until once he confided his missus "slept heavy" and he "slept light," and each spring there came a night when the first northbound geese wakened him with their honking. He'd gather his tackle and be gone before the good wife awakened with her thoughts of spring cleaning. . . . But some alleged kind friend told his wife about this and she arranged a nocturnal tip-off when the first geese flew. Next time the honkers came north our blacksmith friend barely had his feet over the bedside before a 50-pound floor polisher was thrust at him and he hasn't had the strength to fish or hunt since.

Home-made Socks

A FRIEND of ours discharged from the army recently says he is confronted with one disturbing problem: How to get the home-made woollen socks that used to come to him in parcels when he was overseas. Our friend, a city chap, doesn't like the thin socks which merchants have on sale. He wants the home-made variety. And incidentally, our friend wonders why more soldiers haven't voiced their appreciation to the Canadian women who knit so many pairs of socks. He thinks the women deserve a hearty vote of thanks, and we agree.

YOU CAN'T change the moral climate of the world by waiting to see which way the wind blows.

Another Clothing Collection

AN UNDERTAKING which last year commanded the sympathy and collaboration of Canadians in almost every community, the National Clothing Drive, is to be repeated. A second campaign is scheduled to start on June 17 and continue to the end of that month. Many centres which did such splendid work last October are re-organizing for the new campaign. Profiting by experience, details are being worked out and groups organized to handle every phase of the collection and shipment of clothing when the active campaign starts.

There were 1,800 communities organized for the first campaign, which produced over 12,000,000 pounds of good clothing, bedding, boots and shoes, and other things needed by the homeless millions of Europe and Asia.

An average of a pound of clothing from each member of the family is not much to ask, but in the aggregate, if everyone is able to give this amount, the result will be one of which Canadians will again have reason to be proud.

"Don't put all your winter clothes away in the cedar chest," said William M. Birks, of Montreal, national chairman of the campaign. "Put them on one side now, so that when the clothing campaign comes along, you may contribute something that will be of real benefit to those who need clothing of all kinds so badly, and help them to maintain the morale that is so necessary if Europe is to be rehabilitated quickly and worse disasters than war avoided among the broken, homeless peoples."

More Pay for the Job

THE SOLUTION of the farm labor shortage is simply to make farm wages as attractive as those paid in industry.

Arriving at such a conclusion requires little mental thought; in fact, no effort at all. But figuring out how the farmer is going to raise the money to pay higher wages, and at the same time better living conditions for farm employees, is another matter — one not quite so easy to solve.

The world is desperately in need of food. The farmer now replaces the soldier in the task of topmost importance, and he needs to hire workers if he is to plant, cultivate and harvest his crops. Yet at the time of writing there are about 263,000 unemployed Canadian men and women, with 76,000 jobs unfilled. Many of those 76,000 jobs are farm jobs, yet despite the fact that there are more than three unemployed persons to each of those vacancies, farmers are crying out for help.

How then to make the job of the hired man an attractive one financially? We can think of two ways: First exempt farm labor from income tax and thus increase the take-home pay; and second, raise ceiling prices to a level which will increase the farmers' income and enable him to pay higher wages.

The situation demands careful study and thought by agriculture and labor authorities. To delay will mean crop wastage and financial losses to the Canadian farmers.

Bankers and the Public

A TREND of general interest is revealed in the following passage, from an editorial by The Canadian Statesman, Bowmanville, Ontario:

It is now getting on for ten years since the Chartered Banks instituted a Public Relations Department, and the banks appear to have acted upon the sound assumption that the best way to hold the proud place they occupy in this nation's economy is by means of an informed public opinion. Each year a strong advertising campaign has been carried on by the bankers, in which the unique influence of the weekly newspaper is fully recognized. These advertisements deal with the services that banks perform so well under our system of free enterprise, and appear in a wide range of weekly newspapers.

At least the vast population served by the weekly newspapers have become much better informed about the banking system through these advertisements. Ill-informed criticism of the banks, which in past years was very widespread, has diminished to a degree which is little short of spectacular. Popular understanding is much more manifest. We think it is due to the intelligence with which the bankers have approached their problem and the skill with which the facts about banking have been presented in these advertising campaigns.

DAYLIGHT SAVING is being discussed again. Most farmers do their own daylight saving, and a lot of them get up in the morning before that.

Hansard – The Book of the Year !

Specially contributed to The Lachute Watchman by M. V. Trayers, Brownsburg

There are several book clubs operating in Canada which offer to select the reading requirements and provide a sustained reading diet for every type of intellect and every taste in literary culture. These clubs offer a book-a-month for a reasonable charge of about $3 per volume. From a recent review of one of these clubs I learn that members are selecting more and more factual works written about current events or with a factual background — stories of other lands, their system of government, their mode of living, etc.

But for sheer delight, pleasant relaxation, maddening impotence, sordid disgust — in fact the whole gamut of emotions from intellectual exercise to boredom — one can't compare with "Hansard"!

Hansard is the official record of the speeches made in the House of Commons and is procurable from the King's Printer for $3 covering the daily debates of a whole session. The present session started on the 14th of March and already sufficient wordage to fill a good-sized novel, or perhaps two of the book-of-the-month offerings, has been printed. In no other book can you obtain such an accurate account of matters affecting and of interest to every Canadian. In no other book can you obtain such a selection of short stories, explosive sarcasm, humorous repartee. In no other book can you find so many dashed hopes, so many abortive suggestions, so much useless verbiage, such spontaneous naivete.

Everything in Hansard is spontaneous, or is supposed to be, as the following will attest:

Mr. Gardiner, replying to a speech of Mr. Bracken: " . . . and I am not blaming the leader of the opposition for that. I do not think he wrote that speech and therefore I would say again that I believe with him that the rule of this house which states that one shall not read a speech ought to be enforced".

Mr. Graydon: "Does that apply to everyone? Does it apply to the Government?"

Mr. Gardiner: "It applies to me anyway. When anyone is making a speech in this house which is being read, it does not necessarily follow that someone else wrote it — "

Mr. Graydon: "That is an insult to the Prime Minister."

Mr. Gardiner: "—though there is a possibility that someone else wrote it. My hon. friend says that is an insult to the Prime Minister. The Prime Minister has proven himself on many occasions in this house capable of delivering a speech, either read or spoken."

An hon. Member: "So has the leader of the opposition."

Mr. Mackenzie King: "Do not worry about the Prime Minister".

Mr. Fraser: "He will have lots of worries."

Mr. Graydon: "It should apply to everyone if it applies to the leader of the opposition."

Mr. Gardiner: "I do not intend to quote again figures which are not correct."

Mr. Smith (Calgary West): "All out of step but my son John".

A little later in the debate —

Mr. Gardiner: "I hold in my hand a map which shows . . . . "

An hon. Member: "Did you make it up?".

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Sometimes it is difficult to hear a member speaking, and on at least one occasion the Speaker was a victim to poor acoustics, when Mr. Archibald was asking a question concerning an air service between Wrangell, Alaska, and Telegraph Creek, B.C. The Speaker interrupted to say: "The hon. member is not permittel to read a telegram or make a statement".

Mr. Coldwell straightened the matter out by saying: "Mr. Speaker —it is not a telegram; the place is called Telegraph Creek".

Sometimes this difficulty in hearing serves a purpose — as when Mr. J. W. Murphy, Lambton West, wanted to ignore some comments hurled at him: "I am a little deaf. I sometimes hear more intelligent sounds from the cradle.

Some amusing incidents enliven the proceedings on occasions, as when George A. Cruickshank, who represents Fraser Valley, threw free samples of B.C. peaches about the chamber to prove that they were superior to Ontario peaches.

The greater number of the members preface their addresses with the remark they did not intend taking part in the debate except for the faet that some previous speaker said something with which they do not agree, and then forthwith launch into a 40-minute oration having all the earmarks of being well prepared.

Interruptions are sometimes met with clever parries and sometimes they inject a certain amount of heat into the proceedings. Mr. N. Jaques, when speaking about foreign governments recently, became involved in the following exchanges:

Mr. Jaques: "We now have proof of what I say. They (Argentine) have had a perfectly democratic election without bloodshed. It was in perfect order and they elected the government they wanted. That is their business not ours. . . Whatever one may say about Spain or the Spanish people they never interfered with us during the late war."

Mr. Coldwell: "They tried to."

Mr. Jaques: "I have heard them accused of certain things. . . . do you think it was a great sin, for the Spanish government to play along with Hitler to the extent that they did in order to preserve their own people?"

An hon. Member: "Certainly".

Mr. Jaques: "They did not do anything to us".

Some hon. Members: "Oh, oh.".

Mr. Jaques: "Where was the C.C.F. when Britain stood alone against the might of Germany? What did the C.C.F. say? 'Not a man overseas'!"

Mr. Probe: "At that time members of the C.C.F. were in the armed forces".

Mr. Bentley: "Our boys were over there".

Mr. Jaques: "Not a man overseas; not before Russia came into it".

Mr. Coldwell: "That is a lie."

Mr. Jaques: "It it true".

Mr. Speaker: "Order ".

Mr. Jaques: "I heard the B.B.C. broadcast last night. I hope what they said is not true, and coming from the B.B.C. it may very well not be true. When I was over in England two years ago, I heard that the B.B.C. was a sort of code name for Beelzebub's Brethren Calling".

Mr. Coldwell: "That is what Hitler said".

Mr. Jaques: "Well, he was not far out".

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Some members are more likely to be interrupted than are others, whether their point of view is more contentious or their manner of expressing it arouses the ire of fellow members, it is hard to say. Independent members — that is members who are not officially affiliated with any party — are usually more likely to take an "off the beaten track" point of view than those subject to the recommendations of the party caucus.

Mr. Tommy Church, Toronto, who is always good copy, had this to say about the Gallop Poll: "It is all Gallop and no poll, and most of the galloping is done by the government, which seems to have a great influence with the managers of the poll".

Quotations from the poets find their way into Hansard, and sometimes popular songs are referred to in making a point. The Hon. C. G. Power, in the course of one of the finest addresses of the present session, was discussing "discordant loyalties" in connection with the espionage proceedings now before the courts, when he said: "During the course of the war, I had occasion to attend a large number of concerts, sing-songs and so on, in the camps of the various armed services. What songs did we hear? We heard "Annie Laurie", the "Rose of Tralee", "There'll always be an England". Did we ever hear any song about Canada? Have we ever tried to develop a Canadian spirit which would make those people stand abashed at the very thought of betraying their own country? Our educational institutions are at fault. We are at fault in this house for developing loyalties, whether they be to other lands or whether they be to certain sections of our land".

Mr. Georges Heon is somewhat partial to quotations from prose, and in his last appearance in Hansard recommended that the following be hung up in all the foreign offices of the United Nations:

"Leaders in democratic countries should by all means in their power refrain from policies which are difficult to explain openly and in detail. The public understands principles, whereas it does not understand manoeuvres; and a foreign policy based upon ascertainable and avowable principles is more likely to recommend the ordinary citizens consent, than one based in any respect upon ingenuity and adventure".

I notice Mr. Heon was not interrupted during the 40-minutes he was before the house, but Mr. T. V. Grant, who followed after the Recess, had his speech punctured with interruptions and interjections all the way. Apropos of which, he told a story:

Mr. Grant: "A member was coming up here one day and on meeting one of these boys to whom he was accustomed to give a quarter, he automatically put his hand in his pocket to get a coin, but when he got near the fellow he noticed his face was all blackened up. He said, 'Are you the man I generally give a quarter to?' The man replied, 'To tell you the truth, mister, I was talking when I should have been listening'. Later in his address Mr. Grant in describing some election incidents during the last campaign when he opposed Mr. Hanson, had this to say:

Mr. Grant: "I was telling my wife about it, that he had said that to look at me across the floor of the house was enough for anybody. So she said "Look, dear, don't mind the old toad; your looks are the best of you'".

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Calumet

Mrs. E. Racine and Mr. Stephen Brigden were in Montreal for a few days this week, assisting Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Brigden to move into the house they purchased recently in Longueuil.

The many friends of Mrs. T. Harries are sorry to hear that she is ill, and join in wishing her a speedy recovery.

Miss Mary MacIntyre, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. MacIntyre.

Miss E. White, of Ottawa, is spending some time here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whinfield.

Miss Evie Welden had the misfortune to break her arm recently, when she fell off a horse while visiting at her grandmother's farm. She also suffered minor bruises. She is now able to be about again, after spending a few days in hospital at Hawkesbury.

Mr. J. Arthurs is at present in hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. Friends in this vicinity are pleased to know that he is progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Druce, of Hawkesbury, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce.

Miss Elsie Graham, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Robinson.

Certain proof that spring is here, despite continued cold weathe, is the appearance of the first hepaticas. Several people gathered generous bouquets of them during the week-end.

Players and spectators from the Badminton Club enjoyed the round-robin tournament in Lachute last Thursday evening. Congratulations are offered to the Brownsburg Club, who were the victors of the evening.

Messrs. T. H. Foreman, G. B. Murphy and C. G. Foreman paid the first visit of the season to the latter's cottage, "Four Winds", on Slavery Lake. They were able to cross the lake on the ice, but judging from their report, the ice will probably go out of the lake this week.

St. Andrews East

Q.M.S. Lloyd Lilly, of the Royal Corps of Signals, arrived on the "Ile de France", His bride, formerly of the R.A.F., is awaiting her sailing date at the home of her parents at Cilfynydd, near Pontypridd, Wales.

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Jos. Bradley and son, Ian, upon the unexpected passing of her husband.

Presentation to Bride-Elect

At the home of Mrs. Ross Hyde on Tuesday, April 2, Miss Lucy Dennis, the most recent bride-elect of St. Andrews East, was presented with a green chenille bedspread as a gift from her many friends. After a gracious expression of thanks, refreshments were served by Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Rayson and Mrs. O'Brien. Miss Dennis departed on April 5 to take up permanent residence in Brockville, Ont., as Mrs. Wm. Hill.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Campbell, Mrs. J. L. Kennedy and Mr. Gerald Kennedy, of Pine Hill, were in Montreal on Sunday visiting Mr. Elmer Kennedy.

Mrs. C. E. Prosser and Miss Betty Prosser spent Saturday in Montreal.

Mr. S. C. Pike, of Dawson (McGill) College, St. Johns, Que., was visiting his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Pike, at the manse over Sunday.

Mr. Thomas Mundy spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley were in Montreal on Friday.

A number from here attended the Lachute High School Glee Club concert given in the Auditorium at Lachute on Friday evening.

The Senior Mission Circle of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. John Mason on Tuesday afternoon. Very satisfactory reports were given. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Hon. pres., Mrs. Robert Tomalty; pres., Mrs. H. W. Graham; vice-pres., Mrs. T. Morrow; sec., Mrs. Peter MacQuaig; treas., Mrs. A. Kennedy.

DEATH OF LAWYER IN CABIN BLAZE RULED ACCIDENT.

St. Jerome, April 8. — Coroner J. A. Dugal, of St. Jerome, returned a verdict of accidental death in the case of J. DeGaspe Audette, K.C., well known Montreal lawyer, who was burned to death when his winter cabin at Camp Cherrier, near Ste. Marguerite, was razed.

It was learned at the inquest that the victim had apparently been smoking a cigarette in bed, had fallen asleep, and the bedding had caught fire.

Fire broke out at about 8.30 a.m. in the one-storey structure, one of several at the camp where Mr. Audette often spent the week-end, and it was almost noon when the flames had been curbed sufficiently to enter and retrieve the body.

Cushing West

Dr. H. B. Cushing motored from the city and visited his residence here on Sunday.

Miss K. Whelehan, of Montreal, was a Sunday visitor with friends here.

Mr. Lucien Larose, of Montreal, spent Sunday with Mrs. Larose at Grece's Point.

Mrs. C. Grece is spending a few days in Montreal this week.

Mrs. Usher was hostess at a meeting of the W.M.S. on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson and daughter, Ora, motored to Trenton, Ont., on Friday last, returning on Monday. They visited their daughter and son-in-law, LAC. Alan Vowles and Mrs. Vowles, at Trenton and also friends at Belleville.

Bell Falls

Mrs. N. E. McCaig, of Ste. Therese, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bennett. Other guests were Mr. Thos. Bennett and the Misses Mary and Frances Bennett.

Miss Evelyn Sly, Miss Helen Campbell and Charles Campbell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Campbell.

Mr. Sandy Geegan is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McCallum.

Mr. David Page, Sr., is spending some time in Fasset visiting his daughter, Mrs. William Provincal.

The Bell Falls Sunday School will hold an open session Sunday, April 21, at 10.30 a.m. in the Campbell Hall. The public are cordially invited.

Miss Edyth MacCallum spent the week-end in Montreal.

Rouge Valley

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Staniforth have returned home after spending the winter in Montreal.

Mrs. C. Drouin and family, of Arundel, visited her mother, Mrs. C. Marion, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Craig and sons, Lyall and Norman, of Weir, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth on Sunday.

Mrs. Emile Beauchamp spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldege Courte, of Weir, were guests of Mr. C. Courte on Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Staniforth spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Miss Elsie Beauchamp, of Montreal, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Beuachamp, for the week-end.

In Brownsburg

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Used Clothing Collection

Canada's second National Clothing Drive to provide much-needed garments for millions of distressed people in the war-devastated countries of Europe, will be launched on June 17 next, to be continued till the end of that month.

Last October, when the first appeal was made to the people to donate serviceable used clothing for the sufferers from the ravages of war in Europe and Asia, over 5,000 lbs. of exceptionally good quality clothing was collected, baled and shipped across the ocean and distributed by UNRRA.

Timely notice is now being given that collectors will again call for bundles of used clothing. People are advised that if, meanwhile, householders will put aside any suitable clothes they may come across in the process of spring cleaning, they will be gratefully received by some deserving homeless or scantily clad person in a country less fortunate than ours. Keep it in mind.

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Farewell to George F. Clark

Before George Clark left the Safety Fuse Company's service he was presented by his fellow employees with a travelling bag. He had been with the company for over 11 years at their Brownsburg works. The employees may have felt that his sojourn in Jamaica cannot be of such lengthy duration, hence the bag. The previous evening George was presented with a writing pen by a number of well-wishers, at a musical stag party. It was one of those beautiful new models known as "dry" writing. The pen — not the party. . . We wish George the best in his new endeavor.

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The War in Canada

In reply to a return asked for in the House of Commons, the minister gave this information on the number of traffic accidents over the period of the war years:

Persons killed in motor vehicle accidents September, 1939, to June 30, 1945 — 9,028.

Persons injured through traffic accidents, January, 1939, to December 1944 — 149,019.

Fatal accidents from drowning, September 1, 1939, to December 31, 1944 — 5,007.

Fatal accidents at level crossings, same period — 727.

Injuries at level crossings, same period, 2,264.

Persons who died as a result of fire, same period — 1,221 (87% in homes).

Persons killed in other accidents during the same period — 22,488.

These people did not go to war; the war came to them. They were all killed in Canada.

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Accumulating Interest

Last session the Quebec Legislature passed a bill authorizing expenditure of twenty millions on the roads. This session it was stated in the budget debate that none of the money had been spent. We can well believe it! We may be pardoned for suggesting that some of the interest might be used in procuring a less eye-offending sentry box than those posted at strategic points to watch the frost coming out.

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BIRTH

TRUSSLER — At Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills, on April 2, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Trussler, a daughter.

DEATHS

BRADLEY — On Friday, April 5, 1946, in the Montreal General Hospital, Joseph Andrew Bradley, aged 55 years, beloved husband of Helena Margaret Dobbie. Funeral held from his residence, Carillon, Que., on Sunday, April 7, to the Presbyterian Church, St. Andrews East, thence to the St. Andrews Cemetery.

DOBIE — At Arundel, Que., on Tuesday, April 9, 1946, John R. Dobie, in his 67th year. Funeral service from Arundel United Church Thursday at 1 p.m. Burial at Rouge Valley.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

BRADLEY — Mrs. Joseph Bradley and son, Ian, wish to thank all their relatives and friends for kindness shown during the illness and death of their husband and father, and also for floral tributes.

RALPH — The family and immediate relatives of the late Mrs. Jas. Ralph were deeply moved and are keenly appreciative of the many kindly acts extended to them by the host of kind folks at Arundel during tha time of their bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

BIGLOW — In loving memory of Annie Dodd, beloved wife of Eric Biglow, who died April 11, 1942. Also a devoted son, Sgt. P.M. Biglow, who died December 5, 1943; and a dear father, who passed away July 23, 1945.

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Wartime Experiences Told by R.C.A.F. Officer At Y.P.U. Meeting

Doug Gordon, vice-president of the Lachute United Church Y.P.U., who served with the R.C.A.F. in Britain, France and Holland, gave the members of the Union some highlights of his experience while in the Airforce.

The members were told briefly of the speaker's training in Canada and of his trip overseas on the Ile de France to the south of England. After a short time there, he was posted to Scotland, in the small town of Ayr, the birthplace of Burns. The speaker described the many old landmarks that are still to be found in the Burns neighborhood.

The speaker here described the change-over in training of the pilots, as they graduated from the lower-speed Spitfires or Hurricanes to planes that were still on the secret list, with speeds of 450 miles an hour or more.

Of particular interest was his description of the pre-D-Day preparations; while the pilots knew there was a big drive on somewhere, it was not until the night before that auspicious day that they knew just what was in the offing. A graphic account of D-Day fighting, weather conditions and co-ordination of the forces, was given by Doug Gordon, and he took his hearers through France, Belgium and Holland, and again back to Britain where he served as instructor, and eventually his return to Canada.

The speaker was thanked by the president, Jack Ogilvie.

A fireside evening will be held by the Y.P.U. on Sunday, May 5, and committees were chosen for the occasion.

Christian Endeavor

"Missionary Night", at the Christian Endeavor group's Sunday evening meeting in the Margaret Rodger Church, featured an unusually interesting account by the Rev. G. T. Spriggs of missionary work in the African hinterland. The heroine of Mr. Spriggs' narrative was his own sister, who spent some 40 years as a missionary in Zanzibar. By his description of her varied activities in the missionary field, the audience was particularly impressed with the broad qualifications required by the missionary worker. For the successful worker, minimum requirements would necessarily include religious, business administration, medical and psychological knowledge, and experience.

Mr. Spriggs added a serious note to his talk in deploring the powerful support given to business expansion in backward countries, in contrast to the meagre support given to missionary endeavor in these same lands.

The convener of next meeting will be Mr. Bob Cairns.

"Crusade for Christ" Meetings, Easter Week At Brownsburg United

Brownsburg—The United Church Y.P.U. are foregoing their meeting next Monday in co-operation with the "Crusade for Christ and His Kingdom" — when the Rev. G. A. Norman, B.A., of Ste. Therese, will be the special speaker, and Mr. Jan Simons the soloist, in the second meeting of this series.

The first of the series will be held Sunday evening, when a group from Montreal will assist the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike. Preacher will be Squadron Leader the Rev. M. W. Williams. On Tuesday evening the Rev. W. W. Conrad, M.A., of Vankleek Hill, Ontario, will be the speaker, and Mrs. Catherine Ross the soloist. On Thursday evening another group will be present from Montreal, representing the Christian Business Men's Crusade Committee, under leadership of Mr. A. W. Hamilton, a prominent layman, with the Rev. R. G. Burgoyne as speaker. Mr. Hamilton will also be present Sunday evening and have part in the music.

The Brownies will give a sacred concert Wednesday evening, and on Good Friday evening there will be a service preparatory to the Easter Communion of the following Sunday morning. On Easter Sunday evening, the Eastertide Crusade Pageant will be presented, under direction of Mrs. Wm. King assisted by Mrs. R. B. Johnson and Mrs. D. N. Atkins.

The Crusade gatherings through the week will begin at 7.30 p.m., lasting for one hour. Old gospel hymns will be used. The only offering taken will be on Thursday evening. The earnest request is that nothing avoidable interfere with the attendance. Choirs for the various evenings will be made up from the organizations of the church. Every family in connection with the church will receive a special Easter folder, with information on the purpose and progress of the Crusade, emphasizing local interests, opportunities and privileges.

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A get-together of the ladies of the church was held Wednesday evening of this week, when the Junior Women's Association and other ladies of the congregation were the guests of the Senior group.

W.I. Enrolment in Blue Cross Increasing

According to figures recently released, the Quebec Women's Institutes are strongly behind the Blue Cross Hospital Association.

At present there are 32 branches enrolled under this plan, with a total membership of 400. Most of these are in the Eastern Townships in the district served by the Sherbrooke Hospital. Each month brings reports of more members enrolling in branches already under the plan, or of a new branch joining. Very few to whom this plan is available have turned down the opportunity for this cheap and simple method of hospital insurance.



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THE WEEK'S SERVICES

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
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7 p.m. — Sermon Subject, "Whitewashed or Washed White?"

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6th. Sunday in Lent, April 14.

Morning prayer, 11 a.m.

Wednesday, April 17, 7.30 p.m.

Good Friday, 11 a.m.

Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D

10.00 a.m. Sabbath School.

11.00 a.m. Morning Worship. "Helping Jesus to Bear His Cross".

7 p.m. Evening. Worship "Sanctifying Christ in One's Heart".

2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

Y.P.U., Wednesday, 8.15 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Capt. Chas. H. Maclean will conduct services Sunday, April 14.

10 a.m. Sabbath School.

11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.

3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.

7 p.m. Evening Worship.

8 p.m. to 8.45, Christian Endeavor.

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REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, Pastor

BROWNSBURG

Bible School	10.00 a.m.
Church	11.00 a.m.

Happy Hour, Monday at 7 p.m.
Young People's Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.

DALESVILLE

Bible School	2 p.m.
Church	3.00 p.m.
Prayer, Wednesday	8.00 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.

Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Evening service opening series of Crusade gatherings for week. Group from Montreal assisting. Preacher: S/Ldr. Rev. M. W. Williams.

Also Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7.30 p.m.

Preparatory Service, Friday 7.30.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Minister: Rev. W. H. Leaton

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.

11.00 a.m. Morning Service.

7.00 p.m. Evening Worship.

Thurs. 7.30 Adult Fellowship.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

Morin Heights 11 a.m.
Mille Isles, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 7 p.m.
Morin Heights - Good Friday at 12 noon to 3 p.m.

Married Saturday At Bride's Home

Babcock - Brennian

The marriage of Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brennian, of Lachute, to Mr. Stirling E. Babcock, son of the late F. C. Babcock and of Mrs. Babcock, of Sydney, N.S., took place on Saturday afternoon, April 6, at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. W. B. Rosborough officiating. Miss Betty Hodgson, of Montreal, played the wedding music.

The bride, given away by her father, wore a gown of white façonne, the bodice having a sweetheart neckline and long fitted sleeves, and the skirt finishing in a short train. Her veil of silk tulle illusion, reaching beyond the hem of her train, was held in a circle of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade bouquet of Rapture roses and white sweet peas.

Mrs. J. M. Brown, as matron of honor and her cousin's only attendant, wore a frock of rose sheer fashioned on the same lines as that worn by the bride, and carried a bouquet of Joanna Hill roses.

Mr. C. R. Stuart acted as best man for Mr. Babcock and Mr. Hugh Brennian, brother of the bride, acted as usher.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride travelled in a two-piece dress of robin's egg blue wool under a black coat, wearing a black hat and a corsage of pink roses.

The out-of-town guests included Mrs. F. C. Babcock, of Sydney, N.S., Miss E. J. Babcock, of Toronto, Mrs. Donald Hay and Miss Barbara Hay, of Quebec City, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McCoy, of Ottawa.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Reid Giles, of Ottawa, was the guest of Miss Lila Giles this week.

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Mrs. E. R. Morrin spent last week in Montreal, returning on Saturday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Tolhurst, of Cartierville.

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Mrs. N. Heath, of Mille Roches, is visiting with her daughters, Mrs. J. Falconer and Mrs. Erle McMartin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robinson, of the Town of Mount Royal, spent the week-end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vessie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Claridge and son, David, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald MacKimmie.

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Mr. Joe Colligan, of Laniel, Que., is spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. Solomon Dallaire and Mr. Dalaire.

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Miss Phyllis Bradford, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bradford.

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Flt./Lt. Ralph Allen and Miss Joyce Marshall, of Montreal, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Deacon.

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Mr. Kenneth Falconer, of Three Rivers, spent the week-end with his wife and daughter, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Falconer.

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Mrs. Donald Hay and daughter, Barbara, of Quebec City, Mrs. F. S. Swaine, of Westmount, Miss Margaret Swaine, of Macdonald College, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McCoy, of Ottawa, were the week-end guests of Mrs. E. H. McCoy.

Mrs. Nat Boyd spent a few days in Montreal this week.

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Miss June MacKimmie, of Mille Isles, spent the week-end at her home at North River.

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Miss Bernice Roberts, of Montreal, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts, last week-end.

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Miss Betty Bradford, nurse-in-training at the Homoeopathic Hospital, Montreal, spent Sunday as the guest of Miss Mabel Hadley.

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Mr. Bories Arran is spending this week visiting friends in Montreal.

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Miss Kay Miller, R.N., is visiting with her mother, after her recent operation at the Montreal General Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Falconer returned on Tuesday from Seneca Falls, N.Y., where they attended the funeral of the late Mrs. P. B. Boa.

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Miss Joan Morris, of Montreal, spent last week-end as the guest of Miss Joan MacKimmie at North River.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook wish to announce the engagement of their granddaughter, Ethel Elsie Taylor, to John Chapman Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Meyer, of Rivington, Que.

EXECUTIVE COMMISSIONER

Squadron Leader H. B. Holloway has been named Executive Commissioner of the Boy Scouts Association in the Province of Alberta. Mr. Holloway has been associated with Scouting since 1932, serving as Secretary of the Edmonton District Commissioner for Training. He was born in Simla, India, where his father was an officer in the Indian Army. He was educated in Britain and came to Canada in 1923.

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainment, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed, 60 cents.

CARD PARTY

Don't miss the card party tomorrow evening (Friday, April 12), commencing 8 o'clock in McArthur's Hall, Lachute. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

SUGAR PARTY.

Sunday, April 14, at the farm of Hercule Legault, Route 30 (Lakefield highway). Heated hall. Music. Admission 75c. -1p

DANCE

There will be a dance held in McArthur's Hall on April 20. Good music. Come and have a good time. Hall open from 8.30 to 12 o'clock. Admission 40c.—E. Berry. -1p

SALAD TEA

The Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding a salad tea on Saturday, April 13, from 3.30 to 6 o'clock, in the church hall. -1c

THANK-OFFERING MEETING

The W.M.S. of the United Church, Lachute, will hold their thank-offering meeting on Tuesday, April 16. Miss Cunningham, treasurer of the Presbyterial, will give an illustrated lecture. All ladies welcome. -1c

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Cushing

Mr. Wm. Colbeck of Montreal was an overnight guest on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Elliott.

Mrs. A. Starnes and Miss M. E. Smith were guests of their sister, Mrs. F. Wilkins, on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Harvey spent Monday with friends in Montreal.

At an enjoyable meeting of Frontier Branch W.I., held at the home of Mrs. T. W. Weir, one new member was added to the roll and one former member was welcomed back.

Miss Alberta Cleland spent the latter part of the week in Montreal.

Miss A Davidson was the guest on Sunday of her cousin, Mrs. J. A. Bradley, Carillon.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. H. Canning on Wednesday afternoon, April 17, at 2.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Graham, and Mrs. R. J. Graham, of Lachute, also Miss Joyce Graham, of Arundel, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chambers, at St. Philippe.

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon, and son, Ian, in the loss of a kind husband and father — also to Mr. Bradley's father and brothers. Mrs. Bradley was the former Miss Helena Dobbie, of Cushing.

The Misses Myrtle and Violet Bryerton, of Verdun, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryerton.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly and two little daughters, of Aylmer, Que., spent the week-end with Mrs. Kelly's parents.

Mr. George Wilson, of Namur, visited his sister, Mrs. S. E. Smith and Mr. Smith, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farrars, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates over the week-end.

Mr. Leslie Kerr, of Harrington, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates. Mr. Eldon Bates of Lachute was also a visitor.

Mrs. E. G. Young is in Rivington visiting her mother, who is ill.

Mr. John Arthurs, youngest son of Mr. Samson Arthurs, is in Dr. Smith's Hospital, Hawkesbury, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. Friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. George Bissett, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates have returned to their home in Harrington.

Morin Heights

Mrs. T. E. Seals spent a few days in Montreal.

Mrs. E. Greene has returned to Montreal after visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. F. Watchorn and Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton for the past three weeks.

Mrs. F. Goldthorpe spent the week-end visiting friends in Arundel.

Mrs. Robt. Robinson, of Lakeside, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lacken spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Moss have been visiting relatives and friends in Arundel for the past couple of weeks.

Miss Alice Seale, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seale.

Miss Frances McCullough, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. R. McCullough.

Lt.-Col. J. Green was home for a few days recently but is now stationed at Monteith, as commandant of the prisoner-of-war camp.

Miss Joan Green, of Montreal, was home for the week-end.

Miss Bernice Lacken and Miss Marjorie Seale spent a few days in the city recently.

Miss Doris Watson was in Montreal for a few days.

Mrs. F. T. Watchorn and Miss Barbara Watchorn spent a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Paquette and son, Arthur, have taken up residence here where Mrs. P. Temple formerly resided — Mrs. Temple having moved to Montreal.

The W.I. meeting was held last week at the home of Mrs. J. H. Davis, with Mrs. Morgan as joint hostess. It was decided to hold a "military whist" on April 24.

Miss Mona Watchorn spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. A. Watchorn, at Campbell's Farm.

Mrs. Jas. Voce, of Montreal, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. M. Campbell.

Mrs. Raymond Campbell and children have returned to the city after spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. M. Campbell.

Mrs. Wm. Doherty was in Montreal for a few days.

Arundel

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church held their meeting on Thursday, April 4. Supper was served by Mrs. C. O. Bennett and Mrs. R. Moss.

Mrs. Smellie spent the week-end in Montreal.

Miss Greta Dubeau has returned after spending her holidays visiting in Boston, Montreal and London, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooke spent a few days here last week.

Mrs. E. Goldthorpe, of Morin Heights, was visiting Mrs. Val Swail for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Veit are at present in Montreal.

Week-end visitors here included Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Graham, Miss Muriel Graham, Miss Laura Davies, Miss Betty Moss, Mr. C. D. Staniforth and Mr. R. Moss.

Mrs. McNevin, of Vancouver, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom MacArthur.

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Rubin's Store is capably managed by Dave Schwartz, who is also buyer for the establishment. He learned merchandising in Canada's biggest school of retail commerce, the T. Eaton Company, serving as departmental assistant manager at Montreal. He was also employed in New York with manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers, acquiring a sound knowledge of fabrics, cloths, their buying and selling.

Since coming to Lachute, Dave Schwartz has made many friends. He is a Rotarian, and a busy man. His only affliction is a seasonal weakness — May, June and September — an affinity for distant streams and wily trout.

Right now, Rubin's Store is busy getting "back to normal" — replenishing the variety and improving the quality that suffered most in wartime. Many depleted lines are coming back — though not all; for instance, there is still a marked curtailment in men's clothing fabrics. However, Mr. Schwartz speaks quite enthusiastically of the ready-mades available in men's sport and summer wear. Other lines specially attractive at this time are ladies' shoes, presenting some appealing spring styles, with a quality and design assuring practical comfort; and also ladies' dresses and sports wear — which this season are really something.

As previously remarked, Rubin's holds a spotlight for visual appeal. Dave Schwartz, by the way, is adept in showmanship; but in the matter of window displays he has happier ideas, and is now planning to remodel his window spaces for a still more captivating display.

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Wax-Like Product Stops Iron Sticking

By VIVIAN BROWN

New York (AP)—You may have to give special priority several times a week to the job of laundering scant supplies of dad's essential garments. Even an amateur laundress can do a good job of keeping precious shirts bandbox fresh.

Before washing, check shirts for mending needs and stitch on the spot. Whether you use a machine, tub or washbowl build up a two to three-inch suds, dissolving bluing flakes along with the soap. Wash white shirts first. If you blue automatically as you wash, white shirts should emerge gleaming, colored ones will look brighter and bluing steaks won't spoil the shirt's looks. Follow with two clear water rinses, which are essential to good laundry results.

When starching you can add a specially prepared wax-like product to the starch to keep the iron from sticking. Shirts will stay clean longer if you use this wax for it imparts a smooth finish that is dirt-resistant.

A table top, well padded, may give better space than an ironing board for shirts, and makes less handling necessary.

Practice Brings Speed

You can work up speed in shirt ironing by practice. Here is a good routine to follow:

Iron the wrong side of yoke and collar, right side of yoke and collar, cuffs, sleeves, back, wrong side of each front along edge, then right side of front. Iron along both sides of row of buttons, then use point of iron between buttons. Stretch seams while ironing so they won't pucker, and be sure to iron them dry.

Put the shirts away on hangers, or here's a conventional way to fold them if you prefer to pile them in a bureau drawer;

Place shirt, front side up, on table, and button top, middle and bottom buttons. Place front down and fold each side of shirt over lengthwise, for about one-fourth of the width. Fold one sleeve along back lengthwise, then fold other sleeve on top of it. Fold up the tail of the shirt seven to nine inches. Then fold again, bringing the bottom fold up to the collar. Pin to shoulder yoke at both upper corners.



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WOMEN'S INTERESTS

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

COMMUNITY NEEDS

Women's organizations are going to have to pull up their socks and get to work on some new ideas. Women who have been working so hard through the war years are tired and understandably want to quit. Presidents and secretaries are already giving up office, as they have stuck at it for years and now they want a rest. Women are practical and if they are going to work hard they want something worth working for. The needs of most communities are great, so each organization should study their community and then plan some constructive work for which their members will be willing to work. If this is not done immediately, attendance and interest will lag.

SHORTENING

Most of us expected when the war was over supplies would be larger. Shortening is one of the foods that is in lessened supply. As much as possible has been sent to the countries who have greatest need of it, as the small amount of fat in the diet is serious. Lard has been short in Canada because hog production in down 40%, and the bacon hog has less fat than the type formerly raised. As for vegetable shortenings, Canada imports practically all she uses, and she can only get her share from the world pool. We should all save all our dripping and fry out any available fat. Down this way there are many women who hate to make gingerbread or gingersnaps unless they use chicken fat. This should be fried out by itself and not in the roasting pan with the chicken, as it would absorb the onion and sage flavorings from the dressing. We may not all have all the fat we want but we still have more than most of the rest of the world.

RAISED DOUGHS

Many women are frightened to try yeast breads, for some reason or other. Actually, once you have mastered them they are really very easy, and I have yet to know any man, woman or child, who does not find home-made bread or rolls a treat. There are a few little tricks which are a help and I will try to give you some of them. Most important is having the liquid lukewarm. Milk must be scalded, that is brought almost to the boil, then cooled to luke-warm. This high temperature is necessary to kill organisms in the milk which would be harmful to the yeast mixture, but if too hot a liquid is used the yeast will be killed. If the surface of the mixture is oiled before it is put to raise, it will prevent a hard surface forming. An easy way to do this is to grease the bowl, then after the dough has been put in, turn it up-side down and thus all surfaces will be greased. Temperature for raising is very important. The ideal one is from 85 to 95 degrees. The dough should be kept from draughts and should never be put directly on a radiator or oven. I use an electric stove, and if I turn on both oven burners for exactly one minute, not a second more or less, the oven is the exact temperature for raising the dough. Do not follow a recipe blindly as to the amount of flour as flours differ, but for rolls use as little as possible and still be able to handle the dough. Rolls are like biscuits, the softer the dough the better the results. If you make bread after the dough has risen form it into a ball, cover, and let it stand to rest for 15 minutes. Almost any roll recipe may be kept covered in the refrigerator for a week and can be used as needed. The dough may be made directly into rolls and then let rise again, but I have much better results if I let it rise until it has doubled in bulk, then form into rolls, and again let rise until doubled in bulk. All kinds of rolls may be made from the foundation recipe by varying the shape, and by the addition of spices, fruits, nuts, peels, and brown sugar.

HOT CROSS BUNS

1 Cup milk, ¼ cup sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons shortening, 1 cake yeast, ¼ cup tepid water, 1 egg beaten, 3¼ cups bread flour, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ cup of raisins.

Heat the milk, and add sugar, salt, and shortening (butter if you can manage it). Cool to luke warm and stir until dissolved. Add yeast to the cooled milk and sift in the flour and cinnamon, add raisins, and mix well. The last of the mixing is done easiest with the hands. Let stand in a warm place until doubled in bulk, and the dough does not rise when pressed with the finger. Knead lightly on a floured board until the mixture is smooth. Form into buns and place on a buttered pan. Let rise again until doubled in bulk. Cut a cross with the scissors. Bake in a hot oven of 400 degrees for 15 minutes. Glaze if desired with a mixture of 2 tablespoons milk and one of sugar, then return the buns to the oven for a minute.

FRIED BANANAS

Fried bananas are a good accompaniment to any kind of pork and are specially good with bacon or sausage. The extra banana makes a little bacon go a long way. Choose ripe fruit because a green banana does not taste any better when fried than it does when sliced. Peel the banana and cut in halves crosswise, then cut lengthwise, thus quartering the banana. Cook in hot fat after the bacon or sausage has been removed, until browned on both sides. Two pieces or maybe three are a serving.

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To Play Leading Role



Frances James, who is to create the title role in the world premiere of "Deirdre of the Sorrows," "has an appreciative audience in CBC producer Ernest Morgan (left) and Ettore Mazzoleni, conductor, as she discusses her lyric aria in Act 1, Scene II of the opera's score. Composed by Healey Willan, with libretto by John Coulter, the opera will be broadcast over the CBC on Saturday, April 20 at 2 p.m.

WARTIME POOL OF HAND-ME-DOWNS FILLED REAL NEED

Sydney, Australia, (CP) — A "hand-me-down" system, which embraced all school-children of Sydney in one family, for school clothes during the war-time shortages and rationing, was recently closed at a leading store here.

Correct uniform is a very important thing to Australian children, who generally wear distinguishing hat, badges, blazer pockets and, in the case of boys at "public schools", the flat straw "boaters" in summer. All these and many more garments requiring special manufacture were prohibited to save material and labor during the war and but for the clothing pool would have been unprocurable.

A blackboard, placed at the top of the escalator entering the department of the store fostering the "pool" was available to harassed mothers. They would chalk up their children's requirements early in the morning, and by nightfall the response had usually come from some sympathetic mother. In the 200,000 transactions, in which $104,400 changed hands, there was never more than $108 worth of clithing in the pool at a time.

WARNS SUBSCRIBERS

Charlottetown (CP) — One newspaper here is ensuring that its delivery boys will no longer be menaced by angry dogs. The Patroit carried this note in its columns: "If certain subscribers of ours wish to keep unmannerly dogs or watch dogs on their doorsteps, the Patriot will not be delivered to them further."

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Ottawa Woman Known in This District

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Her work, which started as a hobby, has taken her to many parts of the country and she has tramped hundreds of miles through country districts and bush to get the plants she needs.

Interested in traditional handicrafts as well as in their coloring, she has fashioned garments, scarves and small woven articles out of dyed wool, artificial silk, flax and more exotic materials like buffalo wool, hemp, wood fibre and milkweed silk. She is particularly proud of her unique dress of buffalo wool.

Miss Gaultier first became interested in handicrafts when she was studying music in Austria and admired the brilliantly colored embroidery used by the gypsies on their clothing.

Later she travelled through Alaska, the Yukon and British Columbia studying original Indian songs and medicinal plants used by the various tribes. Dyes were obtainable from the same plants and this knowledge launched her on her research work.

The Kwakuitl Indians at Beaver Harbor, B.C., were among those who gave her useful information on their native crafts.

In 1937 Miss Gaultier took an entirely Canadian handicraft exhibit to the International Paris Exhibition and received the gold medal for research in traditional arts and crafts from the French government.

NICE RECOVERY

Brantford, Ont. (CP) — A small fortune of $2,200 lay on a seat in a restaurant here unnoticed until a Toronto woman excitedly phoned police that she had left her purse in the cafe. The police discovered that a waiter had found the purse and turned it in to the manager.

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WANTED — lady cook for two months, for boys' camp, "Echo Valley", near Lachute. Good salary. Other help kept. — Apply Box B-600 Watchman, Lachute. A18-2p.

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B'burg Raconteur

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The homes of both families are still in Ottawa. Members of their party had settled along the road from Prescott.

(To be concluded next issue)

The thanks of the club were expressed by Harris Sherwood.

Guests included D. Silverston and J. Roney, of Aylmer, Quebec; M. D. Saunders and N. Smith, of Montreal, Ernest Leonard, of Lachute; W. Hulton, W. Prosser, of Brownsburg, and Arthur Campbell, of Dalesville.

Boy Scout Troop

The Crow Patrol is now leading the local troop competition with 701 points, followed by the Eagle Patrol second, with 676 points.

Jimmy Campbell and Lester Kelly, of the Eagle Patrol, and George Young, of the Lion Patrol, completed their Tenderfoot tests this week and were invested as Scouts.

A "coming up" ceremony was staged when Kenneth MacDonald Kenneth MacRae, Trenton Boyd and Bain Beers were promoted from the Cub pack to the Scout troop.

Girl Guides

The regular weekly meeting of the 1st Lachute Girl Guide Company was held in the basement of the Lachute High School on Monday, April 8, at 7 o'clock. Six new members were enrolled.

Heather Stewart's patrol, the Robin, leads in points with 235, and Eileen Holt's patrol, the Canary, is second with 225 points.

FOR SALE — convertible go-cart, in good condition.—Phone Brownsburg 438. 1c.

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Round Robin by Badminton Clubs, At Auditorium

LOWER OTTAWA VALLEY TEAMS GATHER FOR TOURNAMENT

A Round Robin tournament was held in Lachute Auditorium Thursday night, April 4, with entries from the Calumet, Grenville, Kilmar, Lachute and Brownsburg Clubs playing for the Tip Top Tailor Trophy, which Brownsburg won in 1940 — and again this year.

The first game started at 7.30 o'clock, and 80 contests were staged during the evening on two courts, which wound up shortly after midnight. Each club competed against one of the other clubs in one men's single match, one ladies' single match, two men's doubles, two ladies' doubles and two mixed doubles. Games consisted of 11 points, due to the short period of time available to play so many contests.

Names were forwarded to Russ Summers, who arranged the match schedule. Score-keeper was Miss Shirley Leggett. The matches went off as scheduled. The only confusion arose through the presence of two "G. Bakers", a lady and a gentleman player; Miss Leggett believing these to be one and the same, found it hard to give the player a breathing spell in between games! However, Mr. Grant Baker came to the rescue and cleared the situation.

Refreshments were provided in the basement by the Lachute Club and served by Elizabeth Burke, Faith Holtby and Bob Reynolds. Referees, in turn, were Harold Barrie, Raymond Underhill, Cecil McFaul, Keith Rutherford, Frank McCaffrey, Doug Sullivan and Ed Pridham.

Summary of Games

	Won	Lost
Brownsburg	31	1
Lachute	20	12
Calumet	13	19
Kilmar	13	19
Grenville	3	29

The following were players participating in the tournaments:

Calumet — B. Foreman, men's singles; P. Robinson, R. Robinson, J. Murphy and E. Racine, men's doubles; Mrs. R. Whinfield, ladies' singles, and doubles, Mrs. Racine, Mrs. Murphy and Miss I. Druce.

Grenville — S. Brigden, men's singles; R. Gauley, D. Clark, W. Clark and E. Pridham, men's doubles; Mrs. L. Lessard, ladies' singles, and doubles, Mrs. A. Leduc, Mrs. E. Pridham, and Miss Elsie Matthews.

Kilmar — D. Sullivan, men's singles, and doubles, L. Thomas, A. Comba, C. Brown and G. Baker; Mrs. G. Baker, ladies' singles, and doubles, Misses J. Baker, K. Madden, Mrs. C. Thomas, and I. Duncan.

Lachute — Ed McFaul, men's singles, and doubles, R. Underhill, C. McFaul, H. Bradford; Miss R. Parsons, ladies' singles and doubles, Mrs. N. Rogers, J. Bradford and R. Dennison.

Brownsburg — R. Summers, men's singles, and doubles, S. Jones, H. Barrie, K. Rutherford and F. McCaffrey; Miss L. Pharand, ladies' singles, and doubles, Mrs. P. Wilson, A. Jones and Miss A. David.

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Refreshments — S. Campbell, J. Hadley, Doug MacKimmie, L. Cruise, J. McKenzie, L. W. Hammond, H. Scott, S. Wilson, H. Carson.

Reception — J. W. Gall, Geo. Muir, G. Valois, L. Bedard, Jos. Belanger.

Auditors — J. W. Gall, G. Valois.

Presentations to Winners

Reviewing the games played in this centre and the cordial feeling that had prevailed among the clubs and players concerned, Dr. Kirby presented awards to the winners of the Hawkesbury centre in the Governor General's Trophy, namely — Geo. Muir, H. Scott, D. J. Bates and G. F. Calder (skip).

Presentation of prizes for the local contests was made as follows :

Dunany Cup, presented by J. W. Gall, to — Wm. Watson, Doug MacKimmie, Jos. Belanger, E. K. Wilson (skip).

Mackie Jr., presented by F. Legault to — Dr. J. Lafleur, S. Wilson, W. Gordon, A. Scott (skip).

Mackie Sr., presented by Mr. R. Raguin, to — Ross Muir, F. Pring, Geo Muir. Geo. Calder (skip).

MacKimmie Memorial Trophy, presented by W. S. MacKimmie — Mrs. S. Simon, R. Rinfret, Mrs. J. R. Charron, H. Scott (skip).

President's Prize — Miss Greig, D. McTavish, Mrs. F. E. Earle, Frank Pring (skip).

Vice-President's Prize — Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Lloyd Creswell, Mrs. G. McGibbon, W. S. MacKimmie (skip).

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CHARTER RENEWAL SUBJECT TO PROOF OF PUBLIC SERVICEABILITY

With granting of a temporary charter by the Quebec Public Service Commission, a bus service started operating last week for local conveyance of passengers. The operators are Robinson Autobus Reg'd, and the service provides two buses of ample space, running on a schedule to meet the needs of workers in the industrial section of town and householders living some distance from the shopping centre. The schedules and rates will doubtless be advertised, so that the public may take best advantage of this service.

The charter for a three-months' experimental service was granted to this company on the request of Georges H. Héon, K.C., M.P., who placed the situation before the Public Service Commission. The chief engineer from the department came to Lachute, inspected and timed the suggested route, and duly approved the schedule and fees. It was emphasized however that renewal of the charter after the expired term depends on the extent to which the public makes use of this service. Therefore, if improvements can be made for the greater public benefit, it is suggested that these be laid before the management.

Britons Find Homes In Old Army Camps

London (CP) — Military camps, vacant in many parts of Britain, are to be used to house families who are either homeless or badly overcrowded until they can find permanent homes.

The War Office states civilians may use huts on camp sites providing there is no further military use for them. The Ministry of Health states if the huts are sanitary, it will not object.

Many people desperately in need of homes say they will willingly live in Army huts providing they will get some privacy. This would be ensured by partitioning the huts into rooms.

Outbreak of Fire At Town Office

At 6.45 p.m. yesterday fire broke out in the Lachute Town Corporation offices, at the town hall. The premises had been closed for business and no one was in the building at the time. A passer-by raised the alarm.

The fire started under a desk in the rear office, presumably in the waste-paper basket. Flames damaged the desk and office equipment, while the dense smoke, and water from the fire-hose, caused certain damage to the interior.

Dwelling House Fire

Last Sunday morning around 9 o'clock the fire brigade were summoned to an outbreak at the home of J. Bellefeuille on Meikle Street. A blaze, starting from a defective chimney, had caught and spread through the attic of the frame building, and the place was well ablaze by the time the firemen and equipment arrived. Two lines of hose were laid and the flames were quickly extinguished. Fire loss was confined to the attic, though the dwelling and contents suffered saturation from water.

Insurance to the extent of $1,500 was held on the property and contents.

Phoned News of Tidal Wave

Mrs. Lemuel Barron, of Lachute, received a telephone call from her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Christensen, at Wahiawa Oaku, Territory of Hawaii, some time following the recent tidal wave which created havoc in that area.

At 8 o'clock last Thursday evening Mrs. Barron was notified to stand by for a long distance call. The connection was established at 6.50 a.m. next day, over a distance of 8,500 miles.

Mrs. Christensen, who was visiting with her son-in-law, described the effects of the disaster, and also stated her intention to visit her mother here shortly.

Cocktail bars are reserved for cities of 50,000 or over. Looks like an experiment of the Ontario Government to see how our big brothers conduct themselves before passing the idea on to the "sticks"—says the Elmira (Ont.) Signet.

Easter As A Symbol

Easter speaks to us of life, and joy, and hope, and realization. These are realities that we do well to dwell upon. They are a part, a very real part, of the great scheme of things, of the universe in which we find ourselves. They are vastly more real than are their opposites. We are justified in holding to them with an unconquerable faith and confidence.

That is what the Easter time calls upon us to do. — That is the conviction that we stand badly in need of. If we had it, it would put new confidence and strength and courage into our lives, and bring to much finer issues many of the things that we are trying to do. We must conquer the sense of futility, if we would work out heaven's will in great and difficult days like these. A fresh baptism of the spirit of Easter is one of our great needs.

Defects of Vision And Correction Explained to Club

Brownsburg — Eyes and eye glasses, was the subject of an interesting talk by L. LaChapelle, of Lachute, to the Rotary Club last Thursday at Brownsburg Hotel.

A graduate in ophthalmology, which is concerned with affections of the eye and its associated structures, the speaker, with the use of charts, explained clearly the functioning of the eyes and how trouble may be averted or corrected.

Of our five senses — sight, hearing, smell, taste and touch — there is little doubt that the first-named is the one we value the most, the one we would least want to lose. Do we really give it the attention it deserves? The speaker was of the opinion that people often neglect their eyes, hoping or expecting that they will become all right by themselves, or that the defect, if any, is not yet serious enough to warrant attention.

There are misconceptions about eyes and eye glasses. First of all, eye glasses do not necessarily indicate weak eyes. A person may have normal vision, denoted as a 20-20 vision, and still require eye glasses.

There is very little connection between diseases of the eye, and glasses. In fact, glasses are of little or no use in such cases.

People are often reluctant to wear glasses, even if they know they should. They feel they are a mark of inferiority; that they are heavy to wear; that they are detrimental to appearance. The speaker warned against this very strongly. He pointed out that many people need glasses and do not know it. Those who do, are the lucky ones, and should cooperate in every way possible to gain the benefit which surely will result. For this reason the speaker believed that people, instead of sympathizing with the poor little child that must wear glasses, should realize how fortunate the child is, to have enlightened parents who took the trouble to start a needed remedy at the earliest moment, when it will do the most good in the quickest time. Immediate attention at an early age will often produce miraculous results, according to Mr. LaChapelle.

The person whose eyes are far from normal, as far as correct sight is concerned, has the least to worry about. Either they get a blurred vision or poor vision, and can do something about it, as they see fit.

The unfortunate part is that — due to the fact that the optic nerve, connecting the eye with the brain, does not carry any sense of feeling, but only the sense of sight — an eye can actually be tired and in real pain, without it registering on the brain. For this reason very many people become physically and nervously fatigued through eye strain about which they know nothing. The eye does not try to correct large errors in eye focus, and the person sees a blur. Minor defects it does strain and try to correct, causing fatigue — which results in other body ailments, such as headaches and even nervous stomach disorders.

Using a colored drawing of the eye, the speaker described the various parts and how they worked, similar to a camera and its film, to focus the light from the object viewed and thus transmit a message of sight to the brain through the connecting optic nerve.

The human eye is usually about one inch in diameter. At the front is the cornea, a transparent covering through which the light passes and behind which is a transparent fluid (aqueous humour) which gives proper shape to the cornea. Behind the cornea and partially concentric with it, is the crystalline lens which focuses the light coming into the eye. Next is the large semi-spherical space behind this lens, filled with a liquid called vitreous humour, again giving shape to the back part of the organ. The inside back wall, corresponding to the film of a camera, is called the retina, a delicate membrane containing the expanded terminations of the optic nerve. These ends are called rods and cones, and it is thought that an object to be visible by the eye must cause light to fall on several rods and cones in order to register. If this is not so, magnification must be effected by a mechanical instrument, to fulfil conditions for the required number of rods and cones.

It might be thought the concentration of these nerve ends at the

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Bert Cole Dead, 68 Years of Age

Formerly private secretary to the late Sir George Perley and assistant secretary to Sir Robert Borden, while the latter was acting high commissioner in London during the First Great War, T. Bert Cole died Saturday at his home in Westboro, a suburb of Ottawa. He was in his 69th year.

Mr. Cole was well known throughout the Ottawa area, and here among residents of the Ottawa Valley, where he accompanied the late Sir George Perley on many visits to his constituents and in his personal and business interests.

At Automotive Conf'ce in Montreal

A number of local garagemen attended the 9th annual Automotive conference and banquet in the Queen's Hotel, Montreal, last Saturday evening.

Those from Lachute included: Gordon Brown, Jim Duncan, R. Meilleur, R. MacAdam, George Davis and Thos. Iddon.

From Brownsburg — Alex Gordon, Edgar Pollock, H. Graves and E. Poirier.

Precious Cheese

Canora, Sask. (CP) — There's an old saying about "throwing money to the dogs" but a Hyas, Sask., man is believed to have fed $5,000 to rats and mice!

The man kept his money in a wooden box hidden under a pile of potatoes in the cellar. The story is that when he went to count it, he found only gnawed fragments of the $5,000 he had hidden. The logical explanation — rats.

Vets' Land Act Representative for Argenteuil County

(Our District Correspondent)

Weir, Que., — George Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen, who has recently been appointed representative of the V.L.A. for the County of Argenteuil and part of Labelle, has his headquarters at St. Jerome, but hopes in the near future to be transferred to Lachute. George spent about 2¼ years overseas. He was a graduate of Macdonald Agriculture College. . . Friends in this community wish him success in his new position.

Late Mrs. Noble Had 22 Great Grandchildren

The death of Mrs. Thomas Noble, Sr., occurred suddenly on April 13 at her residence on Hugh Street, in her 86th year.

The former Elizabeth Ann Welden, she was the daughter of the late James Welden, of Grenville. In 1877 she married Thomas Noble, of Mille Isles, where they made their home for a number of years. About 30 years ago they moved to their present residence in Lachute. Mr. Noble predeceased her 23 years ago.

Mrs. Noble was a loyal member of St. Simeon's Anglican Church; she took an active part in community work and contributed willingly of her time and effort to the Red Cross. She was presented with a Red Cross pin a few weeks ago, in recognition of her work, a gesture which she sincerely appreciated.

Left to mourn her loss are five daughters — Alice (Mrs. Albert Elliott), Lila (Mrs. Albert Noble), Edith (Mrs. Henry Ward), Lillie (Mrs. Clarence Gregory), Ethel (Mrs. Albert Ward); four sons — Reuben and Lemuel, of Saskatchewan, Thomas, of Thomas' Gore, and Richard, of Lachute; and one brother, Jack Welden, of Grenville. She is survived also by 44 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren. One daughter, Hannah (Mrs. Henry Sutton), predeceased her 20 years ago, and one son, James, predeceased her some 50 years ago.

The funeral was held on Monday from St. Simeon's Anglican Church, the service being conducted by the Rev. C. R. Lang, who spoke feelingly of the departed.

Pall-bearers were four of her grandsons, Sgt. Emerson Noble, Staff Sgt. Russell Noble, Pte. Leonard Elliott, L/Cpl. Raymond Ward, one great grandson, L/Cpl. Edgar Elliott, and Cpl. Howard Ward, all of whom had served in the armed forces overseas. The latter was representing a grandson, Pte. Melvin Noble, who is still in the occupation forces in Germany.

Many floral tributes bore testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

Interment was made in Lachute Cemetery.

We won't have heaven on earth till we fight for it like hell.

Chatham Twp. to Honor Its Veterans; Names are Sought

At last meeting of the municipal council of the Township of Chatham, presided over by Mayor Adrien Rochon, the matter of a suitable reception and presentation to ex-servicemen and women of the township was discussed at some length, and it is probable that at the next council meeting a decision will be taken as to the time, place and nature of the demonstration.

J. Albini Lamarche, secretary-treasurer, was instructed in the meantime to secure names of all service and ex-service personnel whose homes are situated in the municipality, so that none shall be missed in this gesture of recognition.

— Through the medium of this report it is requested that the persons or families concerned communicate with Mr. Lamarche at St. Philippe at the earliest possible date — by writing or by telephone if so desired (No. 92-J-12; or after business hours, 478-J, Lachute).

Arrest Alleged Cheque Artist

Tipped off by a local hotelkeeper who claimed to have been handed a worthless cheque and recognized the offender from a picture published in the newspapers, local officers last Friday arrested a man wanted by Ontario police for having allegedly passed false cheques. The offender is a resident of Ontario.

When the police here were notified of the man's whereabouts, it happened that Henri Trichard, chairman of the town police committee, was at the civic offices. The alderman conveyed Chief Villeneuve and Cst. Aldege Page to a house on Bethany Street, where the visitor was placed under arrest and lodged in the town jail.

The following day he was taken to provincial police headquarters in Montreal by Det. Leopold Dauphin.

WARN MOTORISTS ON DISREGARDING TOWN STOP-SIGNS

Anticipating heavier traffic as the season advances, the town police officers are taking steps to enforce rigid observance of the stop-signs at local intersections. In preliminary check-ups before pressing this violation with penalties, it has been found that too many drivers disregard these signs. Offenders — whether auto, taxi or truck drivers — are warned that fines will be imposed upon those caught violating the by-law.

The National Film Board has amassed a comprehensive library of war material, covering all belligerent nations, enemy and friendly alike.

Lachute Man Fills Unique Role







PRINCIPAL BY REMOTE CONTROL: A fair number of principals have more than one school under their jurisdiction but it is doubtful if many can be found to rival H. H. Calder's record. Mr. Calder is principal of the Arvida Protestant High School, up in the Lake St. John district, and, at the same time principal of the Aluminum Company's 10-pupil school in Cockatara, British Guiana, well over 2,000 miles away. Teacher of the Cockatara school (shown in the top picture above, with teacher's residence to the left of the school), is Mrs. Isabel Campbell, whose husband, a chemical engineer, is employed by the Aluminum Company at its British Guiana plant. From the Arvida school (shown in the bottom picture), go curriculum lists, textbook lists and examination papers all South America-bound. By correspondence the principal keeps in touch with his far away charges. Teacher's contract for the Cockatara school is signed in Montreal in the office of the Aluminum Company of Canada Limited.

Voice Complaints on School Administration at Brownsb'g

"Strange Interlude"

(Specially Contributed)

Brownsburg — In the olden days, before British justice became evolved, people resorted to strange methods of determining the innocence or guilt of an accused party. The accused had to undergo some tortuous rite from which, if he escaped unscathed, he or she was presumed not guilty. Trial by fire was a much favored instrument of justice. There was also trial by water, and sometimes the water was infested by sharks, which added zest to the experiences of the accused in proving his freedom from guilt.

Trials have always been an interesting phenomenon of human behavior, and dramatists have used their material for brilliant satires, as did Moliere; for scintillating comedies, as did Gilbert and Sullivan; and for stark tragedy, as did Shakespeare. These great masters of drama had passed along before the more modern concept known as the "People's Court" was instituted, and I doubt if anything their fertile brain could conceive is on a par with this newer method, which bids fair to supersede "Trial by Jury".

Last week in Brownsburg we had a trial of an entirely different kind. For the life of me I cannot say to which category it belongs; it was difficult also to ascertain who was being lampooned.

Briefly stated, the local branch of that worthy organization, the Women's Institute, through its Educational convener, questioned several matters which affect the administration of the Consolidated School. The method adopted to rectify these matters was to utilize the usual Parents-and-Teachers get-together as a sounding-board for publicizing certain grievances selected as of grave importance. Some of the parents attending misconceived the importance of the occasion and proceeded to visit the various classrooms, and was usual in previous P & T nights, which have always been something in the nature of a social event. Arriving at the basement hall it soon became apparent that this was no usual exchange - of - compliments event. A rostrum or justice's bench was placed ahead of the seating space, at which five seats were in position. While I was musing on the significance of the numeral five — whether it was senses, muses or goddesses — Mrs. C. Prosser briskly took possession of the central seat and forthwith called upon Mrs. D. Clark, Mrs. T. Murdoch, Mrs. T. Zimmer and Gerald Quinn to occupy the flanking positions.

The chairman — or chairwoman, it being a Women's Institute show — announced the purport of the meeting. There were several matters, grievances affecting the parents of the school, which the speakers would descant upon. Other members of the Institute would be free to speak on the subject, after which Mr. Denis Staniforth, the school principal, would be called upon to reply. The parents could also ask questions.

The speakers then proceeded to read from prepared papers — that hot lunch facilities were unsatisfactory; in fact none existed. That there was no recess period, and that pupils were denied unrestricted access to the washrooms. Mr. Quinn spoke on the need for safety; he observed that the United States figures were, he believed, much less in incidence than those of Canada, which he admitted he was unable to obtain (they were published in our Brownsburg column last week).

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Hold Open Session On Brownsburg School Matters

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — An interesting meeting was held in the Brownsburg Consolidated School on Thursday evening last, under auspices of the Brownsburg W.I., when a large number of parents and interested friends gathered to talk over problems of Education.

The program opened with a welcome by the W.I. president, Mrs. Wm. Fletcher. Mr. T. Anderson led in a sing-song, after which Mr. Gordon Anderson played several selections on his piano accordeon.

Mrs. C. E. Prosser, W.I. convener of Education, then took charge of a panel discussion dealing with the following questions — child safety; hot lunches; recess and noon-hour discipline; and health questions.

Those taking part in this discussion were, Mr. G. Quinn, Mrs. Douglas Clarke, Mrs. T. Murdock and Mrs. T. Zimmer.

Principal D. Staniforth gave his viewpoint on these questions, after which several members in the audience discussed other problems.

It was felt that this was a very profitable meeting, where interested people could gather and talk over the problems of their children. It was suggested by Mr. C. Moseley that a Parent and Teacher Association be organized.

The Women's Institute are always keenly interested in the welfare of the schoolchildren and are willing to co-operate in every way for their benefit. This organization has helped in the past by giving prizes, the Book of Knowledge, furnishing the teachers' room, flags, etc. — They are to be congratulated for sponsoring this interesting meeting.

Refreshments were served by the W.I. members to all present.

Faces Charge of Reckless Driving

Following a series of dangerous antics here Saturday afternoon, a Montrealer, Georges Laframboise, about 30 years of age, was arrested with an auto rented from Eddy's Drive-Yourself establishment—the car being badly smashed in a mishap at Simon's Crossing on the St. Philippe highway west of the town.

The rough-riding stranger first came to the attention of the local police when the officers were summoned to an accident at the junction of Brownsburg Road and Chatham Street, around 2 p.m. The motorist, and a passenger, had driven from Brownsburg to Lachute, and missing the turn at Chatham Street to take the direction of St. Philippe, ran into a pedestrian on the sidewalk. The victim, Charles Villeneuve, 68, of Meikle Street, suffered severe shock, and bruises to his leg and side. He was taken to the office of Dr. Jules Lafleur for treatment, the driver meanwhile having hurried westward without stopping after the accident.

At the Farmer Brown Motor Sales establishment nearby, however, an employee, Rosario Meilleur, saw the mishap and made note of the man's license number; he immediately notified the police.

It was around 3 p.m. that, on the return trip to Lachute, the motorist came to grief at Simon's Crossing, the car leaving the road and crashing into the ditch. Police Chief D. Villeneuve, assisted by Cst. Aldege Page, arrested the two men at the scene of the crash. The passenger, Rodrigue Cooke, about 27 years of age, was released after questioning.

Lodged in the local jail, the driver, Laframboise, was later taken in charge by Dets. G. Leroux and P. Jasmin, of provincial police headquarters. He was arraigned before a magistrate at St. Jerome, and was subsequently released on $250 bail, to stand trial April 29 on a charge of reckless driving.

The owners retrieved the damaged car at a local garage, and towed it away to Montreal.

Sportsman Home From Hollywood

Jim Foley, who has been in Hollywood all winter refereeing for the Pacific Coast Hockey League, returned to Lachute last week — reporting that hockey had evidenced a notable boom on the west coast this season. The league with which he has been associated is a senior amateur organization, competing for the United States Amateur Championship. In this league it is expected the city of Fresno, Cal., will enter a team next year and Jim Foley, with a broad hockey experience to his credit, is expecting to link up with this outfit in 1946-47 either as manager or coach.

Among souvenirs of his most recent travels he has some excellent photos of screen stars whom he had the pleasure of meeting at Metro - Goldwyn - Mayer Studios. In one of these Jim appears himself in conversation with Edward Arnold and other notables.

OIL FARMERS

Western Canadian farmers may make a million dollars this year from sunflower seeds . . . . source of one of the finest of edible oils. . . . The sunflower was brought to Canada about 70 years ago to Mennonite fugitives from czarist Russia, who used the seeds as an edible nut.

— Kamloops (B.C.) Sentinel

AUCTION SALES

The lot and building formerly known as GENEVA COMMUNITY HALL, will be sold by public auction on Saturday afternoon, April 20th., at 2 o'clock.

Also blackboards, tables, benches, boxstove and stove-pipes, and an organ.

Terms: Cash.

— W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer
Stuart Armstrong, sec. treas.

Auction sale of —
PURE-BRED AYRSHIRE HEIFER CALVES,
also 2 selected bulls, at Lachute Exhibition Grounds, on Saturday, May 18, at 1 p.m., auspices of the Laurentian and North of Montreal Ayrshire Breeders Clubs.

— F. A. Hungerbuhler, Sales secretary
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At the farm of
JOSEPH BRADLEY
Carillon, Que., on Wednesday, April 24, at 10 a.m.

20 Milch cows; 5 heifers, coming 3 years old, due to freshen in fall; 2 2-year-old heifers; 4 yearlings, 3 spring calves, 2 work horses, 45 Barred Rock year-old hens, Reg. Ayrshire bull 3½ yrs. old.

De Laval milking machine, 2 units; Curtis milk cooler, electric motor and pump, pressure tank, litter carrier, De Laval separator, No 17; hay fork, rope and carriage, farmer's boiler, 30 gals., 2 land rollers, 2-wheeled trailer, Moody threshing machines, with blower; 8 horse-power International engine, 3 horse-power International engine, Massey Harris manure spreader, 2 express wagons, 3 sets bob sleighs, single bob-sleigh, 3 cutters, 2 box sleighs, ladders, lot mixed dry lumber, 3 wagons, 2 wagon racks, lot of hay, wheel scraper, slush scraper, steel pig trough.

Massey Harris root cutter, tumbril cart body, hay loader, side delivery rake and tedder combined, one horse rake, drill seeder, broadcast seeder, set disc harrows, 3 sets smoothing harrows, set of spring tooth harrows, double cultivator, 4 single cultivators, double mould board sulky plow, single mould board sulky plow, 2 walking gang plows, 4 walking plows, sulky, corn binder, ensilage cutter, grain binder, 6 ft. cut with truck, mowing machine, rubber tire buggy, quantity of oats, buckwheat and wheat; Chatham fanning mill with bagger, corn planter, roll of chicken wire, number of sap buckets and spouts, 3 sets of double blocks.

3 Sets double harness, 2 sets of britchen harness, 2 sets of single harness, cart harness, express harness, 40 gal gas tank, 12 gal. gas drum, heavy jack, set of electric clippers, set hand clippers, whitewash outfit, 3 sets ice-tongs, 15 8-gal. milk cans, 2 emery stones, 3 ice saws, 2 cross cut saws, 1 set 500 lb. scales, whiffletrees and neck yokes, thresher belt, grindstone, 2 post hole diggers, forks, chains, shovels, ladders, heavy jack, barrel churn, quantity of tools and many other articles.

All to be sold without reserve.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 2% off for cash.

Edgar Boyd, auctioneer

At the farm of
GEORGE R. KELLY,
Avoca, County of Argenteuil, on Thursday, April 25, 10 a.m. sharp:

Gelding 7-years-old and gelding 4-years-old (both 1400 lbs.) 4 yr.-old mare (1600), 7-yr.-old mare in foal June 2, 1-yr.-old colt, 18 head Grade milch cows (Guernsey and Holstein), Jersey bull 1-yr.-old, sow with litter, registered Yorkshire boar 10-mths.-old, 20 Leghorn hens.

Viseo grinder (9-in. plate), shingle mill, fanning mill, International single riding- plow, 3 walking plows, 2 sets finishing harrows, spring tooth lever harrows, Massey-Harris disc harrow, Frost & Wood 7 ft. mower, 10 ft. Moody rake, hay loader, Massey-Harris grain binder and corn binder, Moody ensilage cutter with 27 ft. elevator carrier. Papec ensilage cutter (with blower), Massey Harris manure spreader, ¼ h.p. air-cooled motor.

Light buggy (almost new), set light driving sleighs, rack sleigh, cutter, set of heavy sleighs, steel scraper, pony cart and sleigh, light express, truck wagon with rack, low farm wagon with rack, set cart harness, 3 sets double harness, set single light harness, drag saw, circular saw, milking machine, 2 double units, hand dump for truck, 30 ft. pump, 5 30-gal. milk cans.

Electric fence, cross-cut saw, bucksaw, anvil, cooking range, tumbril cart, logging chains, whiffle-trees, cant hooks, picks, shovels, crowbars, etc., 2 cart wheels hand sleigh, J. B. Doré threshing machine and blower, set heavy pulley blocks, quantity of half-inch cable, hay tedder, 2 Massey-Harris cultivators, set beam scales 300 lb. capacity, grindstone, quantity of firewood, Cecilian piano, household furniture, Daisy churn, etc.

Terms: 6 months' credit with satisfactory joint notes; 2% off for cash.

Victor Courte, lic. auctioneer

Conveyance will meet morning trains. A18-3

At the farm of
DAWSON BURWASH
St. Andrews East (2½ miles east of Village of River Rouge Southwest), Tuesday, April 23, at 12.30 o'clock:

Wagon, buggy, express (two seats), two sets tumbril wheels with axles, rack-sleigh, 2 cutters, light bob sleighs (3 sets), wheelbarrow, double plow, single plow, cultivator, root cutter, clipper, light single harness, 2 tin water tanks (60 and 40 gals.), grindstone, emery-stone, fence wire double blocks with rope, chains, de-horner, planes, saws, hammers, 45 gal. oil tin, churn, toboggan, skils, snow shoes, ice tongs, household furniture, dishes and kitchen utensils and many other articles.

Terms: $10. and under, cash; 3 months' credit on approved joint notes.

Farm sold, and all articles to be sold without reserve.

— W. J. BOYD, licensed auctioneer

Stock and Farm Machinery of —
JOS. PROVENCAL
to be sold at the farm of —
ULYSSE GODIN, AVOCA, QUE.
on Wednesday, May 1, at 1 o'clock:

5 Milch cows; 2 year-old heifer, 3 1-year-old heifers, 1 year-old bull, 2 spring calves, 6-year--old black mare, 1,500 lbs; 5-year-old iron grey, 1,200 lbs, 14-year-old mare in foal, 2-year-old colt, 1-year-old colt.

Massey-Harris mowing machine, Massey-Harris walking plow, hay rake, disc harrow, set tooth harrows, set spring harrows, McCormick-Deering 6-ft. cut binder, as good as new, waggon, cultivator, incubator, fanning mill, circular saw, brand new, Durant engine, all ready for use, 1930 Chevrolet car in good shape and running condition, Renfrew separator, like new.

Set logging sleighs, rack sleigh, like new; skidding and logging chains, set skidding tongs and cant hooks, set heavy double harness, like new, set bridle halters, brand new, set winkle bridles, like new, cooking range, 2 5-gal. cream cans, enough 3-inch dry oak plank to make 2 sets sleighs, and 2 pieces red oak for tongues, electric fence outfit, (good as new), 18 packs No. 1 dry shingles ready for use, decking line, 95 ft, and many other articles.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 12 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 2% off for cash.

Victor Courte, auctioneer.

Effects of the
ESTATE OF THE LATE
DAVID G. STEELE,
on the farm, 1¼ miles west of Lachute, off No. 8 Highway, on Saturday, April 27, at 1 o'clock sharp:

Mare, horse, low wagon with steel tires, horse rake, two mowing machines, plow, set of discs, 2 sets harrows, cultivator, set of double harness, set of single harness, set of double sleighs, sleigh, cutter, 2 buggies, set of fanners, hay knife, set of scales, Viking cream separator, shipping cans, crock churn, pails, quantity of sap cans, cross-cut saws, buck saws, axes, chains, picks shovels, forks, hoes, whiffletrees, etc., grindstone, a quantity of hay and straw, some carpenter's tools, pair of hand clippers, buffalo and horse blanket, car luggage carrier, galvanized air sprayer, galvanized ventilator, set ivory horse spreaders, kitchen table, drop leaf table, chairs, baby's basinette, baby's high chair, beds, stove, crocks, dishes, etc.

Terms: Cash.

— W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer.

Watchman Want Ads bring results!

Seasonal
FARM TOPICS



Appointments, Quebec Dept. of Agriculture

Hon. Laurent Barré has announced two appointments in the Quebec Department of Agriculture, Ernest Dubé, agronomist at Carleton-sur-Mer, has been promoted to Director of the Field Extension Service, position formerly occupied by Mr. J. -E. Lemire, who, in turn, has been named director of the sugar beet production for the St. Hilaire Refinery.

Mr. Dubé was Field Husbandry Instructor for Sherbrooke and then for Rimouski until 1936, when he took up work with the Federal Farm Loan Bureau. In 1937, he returned with the Provincial Government as regional agronomist for Rimouski, later being transferred to Baie des Chaleurs. As Field Extension chief he will now direct the work of the agronomists. This work has been carried on by Mr. Lemire since 1941. Mr. Lemire is an experienced practical agriculturist and it is for this reason he has selected him to promote sugar beet culture in Quebec.

MORE MILK, FEWER COWS

In the United States, although milk production on the farms during 1945 was the highest in the 21 years for which estimates are available, the number of cows on farms showed a sharp decline. The production per cow averaged 4,789 pounds, an increase of 214 pounds on the 1944 figures.

STORE ICE FOR FRUIT

Penticton, B.C. (CP) The Canadian Pacific Railway has placed 8400 tons of natural ice in storage here in expectation of a bumper crop of soft fruits from the Okanagan Valley this season. The ice was shipped from Alberta in 120 freight cars.

REDUCED RAIL TIME MONTREAL - QUEBEC

Montreal — Reductions up to 40 minutes in travelling time between Montreal and Quebec City by way of Three Rivers will result from new train schedules which go into effect on April 28 at the same time as Daylight Saving Time is resumed. The speed-up is announced jointly by Canadian Pacific and Canadian National passenger traffic departments; the railways would continue to operate on Standard Time, although schedules will be adjusted to conform with Daylight Saving.

The trip will clip 40 minutes off 1945 running time, in the fastest schedule ever offered between the two cities. Between Windsor Station and Quebec City it will take three hours and forty-five minutes.

Auction Sale

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Boost Barley Growing By Quebec Competition

Barley is a highly nutritious grain, although rather difficult to grow. In normal times, the West ships us its surplus production, but the Province of Quebec could raise its barley output by growing better varieties which would enhance the value of this grain. This is the opinion set forth by Jules Simard, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, in announcing a competition in barley growing with a view to increasing this production.

Barley is used by the distilleries of Montreal and Quebec, but so far the Quebec and Ontario farmers have contributed very little in supplying this market. Distilleries are now offering Quebec farmers an amount of $3,300 in prizes as an incentive to the growing of barley. Therefore, in order that farmers may participate in the benefits of this offer, the Department of Agriculture is organizing competitions in barley culture.

The grain will be first judged on the field and then later in the granary. The 29 counties eligible will be divided into 12 regions so as to equalize the distribution of prizes.

A sum of $200 will be divided amongst the successful competitors of each region, or $2,400 in all.

There will then be a provincial competition for the four best contestants of each region, with five prizes totalling $400. The four winners of the Provincial competition will then compete against four similar contestants from Ontario. In the final test, four prizes will be awarded amounting in all to $500.

The Department of Agriculture will pay all transportation charges on provincial and interprovincial exhibits; part of the personnel who will act as judges will be appointed by the Department.

Farmers interested in this project must communicate with their local agronomist; all applications must be signed before June 1, 1946.

It must be borne in mind that barley thrives best when it follows a cultivated crop on well drained soil, with a liberal application of chemical fertilizer.

One of the following four varieties must be used: O.A.C. No. 21 Olli, Mensury or Montcalm. Competitors are entirely free to use their harvest as they may see fit, but one of the above mentioned varieties must be used, as they are the best suited for the malting.

Farm machinery prices are not affected by present adjustments being made in prices of certain products affected by the increased cost of steel, the W.P.T.B. announced. The need for overall adjustments is under study by the Board.

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The selection committee for the Ayrshire heifer calf sale, to be held May 18 at Lachute Exhibition Grounds, completed their choice of animals recently, and promise is given of an outstanding show of purebred calves, as well as two select bulls which will be ready for service.

This auction sale, staged jointly by the Laurentian and the North of Montreal Ayrshire Breeders Clubs, is designed to bring purebred stock within a price range attractive to new breeders, thus promoting the trend toward quality Ayrshire herds. A number of the animals will be particularly appropriate for work of the boys' and girls' calf clubs.

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The contest will be limited to malting barley O.A.C. 21, Mensury (Ottawa 60), Olli and Montcalm. 3 acres of barley is the minimum requirement to enter the contest.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE IN BY JUNE 1ST

See your District Agronome at once or write the Provincial Chairman c/o Field Husbandry Branch, Department of Agriculture, Quebec, and get your entry forms and full information as to how you can enter this barley growing contest and win a handsome prize.

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Legitimate Requests

WE HOPE careful consideration will be given the brief presented to Prime Minister Mackenzie King and the Cabinet by the Canadian Federation of Agriculture asking that the Government adopt a more realistic view towards ensuring an improvement in economic returns to the farmer and in the question of the world food crisis.

The Federation points out that the farmers will gladly answer the call of all-out production, but that some solution must be found to the shortage of farm labor. Bold action is needed to offset higher farm costs so that producers can maintain the production figures of 1945.

The Federation's request that a Royal Commission be appointed to study the ever-widening breach between the relatively higher scale of wages in urban industry and the lower scale on the farm is one that demands immediate attention. The disturbing problem must be solved soon or farmers will have to curtail their acreage to a size where one or two men can do the work. Forcing the producers to such a situation with the resultant loss in production, would be most shameful, especially when there is such a demand for food the world over.

The Level Crossing Toll

CARELESSNESS of motorists, faulty visibility through "fogging" of windshields and car windows in frosty weather, and failure to heed the time-honored signals "Stop, Look and Listen", continue to take their heavy toll in death and injuries, statistics compiled by the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada show.

In 1945 there were 378 accidents at railway crossings in the Dominion, bringing death to 129 persons and injuries to 598 persons, some of them serious, as the result of contesting the right of way with locomotives and trains.

Breaking the accidents down to determine underlying causes, the Board reports that in 107 cases it was the automobile which ran into the train. In most other cases appears the entry, "automobile drove onto crossing in path of train and was struck".

The months of November and December were most prolific in crossing accidents, with shorter days and cold weather tending to cut down visibility by frosting windshields and windows, and statistics point to the imperative need for widespread use of anti-frosting and de-frosting devices on all types of motor vehicles.

Reduction of the crossing accident toll by education among their employees and the public, is a continuing campaign of the railways, while the Dominion Government assists greatly through administration of its Level Crossing Fund. — But the statistics impress the fact that nothing can save drivers from their own folly.

The Youth Movements

A MOVEMENT worthy of public support and encouragement is the founding of "Youth Town" centres in the various communities. Already many of these groups have been formed and the idea is spreading rapidly. "Youth Town" is simply a place in the community where 'teen age boys and girls can spend their evenings in a proper atmosphere under excellent guidance. The centres are not "stuffy" places, but centres where the boys and girls can have real fun and enjoy themselves. "Youth Town" centres keep idle youngsters out of poolrooms and other undesirable places. A noticeable drop in juvenile delinquency has been noted in communities which have such centres. Basically no youth is of bad character. It is simply the associations a youth keeps, which influence his being morally good. Adults can do much to see that our children live in the proper environment.

THE FARMER'S Advocate complains about the importance seemingly placed on the wearing of dress suits at functions in agriculture colleges. We agree. A good deal of the money used to build the colleges and to provide tuition fees was earned by men wearing overalls. And some of the overalls were patched at that.

Guard Our Freedom

IGOR GOUZENKO, the Russian embassy clerk who informed on the spy ring operating in this country, gave a remarkable testimony to the Canadian way of life when he appeared on the witness stand at Montreal. This young man, who so admired our democracy that he risked his life to give warning of danger to its security, has mentally grasped what the majority of Canadians fail to realize — the true value of our freedom.

Gouzenko has observed conditions in Canada and in Russia. In making comparisons he was greatly impressed by what is taken for granted by us and generally regarded all too lightly. We think his statements should be given wide publicity. Here are some of the things he said:

". . . In Russia there is only one man mentioned on a ballot, and what remains for the people? There is no right of choice, absolutely none. It is not a democratic way of life in Russia — there is no democratic procedure for elections, and of course, the man who is alone on the ballot will be elected.

"Then there is the question of the right of person. Also, here, a man is actually master of his own fate, and he has possibilities; he has the right of choice where to work and can be distinguished among others. In Russia you are not master of your own life.

"And the important and valuable thing in democratic life is the right of free speech.

"In Canada I was witness to this. During the two years I saw that every person, everybody in Canada could speak what he liked and he can criticize the government. Such a thing in Russia is impossible.

"If you are very noticeable and are critical of Soviet life you would soon be in Siberia, and I am sure you would be shot.

". . . . There is no freedom at all of speech in Russia. During the two years I was here I went over the two sides of the story, and I came to the conclusion that I could find real democracy only in Canada."

We hope Canada-loving citizens will take heed of Gouzenko's remarks and be on guard against any threat to our freedom. Take an interest in public affairs, select wisely from those seeking public office, and let no one interfere with our freedom of speech, our freedom of action, our freedom of religion.

Stand on guard for Canada!

Our Drinking Habits

CANADIAN SERVICEMEN returning after spending long periods in the United Kingdom and in the various theatres of operations, are appalled at the drinking habits of the people at home. A soldier recently made the observation to us that the majority of customers in drinking establishments seem to be obsessed with the urge to drink "the most in the shortest possible time." The result is that the customer ends up intoxicated or nearly so, and if he is a car driver, becomes a menace to human life.

There is little drunkenness in the United Kingdom. That is because the British pub is a social centre, a place where men and women of the neighborhood gather for the evening. Instead of guzzling down drink after drink, the Britisher will probably have only a glass or two in the course of an evening. The men enjoy themselves by playing darts or push penny, while the women discuss problems akin to them.

There is rarely any rowdiness in an English pub. That is because the keeper will not stand for any foolishness, and drinks are not served to people who have consumed more than their capacity.

There is much room for improvement in the liquor situation in Canada. A good start towards betterment could be made by the inn purveyors themselves, simply by refusing customers who have had more than enough.

FIORELLA LaGUARDIA, "The Little Flower", who has taken over as head of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration — might now be termed "The Little Provider".

FOOD AND PEACE

The less we throw in our garbage cans, the less we leave on our plates — the more we can ship to Europe, and the greater the chance of achieving peace and stability. From a humane view, our duty is clear. Psychologically, the necessity is obvious.

— Kelowna (B.C. Courier

SPATE OF FORECASTS

One thing that is not rationed these days is the supply of weather forecasts. Did you ever hear or see such quantities of weather as are ladled out today by radio and over the wires? And it all adds up to what the little four-line "probe" item used to tell us.

— Summerside (P.E.I.) Journal

BROKEN HOMES

Among heartbreaking facts revealed which point to broken homes, are 1366 divorces granted in B.C. courts in 1945, an increase of 358 over the 1944 record. If the backbone of the country is happy homes, this is not a very healthy state of affairs.

— Vernon (B.C.) News.

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Minor Complaints in Brownsburg School —

"Strange Interlude"

(Continued from page 1)

Mr. Denis Staniforth appeared before the court and without benefit of counsel announced that, against his better judgment, he was attempting to answer the astounding charges which had been levelled at the school staff. He had come down at the invitation of the Women's Institute to participate in the usual social evening, so he thought, of Parents-and-Teachers Night; but now he was hauled upon the carpet for something not connected with the educational welfare of this school, but matters solely the responsibility of the School Board. As principal of the school he took his orders not from the Women's Institute, not from the parents, but from the School Board, whose duty it was to supervise and administer the business of the school. . . He then dealt with the points of complaint. The action taken with regard to recess had been laid down by the Board of Education for the province, and after mature consideration had been announced as conforming with the best opinion of authorities on this matter. . . . On the question of hot lunches, he had no jurisdiction in the matter. The very same organization which now levelled those charges undertook to provide hot lunches in co-operation with the School Board some years ago, and after four years of doubtful advantage they threw up the idea and the labor as too much of a headache. Now they come back and ask, why don't the teachers do it. . . The question of free access to the washrooms was a problem. If such a state of affairs were allowed, there would be a continuous stream of children to and from the room, and no teacher could concentrate on the work of teaching. No child is denied permission to go to the washroom as often as they request, but he had instituted a payment for abuse of this privilege that a child so doing will at the discretion of the teacher remain an equal length of time after school. If there was a better system he was prepared to adopt it. Children were thus under continual supervision, and as a result he challenged anyone to visit the basement of washrooms and find one pencil mark on the walls, or one unsightly desecration any place in the school. If any child had some anatomical weakness, surely it was the duty of the parent to inform the teacher, when special provision would be made to accommodate such child. . . . On resuming his seat Mr. Staniforth received an ovation.

Mr. M. V. Trayers, speaking as a parent, said he had four children attending the school and had yet to find cause for complaint. On the contrary he had received every consideration and was perfectly satisfied with both the treatment and educational advantages provided for his children. He asked the parents present to support him in a vote of confidence in the principal, staff and teachers.

Mr. Charles Moseley, in seconding the vote of confidence, spoke to some length on the question of education. He said the question which should be occupying the minds of parents is "not the petty complaints we had heard tonight", but how should we improve the educational facilities which would make Brownsburg one of the best schools in Argenteuil and the envy of the rest. He called attention to the work done by the Citizens' Forum of Brownsburg. "Pick up The Watchman any week and on the front page you will find the report of the matter discussed at the Forum the preceding week." He did not know if everyone present took The Watchman, but if they did not, they should. The question of education was an important and real live issue and "should not be confused or smeared by exhibitions such as we had tonight. . . We want our schools to elevate and instruct, we also want to make greater use of them, and more continuous use." The discussion group adopted the name of the Lighted School; and when he got on his feet tonight, he remarked, there were four other people claiming the attention of the chair in an effort to speak, and he was glad to observe that they were all members of the Lighted School Group. He heartily endorsed and seconded the vote of confidence in the teaching staff proposed by Mr. Trayers and now that the chairman had left the chair, he called for a show of hands. The motion was unanimously passed; there was no dissenting voice.

Mr. Charles Stevens, Chemical Dept., C-I-L, said as a parent he would like to support the motion just moved. He must have been one of the favored few as he never heard from his child any complaint which would justify him taking action against the school administrators. On the contrary he would like to say — During the years he was in Montreal his boy went to school there, and so far as he was aware the child received quite good marks and seemed to be progressing pretty well. Last year he took his family back to Brownsburg and re-entered his boy at the Brownsburg school. Looking over his child's school work he was perturbed to notice that the marks received were very low. The speaker thought it was the upsetting result of changing, so allowed the matter to continue for a time; but no great improvement was becoming evident. Half way in the term he became alarmed that the boy would not make the grade, so he went to the teacher to discuss the matter. He was surprised to learn that the standard of education in Brownsburg was much higher than that necessary to pass in Montreal; as a consequence his boy's progress had been retarded during the years he went to school in Montreal, and now he was not able to hold his own with the other pupils. The teacher, noting his disappointment, offered to spend a little extra time in an effort to bring the child in line — which he very deeply appreciated. The result was that the boy came along somewhat better, nothing to boast about, but he passed. "Some of us don't appreciate some of the benefits with which we are blessed", he added.

Mr. W. King stated that parents are a lot to blame in the manner they support the arduous task imposed upon teachers. Some parents expect the teacher to undertake some of the duties which parents shirk. If the results do not justify their expectations, they blame the teachers, forgetting that they themselves are responsible. The matters voiced here tonight should have been settled, if settlement were needed, by parents contacting the School Board or the teachers — in which he was sure pleasant and amiable relations would not be endangered. He had not now any children going to school, but he was intensely interested in education and proud of the Brownsburg school record. He considered it amazing this had been attained with the meagre facilities which the staff had to assist them.

Mr. A. Dixon, chairman of the School Board, said it was surprising how all these defects in administration existed without the knowledge of the Board. It was even stranger that none of the parents came before the Board to demand they be rectified. The Board meets monthly, on the last Monday, at an hour convenient to all. If any explanation was required of the complaints mentioned tonight he would be quite willing to discuss them with any parent or organization engaged in constructive educational work, at any Board meeting.

Mr. Tom Anderson, who is a member of the School Board, enlivened the proceedings with a song fest of old favorites, the audience joining in the refrains. Mrs. H. Morrison accompanied at the piano.

The members of the Women's Institute served tea and the usual "good time" was had by all.

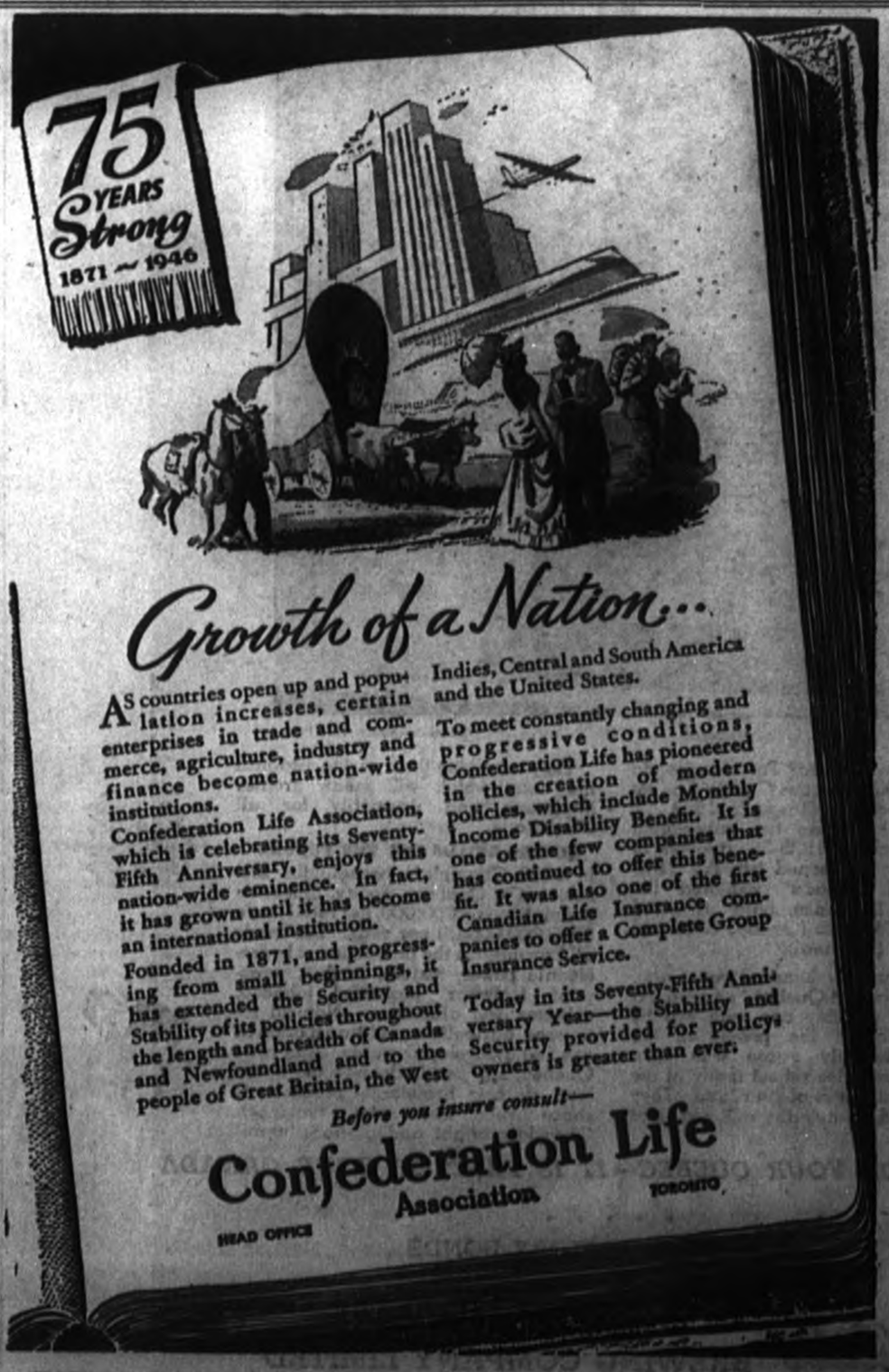
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Arundel

Capt. Robert Huestis, of Chatham, N.B., visited his sister, Mrs. Melvin Graham and Mr. Graham, during the past week.

Miss Beverly Graham entertained several of her friends on Saturday afternoon on the occasion of her 10th birthday.

Mrs. Wilfong and her C.G.I.T. girls enjoyed a sugaring party at Mr. W. R. Thomson's sugar bush on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. David Flannagan is spending his Easter holidays at the Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bishop spent a few days in the city last week.

Recovering from Accident

We are pleased to report Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooke slowly recovering from a bad car accident on Tuesday last. Miss W. Cooke, R.N., has been attending her brother and sister-in-law. Miss E. Cooke, R.N., and Mr. Roy Cooke visited over the week-end.

Summer Resident Wins Notable Award

Dr. William Howard Barnes, associate professor of chemistry at McGill, who was recently awarded the Guggenheim Fellowship in recognition of achievements in chemical research — is associated with this community. His wife is the former Margaret Staniforth, of Arundel, and Dr. and Mrs. Barnes occupy their summer residence each season at Cariboo Lake.

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Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Cooke, of Ottawa, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. S. Smith, motored here and visited Mrs. Cooke's sister, Mrs. L. Champagne, and her grandfather, Mr. Pickett. The latter, who has been laid up for some time, is at present with Mr. and Mrs. Skelcher at their home here.

Mr. Douglas Scarfe and Miss May Conway motored from Ottawa and spent the week-end with Mrs. G. C. Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Porteous motored from Montreal on Thursday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar.

Mr. Eddie Baron, who has been in Montreal for some time, is spending a few days with his family here.

Master Harris Brazeau is at present in Dr. Smith's Hospital, Hawkesbury, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. His little friends are pleased to know that he is progressing favorably.

Mrs. MacCallum, her daughter Evelyn, of Montreal, and her son, Capt. Lester MacCallum, of Kingston, are spending the Easter holidays at their home in Avoca.

Old Citizen Mourned

Another old citizen, in the person of D. V. Cameron, passed away here on April 12. A funeral service was conducted by the Rev. S. T. Burman, in Grenville United Church on Sunday afternoon, April 14, and was very largely attended. The late Mr. Cameron, in poor health for a number of years, had been cared for by his son and family. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Harrington

Mrs. L. M. Marshall is spending this week with relatives in Lachute.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dougall McLean over the week-end were — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Poulter and children, Misses Melba and Manda McLean, Miss M. Collins, Mrs. R. McLean, Mr. H. Giroux and Mr. W. Carmen.

Presentation to Pastor

A gift of money was presented to the Rev. and Mrs. Peddle at a farewell gathering which took place at the parsonage on Saturday evening. The Rev. and Mrs. Peddle left Monday for Toronto. They will be missed in the community.

Harrington Ladies' Aid held their monthly meeting on Tuesday of last week at the home of Mrs. J. Marshall.

Mrs. T. J. McMahon and Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Mr. R. McCulloch was in Montreal Sunday visiting his brother, Mr. P. McCulloch, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. Borden McCulloch visited here at his home on Sunday.

Miss Freda McVicar, of Macdonald College, visited at her home here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trineer, of Kilmar, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett on Sunday.

Mrs. George Poulter, Sr., is now undergoing medical treatment in Montreal. Friends in the community wish her a speedy recovery.

Cushing West

Mrs. Macrone, of Montreal—also her daughters the Misses Dorothy and Alice Macrone, and Mr. Harold Guest — were motor guests of Mrs. Usher on Sunday.

Messrs. Douglas and Wilfred Hartley spent the week-end at the latter's cottage. — Mr. Kenneth Hartley, recently discharged from the R.C.A., and Miss Bernice Faughnan, of the Town of Mount Royal, also motored here on Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Davidson, of Como, Que., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. Mullin, visited friends here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Desforges visited friends at Brownsburg on Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Mattinson, Mr. H. Young and Miss Edna Young, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Miss Whelehan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson and Miss Pearl Dawson, of Stonefield Heights, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Sunday last.

Mrs. Grace McNaughton, of Black River Bridge, N.B. — who has been visiting with Mrs. F. R. Douglas in Montreal, since the latter's accident some weeks ago—was a guest of Miss Whelehan and other friends here on Sunday. She reports Mrs. Douglas' condition as improving — which her many friends here are much pleased to hear.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Brown, of Alywin, Que., spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchin.

Mr. Wyman McGibbon, of North Vancouver, B.C., is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. McAdam.

The B.Y.P.U. of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their meeting this week, when final plans were made for their Sunrise Service which will be held in the church at 6.30 a.m. Sunday, April 21. Visitors are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pollock were in Montreal on Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Morrow, of Dalesville, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Mosher are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell in Dalesville, and other relatives in Brownsburg.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Seary and family in their bereavement — Mrs. Seary's father, Mr. Fisk, having passed away this week.

A drama-service in the form of the Eastertide Crusade Pageant, will be presented at the United Church on Easter Sunday evening at 8 o'clock, when upwards of 30 characters will take part, depicting prophecy and history from the birth of Christ to His resurrection . . . The time set for this event is to accommodate friends from other churches in attending after their own services.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Young and Mr. Alvin Young left last week for a visit to friends in Humberstone, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Townsend have returned home after visiting with friends in Lachute.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Evan Bates on Thursday last.

The Rev. S. J. Pike held service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Smith on Thursday evening. Next service will be held in St. Andrew's Church.

Miss B. Clarke, of Montreal, was the guest of her mother on Sunday last.

The Rev. Mr. Prichard, of Montebello, conducted service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karr on Friday evening last. The next service will be in St. Mary's Church . . Mrs. Prichard accompanied Mr. Prichard.

Mrs. Earle Farrara is spending a few days visiting her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb and two children are guests of Mrs. Wm. MacLeod this week.

Miss Flora MacLeod visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates.

Mr. J. Milway and Mr. Emmett Garland, of Rouyn, Que., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garland last week.

Lifelong Resident Mourned at Arundel

Late John R. Dobie

Arundel — The death of John R. Dobie occurred suddenly on Tuesday, April 9, at his residence in Arundel. Mr. Dobie, who was in his 67th year, had been in poor health for some time but his passing came unexpectedly.

A lifelong resident of Arundel, he is survived by three sons, Stanley, Arthur and Clarence; a daughter, Pte. Jessie Dobie, of the C.W.A.C.; also two sisters, Mrs. J. Alexander, Arundel, Mrs. Charles Galley, Montreal; and one brother, George Dobie, of Arundel.

The funeral service, conducted by the Rev. A. Wilfong, was held in Arundel United Church. Miss Vera Evans was organist.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Gilmor Dobie, Stanley Craig, Edward Craig, Emile Dubeau, Arthur Scott and Robert Hess.

Burial took place at the Rouge Valley Cemetery.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

BIRTH

WOOD — On April 11, 1946, at the Catherine Booth Hospital, Montreal, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood, of Mille Isles, a daughter. Both doing well.

DEATH

NOBLE — At Lachute, Que., on April 13, 1946, Elizabeth Ann Welden, beloved wife of the late Thomas Noble, Sr., in her 86th year. Funeral held Monday, April 15, at St. Simeon's Church. Interment in Lachute Cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

NOBLE — The family of the late Mrs. Thomas Noble, Sr., wish to express their sincere thanks to all those who were so kind to them in their recent bereavement, and also to all those who were so kind and helpful during her illness.

IN MEMORIAM

BRUNELLE — In proud and loving memory of our dear son, Pte. Paul Brunelle, killed in action overseas on the 18th April, 1945. — Too dearly loved to be forgotten. Mother and Dad.

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Since our great sorrow fell,
The shock that we received that day
We still remember well.
We never knew what pain he bore
We did not see him die,
We only knew he passed away,
We could not say good-bye.
We think of him so often,
His name we oft' recall,
But only left to answer us
Is his picture on the wall."

BRUNELLE — In loving memory of my brother, Paul, who was killed in action in Germany on the 18th April, 1945. —Always remembered by Jean, Mandly, Evelyn.

"Day of remembrance, sad to recall,
The loss of a brother, the best friend of all,
One of the best that God could send,
A loving brother and a faithful friend.
Two little words, not hard to write,
But I will remember them all my life — 'My Brother'".

BRUNELLE — In loving memory of our brother, Paul, who was killed in action overseas April 18, 1945. — Sadly missed by George, John, Laurette and Mick.

"When the evening shadows are falling,
And we are sitting here alone,
To our hearts there comes a longing —
If you only would come home!
We're lonesome, Paul, without you,
We miss you more each day,
Somehow life doesn't seem the same
Since you were called away."

PROPHET — In loving memory of our dear Olive, who passed away April 16, 1939. — Ever remembered by, Jean and Mary.

"We never can forget your smiling face,
Your carefree happy ways,
The smile that won so many friends
In those bygone happy days.
If all the world were ours to give,
We'd gladly give and more,
To see your happy face we loved
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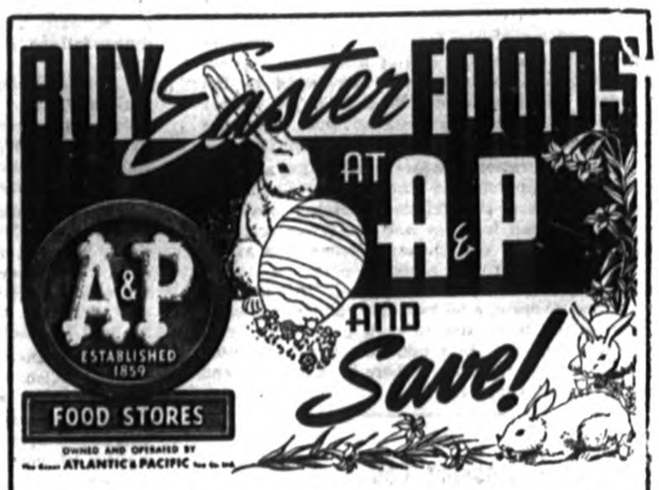
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Jobs or Homes

• By EILEEN E. CONSIGLIO

Canada's housing situation, since the depression of '29, has been a question in our national life. During the war it assumed the proportions of a problem and this problem has become even more complex since the return of our service personnel — many of whom, do not forget, have returned as family men. No exception can be taken to people marrying, but this number of new householders does complicate the situation. Yes, *the housing shortage is a serious problem, but I do not believe it is worthy of the well-nigh hysteria which is being worked up by certain pressure groups.*

There are those in our midst who would have us believe that housing is the responsibility of the government. On every side we hear of deputations waiting on the Ministers, resolutions passed by well-meaning organizations, and other signs of desire to shift the personal responsibility onto the shoulders of our spokesmen in Ottawa.

Prior to the election on the eleventh of June last, we had our choice of parties, and there was nothing in the elected party's platform which pledged the provision of homes. There was a promise that money would be available under the National Housing Act for the construction of homes, and this money made available on long term loans at a low rate of interest.

Strangely enough, the people now magnifying the housing situation are the very same people who during the war years were resentful of anything that diverted manpower from the manufacture of munitions. When those with a little more vision advocated the offsetting of some of the difficulties likely to be met with in the early days of peace, the constant cry was "Win the war first!"

The war is won! Now we must start in earnest to defeat the enemies of peace. Among our greatest enemies in this fight for peace are a lack of initiative and desire to get out and carve our own destiny. This country was built on the pioneering spirit and it might be a very fine thing if we would engender some of that spirit today.

Have we taken the Four Freedoms too literally? Do we think that Freedom from Want implies that all our needs will be attended to without any effort on our part? Can this Freedom from Want be defined as a combination of labor unions and government? Does Freedom from Fear mean the freedom from fear of having to exert ourselves? It seems to me that we would be much better advised to pass resolutions in our organizations which would pledge co-operation with government and management. The big three during the war years were the heads of the three major powers. In peacetime, the big three are not individuals; they are groups represented by government, labor and management. Without the closest co-operation of these three our march forward will be slowed down to a mere saunter. At this point we are faced with a decision. We must decide now whether we want homes or jobs. We can have both, but one or the other must be given the advance position in our plans.

I referred to the fact that many of our veterans have returned as heads of families. Naturally, we are delighted that these families are re-united and it is regrettable that the housing shortage prevents them from setting up housekeeping on a scale which they desire. However, in all fairness to those of us who served on the home front, it must be pointed out that we were not as neglectful as some would have us appear. During the war years Canada was turning out the weapons so urgently requested in the plea "Give us the tools and we will finish the job". Since we were using manpower to supply these tools, we could not turn out materials for, or attend to, the erecting of homes. Also, Canada became a larder for the world, and the amount of foodstuffs shipped from Canada during the past six years did require the channelling of labor in this direction. Apart from these tasks, the huge number of buildings required for the manufacturing of these weapons and the housing of the workers at the plants, as well as the required accommodations for our army personnel in training, the building of air ports and all the necessary construction in connection with the Air Training scheme, did keep construction labor occupied.

Let us remember, too, that because of this priority construction, it was necessary to obtain a permit if an individual wished to build a house; and so that there would be no luxury building, restrictions were placed on the size of homes. These restrictions were made because of public censure which frowned on the building of larger homes, forgetful of the fact that anyone who built a house was vacating another dwelling which would house a new tenant.

I believe the solution to this housing problem lies in building to the greatest possibilities of the construction industry, but these possibilities are not inexhaustible. According to Mr. H. C. Nicholls, in his presidential report at the Canadian Construction Association Convention held in January, the present capacity of the building industry in Canada is 30,000 units a year. This is just half the annual number considered adequate by that organization, but it is pointed out that the curtailment in number is due to insufficient building materials and the shortage of trained labor.

Without serious reflection, it would be very easy to say, well increase the supply of building materials; but the solution can be over-simplified — the capacity of building plants is limited, even with overtime work. Labor, a serious factor in all projects today, has not proven itself willing to be shifted from one job to another; perhaps, I might be more accurate if I merely said labor *is not willing!*

Another handicap to our building programme, is our exports of lumber and other building products to the bombed-out areas of Europe. Apart from the humanitarian angle of helping to rebuild these devastated countries, we have the more practical side, in that there is no ceiling on exports of these materials. Another decision seems necessary here: do we wish to concentrate solely on our personal affairs, or do we hope, by extending a helping hand, to work up future international trade, on which Canada, economically, is dependent to such a high degree?

It might be interesting at this point for us to give some serious reflection to the group that is advocating so strongly that housing is the government's responsibility. Have the latest reports proven that this element is working for the good of Canada and of Canadians? According to the records of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, it is evident that this group was very willing to make housing a state project; in fact they hoped in due time, not only to assume the obligations of the citizens of Canada, but to relieve us of our democratic privileges as well.

Without in any way minimizing the seriousness of the housing shortage, I would suggest that we concern ourselves with the problem of unemployment. There is not much point in providing homes if we let slide other construction ventures which would supply livelihood.

One major item in construction which would provide employment for a large number of Canadians, both directly and indirectly, is road construction. The mere mention of this suggestion, no doubt, is horrifying to many people desperately in need of living accommodation. However, it is pointed out by those in the best position to speak with authority, that the postponement of any amount of road building would not build one additional house. Materials used in quantities in these two types of construction differ greatly, with the exception of portland cement, and it is known that there is no shortage of cement.

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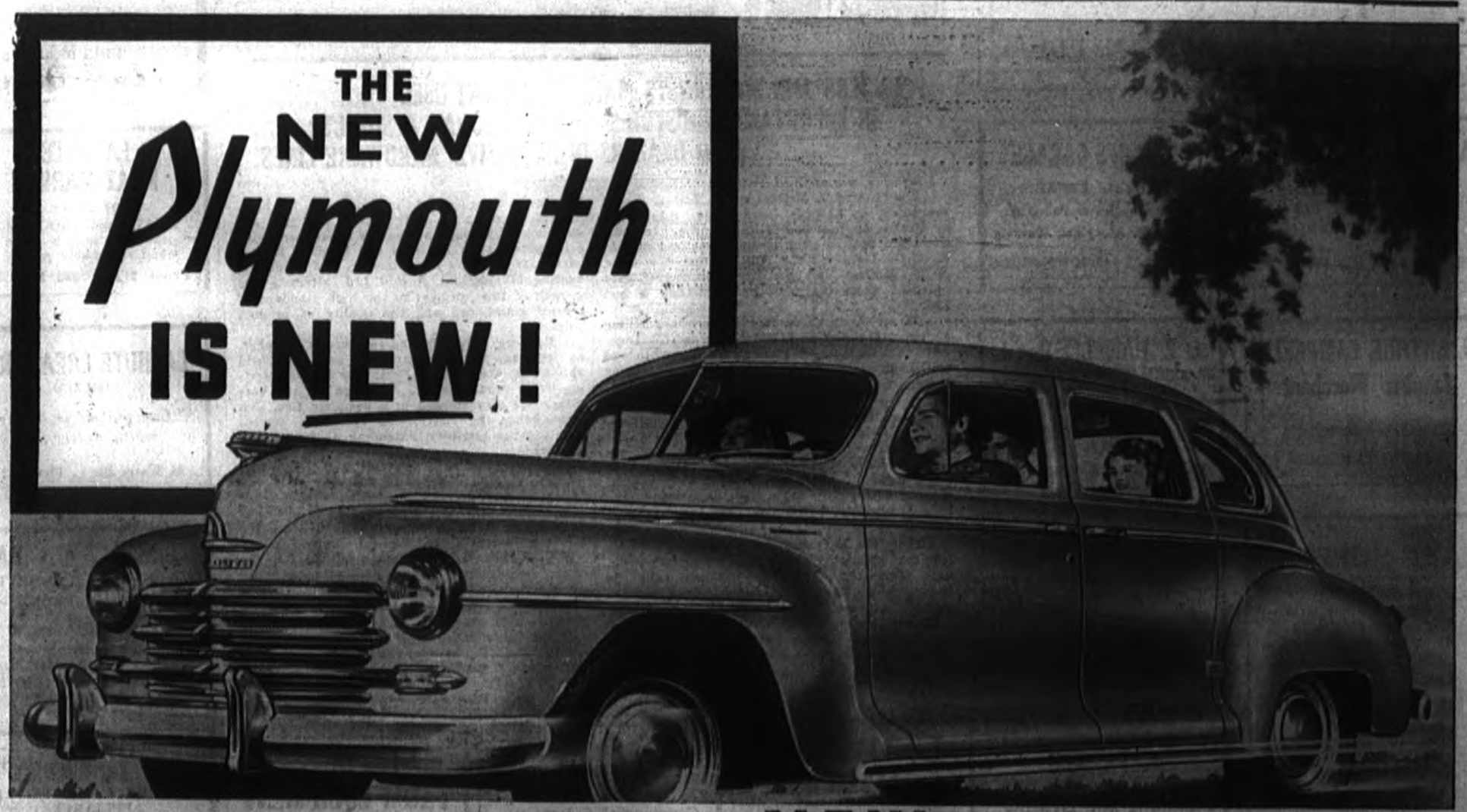
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Today Confederation Life does an international business, having 64 branches in 20 countries — 36 in Canada and 28 abroad. At the end of 1945 assets were $188,180,567 and business in force $621,950,297, and every working day the company pays policyowners and beneficiaries an average of $45,000. When it commenced operations in a two-room office in Toronto, the population of Canada was only 3,689,267, of whom 80.5% lived in rural areas and less than 3% west of the Great Lakes.

Unique in its long association with one name — that of Macdonald — Confederation Life was founded by the late John Kay Macdonald. Born in Scotland in 1837, he came with his parents in 1845 to a farm in Peel County, Ontario. As a young man he took an active part in local government and was treasurer of York County for 54 years. When he died in 1928 at the age of 90, he had guided the destinies of Confederation Life for 57 years. He helped to form the Canadian Life Insurance Officers Association more than 50 years ago, and was president for four terms. He was also prominent in religious, educational and philanthropic work. His son, Charles Strange Macdonald, who succeeded him as president in 1930, is now chairman of the board; his grandson, John Kenneth Macdonald, joined Confederation Life in 1926, and is now vice-president.

Confederation Life Association was one of the first life insurance companies to provide policy-owners with total disability monthly income benefits, and is one of the few companies still offering these benefits. In 1921 it pioneered the now widely accepted principle of offering insurance without medical examination. In 1934 it was the first life company in Canada to offer group hospitalization benefits, and is today one of the few companies that provides a complete group insurance service.

Confederation Life Association has for many years been renowned for its Canadian historical calendars, copies of which may be seen in schools, public buildings and offices in many countries. During the anniversary year the original paintings are on exhibition across Canada.

HISTORIC SCENE



"The First British Flag on North America" depicts John Cabot and his son Sebastian landing on Cape Breton Island in 1497. It is one of the 18 original calendar paintings by J. D. Kelly from the noted Canadian historical collection of Confederation Life Association. These paintings are being exhibited across Canada as the company celebrates its 75th Anniversary.

Hunts Coyotes On Big Scale

Shannavon, Sask. (CP) — There's nothing small about Merrill Simmons, of Scotsguard, Sask. He farms on a large scale — and he hunts coyotes the same way.

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BULLET IN PARLOR CAR

Woodstock, Ont. (CP) — Passengers in a parlor car of a Toronto-bound train were startled when a bullet whistled through the car and shattered a double plate glass window as the train pulled out of here. No one was injured and police thought the bullet was fired by a youngster with a small calibre rifle.



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Jobs or Homes (Continued from page 5)

this view may be short-sighted. Much of Canada's prosperity is dependent on her tourist trade and we cannot expect our American neighbors to cross our borders in large numbers if our roads are not in good driving condition. It might be a surprise to those living in towns that are adequately supplied with good highway outlets, to learn that, out of Canada's total road mileage of 564,538 miles, four-fifths of this mileage is dirt road. If we expect our country to be a magnet for tourists, then we must make this country a place that is easily "toured".

Let us bring some realism to this housing situation. We should shed the Hollywood haze which seems to envelop our housing dreams. On the screen, very ordinary people on very ordinary incomes live in homes where to hold a conversation in the living room with any degree of comfort would require a public address system — but in real life, which seldom matches the counterpart on the silver screen, similar people with comparable incomes seem to lay all blame on the builders when the area of the living room offered to them practically necessitates the painting of their furniture on the wall! In housing, as in everything else, we get what we pay for. The construction industry is not made up of philanthropists; neither is it composed of a group of thieves! Building costs today are very much higher than in pre-war years, but this rise is not restricted to building prices. In many other purchases we find higher costs. Sometimes these are camouflaged — as in the case of the new cars, where a spare tire is no longer considered part of the standard equipment. In fact, I believe the only gadget on the new cars not considered an "extra" is the horn!

Let us strike out and bring to this situation some initiative and individual effort. Our government should not be considered a taxpayer's crutch! Instead of clamoring for additional departments and commissions to look after this and that, we should be advocating that many existing departments be dissolved. The number of civil servants on Canada's payroll is out of all proportion to the number providing that payroll.

Before the war the people of Germany were roused by an articulate group which convinced them that the Nazi choice lay between butter and guns. The Germans decided in favor of the guns and later, as a result of this choice, they unloosed on the world the most monstrous weapons ever devised for the destruction of civilization. That these guns were inadequate, in spite of the nation's restricted butter quota, is now history. We Canadians can be proud of our share in the overthrowing of this mighty machine — but let not this pride befuddle us, as we turn to make our first choice for peace. Shall that choice be — jobs, or homes?

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Alberta Hills left this week to visit in Vancouver, B.C.

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Mrs. W. P. Cruise, of Montreal, spent two weeks visiting with Mrs. Peter Cruise at Lachute Mills.

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Miss Maureen Berniquer, of New York City, and Mr. Jim Foley, of California, are visiting with the former's mother, Mrs. Jos. Berniquer, Sr.

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Miss Marjorie Leggett, nurse-in-training at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, spent last week-end at her home in town.

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Mrs. R. A. Giles left on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. Bolster in Springfield, Mass.

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Mrs. Harold Carson is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis at Kemptville, Ont., and with Mr. and Mrs. H. Holstead in Ottawa.

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Mrs. Norma Rogers, Miss Vivian Rick, Miss Maude Cottingham and Mrs. Ralph McOuat are leaving today to spend the Easter week-end in New York City.

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Miss Freda McVicar, of Macdonald College, was in town this week, practice-teaching at Lachute High School.

Flt. Lt. Ralph Allen and Miss Joyce Marshall returned to their homes in Montreal today, after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Deacon.

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Among teachers from Lachute High School spending the Easter holidays at their respective homes are — Miss Vivian Rick, at Richmond, Que., Miss Maude Cottingham and Miss Norma McClenaghan, at Ormstown, Miss Elva Ness, at Howick, and Miss Mary Scott, at Montreal West.

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10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.
7 p.m. Evening Worship.
8 p.m. to 8.45, Christian Endeavor.

ST. SIMEON'S ANGLICAN CHURCH
EASTER SUNDAY

7.45 a.m., Holy Communion.
10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
GOOD FRIDAY, 11 a.m.
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D
10.00 a.m. Sabbath School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
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7 p.m. Evening. Worship
"The Message of Easter"

Special Easter music will be rendered at both services.

Service will be held on Good Friday at 11 a.m. The guest preacher will be Rev. G. A. Norman, B.A., of Ste. Therese.

The Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday, April 28th, at 11 a.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
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EASTERTIDE SERVICES

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Communion and Reception.
8 p.m. A Drama-Service on the Crusade at Eastertide.
GOOD FRIDAY, 7.30 preparatory service.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, Pastor
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Bible School 10.00 a.m.
Easter Service 11 a.m.
Happy Hour, Monday at 7 p.m.
Young People's Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.

An offering for the CHURCH EDIFICE FUND will be taken and special music will be rendered at both churches on Sunday.

DALESVILLE

Bible School 2 p.m.
Easter Service 3 p.m.

Rev. John McNab, of the Bible Society, will conduct a Lantern Lecture next Tuesday at 8 p.m.
Prayer, Wednesday 8.00 p.m.

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Lakefield 8 p.m.
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Supper Meeting on Behalf of Pension Fund

A supper meeting in the interests of the Pension Fund campaign of the United Church of Canada, will take place at Lachute United Church on Tuesday, April 23., at 6.30 p.m. The Rev. H. G. Tuttle, chairman of Montreal Presbytery, will be present and address the gathering. The principal speaker will be Mr. Douglas Walkington, a prominent layman of the church, who, in civil life, is sales promotion manager of the Organic Chemical Division of Canadian Industries Limited.

Palm Sunday Services Opened Pre-Easter Devotions at B'burg

Eastertide Pageant Concludes Special Observances, Sunday Evening at United Church

Brownsburg — Palm Sunday opened the Pre-Easter series of special gatherings this week, sponsored by the Crusade Committee, with an excellent attendance each evening.

On Sunday evening the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike, was assisted by Sq.Ldr. Rev. M. W. Williams, of Lachine, Que., where he is serving at the Release Depot. After a successful pastorate at Valleyfield, Que., he served overseas for four years as chaplain of a heavy bomber squadron; and the Rev. Williams related some touching incidents in connection with his chaplaincy. On his release from R.C.A.F. duties he will become the minister of Grace United Church, Lachine. . . Accompaning him from Montreal were Messrs. S. G. Moreland and A. W. Hamilton. Mr. Moreland gave a brief address on his experience in Christian service. As an insurance man he told of the comfort he was able to bring to sorrowing hearts because of war casualties, in which some $40-million passed through his hands. A prominent layman of the Madison Avenue Baptist Church, Montreal, Mr. Moreland has been assisting the Rev. H. Campbell in connection with the Religious Institute at Immanuel United Church. Mr. Hamilton, also a prominent layman, and Sunday School superintendent at Westminster - Central United Church, Montreal, rendered two musical gospel numbers.

On Tuesday evening, the Rev. G. A. Norman, of Ste. Therese, was guest speaker, and delighted his audience with "The Christian Viewpoint of Life". Mr. Jan Simons sang "The Holy City" and "Still, Still With Thee". Members of the Junior Ladies' Association, occupying the choir gallery, led the singing.

On Wednesday evening, the Rev. W. W. Conrad, of Vankleek Hill, brought a message of hope and victory out of the apparent defeat f our Lord's Passion. Mrs. L. C. Reynolds, Mr. Conrad's daughter — substituting for her sister Mrs. C. Ross, who was indisposed — sang "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" and "The Light of the World is Jesus". Members of the Senior Ladies' Association and Woman's Missionary Society led the singing of the gospel hymns.

Services continue tonight (Thursday) with another group from Montreal, including Mr. and Mrs. F. Kettyle, formerly of Brownsburg, who will bring messages in gospel song. Tomorrow evening (Friday) the service preparatory to the Easter Sunday morning Communion and Reception will be held.

On Sunday evening at 8 o'clock an Eastertide Crusade Pageant will be presented under direction of Mrs. Wm. King — assisted by Mrs. R. B. Johnston, who has the care of the scenes, costumes and regalia; Mrs. D. A. Atkins, who keeps the contact in the various parts; and Mrs. C. J. Wheeler, who has charge of the music, with the Choir. The Rev. S. J. Pike will deliver the script. Some 25 to 30 characters will make up the Crusade cast.

The public are cordially invited to any and all of these inspiring Easter observances.

Decline of Church Attendance Discussed By Christian Endeavor

The Christian Endeavor meeting, held Sunday evening in the Presbyterian Church hall, was under the chairmanship of Robert Cairns. The program was highlighted by a discussion, led by the chairman, on "The Steady Decline in Protestant Church Attendance".

The conclusions drawn by the meeting may be summarized as follows, under the headings Causes and Remedies.

Causes

1. Laziness on the part of parents, breeding indifference in their children by lack of example.

2. Lack of interest through lack of knowledge of the bible. It may be noted that, in general, those who argue most strongly against the Church, have the least knowledge of the bible.

3. Actual disbelief.

4. Churches encountering increasing competition in the form of the cinema, sports, etc.

5. Failure on the part of the church organization to maintain the interest of the people by — (a) Failing to make Christ convincing; (b) Failing to give leadership to world reform by not applying organized opposition to present world economic and social ills; (c) A lack of courage in the church organization to point the way in the application of Christ's teachings to our economic and social life.

Remedies

1. Those who form an active part in church organizations should appeal earnestly to parents to give serious consideration to the church, if not for their own sake, then at least to show an example to their children.

2. Church adherents should impress others with the fascinating truths which may be found in the bible.

3. Actual disbelief can be overcome only by an energetic drive and example on our part. It must be remembered that no disbeliever has any adequate argument against Christ's teachings.

4. The churches must increase their use of modern media to spread the Gospel. If the people will not go to church, reach into their homes through the radio, and even through use of the cinema.

5. (a) Church governing bodies can help make Christ convincing by developing preachers who have the ability to do so. (b) Church leadership can be established by its governing bodies establishing a courageous policy in regard to application of Christ's teachings in our economic, social and political organizations. Only by such a step can those who have strayed be convinced that the church has something to offer.

The meeting concluded that, of all the methods to be used to strengthen church membership, one method should not be used, namely that of forcing people to attend church by instilling into them the fear that they will "not be saved" if they do not attend. Such a method would not have been used by Jesus. Our Christian God is a God of love, not of fear.

The chairman for next meeting will be George F. Calder.

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(Our District Correspondent)

St. Andrews East — On Good Friday morning a joint service will be held at 11 o'clock in the Anglican Church, for the congregations of the United Church and Christ Church.

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Young People's Club

On Thursday, April 4, the Y.P.C. spent a gay evening at the United Church manse, where they held a shower for Miss Lucy Dennis. The program began with "Romance of Lucy and Bill", ending with "Predicaments and Remedies", and evoked great hilarity throughout. Refreshments were served and the guest of honor cut the bride's cake. The Y.P.C. is losing a faithful and active member in Miss Dennis — who left the following morning for Brockville, where she will reside, following her marriage to Mr. W. Hill.

The Y.P.C. meeting on April 11 was held at Mrs. Robt. Robinson's. The Fellowship Committee were in charge. An animated discussion took place — to be continued at a later date.

The home of Ross Hyde will be the meeting place of the April 18 meeting. The program is in charge of the Citizenship Committee, under Phyllis McLeod.

Plans are progressing favorably for the ameteur night and dance for the "Save the Children" Fund.

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Active for "Save the Children" Fund

The women who have been meeting for the past month to sew for the "Save the Children" Fund, have packed their second large carton of clothing. All ladies of the community interested in this project are invited to participate by contributing used clothing or material, or by attending the sewing sessions held at the United Church manse every Wednesday afternoon.

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History of Ottawa And Development Of River Valley

By Aurele Cote, Brownsburg

(Continued from last issue)

It's an ill wind that doesn't blow someone a little good. While the three pioneer families, Wright, Honeywell and Billings, were struggling to make a success of the colony, far away events were happening which were to make a great impression on the life of the valley. Napoleon and Czar Alexander of Russia, desiring to slow up the British Navy, had cut off the export of Baltic lumber to England. What might have been a serious turn for the Navy was averted when Wright cut, squared and, against the advice of experts, floated the timber down the Ottawa and St. Lawrence to Quebec, where the British Navy loaded it eagerly for England.

This was the beginning of the end for the rule of fur in the valley. Canadian white pine, or white gold as it became known to these pioneers, began to supplant furs as the wealth of the Ottawa.

For the next hundred years the wealth that poured down this great waterway was tremendous. This was good for the growth of the colony, but bad for the future Canada. One of the earliest mills was that of Pattee and Mears at Hawkesbury, later taken over by the Hamiltons.

Unfortunately, as is the case with most of a country's natural resources, little or no thought is given to the future. The mighty monarchs of the valley were cut and shipped without any planning or afforestation.

Fortunes were built. A poor man and his wife set up a small mill on the Hull side, to do custom sawing for the farmers. He expanded and obtained large timber grants. He cut and cut, farther and farther from the river bank, until a small railway was built to bring the logs to the water. This was expanded until he finally sold the railroad alone, the Canada Atlantic, for $22,000,000. This man was J. R. Booth, the Lumber King — who through lumber, pulp and paper built up a vast fortune. The McLarens, the Perleys, the Eddys were other families who did likewise.

These fortunes have dwindled today. The fact that the Booth and Eddy dynasties have recently been bought out by the biscuit-making Weston family, was believed by the speaker to have possible significance. The latter fortune was built upon a product which depended upon annual replenishment; the former upon a depleted, never - to - be - regained gift of nature.

After Napoleon's downfall, England had two regiments in Canada, the 99th and 100th, and with unemployment and depression at home, they were not anxious to have these army groups return. The Duke of Richmond, Governor at the time, organized a settlement at Richmond, with a wharf at the foot of the Chaudiere Falls, connecting both with a 20-mile road.

Although they were well organized, the project was so different from that which their training and experience had accustomed them to, that the rigorous winter took a disastrous toll.

Another queer settlement in the vicinity was that of McNab, a Scotsman who set up his clan-type of settlement as a bit of highland Scotland, with all its characteristics including full sovereignty by its lord and master, McNab himself. He was so successful that it was a difficult undertaking to have his territory included in a larger organization, when, later, local self government was granted to the colony in 1849.

At the same time that the Duke of Richmond and his men were building near Ottawa, two companies of army engineers, sent out from England by the Duke of Wellington under the leadership of Colonel By, were building the Rideau and Carillon canals. This leader gave his name to the main valley settlement, calling it Bytown.

It is also a coincidence that Miller Brown was simultaneously settling in what is now Brownsburg.

While the development of the valley progressed, government evolved likewise. . . . The first seat of responsible Government in Canada was in Kingston, in 1841. Montreal took its turn three years later but after the stoning of the Governor-General, Lord Elgin, and burning down the parliament buildings in 1848, it was necessary to move to other locations. A period of four years was spent in Quebec, and four in Toronto. This of course was most unsatisfactory for the country's administration and an appeal was made to Queen Victoria in 1857 to choose a permanent seat of Government. The following year she designated Bytown. In the same year the town council changed its name to Ottawa.

In 1859 the present parliament buildings were started, and were completed the year before Confederation, when in 1867 Ottawa became the capital of our great Dominion of Canada.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

St. Andrews East

Mr. George T. Simpson, of Montreal, who spent the week-end at his home here, was accompanied by his son, Mr. G. Brian Simpson and Mrs. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shipman and three children, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Shipman's father, Mr. Gilbert Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rejall have opened their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mackay returned from Ottawa this week and have as their guests Mrs. Geoffrey York and little sons.

Mr. Edgar Hooker was the week-end guest of his parents, Col. and Mrs. L. M. Hooker.

Q.M.S. Lloyd Lilly is staying with his mother this week — Mrs. Lilly having moved into her home again.

The Misses Walsh are occupying their home again, after sojourning in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman MacGregor have reopened their home here.

Cancer kills more than 33 Canadians every day.

Weir

Mrs. A. Larose returned home Monday after spending the past week in Montreal visiting her daughter, Mrs. K. Cowan and Mr. Cowan.

Miss Lorna Bennett, of Montreal is spending a month at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Mrs. J. D. Williams spent a few days in Montreal recently visiting friends.

Mrs. E. J. Craig spent the week-end in Montreal and was accompanied home Monday by her daughter, Mrs. R. G. Bowie and small daughter Carole, who will spend the next fortnight here.

Mr. A. Coxen left Sunday to resume work in Montreal, after spending the winter at his home here.

Mrs. W. H. Williams spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Philips, in Montreal.

Mr. Carl Craig, of Port Hope, Ont., is spending some time at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. John Morgan.

Cfn. Roy W. Thompson, recently returned from overseas, spent the week-end visiting friends here; he was accompanied to Wier by Mr. Albert Flood and sons, Jack and Albert, of Kilmar.

MARRIAGE SOLEMNIZED IN ROSEMOUNT CHURCH

Purcell - Bailey

A quiet wedding took place Saturday evening, April 13, at St. Luke's Anglican Church, Rosemount, when Mrs. Eva E. Bailey, of New Liskeard, Ontario, was united in marriage to Mr. Oliver Purcell, of Weir, Que. They were attended by Miss Alice Purcell and Mr. Claude S. Cawthorn, of Montreal. The Rev. John D. Ellis, rector of the church, performed the ceremony.

The happy couple are spending a short honeymoon in Weir and at New Liskeard.

Good wishes are extended to them by many friends in both communities.

Calumet

Col. and Mrs. H. White and Mr. R. G. White, of Ottawa, spent last week at the former's cottage on Lake MacLeod.

Mr. W. E. Brigden and Mr. and Mrs. E. Racine were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthew in Grenville last Sunday.

Mr. T. H. Foreman spent the week-end in Montreal, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mott.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas and small daughter, Linda, of St. Philippe, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. P. O'Shaugnessy and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer residence here.

Miss Evelyn Arthurs, of Ottawa, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mahon. Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Mahon included Mrs. R. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Black and children, and Mr. John Black, all of Brownsburg.

Miss J. Williamson, of Ottawa, is spending the next few months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williamson. Miss Lucille Williamson, R.N., is at present in Ottawa nursing her aunt, Mrs. Walter Williamson, who underwent an operation recently and is now convalescing at her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Brunet and son, Joey, are leaving this week to spend the Easter vacation visiting relatives in Montreal. While there they will attend the "At Home" being given on Easter Sunday by Dr. and Mrs. P. O'Shaugnessy on the occasion of the first communion of their daughter, Jean.

Badminton

The Badminton Club was entertained by the Lachute players on Thursday evening; the score was 19-all. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Mrs. R. C. Whinfield thanked the members of the Lachute Club for a very enjoyable evening.

Epidemics

Several cases of measles and a large number of "grippe" victims have been reported in the community. . . Mr. Guy Young, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now progressing favorably.

Anglican Services In Holy Week

A circular announcing the complete list of services in this parish during Holy Week has been sent to all parishioners by the rector, the Rev. A. E. Hawes. There are services every day in either St. Matthew's Church, Grenville, or Holy Trinity Church here. On Good Friday the three-hour service will be held in St. Matthew's, beginning at 12 noon. If one cannot attend the whole service, one may be present for part of the time; the divisions of the service will be marked by the ringing of the bell at 20-minute intervals. On Good Friday at 7.30 p.m. the Rev. Fr. C. De Catanzaro, of Vankleek Hill, will conduct the service at Holy Trinity.

Morin Heights

Mrs. C. S. Jamieson spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Miss Jean Ladds, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Kennedy and Mr. Kennedy.

Mr. Jack Kennedy and daughter, Dorothy, spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. Jack McCullough has left to visit his brother, Mr. Jas. McCullough, in Toronto for a few days. He is accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. David Morrow.

The Woman's Association met on Tuesday last at the home of Mrs. Goldthorpe, with Mrs. Chas. Campbell as joint hostess. It was decided to hold an afternoon tea on April 25. (Watch for posters.)



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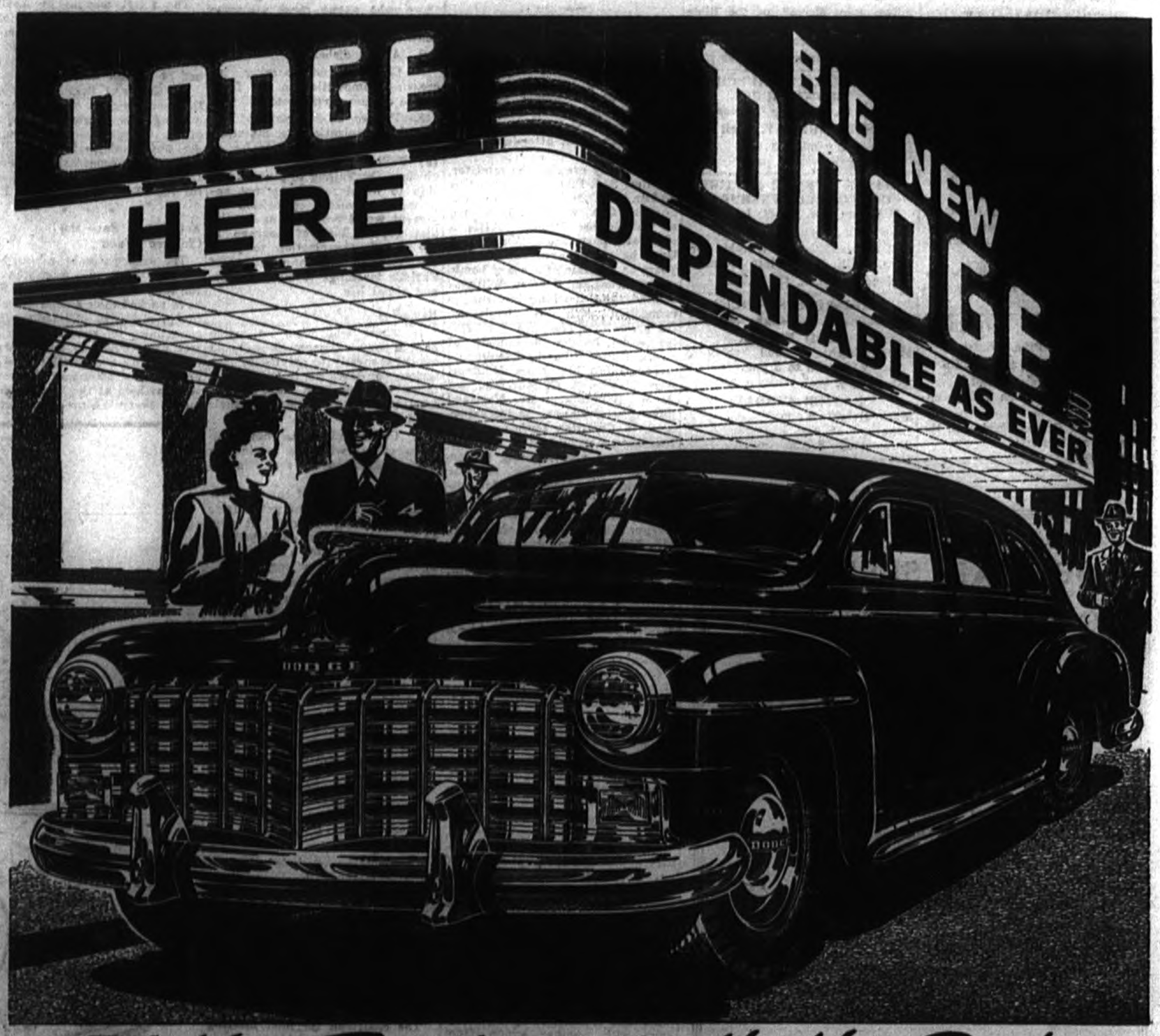
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Dundalk, Ont. (CP) — A 90-year-old woman's life was saved by a collie dog she befriended. The dog, owned by a neighbor, came to get his daily handout just as Mrs. Sam McCulloch suffered a severe haemorrhage. She tied a note to the dog's neck. The dog carried the message to his owner who called for help.

WOMEN'S INTERESTS

MESSAGE OF CHEER MAY ACCOMPANY CLOTHING GIFT

Montreal — The restriction imposed for security and other reasons by the Postmaster General last year with regard to sending messages of goodwill attached to the gifts of clothing that Canadians made for the people in war-torn Europe has now been removed. When the national campaign for used clothing gets under way again in a few weeks — the collection will take place from June 17 to 29 — it is hoped that every person in a family will write a little note to accompany their gift — children as well as adults. Just a few words of heartfelt appreciation — and of sympathy — or hope, that the courage they showed in adverse conditions will soon reap its reward in the rehabilitation of their country.

"Words are not enough, but friendly messages along with clothing gifts can ease troubled spirits, revive hope and build goodwill," in the way that William M. Birks, chairman of the National Clothing Collection, who piloted the successful clothing drive in Canada last fall, puts it. "Each donor should therefore take time to write a note to the unknown sufferer overseas who will receive the gift, and attach the note to the garment."

PRICE CEILING PLEA

While we dislike controls, it seems that we should be prepared to stand them for a little longer in order to safeguard our interests in the years to come. It is only natural that there should be many advocating the release of controls, because there are some who are unscrupulous enough to desire to raise prices at the least excuse.

— Huntingdon Gleaner

More died of cancer in Canada than Canadians killed during the war.

FASHION HINTS



The striped top with a solid tone skirt in dark contrasting color, is a big favorite, especially for the casual type frock, of which this is such a good example. The top is navy and white striped wool with short flared sleeves, navy buttons and neckline tied with a short navy navy blue wool with deep patch pockets and is gathered in front, sheer wool scarf. The skirt is of straight in back. A navy blue calf-skin belt completes the outfit.

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Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

CROWDED HOSPITALS

The shortage of beds in Canadian hospitals has become serious. There are many reasons for this shortage. Many people have more money to spend, many are away from their own homes, houses are overcrowded, and there is a shortage of nurses and doctors. The various schemes for providing hospital care, such as the Blue Cross, is another factor. There are a good many subscribers to such plans wondering if it is worth continuing when they cannot get into a hospital when they require it. One man subscribed to a hospital insurance plan as he is not married he felt that it would be a good thing to be sure of care if he became sick. This winter he was sick and his doctor tried to get him admitted to the hospital but was unable to get a bed. He was sick two weeks but had to get along as best he could. People are requiring greater social services of all kinds. These things cannot be had for nothing and if we want them we will have to resign ourselves to paying increased taxes. Some one has to pay for all these things.

A SPRING TONIC

Once upon a time sulphur and molasses was the usual Spring tonic. Nowadays the wise mother steps up the B vitamins in the family diet. These vitamins have a definite influence on the appetite and on the condition of the nerves. Wheat germ and Brewer's yeast are two of the cheapest sources of vitamin B1. Brewer's yeast may be purchased in tablet or powdered form. The tablets are most convenient to take and the powdered may be added to many foods. Peanut butter is a good source of B1 and the yeast may be blended with this up to 25%. What germ may be added to many foods. Most people do not like the taste of it, so add it in small quantities. Cookies, breads, muffins, stews, and gravies, can have their nutritive value improved with the addition of wheat germ. If you eat sufficient whole grain cereals and plenty of green vegetables you are well on the way to having an adequate supply of the B vitamines.

BREAD SAVERS

Croutons

Cut fairly thick slices of stale bread in cubes and place in a moderate oven until crisp and nicely browned. Serve with soup.

Melba Toast

Slice stale bread ⅛" thick. Cut in strips or triangles. Place on a baking sheet and put in a slow oven of 300 degrees until browned and crisp. This is a favorite with reducers as it can be eaten without butter.

Croustades

Butter lightly thin slices of stale bread. Fit into muffin tins and place in a moderately hot oven until browned. Fill with creamed foods.

If the bread board and knife are put on the table and bread is cut as required there will be less wastage. A stale loaf can be freshened by putting it in a clean paper bag, moistening the bag, and then heat for a short time in the oven.

CHEESE FONDUE

1 Cup scalded milk, 1 cup soft stale bread crumbs, ¼ lb. cheese cut in pieces, 1 tablespoon butter (if available), ½ teaspoon salt. 3 eggs.

Mix the first five ingredients, then add the well-beaten egg yolks, and fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour in a buttered dish, place in a pan of water, and bake in a moderate oven of 350 degrees, about 45 minutes.

BRAN MUFFINS

2 Tablespoons shortening, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons molasses, 1 egg, ¾ cup bran, ¼ cup wheat germ, 1 cup flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 2½ teaspoons baking powder, ½ cup raisins.

Soak the bran in the milk for one-half hour. Cream shortening and sugar, and add molasses and beaten egg. Stir in bran mixture, and sift in dry ingredients, add raisins, and stir just sufficient to mix. Bake in buttered muffins tins in a hot oven of 400 degrees for about 30 minutes.

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FIRST WHITE CHILD IN RADVILLE, SASK.

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Radville, Sask. (CP)—Mrs. Oliver Hanneson was only 10 years old when she came to the Churchbridge area — and that was more than 60 years ago. At the time she was the only and the first white child in the district.

She came with her Icelandic father and settled down to become her father's housekeeper and prepare meals. She didn't go to school because there weren't any but she did learn what she needed to know to become a good pioneer.

She learned how to make quilts and weave and spin and dye her own wool — and even make her own patterns. During the war, she made 75 quilts for the Radville branch of the Red Cross Society. Out of scraps of material, which many people would discard, she made 30 pair of shoes for children overseas.

Mrs. Hanneson also makes rugs on her loom and occasionally hooks them. Her hooks are made from the bones of sheep and one is made from an ice pick.

Her husband, Oliver Hanneson, is also a pioneer in the district. And her mother, who died last year, was within 15 days of being 100 years old.

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Auction Sales

Auction Sales also on page 2.

PRAIRIE TOWN IN MINIATURE



GRAIN elevators, wheat in stock, general stores and gasoline service stations, railroad facilities and stockyards, with cattle and hogs ready for loading in stock cars, are all included in an ingenious wood model of a typical Western Canada railroad point, built for display at the Union Station, Winnipeg.

J. S. McGowan, Director of Colonization and Agriculture for Canadian National Railways (left) watched the finishing touches being applied by A. H. Flower, who carved and assembled the display for the Exhibits Branch of the Public Relations Department. The display is accurate in all details, to the coloring of Holstein, Durham and other breeds of cattle in the loading pens.

Mr. Flower finds model carving a pleasant hobby as well as daily work. After serving his apprenticeship in England, where he learned to produce fine chairs, tables and other articles of furniture, he came to Canada and joined the Canadian National in 1923.

One of his biggest jobs was to build the model of the Central Terminal at Montreal. This work, required much effort and ingenuity to produce, as it shows each level of the Terminal structure, from sub-track area upwards, each level being built separately for later assembly.

FOR SALE — gas range, white enamel with grey fixtures, pilot light, in good condition. — Phone 376, Brownsburg, Que. -1c

MACHINERY — Shovels, draglines, diesel tractors, diesel engines, diesel generator sets, graders, rock crushers, sand gravel equipment, lumbermen's equipment. We quote prices delivered your station. Send for bulletins. — Leventhal & Co., Machinery Dealers, Winnipeg. A25.3c.

FOR SALE — Ford 2-ton V-8, with dump. — Andrew Boa, R.R. 3, Lachute, Que. -1p

FOR SALE — De Laval cream separator, No. 18, used only two weeks. — Apply Stewart Hume, phone 923-r-12. 1c

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A 2-storey frame dwelling consisting of 8 rooms, also a garage, situated at 106 Bedard Blvd., Lachute.

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A farm consisting of 180 acres, good buildings, water in same, 5 minutes' walk from railway station, in River Rouge, Parish of St. Andrews.

1 Frame dwelling, 8 rooms, and 1 cottage, 3 rooms, on same property (at Roussillon, near the Quarry), about 1 mile west of Brownsburg.

1½-Storey frame dwelling, 7 rooms, furnace in basement; west side of Filion St., Brownsburg.

2 Tenement frame dwelling, 6 rooms and 8 rooms, corner of Main St. and St. Louis St., Brownsburg; also

1½-Storey frame dwelling, 5 rooms, on west side of St. Louis, Brownsburg; also

Vacant lot 45' x 60' on north side of Main Street, between St. Louis St. and Catholic Church, Brownsburg.

(The last 3 items to be sold in one group.)

We also have several other farms for sale.

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Municipal Corporation of the Parish of St. Jerusalem
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Auction Sale

At the residence of
JAMES JOHNSTON
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Snow fence, English windows, wicker and other furniture, china, etc.

Terms: Cash.
— Edgar Boyd, lic. auctioneer

Brownie Pack

The regular meeting of the 1st Lachute Brownie Pack was held Saturday afternoon in the basement of the High School, with a large number in attendance.

Work was continued on the Second Class badge, two more Brownies completing the test. Seven Brownies have now passed these tests.

Roll-call and inspection were held . . . Isobel FitzGerald's Six, the Fairies, and Roslyn Brown's Six, the Pixies, are leading with 91 points each, while Anne McGibbon's Six, the Gnomes follow with 87 points.

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainment, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed, 60 cents.

BARN MEETING

The Laurentian Ayrshire Breeders' Club will hold a barn meeting April 27, at F. O. Peterson's, Lachute Road, commencing at 1 p.m. Judging contest, with prizes. Educational discussions. Bring your friends. M25.2c.

SCOUT AND CUB CONCERT AT BROWNSBURG

The third annual concert sponsored by the 1st Boy Scout Troop and Wolf Cub Pack at Brownsburg, will be held Friday, April 26, at 7.15 p.m., in the Consolidated School. All interested in the progress of Scouting, and in the welfare of local boyhood, are urged to attend this concert and give their encouragement. Excellent program. -2.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Anglican Church are holding a rummage sale in the basement of the Lachute Auditorium on Friday, May 10, commencing at 9 o'clock and open all day. -1c

DANCE

A dance will be held in the Orange Hall, Louisa, on Saturday, April 27. Door prize. Modern and old-time dancing. Admission 50c each. A25-2c.

STUDY GROUP

The Lachute Women's Institute study group will be held on Tuesday, April 23, at 3 o'clock in the Lachute High School. Subject — Book Review. Library books to be exchanged. 1c.

OPENING DANCE

The opening dance will be held at MacIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on April 20. Dancing every Saturday night. Modern and old-time music. Admission 50c. each. 1c.

DANCE

An old-time dance will be held under auspices of the Ladies' Guild day, April 25, at the Grenville of St. Matthew's Church, on Thurs- Consolidated School. Adm. 40c. 1p.

Watchman Want Ads bring results !

Defects of Vision

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entrance of the optic nerve would be the most sensitive to impression. Actually this is the "blind spot" on the retina.

The whole eye rests in soft material which cushions it against possible injury, and it is controlled in its motion by a set of six muscles, which must move in complete harmony with the separate muscles controlling the shape of the crystalline lens. The latter, a circular muscle attached to a transparent sac containing the crystalline lens, give shape to the lens and so focus light on the retina correctly, for both near and far objects. Around the pupil is a circular "curtain" which contains the pigment giving the eye its characteristic color. This curtain is opened or closed by concentric muscles, thus allowing more or less light to enter the eye to the lens. An albino has very little color in this curtain, or iris, and hence must squint the eye in order to shut out bright light.

This amazingly accurate, delicate but complicated mechanism must be perfect for proper vision. A man can have one arm a little shorter than the other, one foot a little bigger, and many other defects without it affecting his mode of living — but the eye in all its detail, must be accurate, perfect. Nearly perfect will not do. An eye "must" focus accurately — either naturally, by straining its nerves and muscles — or with the proper assistance of glasses.

Given these vitally useful organs, we should do all we can to retain them or get them in good condition.

The speaker explained various kinds of defects that could affect the eye, and its job of focusing light. One of the most familiar is the condition called cross-eyes. Mr. LaChapelle believed there was nothing finer a service club could do than aid in the correction of such trouble, especially in children. "A child will not grow out of it", he said, "and often early attention will mean rapid cure".

He pointed out the seriousness of lack of attention to squint, or cross-eyes. The eyes get tired of trying to correct themselves and one of them will gradually stop operating, and become blind. The same condition can result from other eye defects which are not noticeable to the person afflicted, like cross-eyes.

Eyes and disease covers another study, but, needless to say, an organ as sensitive as the eye, is affected by the many diseases which attack the body.

The speaker was thanked on behalf of the club, by Alex Gordon.

Since the Rotary Club has already taken action on some local needy eye cases, and is studying others, this talk was both timely and interesting.

Public Notice

Mr. Myman MacGibbon, of North Vancouver, B.C., wishes to announce that from this date, Thursday, April 18, 1946, any properties he may have offered for sale will be handled by him personally, and that any commission offered, either orally or written, on the sale of such properties, is hereby cancelled.

1c Signed S. W. MacGibbon

"Now that's what I call good coffee!"



"SALADA" COFFEE

W. River League First to Open Softball Season

Brownsburg — The West River League of Brownsburg, who met with notable success during last hockey season, will open their softball season on Tuesday next, April 23.

At a recent meeting held at Nolin's "Burg's Inn", the following officers and directors were chosen:

Gedeon Racine, hon. president, A. St-Onge, president, Reynolds Nolin, vice-president, Roger Raymond, sec.-treasurer.

Albert Legault, Henri St-Onge and Ant "Joe" Denault were named directors.

Lucien Raymond, Emilien Lacasse and Ivanhoe Pilon were named to look after publicity and social activities.

The following teams will form the league:

1. Spark Plugs (R. Nolin, Mgr.)
2. Bouchard (G. Proulx, Mgr.)
3. Checker Cab (G. H. Scarborough, Mgr.)
4. Régiment de Joliette (Major Laurencelles).
5. Dodgers (J. P. Dagenais).

The first game will be played at McVicar's field on Tuesday, April 23, when Spark Plugs, last winter's hockey champions, will meet Checker Cab, the league's "big potatoes".

The opening of this league is arousing much interest in Brownsburg and district. The slate of directors and officers gives promise of a successful season of activities.

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ARTHUR TREACHER in
SWING-OUT SISTER
Also: FLICKER FLASHBACK

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Dominion - Provincial Conference Follows Proroguing at Quebec

"THE WEEK AT QUEBEC"

By GUY GAGNON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Quebec, April 22 (CP) — The second session of Quebec's 22nd Legislature is over, and members of both the council and assembly returned to their respective homes to await the results of the Dominion-Provincial conference, reconvening at Ottawa this week.

Nothing more is known of Quebec's attitude than Premier Duplessis' repeated statement that he was going to Ottawa as the premier of Quebec and not as the leader of a political party. Quebec was ready to collaborate but in the respect of the constitution, guaranteeing Quebec's rights and prerogatives.

The Throne Speech proroguing the session also stated clearly Quebec's demands for the respect of its rights and prerogatives. "During the coming weeks the highly important activities of the Canadian Inter-Governmental Conference will be continued at Ottawa," it said.

"My government is pleased to reiterate its irrevocable decision to see to it that the rights and prerogatives of the Province, which are recognized by the Canadian constitution, shall be fully safeguarded and protected."

The conference was an often-discussed subject during the session. Although Mr. Duplessis never disclosed Quebec's exact attitude, he disclosed that original federal proposals were not acceptable for Quebec.

Saturday, the premier told newsmen at the Legislature buildings that he was returning to Ottawa to collaborate towards the welfare and prosperity of the whole country and each province separately.

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Whether Quebec legislature members will return to the City shortly for a special session in order to ratify the agreement to be reached at Ottawa could not be ascertained upon prorogation.

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Party standings in the assembly at prorogation were: Union Nationales, 49; Liberals, 36; Bloc Populaire, three; Independent — C.C.F., one; Independent, one; vacant, one (Compton).

There were rumors of a by-election in Compton next fall, but they could not be confirmed.

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A delegation from the Montreal Protestant Central School Board, headed by Dr. Cyril James, principal and vice-chancellor of McGill University, came to Quebec last week to meet Premier Duplessis and discuss "certain" amendments to the government school bill.

The premier, however, was too busy to meet them and the delegation returned home while the legislation was being voted without amendments. A telegram was sent to Dr. James by Mr. Duplessis, assuring the Protestant School Board that the minority's rights would be respected.

The Telegram said, in part, that legislation was "a very great improvement on present chaotic conditions and, as such, deserves public support. After a fair trial is given this bill we will amend it if it is deemed desirable and appropriate. There is not and will never be any question of encroaching upon the rights and prerogatives of the Protestant minority in this province."

Canada-Soviet Relations Viewed By Lighted School

(Specially Contributed)

We are living today in the shadow of terrible suspicion which seems almost to cancel out the memories of the great wartime achievements in Collaboration.

In the heat of war was forged the strongest working partnership of nations in all history. We were realistic enough to see that, in the face of a superbly organized and equipped enemy, the only alternative to all-out co-operation was separate destruction. In the declarations at Moscow and at Teheran, the Great Powers vowed their collaborations would not end with the emergency which called it into being. They pledged themselves to work together in unity to win the peace. We believed that with their combined support it might be possible to build a world organization to banish war.

Co-operation with Soviet Russia will not come easily or speedily. Since the early days of the revolution, when Allied armies intervened to combat the new regime, resentment and misunderstanding have poisoned our relationships. The Bolshevik program of world revolution, since abandoned, made us see a sinister motive in the Soviet's every act. Wild propaganda, for and against the Communist order,

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Rotary Officers At Hawkesbury

Hawkesbury — Officers of the Hawkesbury Rotary Club for the year 1946-47 to take office on July 1, are as follows:

President, J. O. Page; vice-president, Rev. C. Scott; secretary, J. Holtby; sgt. at Arms, J. Bates; editor, W. Dodd.

Directors, B. Blais, N. Cohen, L. Harcourt, Dr. Kirby, H. Rapson.

Golden Wedding Celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Jones, of Lachute, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on April 24, with their family and friends around them to do honor to them on this happy occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Jones were married in Montreal on April 24, 1896, and moved to Lachute a few years afterwards. The family includes three sons, Edward, Stewart and Howard, four daughters, Catherine, (Mrs. A. Nicoll), Margaret (Mrs. C. D. Fogerty), Edith, (Mrs. A. Blute, Lachute), Reta, (Mrs. W. Gordon, Lachute), and thirteen grandchildren, all of whom were able to be present except Howard, whose duties prevented him from attending.

The house was decorated with spring flowers, and a three-tiered wedding cake adorned the supper table. A humorous address was given, highlighting the happy memories of the past fifty years of family history, after which gifts were presented to the happy couple.

Music and dancing completed a very enjoyable evening. Guests from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fogerty with their children Ruth and Douglass, of Galt, Ont.

Many Properties Change Hands

Several transfers in rural and town property have been effected in the last week or two.

Two auctions of interest to the farm community were held, on Saturday and Tuesday, respectively. The first involved the old Geneva School and community house on Lachute Road, which, having served its purpose, was sold on the block. Ivan Lapointe, returned veteran, of Carillon, purchased the property for $390 including the land, which was taken over by Jack Fraser, Lachute Road. . . . Yesterday at the Fraser barn, Lachute east ward, where Muir Bros. staged a sale by auction, bidding was brisk for the farm machinery, but the building was bid-in by the owners.

An attractive two-tenement stone house on Grace Street, built by Lucien Prevost some years ago and acquired more recently by Mme Ernest Lacasse, was purchased last week by Hervé Filfe, local business man.

The spacious stone house owned by Clarence Rogers on Main Street east, was recently purchased by P. E. Leger, Main Street hairdresser.

Other recent deals not yet available for publication, concern apartment dwellings in this town.

On the changing landscape of Main Street's business section, building operations have commenced on the site of the old Creswell block. With commercial and residential buildings in progress of construction, a real estate boom is evident around this community.

ADVICE TO LEGISLATORS

During the war people were urged not to travel, but to ask themselves: "Is my journey really necessary?" The government should adapt that question to itself: "Is this expenditure really necessary — at this time?"

—Perth (Ont.) Courier

Test New Fire Pump at Arundel

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel, Que. — A test of the municipality's new fire pump was made this week, and, although the full equipment has not been received, the outfit operated very satisfactory.

The machine is portable and will fill the municipality's need for a small, efficient and highly mobile piece of fire-fighting equipment.

Easter Pageant At United Church In Brownsburg

Brownsburg — The special services sponsored by the Crusade Committee, continued at the United Church with increased interest on Thursday evening last, when another group came from Montreal to assist the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike. The party included Messrs. H. E. Read and J. Dunlop both representing the Christian Business Men's Committee, together with Mr. A. W. Hamilton, who arranged the visit. Mr. and Mrs. F. Kettyle, formerly of Brownsburg, accompanied them here and rendered a number of gospel duets.

The preparatory service Good Friday evening closed the week's series.

Capacity congregations attended the services Easter Sunday. The choir rendered special Easter music at the morning service, and 27 new members were received into the church.

The drama service or Easter Crusade Pageant in the evening was one of the highlights of the year. Under the leadership of Mrs. Wm. King, assisted by Mrs. R. B. Johnson and Mrs. D. N. Atkins, the characters of the cast received high commendation for their parts. They ranged in age from about six years up, representing the children acclaiming Christ's entry into Jerusalem, Knights of the Holy Grail, Fishermen, and then Disciples, Flower Girls, the three Mary's, Roman soldiers, Joseph of Arimathea, Mary of Bethlehem, of the Wilderness, of Gethsemane and of the Sepulchre), with Mary and Joseph and the Christ Child. The choir, with Mrs. C. J. Wheeler as organist, rendered the music throughout, while mixed voices took care of the part-singing. Mrs. Wm. King sang "The Evening Prayer" with which the pageant closed, followed by the congregational hymn "Crown Him With Many Crowns." The script was read by the Rev. S. J. Pike, who also took occasion to thank those who had made the drama-service possible, including Messrs. R. B. Johnson and T. Izzard for their work on the scenes and regalia. The gowns made and arranged by Mrs. R. B. Johnson, also the floral settings, were exquisite. Selections for the various characters, as exercised by both Mrs. King and Mrs. Johnson; and contact between the parts by Mrs. Atkins, which included changing of the scenes from the panelled chancel to the tomb or sepulchre — all contributed to the successful presentation. The flood-lighting was arranged by Mr. D. Cooper.

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Some people are so busy doing nothing they never have time to do anything.

U.S. Inflation Threat in Bill to Abandon Price Controls Shortly

"THE WEEK IN OTTAWA"

By H. DENT HODGSON, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, April 23 (CP) — Action of the Prices Board in permitting a 12½ per cent increase in the retail prices of farm implements drew heavy fire from the opposition guns before the session closed last week at Ottawa. John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, protested the increase because no corresponding increase has been allowed in the prices of farm products. C.C.F. Leader M. J. Coldwell expressed a similar view, while Solomon Low, Social Credit leader, said that of the increase was justified, it should be borne by a subsidy paid by the government.

Finance Minister Ilsley, explaining the move, said the Prices Board had given lengthy study to submissions by the manufacturers who asked increases of 30 per cent. The board found that if the increase had not been granted, the companies' profits this year would be lower than before the war. On the other hand, prices of farm products now were 44 per cent higher than in the basic period.

One of the reasons of the increase had been granted, he added, was that wages in the industry had risen 28½ per cent during the war.

Of price control generally, the minister said the Prices Board would not authorize any price increase unless they were absolutely necessary.

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Meanwhile officials were reported worried over a bill which passed the United States House of Representatives last week. The bill, which would continue the U.S. equivalent of the Prices Board — the O.P.A. — for only nine months, has yet to pass the U.S. Senate. O.P.A. officials and observers here believe that if the bill passes Congress in its present form, inflation will follow south of the border, with "disastrous" results on the Canadian price structure.

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Members of parliament were back in their home constituencies this week with the House of Commons enjoying a 12-day "holiday" and scheduled to resume April 29.

Most members leaving the capital, however, expected to spend a busy time among their electors, taking advantage of the mid-session break to sound out public opinion on issues which have cropped up since the session started March 14.

Of the five weeks the Commons has sat so far, two were taken up with the debate on the Speech from the Throne. Then the house passed a government bill to provide for appointment of a separate external affairs minister, approved supplementary estimates totalling $4,000,000 for the last fiscal year, and voted $273,000,000 supply to carry the government through the first few months of the new fiscal year.

The Commons also approved a bill to change the name of Dominion Day to "Canada Day" — a measure which still has to pass the Senate.

Outstanding when the Easter recess came were a bill authorizing the $1,250,000 loan to Britain, and a bill to more clearly define Canadian citizenship. While approval of a majority of the members has been expressed on both pieces of legislation, they have already received considerable discussion.

You can't believe everything you hear — but you can repeat it.

— Answers (London)

Church Supper Is Boost to Campaign For Pension Fund

Responsibility of Laymen Is Stressed; United Church in Quebec to Raise $1,000,000

Those present at the laymen's supper held in Lachute United Church hall Tuesday evening, caught something of the enthusiasm displayed in the Pension Fund Campaign by lay members of the United Church in Montreal. The guest speakers were the Rev. H. G. Tuttle, M.A., B.D., and Mr. Douglas Walkington, executive of the C-I-L, who have given unsparingly of time and effort in this campaign in Quebec.

Out of a nation-wide objective of $5,000,000, the Province of Quebec aims at $1,000,000. According to Mr. Tuttle, who praised the efforts of the laymen, already three churches in Montreal have raised $700,000, and a few large personal contributions ranging from $10,000 to $200,000 have given a good start to the provincial objective, but the need of smaller donations was stressed if the total amount was to be reached. Donors may arrange to pay the promised amount over a three-year period.

District Objective $11,300

Members of the Brownsburg, St. Andrews East, Morin Heights, Arundel, Cushing and Calumet United Churches were also present at the laymen's supper. The joint chairmen of the Lachute committee, Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon and Mr. Gordon McOuat, gave the figures pertaining to this district's objective, as follows:

Lachute $6,000; Brownsburg $3,000; St. Andrews East $750; Cushing and Calumet $750; Morin Heights $500 and Arundel $300 — making a total of $11,300.

The Rev. Mr. Tuttle was introduced by Mr. Gordon McOuat. He spoke of the enthusiasm of lay members wherever he went, and stressed the fact that this campaign was strictly a layman's job. Mr. Tuttle answered many questions pertaining to the campaign and condition of the pension fund.

Mr. Douglas Walkington Enlightens Hearers on Ministers' Salaries

The main speaker of the evening was Mr. Douglas Walkington, who was introduced by Mr. Tuttle.

Describing the United Church of Canada as being mainly a "rural church", Mr. Walkington said that 75% of the ministers were getting less than $1800 a year, while 50% were being paid $1600 or less—the average being $1677 per annum. The speaker remarked, it was impossible for ministers to live decently, educate their families, and prepare for old age, on such remuneration.

He contrasted the fact that the United Church expects her ministers to attend college seven years — while if a man attended college four years he can immediately claim a high salary in industry or other professions. He added that there was a present need of 150 new candidates for the ministry in the United Church, and it was difficult to attract the right men unless something is done to remedy the social insecurity of the ministers.

Mr. Walkington gave a gloomy picture of the present capital account of the pension fund, of the necessity of raising the $5,000,000 to put it on a sound footing. Concluding he hoped that this district would do a good job and reach the objective.

The chairman, Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon, said that two generous donations had started off the Lachute United Church fund, and that Mr. James Gall was in charge of the "special names" list.

Mr. C. Wheeler, of Brownsburg, expressed thanks of the laymen to the ladies of Lachute for their generous catering. He also stressed the need for all laymen in the district to get behind this campaign and put it "over the top."

The gathering closed with the national anthem.

From Overseas on Ile de France

Among Army personnel from this district aboard the Ile de France, which docked at Halifax this week from overseas, the following names are listed:

Pte. R. C. Belanger, Lachute; A/Cpl. N. W. Bigelow, Dalesville; Pte. C. Kingsbury, Lachute; Pte. S. D. Taylor, Brownsburg.

BELIEVE FREE SALE OF CARS BY JULY

Unless production is halted again by strikes or material shortages, there is "every possibility" that automobiles will be available on the open market, without need for priority certificates, by the end of July.

That is the "informed guess" of government officials who are administering the vehicle control order, although they admit they are still keeping their fingers crossed when they discuss the future. The current coal strike, labor disputes in one or more of the Canadian automobile plants, or temporary shortage of some vital component, could change the picture overnight.

The Watchman is on sale at 5-cents a copy at the following stores:

Lachute: Beaton's Pharmacy, Lachute Medicine Store, Rex Café, Main Street.

Lachute Mills: Harbour Drugstore.

Brownsb'g: J. S. Thompson's. Choux Pharmacy

Consider Military Phase of U.N.O.



Secretaries of the U.N.O.'s military staff committee, whose job is to draft plans for an international police force, pictured as they met in New York. LEFT to RIGHT, at table: Interpreter V. S. Guinzburg, Russia; Cmdr. J. H. Deprez, France, Capt. Denys Knoll, U.S.A.; Capt. Y. T. Chow, China; Col. V. M. Studenov, U.S.S.R., and Capt. R. D. Coleridge, United Kingdom. Standing are four interpreters: LEFT to RIGHT, Lieut. N. E. Gorohova, U.S.S.R.; Lieut V. Tate, United Kingdom; Flight-Lieut. F. Champanhac, United Kingdom, and Asst. Colonel-Major G. White, United Kingdom.

Rev. B. B. Brown To Retire After 47 Years Service

After a very busy and successful career in the ministry of the Methodist and United Churches, Rev. B. B. Brown, will retire shortly from active service at the Wesley United Church, N.D.G., Montreal, after devoting 47 years to the ministry.

The Rev. B. B. Brown was pastor of the Lachute Methodist church some 35 years ago, and he still enjoys renewing old friendships while visiting in this community.

When he left Lachute, he had pastorates in Sherbrooke and Montreal, finally being called to the Wesley Church, N.D.G., Montreal. At that time the Wesley Church had about 300 members.

Today, Wesley Church claims a membership of 2,600, the largest in the United Church of Canada, with the highest number on the roll of any protestant church in Quebec.

Tribute was paid to Mr. Brown by the Rev. H. G. Tuttle, chairman of the Montreal Presbytery, who said "I don't know of any pastor who excelled Mr. Brown in the pastoral ministry". Known for his charming personality, Mr. Brown is credited with remembering thousands of faces and names, and his visitation program, estimated at an average of 10 visits at least, a day, throughout his ministry, is believed one of the reasons why his church has prospered.

During his ministerial service, Mr. Brown's busy 47 years have been packed full with 117,500 visits, 18,800 interviews, 47,000 sick visits, 2,000 sermons, as well as talks to young people's societies and Sunday School work, with 14,000 burials, 5,000 baptisms and thousands of weddings, plus a great deal of social work.

Still enjoying good health, Mr. Brown will carry on the good work even after official retirement, and his friends are hopeful that many years will be left to both Mr. and Mrs. Brown to enjoy a well-earned period of relaxation.

Their two children, Dr. Lila Brown and Dr. Stanley Brown are practicing doctors in Montreal and Granby respectively.

Much more attention should be paid to addressing letters and parcels, both in order to save the postal workers increased work and in order that mail matter should reach its intended destination.

— Huntingdon Gleaner

It might be a good idea when making the next test of the atomic bomb to have all those who know the secret of it assembled on the warships used, where they may get a real close-up and last view.

— Summerside (P.E.I.) Journal

H. Sherwood to Head Rotarians For Coming Year

Brownsburg — At the regular meeting of the Rotary Club, held Thursday last at Carriere's Hotel, President Sam Ross conducted the election of officers for the 1946-47 Rotary year, which commences July 1 next.

Results were as follows:

President, Harris Sherwood; vice president, George Zaombor; secretary, Wesley Freeland; treasurer, Armand Bourgon.

Directors (along with the above), Sam Ross, Lomer Carriere, Ira McFaul and Norman Somers.

To Be Married in June



Miss Beryl Underhill, Lachute and Mr. Gordon R. Simpson, of Toronto, whose wedding will take place here on June 1. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Underhill, Grace Street, Lachute. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. C. G. Simpson, and the late Mrs. Simpson, of Hamilton, Ont. Miss Underhill graduates in May from the Faculty of Arts of McGill University. Mr. Simpson was formerly with the R.C.A.F.

Oddfellows Hold 127th Anniversary

J. M. Dever, Grand Master, Grand Lodge of the Province of Quebec, by direction of D. D. Monroe, Grand Sire of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, through the Sovereign Grand Lodge, has acclaimed the one hundred and twenty-seventh Anniversary of Odd Fellowship, the 26th day of April, 1946. That that day, or a day as near that date as practicable be duly observed in all subordinate lodges of the jurisdiction by such programs, observances and ceremonies not inconsistent with the laws and usages of the Order.

This observance, under the auspices of Laurentian Lodge, No. 14, Lachute, will take the form of a divine service on Sunday next, April 28, at Brownsburg United Church at 11 a.m. (D.S.T.) Rev. S. J. Pike, L.S.N.G., will conduct the service. Noble Grand, Hugh Cunningham requests the brethren to meet in Lachute Lodge Rooms at 10.30 a.m. Badges to be worn. At Brownsburg, brethren will assemble at the school grounds to form up before entering the Church. If the weather is unfavorable they will meet in the Church Hall.

Auction Sales

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Massey-Harris mowing machine, Massey-Harris walking plow, hay rake, disc harrow, set tooth harrows, set spring harrows, McCormick-Deering 6-ft. cut binder, as good as new, waggon, cultivator, incubator, fanning mill, circular saw, brand new, Durant engine, all ready for use, 1930 Chevrolet car in good shape and running condition, Renfrew separator, like new.

Set logging sleighs, rack sleigh, like new; skidding and logging chains, set skidding tongs and cant hooks, set heavy double harness, like new, set bridle halters, brand new, set winkle bridles, like new, cooking range, 2 5-gal. cream cans, enough 3-inch dry oak plank to make 2 sets sleighs, and 2 pieces red oak for tongues, electric fence outfit, (good as new), 18 packs No. 1 dry shingles ready for use, decking line, 95 ft, and many other articles.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 12 months credit on furnishing approved joint notes; 2% off for cash.

Victor Courte, auctioneer.

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DAVID G. STEELE,
on the farm, 1¼ miles west of Lachute, off No. 8 Highway, on Saturday, April 27, at 1 o'clock sharp:

Mare, horse, low wagon with steel tires, horse rake, two mowing machines, plow, set of discs, 2 sets harrows, cultivator, set of double harness, set of single harness, set of double sleighs, sleigh, cutter, 2 buggies, set of fanners, hay knife, set of scales, Viking cream separator, shipping cans, crock churn, pails, quantity of sap cans, cross-cut saws, buck saws, axes, chains, picks shovels, forks, hoes, whiffletrees, etc., grindstone, a quantity of hay and straw, some carpenter's tools, pair of hand clippers, buffalo and horse blanket, car luggage carrier, galvanized air sprayer, galvanized ventilator, set ivory horse spreaders, kitchen table, drop leaf table, chairs, baby's basinette, baby's high chair, beds, stove, crocks, dishes, etc.

Terms: Cash.

— W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer.

OBITUARY

LATE RESIDENT OF OGDENSBURG WAS OF ENGLISH BIRTH

Death of Mrs. Agnes A. Dixon

Ogdensburg, Que. — The death of Agnes Ann Dixon occurred at the home of her niece, Mrs. Thos. Smillie, on April 17, after a long illness.

She was in her 85th year. Born in England, she came to Canada in 1904, and lived in this community for over 30 years.

Left to mourn her loss in Canada are her sister, Mrs. M. Skinner, and two nieces, Mrs. Jonn Thompson, of Ste. Rose de Lima, and Mrs. Thos. Smillie, of Ogdensburg, also one great-nephew, Edward Thompson, and two great-nieces, Margaret Smillie and Mrs. F. Sans Cartier.

The funeral was held Friday, April 19, from Chatham West Baptist Church, the Rev. Wm. Leaton officiating.

Pall-bearers were Edward Thompson, Thos. Smillie, John Thompson, John Heatlie, George Murdoch and Fred Townsend. Interment was made at Ogdensburg Cemetery.

A number of floral tributes from relatives and friends bore mute testimony of their affection.

RIVINGTON MAN DIES AFTER FIVE YEARS WITH BROKEN BACK

The Late Rodger Mapp

The death of Rodger Mapp, eldest and beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mapp, of Rivington, occurred on April 17, in his 26th year.

Born in Rivington in 1920, he spent his boyhood there. Of a pleasing personality and happy disposition, Rodger was a great favorite among those with whom he came in contact. He was also very interested in music, playing the violin and guitar.

In 1940 he met with a serious accident, from which he suffered for over five years with a broken back, being confined to bed ever since.

He leaves to mourn his loss his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mapp; six brothers, Réné, Hervé, Harry, Ronald, Jerome, and Guy; also a sister, Mrs. Donat Belanger (Jeanette).

Burial took place on Monday, April 22, at Boileau, Que.

Cochrane, Ont., (CP) — Juryman Edward Pratt failed to answer his name at spring assizes here. Police said Pratt was in jail awaiting a hearing in Timmins police court.

Bus Schedules on Daylight Saving

Experience Gained During War Period, Guides Decision

The principal motorcoach companies serving Eastern Canada have announced their intention of showing all schedules in Daylight Saving Time, during the period summer time is in force in the larger centres of Quebec and Ontario, April 28 to September 29.

This is a change from pre-war practice, Mr. R. G. Perry, General Traffic Manager of Provincial Transport Company, pointed out. It is believed to be more convenient and less confusing for the majority of passengers.

Before the war, when Daylight Saving Time was effective only in the summer months in those municipalities that elected to enforce it, all transportation companies retained Standard Time in their printed schedules and timetables, shifting services where necessary to accommodate commuting passengers and others who had to observe Daylight Saving hours for regular travel.

During the war, however, when Daylight Saving Time was in force throughout Canada all year round, the necessity for transportation schedules being revised, or services shifted, twice yearly, was eliminated until this season, when a return was made to the old system of seasonal Daylight Saving Time.

Previous experience indicates clearly that, for most motorcoach passengers, it would be a greater convenience to have schedules shown in Daylight Saving Time during the summer period.

United Church Has Over 30 Pensioners Past 90 Mark

Pension Fund Campaign for $5,000,000 Stresses Need for New Capital

In view of the $5,000,000 campaign conducted by laymen of the United Church of Canada to place their Ministers' Pension Fund on a sound basis, it is interesting to note that of the 1,664 participants in the fund at present, 32 of these are 90 years of age or over, the most venerable being just under the century mark. All of these attribute their longevity to the freedom from financial worry which their modest pension meant to them after retirement. It is to make certain that the obligation to them and to those nearing retirement will continue to be met that the campaign for additional capital has been launched.

The actual need for new capital to place the Pension Fund on a sound actuarial basis has existed ever since 1925 — the year of Union. At the time the three uniting churches lacked adequate capital for their own pension funds. Consequently, like many fraternal pension and insurance schemes these church funds failed to build up reserves which would have made them actuarily sound.

Insufficient Grants

At the time the funds of the churches were amalgamated, actuaries reported that to make it sound, the Pension Fund required from the Church the sum of $483,000 annually, in addition to the assessments made upon the ministers salaries. The General Council of the United Church, however, could make provision for only $325,000.00, and this sum further declined in the years of depression when the grant was reduced to $230,000. It is this ever-increasing deficit that made imperative the present campaign for capital.

Laymen Feel Responsibility

While the clergymen have viewed the dilemma with dismay, it was the laymen of the United Church who felt that the unsound condition of the Ministers' Pension Fund was a direct reflection upon them and they have taken positive steps to ensure its soundness and permanency. The $5,000,000 Capital Fund Increase Campaign is the result.

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Gold Comes Back

GOLD is once again the kingpin of the Canadian mining industry. Neglected during the war when the emphasis was on base metals the hunt for gold and other precious metals was practically abandoned and the industry's production suffered because of its lack of priority for labor and materials.

But that's all over. Prospectors now are on the hunt for gold. They won't pass up anything else that is worth while — but gold is the thing.

That's the way in the production end of the business too. Workers who left such long-established gold camps as the Porcupine and Kirkland Lake in Northern Ontario to work in war industry or base metals mines during the war have flocked back to their old jobs — along with the husky young miners who went to war.

The result is a boom in every gold camp in the nation. That includes even such newer camps as the Yellowknife in the Northwest Territories where wartime restrictions previously held up full development of rich deposits. The older camps, which enjoyed a housing surplus in many cases during the war, now are as short of shelter as they were in their busiest days.

As long as gold remains at its present price of $35 an ounce in American funds (that's $38.50 Canadian at present rates of exchange) gold mining will boom. That price makes it economically feasible to mine low-grade ores any self-respecting miner would have sniffed at in the days of the $21.50 an ounce price which prevailed before it was boosted by the U.S. during the 30's.

The stock market is booming as vigorously as the industry itself. That's natural. Canadians always liked to gamble on gold stock. A few make fortunes. More don't. But for the industry itself, the gambling fever is important. That's the way it gets the venture capital which makes new mines possible.

Immigration Policy Needed

THE TIME is at hand when we must decide our future immigration policy, the nationalities to be accepted, and the quotas. Millions of people in hungry Europe are anxious to emigrate to Canada, and while the desire may be motivated by an eagerness to get to a country where food is plentiful and living conditions are infinitely better, there is no doubt that there are many of exceptional ability and fine character who would make excellent citizens — people who would raise the standard of our culture and greatly contribute to the progress of the nation.

It is said that a million Dutch, one-twelfth of the Netherlands population, would like to come to Canada. Well, the Dutch would make as good citizens as any Europeans. Canadian soldiers who served in Holland got to know the Dutch very well, and most of them will testify that the Dutch are a fine race. Several hundred Canadians married Dutch girls. The servicemen would like to see many Dutch allowed into Canada when the immigration bars are let down.

Some people will say that we should not have immigration until there is total employment for Canadians presently living in Canada, but it is doubtful if that situation will ever obtain, no matter how large our population. We have to choose between remaining a closed corporation, or expanding into a nation as populated as the United States, by allowing not thousands, but millions to enter. It would be necessary to "screen" all applicants as to their political beliefs and genuine desire to become citizens.

Our policy must be decided soon. Let us encourage immigration by the right type of people, men and women who would contribute to the advancement of Canada to new heights, and in the fusing of a new race of Canadians.

Motor Car Deaths

THE CANADIAN Good Roads Association, meeting in Quebec recently, heard the annual report presented by Hon. W. S. Anderson, Minister of Public Works for New Brunswick, and a magazine article was quoted which forecast 1,500 Canadians would die and 27,000 suffer injury through motor accidents, not to mention the property loss amounting to millions of dollars.

If that many people should be killed or wounded in a hurricane or some other type of disaster, the world would be shocked. But when 1,500 persons are doomed to die in Canada alone, not to mention the other countries, only a few are greatly concerned.

Much of the waste in human lives is unnecessary, due only to the foolhardiness of pig-headed motorists, the drivers who travel at excessive speeds and those who think they are capable of handling an automobile after drinking.

Let us have traffic rules enforced, and by all means forfeit driving privileges of motorists who break the law.

Newspaper Headlines

PAUL HENRI SPAAK, president of the United Nations Assembly, and for a short time head of the Belgian Government, speaking at a dinner arranged in Brussels recently for newspaper correspondents, said: "I would never interfere with the freedom of the press, but if a law should be passed, I would say that headlines should never exceed half an inch."

We disagree with Mr. Spaak because it is the content of the heading rather than the size which is likely to mislead newspaper readers. Perhaps Mr. Spaak means to imply just that and is stating his case badly. Surely he would agree that if news is good — and it often is — the bigger the heading the better.

Some papers definitely are guilty of using scare headlines, and the worst offenders are certain United States metropolitan dailies that misinterpret the news with what seems almost a deliberate purpose. Many readers are headline scanners and if an editor emphasizes the most sensational part of a story too strongly the headline reader is unaware of the facts.

Writing headings is not so easy as it looks, and it is often difficult to find a word which aptly describes the subject of an article and at the same time fits the space of the heading. A saying often heard in printing plants is: "Oh! if we only had rubber type then we could squeeze this word into the heading."

In Canada the majority of the dailies, especially the provincials, are innocent of any intent to mislead. Served in the main by The Canadian Press, a non-profit and unbiased organization, the dailies present the news in a factual manner, and we venture to say that Canadians get a clearer picture of world events than citizens of any other country.

The Canadian weeklies, while more concerned with the presentation of local news, are most reliable. Weekly editors, probably "closer" to the people than editors of dailies, are imbued with a high regard for public service, and we sometimes wonder if our readers understand and appreciate how great an instrument for communal betterment the weekly newspaper is.

Our task as publishers of a weekly newspaper is not an easy one. In common with other industries, we have been troubled with wartime restrictions and shortages, but we have never lost faith that our community is one of the best in the Dominion.

WE NOTICE a report that a 51-year-old horse in Australia is still working. That's more than you can say about some men of the same age.

Canada-Soviet Relations Viewed

(Continued from page 1)

has bedevilled the situation. The magnificent wartime performance of the U.S.S.R., the fortitude of her people, the epic stands at Sevastopol and Stalingrad, won our admiration and our gratitude. But suspicion of her peacetime purpose dies hard. At the same time the Soviet Union appears unreasonably suspicious of the English-speaking nations. We forget that to Russian eyes these nations present a formidable combination. They see in us a hard-headed, imperialistic coalition. This explains the Russian insistence upon security, even to the point of clashing with the U.N.O., with the security interest of the British Empire in the Mediterranean, or the United States in the Pacific.

We have the two extremes — people who talk glibly of "the next war with Russia", and people who assume that good-will alone will wipe out all our differences. Both attitudes are dangerous. Our differences are real. The Soviet conception of democracy is incomprehensible to many English-speaking people. Free political parties are essential to our system; we believe that democracy cannot exist without them. We think of trade as direct dealing between business men of one country and those of another. The Soviet government controls exports and imports, and determines trading policy. Foreign trade in Russia is wholly a state monopoly. We must recognize and accept these, and other differences, if we are to establish friendly relations.

The U.S.S.R. will not submit her internal affairs to the scrutiny of an outside agency. She is not enthusiastic about the projected international conference on trade. She has not ratified the Bretton Woods agreements. The international Monetary Fund would require some measure of regulation of her unit of exchange, the rouble. The Soviet was present only as an observer at the Food and Agriculture Organization conference. If she were to become a member she would have to agree to inspection of her agriculture resources. Canada and other countries permit the planes of friendly nations to fly over their territories. Russia has never afforded such permission; there is no present likelihood of her doing so. In the years before the war, the foreign trade of Soviet Russia amounted to only 1.5 per cent of the world's total trade. Her trade with Canada was so small it was negligible.

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— With the foregoing as source material to help form an opinion — "What can Canada do to establish and maintain friendly relations with Russia?" was a question under discussion by the Lighted School group recently.

The group was not too enthusiastic in formulating a reply. To ask direct-thinking, average-intelligence individuals to answer a question which all the wiles and casuistry of diplomacy has been unable to resolve is like setting an abstruse mathematical question to a low grade scholar. However, out of the mouths of babes. . .

If one could meet Russia as one meets a stranger about whom some facts have already been known, and extend a warm handclasp or a friendly smile, then all might be well. But impersonal relations like those that exist between countries cannot be correlated on any such simple basis.

The first thing to do is to show Russia, and indeed every other country in the world, that the Canadian way of life is superior to that of any other form of administration. — If in some details there is a better form elsewhere, by adopting it. — By living in peace and amity with all nations.— By tolerance to others, but happy steadfastness to our own.

Example: It is said that we can advance democracy but little faster than we can develop the level of intelligence and knowledge within the democracy. John Newton said, "I read the newspapers to see how God governs the world". Canada should establish a newspaper in Russia so that the Russians could see how Canada governs herself. "In these times, we fight for ideas, and newspapers are our fortresses". — Heine.

Education: Films depicting the simple way of life should be exchanged with similar films in Russia. Explain it as you may, a martial strain will urge a man into the front rank of battle sooner than an argument, and a fine anthem excite his devotion more certainly than a logical discourse. —Tuckerman.

Travel and Trade: Encourage tourist trade. The soldiers returning to Russia from other countries are the greatest ambassadors for removal of the "iron curtain" that we could have. . . Johnson has said, "If the traveller visits better countries he may learn to improve his own; and if fortune carries him to worse, he may learn to enjoy his own."

61-YR.-OLD MAKES FIRST CITY VISIT

Kelowna Dog-Catcher Amazed At Vancouver Elevators and Escalators

Kelowna, B.C. (CP) — William Blackwood at the age of 61 has had his first glimpse of the wonders of a modern city and his first experience with streetcars, elevators, and escalators, which he termer "amazing".

Born in Peel County, Ontario, he journeyed west in 1903 and landed in Kelowna with a carload of cattle. He has lived there ever since.

Recently, Mr. Blackwood visited his brother in Vancouver for two weeks. "No, sir, I had never seen a street car in my life until I went to Vancouver," he told an interviewer. "The dang things go too fast, and I always seemed to get on a car going in the wrong direction".

"And those revolving escalators they have in the departmental stores. I clung on for dear life . . but when I neared the top I guess I lost my head. I never jumped so high in all my life! I wasn't taking any chances of being sucked down."

Mr. Blackwood is Kelowna's dog-catcher and he doesn't think much of the methods employed by the hound-chasers in the big city. "I got a kick out of how they go about it," he said. "They use a net and a long stick with a hook on the end of it." He thought his system of coaxing the dogs and slipping a bit of cord about their necks was better.

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— Altona (Man). Echo

LOW COST HOUSING

Once again it is pointed out that the critical necessity in the housing program is low-cast housing; housing which the worker or low-salaried employee can afford without mortgaging his whole future to support. This is recognized across Canada.

— Geraldton (Ont.) Times-Star

PARENTAL CARE

It is high time that people who bring sweet, innocent babes into being should exercise more care regarding their general bringing up, as well as more care regarding fires and other types of accidents. An application of the law might be the best preventative.

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Cpl. Christina Thompson, with her brother John, of Montreal, and Cfn. Roy Thompson, of Kilmar, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

Mrs. K. Cowan and daughter, Miss Mildred Cowan, of Montreal, are spending the holiday week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose. Mr. Cowan was also here for the week-end.

Mr. Willard Dubeau was home from Montreal to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dubeau.

Mr. E. J. Craig spent the holiday week-end at his home here. Messrs. Ray Craig and R. G. Bowie, of Montreal were also home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gelsthorpe, with their daughter Marion and son Bruce, of Montreal, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Macdougall — the latter an English bride who had just arrived from overseas on the Letitia — visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig over the week-end.

Week-end guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kerr, were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kerr and small daughter, Sandra, all of Montreal.

Miss Alma St. Onge, of Montreal, spent a fortnight at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Kerr, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Williams with their infant son, Kenneth, of Montreal, were Easter guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams.

St. Andrews East

Mr. Hew Wood has purchased from Miss J. Grace Wales the cottage known as "St. Hilda's" on Main Road.

The Girl Guides met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Wylde, recently to decorate Easter eggs. The sale of these seasonal novelties augmented their camp fund.

Miss Andrée Bourbeau, of Amos, Que., was the week-end guest of Mme Bosaillon.

Misses Marjorie and Norma McCubbie, of Montreal, are staying with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Burry.

Misses Joyce and Helen Rayson, of Montreal, were Easter season guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rayson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Doyle, Jr., and their two children, Topsy and Donry, of Montreal, were guests of their aunt Mrs. F. R. Roth on Monday.

Miss Patricia Liddell, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Audrey Eaton.

Mr. Ronald de la Ronde spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. de la Ronde.

Mr. Robert B. Murray, of Montreal, is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr.

Miss Agnes Sutherland of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Pitcairn.

Mr. Robert B. Murray, of Toronto, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wallee Carr.

Misses Dorothy Yearwood and Linda Pascoe, of Westmount, are spending the Easter vacation with the latter's aunt, Mrs. V. F. Lilly. Mr. M. A. Snowdon joined his sister for the long week-end.

Mr. Thos. Hyde, of St. Eugene, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. John McLeod and Mr. McLeod, for the week-end.

Other week-enders noticed here were — Misses Gladys Hyde, Marjory Gates, Dorothy Halsey, Betty Dorion, Messrs. Charles, George and Roy De Witt.

Misses Freda Wales, Elizabeth Wales, Mrs. Leo. Roback with her little daughter, Katherine, of Westmount, and Mrs. D. Shugar, of Ottawa, were Easter season guests of their father, Mr. C. S. Wales.

Miss Bartlett spent the Easter vacation with relatives in Montreal.

Miss Margaret Taylor was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. C. Taylor and Mr. Taylor, for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Ernest Buttress, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Woods, of Verdun, with their children, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Woods, for the long week-end.

Among the summer homes opened recently for the season were those of Mrs. John Allan, T. George Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Steeves. Mr. Glenn Hunt, of Toronto, was the week-end guest at the Steeve's Cottage.

Dr. and Mrs. Geoffrey York and little sons, Richard and Stephen, of Ottawa, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. MacKay.

Bell Falls

Mrs. J. Chalmers and Miss Jessie Chalmers, of Smith Falls, spent the Easter week-end visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rayson and Miss Joan Smith were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Simms and, Lawrence, of St. Lambert, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William McMahon.

Those spending the holidays at their respective homes are — Mr. Thomas Bennett, Mary and Frances Bennett; Helen and Charles Campbell, Beulah and Ruby McNeil, Isabel and Edyth MacCallum.

The executive of the Bell Falls Sunday School held a supper Saturday evening last for the school. A short program and social evening was had.

The Bell Falls Sunday School held an open session Easter Sunday morning in the Campbell Hall. Guest speakers were Miss Frances Balmfirth, of Montreal, and Mrs. Duncan Shaw. A good number attended.

Bell Falls Branch of the Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. A. J. Brown on Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Isabel and Edythe MacCallum, Miss Jessie Chalmers and Mrs. Neil MacCallum spent Saturday in Hawkesbury.

Morin Heights

Mr. Wm. Forsythe, of Kenogami, is spending this week with Mrs. Forsythe and family.

Col. and Mrs. J. E. Seale and Mrs. Melvin Dey arrived home from Florida this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watchorn, of St. Jovite, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Watchorn.

Mrs. J. Ward, of Saint Johns, N.B., spent the past week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watchorn.

Mrs. Wm. J. Deacon, of Lachute, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Miss Dorothy Kennedy is spending this week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Crawford, also Miss Alice Seale, of Montreal, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Seale.

Miss Marjorie Doherty and Miss Mary Knox, of Montreal were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Doherty.

Mr. B. Marchand and Miss Ruth Marchand, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doherty.

Mrs. Wm. Ball and children are spending this week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hollingsworth and son Bryan, of Dixie, spent the week-end here.

Mr. W. Knight, of Montreal, also visited friends here during the week-end.

Mr. Douglas Davis, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Carter and family, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kennedy.

Miss Betty Silverson, of Brownsburg visited with her mother Mrs. D. Silverson, during the week-end

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter, Margaret, also Mr. A. Smiley, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Bennett and Miss Lois Bennett were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale.

Week-end guests of Mrs. M. Campbell were — Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Campbell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell and son, Dawson, Miss Hannah Campbell, Miss Dawn Campbell, Mason Campbell and the Misses Mona and Nora Watchorn, all of Montreal.

Mrs. J. Hannah, Sr., has returned home after visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric McCullough and family spent a few days in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mildon and daughter, Melita, have taken up residence in Montreal.

Easter Services

Service was held in Trinity Church Good Friday from 12 noon to 3 p.m., with the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh in charge. In the United Church at 8 p.m. service was conducted by the Rev. D. Anderson in the evening. . . . Services were held in both churches on Sunday, and all were very largely attended.

BOOM TOWN

Bonaventure, Que., (CP) — A small construction boom has hit this Gaspe Peninsula town. Construction is scheduled to begin within a couple of months on a normal school for girls and a theatre while work is already in progress on a carding mill at nearby St. Charles de Caplan.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths and In Memoriam, etc., 50c; 5c per type line extra for verses with In Memoriam. . . Birth and Marriage notices accepted only from the persons concerned, or near relatives; also may be sent through regular correspondents.

DEATH

DONAHUE — Died at Thurso, Que., on April 22, 1946, after a long illness — Anna Mary Cole, beloved wife of M. F. Donahue, in her 77th year; mother of James M., of Montebello, Fred of Ottawa, and Mrs. O. K. Dorion, of Lachute. Funeral held Wednesday afternoon, Interment at Thurso Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

REILLY — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. W. V. Reilly, who passed away April 29, 1937. — Ever remembered by Olive and Donald.

"May the wind of Heaven blow softly,
Where the one we love is sleeping."

REILLY — In loving memory of Emily Ethel, who passed away on April 29, 1937. — Always remembered by her sister Ida.

"Not till the loom is silent
And the shuttles cease to fly,
Shall God unroll the canvas
And explain the reason why;
The dark threads are as needful
In the weaver's skillful hand,
As the threads of gold and silver
In the pattern He has planned."

SMITH — In loving memory of my father, Walter Ogilvy Smith, who passed away April 25, 1944. — Daughter Alice and children.

"Two years have gone by, and we miss you more each day".

Calumet

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Robinson last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Robinson and family, of Gatineau, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cummings and family, of Montreal, Mrs. Jane Cummings, of Portage, and Miss Gertrude Mitchell, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGibbon, of St. Jerome, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Milton and family, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon, for Easter.

Miss E. Darlington and Mr. Geo. Martin, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Martin.

A profusion of spring flowers were placed on the altar in Holy Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman, in memory of the late Canon J. Fee and the late T. G. Foreman.

Miss Doris Arnold, of Montreal, and Mr. Hugh Beames, of Hamilton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whinfield for Easter.

Guests at the home of Mr. W. E. Brigden during the Easter vacation were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Brigden and baby daughter, Louise, of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brigden and small son, Robert, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce and small son, Jeremy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Druce in Hawkesbury on Easter Day.

Mrs. R. C. Whinfield and daughter, Rosemary, are leaving this week to spend some time visiting friends and relatives in Montreal and Three Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Mott and son, Peter, are spending this week visiting relatives in this vicinity.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. MacIntyre are sorry to hear that their granddaughter, little Miss Betty Harris is ill in hospital in Montreal, and hope that she will soon be home again.

Teachers from Montreal spending the Easter vacation at their respective homes here, are Miss Melba McVicar and Mr. Grant Robinson.

Messrs. R. G. White and Art White were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. T. G. Foreman.

Mrs. H. Lessard, of Grenville, entertained friends at a tea last Thursday evening.

Attend Christening

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Brigden took place Easter Sunday afternoon in the Anglican Church at St. Lambert. The child was given the name Malcolm. Mr. W. E. Brigden — accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthew and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lessard and small daughter Heather Anne — attended the christening of his grandson.

Arundel

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon are spending a few days at their home.

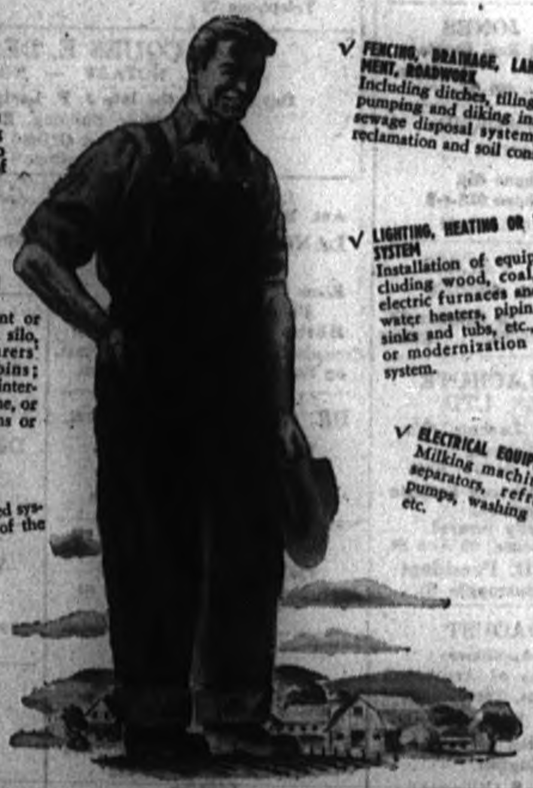
TOUGH EVICTION

Vancouver, (CP) — Sheriff S. F. M. Moodie has the toughest eviction job of his career to do — he has to evict Sheriff Moodie. The sheriff is a permanent guest at a hotel here which recently gave notice to all permanent guests that they must leave by May 31 to make room for summer transients.

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✓ FARMHOUSE OR OTHER FARM BUILDINGS
Construction, improvement or repair of dwelling, barn, silo, ice-house, garage, labourers' cottages or tourist cabins; painting farm buildings; interior decorating of your home, or adding one or more rooms or storeys.

✓ FARM ELECTRICAL SYSTEM
Installation of new or used system or modernization of the present one.

✓ FENCING, DRAINAGE, LAND IMPROVEMENT, ROADWORK
Including ditches, tiling, drainage, pumping and diking installations, sewage disposal system, clearing, reclamation and soil conservation.

✓ LIGHTING, HEATING OR WATER SYSTEM
Installation of equipment, including wood, coal, gas and electric furnaces and boilers, water heaters, piping, built-in sinks and tubs, etc., or repair or modernization of present system.

✓ ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT
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A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6.45	6.55	5.15	5.25
7.15	7.25	5.45	5.55
7.45	7.55	6.35	6.45
8.35	8.45	7.35	7.45
9.35	9.45	8.35	8.45
10.35	10.45	9.35	9.45
11.45	11.55	10.35	10.45
P.M.	P.M.	11.35	11.45
12.45	12.55	12.35	12.45
1.35	1.45		
2.35	2.45	A.M.	A.M.
3.35	3.45	1.05	1.15

(Slight Variation in Times on Sunday)

3-TRIP TICKETS 25c. CHILDREN, 4 FOR 25c.

ROUTE: From Royal Restaurant, Main St., west past Fire Hall, across bridge to McOuat Foundry, via Princess north-east to Chatham, west on Chatham, via Hamford to Ayers, via Princess to McOuat Foundry, south across bridge, west along Main to Bedard Blvd., east along Blvd., down Mary Street, east on Grace Street to Bethany, returning to Main Street.

EAST WARD: Four trips a day east to Protestant Cemetery—leaving Post Office 2.55,, 4.55, 7.55 and 10.55 p.m.

Bus for Hire, for Special Trips

Church Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D

10.00 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Communion Service.
Reception of new members.
7 p.m. Evening. Worship
"The Charity Which Covers Sin".
All services Daylight Saving Time.

Friday, April 26, at 8 p.m., service Preparatory to Communion. Preacher — Dr. B. T. Holden, of L'Orignal.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services for April 28 will be conducted by Squadron Leader, the Rev. John McNab.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11.00 a.m. Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m. Brownsburg.
7 p.m. Evening Worship.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.

ST. SIMEON'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
Morning prayer, 11 a.m.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector.

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor W. Hartley Britton

10 a.m. Bible School.
11 a.m. — Sermon Subject, Meditations — John 17.
7 p.m. — Sermon Subject, "One Foot in Heaven".
A sermon for YOUth!
Great congregational singing of the Old Gospel Hymns.
All services Daylight Saving Time.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Anniversary service of Laurentian Lodge No. 14, I.O.O.F., at 11 a.m., D.S.T.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, Pastor
BROWNSBURG

Bible School	10.00 a.m.
Church	11.00 a.m.
Happy Hour, Monday at 7 p.m.	
Young People's Monday, 8 p.m.	
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.	

DALESVILLE

Bible School	2 p.m.
Church	3.00 p.m.

Rev. John McNab, of the Bible Society, will conduct a Lantern Lecture next Tuesday at 8 p.m.
Prayer, Wednesday 8.00 p.m.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH BROWNSBURG
(Rev. C. R. Lang, Rector)

Evensong each Sunday at 7 p.m.
Holy Comm. 4th Sunday at 9 a.m.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Minister: Rev. W. H. Leaton

11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Monday 7 p.m., the Y.P.U.
All Services Daylight Saving Time.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

Morin Heights 11 a.m.
Mille Isles, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 8 p.m.
All services Daylight Saving Time.

YOUTHS SAVE $500 TO GIVE TO TOWN

'Teen-Town Community of 250 Has Constitution and Elections.

Oakville, Ont. (CP) — Oakville has a mayor, solicitor, treasurer, clerk and town council, none of them more than 19 years of age.

They're the governing body of 'Teen-Town, a community of 250 citizens which also boasts a bi-weekly newspaper, 'Teen-Town Tales. It operates a centre at downtown Victoria Hall.

The town, started two years ago at the request of Oakville's high school students, holds annual elections and has its own constitution, a six-item document that lays down the laws on citizenship. Violation of any of its provisions may result in expulsion from the town, but town officials say that hasn't happened yet.

The first clause says "citizenship shall be open to all 'teen-age people of Oakville, and others on approval of the council." The second sets a citizenship fee of 50 cents for six months. Others prohibit introduction of liquor or smoking in the club.

Since the town levies no taxes, funds are raised by tag days, membership fees, production of two plays annually, dances and profits from the canteen. The town laid out $275 for amplifying equipment and $300 for new curtains for the stage. Murals and decorations of the centre are the work of 'Teen-Towners themselves.

'Teen-Town boasts a surplus of $500 which is set aside as a fund for the benefit of the town of Oakville. Anytime Oakville's adult council can come up with a proposal that meets with 'Teen-Towners' approval, they're willing to put up

Inflation comes when we pay too high price for living well and too small a price for living right.

Harrington

Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, spent Easter week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw. Master Bobby McMahon, of Lachute, is also spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Shaw.

Miss Frances Balmfirth, of Montreal, spent Easter week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. McCabe.

The monthly Missionary meeting was held on Wednesday of this week at the home of Mrs. H. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Baker, and children, of Kilmar, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bates, also Mr. S. Bates, motored to Montreal on Sunday, to visit Mrs. G. Poulter, who is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Millar, of Monreal, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall.

Mr. Murray McCullouch, of Renfrew, visited recently with his mother Mrs. R. McCullouch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dougall McLean, and Miss M. Cooke, spent Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Poulter, in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett, and daughter Lois, spent Sunday with relatives in Morin Heights.

A free spirit means escaping from the blight of self-importance.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Easter Pageant . .

(Continued from page 1)

The Easter pageant opened with the Crusaders forming a cavalcade throughout the ages, proclaiming Christ as the Life, the Truth, the Way, and calling for consecration at Eastertide as eager hearts hear once more the message of hope and triumph, "He Is Risen"—this unique drama closes by passing that duty to men and women who join the ever widening ranks of the immortals in its fulfillment. From out of every land and people they carry the message of Christ and His Kingdom to all the world.

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Next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock (D.S.T.) the anniversary service of Laurentian Lodge, I.O.O.F. will be held. Members will meet in the school grounds, or if the weather is unfavorable, in the church hall, before proceeding into the church.

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Among flowers displayed at the Easter services last Sunday was a bouquet of red roses placed on the altar by the family of the late Lloyd Robert Damant, who passed away suddenly on February 17 last.

Easter Services in Arundel Churches

Arundel, Que. — The first peace time Easter service was marked by the largest attendance for many years at Grace Church. Many were present to give thanks for the safe return from overseas of loved ones, while others with their sorrows still recent, were drawn by the sure and certain hope of the Easter message. Flowers were given in memory of Norman Craig and the Rev'd. George Wolfendale, both of whom gave their lives for their country.

The children's choir, under the direction of Mrs. William Morrison, Church Organist, rendered the anthem "Good Joseph had a garden"; and the adult choir under Mr. Wenville Graham the anthem "Christ is risen".

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The Easter service of the Arundel United Church was enjoyed by record attendance. The chancel flowers were given by the Forbell brothers, in memory of their mother. The choir rendered the anthem "Sing to Heaven", the soloist being Mrs. L. Sevigny.

MONTREAL GROUP PRESENTS PLAY AT ST. ANDREWS EAST

St. Andrews East — The play staged at the town hall on April 13 by the players of St. Matthew's Church, Montreal, was attended by an almost capacity audience — who showed keen appreciation of the acting ability and splendid stage setting provided by this group of amateur dramatists. Over $100 was netted for the benefit of the tennis court fund, sponsored by the Presbyterian Church here.

Mr. George Rodger thanked the members of the cast, the electricians for their generous donation of time and effort, in coming over 50 miles to assist in giving an evening's pleasure, and much future enjoyment to tennis enthusiasts of this locality.

At Lachute Baptist

Large congregations attended the special Good Friday and Easter Sunday Services in the Lachute Baptist Church.

The Rev. Gibson W. Brown, of Stouffville, Ont., addressed the mid-week service of the Lachute Baptist Church while en route after a six weeks' trip to Ireland.

Physician and Wife, Orientals, to Address W.M.S. Thank-Offering

St. Andrews East — Dr. Janet Wong, a brilliant graduate of West China University, who has just completed a year's work as interne at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal,, also her husband, Dr. Cheng, of Manchuria, who is doing post graduate work at the Neurological Hospital, Montreal, will be the guest speakers at the Spring Thank offering meeting of the W.M.S. of the United Church which will be held in the church on Sunday evening, May 5.

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Presbyterian W.M.S.

The Easter Thankoffering, service of the W.M.S. of the Presbyterian Church will be held in the church hall on Tuesday evening, April 30. Rev. J. S. Nickerson will be guest speaker.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Boyd, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. Robert Hamilton.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Roberts, of Buckingham, Que., spent the week-end visiting with relatives and friends in town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pollock and little son Brian, of Montreal, were the Easter week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pollock.

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Mr. Don McBride, formerly employed here with Cottingham Supply Co., renewed many acquaintances here this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Davis and daughter Margaret, of Morin Heights, spent the early part of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Deacon.

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Mr. Bob Gordon is in the Queen Mary Military Hospital, Montreal, after undergoing an appendix operation on Saturday last. Friends are pleased to know he is progressing favorably.

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Mrs. Bernard Jenkins and her daughter, Barbara, have returned after spending a week visiting with her mother, Mrs. Marcia Cummings at Ulverton, Que. Mr. Jenkins spent Easter week-end visiting at Ulverton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McArthur, the Misses Lorna and Mavis McArthur, of Ottawa, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur. Miss Willow Lavery, of Montreal, is also spending the Easter holidays visiting Mr. and Mrs. McArthur.

Accident in Home

While taking the opportunity of the Easter holidays to do her housecleaning, Mrs. Ruth Graham, of Lachute High School Staff, had the misfortune to fall from a step ladder last Monday and fracture her right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Paquin returned by car from St. Petersburg, Florida, after spending the winter months there.

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Miss Vivian St. Eloi, of St. Paul L'Ermite, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies over the week-end.

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Miss Elizabeth Tomalty spent the Easter week-end visiting with friends in Ottawa, and is now spending the remainder of her holidays in Granby.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Preston, Mrs. A. Ryan and Miss Bernice Roberts, of Montreal, were the Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts.

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Miss Anna Laursen, of Westmount, and Mr. Sydney Shepherd, of the William Lunn College, Montreal, spent the Easter holidays visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shepherd.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson and children of Cowansville, were in town to attend the funeral and burial of Mr. Stevenson's brother, the late John Stevenson, of Montreal, which took place from the United Church on Monday.

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Rev. G. W. Brown arrived in Halifax on Monday on the Ile de France, after spending some weeks in Belfast, Ireland, visiting his relatives. Mrs. Brown has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsworthy, and Rev. and Mrs. Brown will leave on Friday for their home in Stouffville, Ont.

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Fort Erie, Ont. (CP) — National Employment Service officials decided it was time George Bond, 70, settled down. He has held 74 jobs, including a turn at railroading and linotype operating, and wanted to make it 75. Officials said no and told him he was doing a good job in his present location.

Mrs. Geo. Armstrong and son, Mr. Keith Armstrong, Lachute Road, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young in Quebec City this week.

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Mrs. J. S. Houston, Mr. Roger Houston and Miss Sheilla Houston, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morrison.

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Second Engineer W. R. Lavis, of Halifax, N.S., visited with his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Scott and Mr. Scott, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McEntyre and daughter, Gloria, spent Easter week-end visiting in Montreal.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Grenville Bay

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Wallace, of Renfrew, Ont., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Younge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Younge and grandson, Willis, spent the Easter week-end at their farm in Avoca.

Friends of Mrs. E. Crawford are glad to hear of her return home, after a few weeks spent in hospital at Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Younge and Misses Mary and Ethel Keyes spent Sunday afternoon in Avoca visiting friends.

Best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. S. Stringer and baby son as they move into their new home at Fassett, Que.

Mrs. W. E. Bancroft was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Younge.

Harrington

Married in Ontario

Concerning members of the Campbell family, Mooretown, Ont., who were formerly residents here, the Sarnia Observer conveys the following items of social news:

Gnr. Malcolm Campbell, who is stationed at London, Ont., was home for the wedding of his sister, Miss Betty Campbell, who recently became the bride of Mr. George Carroll. Miss Gertrude Vokey of Montreal attended as bridesmaid to her cousin.

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Mrs. A. Saloms and Mrs. Verne O'Hare were joint hostesses at a shower for Mrs. George Carroll, who prior to her marriage on March 30, was Miss Betty Campbell, at the home of Mrs. W. J. Campbell, Mooretown. The bride was the recipient of attractive gifts.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. A. MacPhee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, of Aylmer, Que., for the Easter holiday.

Pte. Arthur Ball, with Mrs. Ball and little daughter Maureen, of Verdun, also Miss Grace MacLeod and Mr. Fred MacLeod, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farrara, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bates during the Easter holidays.

Mr. Edward Smith and Mr. Elden Bates, of Lachute, spent Easter at their homes here.

Mr. Walter Kelly spent Easter Sunday with his wife, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates, of Harrington, were visiting members of their family here last week.

Capt. (Rev.) and Mrs. Doig, and little daughter Dianne, of Lachute, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Andrews last week.

Mrs. C. McFaul, of Lachute, visited her parents last week. Master Lester Kelly is also visiting friends during the holiday.

The Misses Arthurs, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at their home here.

The canvasser for the Red Cross drive will soon be calling at the different homes, in order to enrol members.

Mrs. Edgar Crawford has returned home from hospital in Lachute where she has been under treatment after her serious accident; she is now much improved.

Rouge Valley

Mr. Keith Staniforth, of Malartic, Que., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth, for Easter week-end.

Mr. Raymond Courte has returned home after spending the winter at La Sarre, Que.

Miss Reta Staniforth has returned after spending the past few months in Montreal.

Mrs. R. Regnault, of Montreal, has returned to her cottage here for the summer.

Miss Annette Beauchamp, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Beauchamp.

Mrs. C. D. Staniforth was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. Hess and Mr. Hess, of Arundel, for a few days.

Mabel

Mrs. Caldecoat and Miss H. Caldecoat, of Montreal, also Mr. and Mrs. Ken Murdoch, of Brownsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Murdoch on Saturday.

Miss Shirley Heatlie, of Montreal, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. F. Squires and Mrs. C. Adams, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. George D. Murdoch during the past week.

Miss Jean Nason, of Brownsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark during the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murdoch and daughter, Judith, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Boyd at Dunany.

Those from a distance attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Dixon, whose death occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Smellie, were — Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson, of Templeton, Miss Mary Smellie, also Miss Margaret Smellie, of Montreal, who remained here to spend the week-end with her parents.

Mr. David McDonald and Miss Mary McDonald visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Murdoch recently.

Arundel

Guests at the home of Mrs. W. D. Graham during the Easter holidays were her neice, Mrs. A. Anderson, and little son Bobby, also the Misses Ann and Margaret Gilker.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cooke and Mr. Charles Forbell were Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke.

The Thomas Marshalls occupied their cottage over the Easter week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Ward and children spent the Easter holidays with Mrs. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Staniforth spent Easter week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Staniforth.

Dr. and Mrs. Flannaghan and family spent the Easter holidays with Dr. and Mrs. R. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bulley occupied their cottage over the week-end; the latter is remaining here for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Cooke, accompanied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tref Sevigny, spent the holidays at their Arundel home.

Easter guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dubeau were Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith and Miss Ellen Dubeau.

Other Easter guests at their respective homes were — the Misses Jean Morrison, Mary MacArthur, Viola Moncrief, Joyce Graham, Betty Moss, Mary Smith, Laura Davies, Dorothy Kerr, Winnie Cooke, Ethel Cooke, Muriel Graham, also Messrs. J. Alexander, G. Graham, Harry Smith, Gerald Gordon and James Bennett.

Miss Phyllis Mosher spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Staniforth.

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Their services, of course, include the machine shop, welding and more modern crafts. In this way they are well known and patronized by the farming community. . . . A specially valuable service they recommend for time and money saving on the farm, is their hard-surfacing of wearing parts on agricultural equipment. The logic of this is evident. And right now they have another sound suggestion to their farmer friends — to look over their machinery for the season's work ahead, and make sure it is in readiness for the cultivating, seeding and harvesting. Breaks in the hustle of the busy season are both annoying and costly.

Gordon & Lyster Reg'd also pride themselves on hurry-up service in emergency repairs to industrial and mill machinery. The proprietors, both trained in the shops, realize the need of quick repairs in plant stoppages.

This firm has steadily progressed since opening, last August, in the Farmers' Supply Co. building. In January of this year they purchased the E. J. Rodger Blacksmith Shop, at the station yard, where all types of blacksmith work are now carried on. In the near future the Machine Shop and Welding business will also be operated in this building. They are equipped for both acetylene and electric welding, and they aim to fill every job and order to the customer's satisfaction.

Previous to starting this business Ernest S. Gordon was employed at Pollock's Garage, Brownsburg, for seven years, and at Noordyn Aviation Ltd., Cartierville, for five years. He also served a short time with the Canadian Armored Corps.

A. Murray Lyster was employed at T. McOuat & Son Ltd. for a long period — 9¼ years, serving as machine shop foreman for that firm during the last 4½ years. Both partners have the know-how, and the ambition to build for dependability and bigger business. . . Both, in their less serious moments, are keen for the thrills of spring fishing, and for hunting in the frosty fall.

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WOMEN'S INTERESTS

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Jorja Cartwright Weighed 155 Pounds at 16 But Worked to Attain Beauty

By VIVIAN BROWN

Los Angeles (AP) — Keep pounding away at your typewriter, girls. . . If you pick the right spot to peck out your "p's" and "q's", you might even become a movie star. That's what happened to pretty Jorja Cartwright.

What fate wished on Cinderella Cartwright can happen to any girl, she says. But you've got to have perseverance. She explains: "I'd always wanted to be a movie star so I finally got to Los Angeles and into the offices of producer Seymour Nebenza as a stenographer. Then I knew it would only be a question of time."

Time in Jorja's case however was four years, enough to thwart the ambitions of any girl. But Jorja didn't give up. And, all that time the boss knew that his stenographer was movie struck but a part never popped up that suited Jorja well enough so that she could ask for it. When she finally spotted the script of "Whistle Stop" she recognized a part that she decided nobody would get away from her. Nobody did.

She had started plotting her actress career and trying to get people on her side since she was five. Lots of sacrifices had to be made. To study voice at the West Texas State College, Jorja worked long hours after school as a baby-sitter, soda jerker, cosmetic demonstrator and refrigerator saleswoman.

On Glamor Quest

But with her yen to be an actress, Jorja says she didn't have the figure or the face. At 16, she was five feet four inches tall, a chubby 155 pounds with crooked teeth and blemished skin. Using her own magic wand comprised of hard work, as she advises all striving cinderellas to do, Jorja set out to be lovely.

She went on a diet, ate only sensible foods, exercised until she had increased her stature three inches, had dental work done and managed to clear her bad complexion.

Now she is all set. She wears a size 12 dress as if it had been moulded to her body. Her brown eyes and skin are clear and healthy.

With her seven-year contract tucked in her bag and in the offing the lead in her second Hollywood role, "The Tempest," Jorja isn't resting on her laurels. Though she is "sitting on top of the North Star", she is going back to resume her secretarial duties at the studio, temporarily. She says:

"I want to keep my stenographic job, particularly until work on the new role begins. In that way I can work with the authors and get the feel of the role I am to play."

NEIGHBORS FINISH JOB

Yorkton, Sask., (CP) — Twelve farmer-nieghbors finished building the home Andrew Herasimuik didn't live to complete. He had planned moving in with his wife and seven children but was fatally injured when he fell from the roof while applying the finishing touches.

CORDWOOD COTTAGE

Bragg Creek, Alta., (CP)— Unafraid of the lumber shortage, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Stack built themselves a cottage here which contractors vow will be a landmark 100 years from now. It's constructed of cordwood cut by Mr. Stack himself.

Hints for Homebodies

By Jessie Allen Brown

People are queer — even women. Or should I say especially women? Most of us spend a good many hours having permanents, finger-waves and so on, so that we will have curly hair. When we were in Boston all the elevator operators we saw were colored girls. Every single one of them had straight hair! An im-permanent, so to speak.

PARTY NOTE

Children will get a big thrill if you mark their initials on their glasses with brightly colored nail polish. A useful idea, too, for grown-up parties when you want to keep the glasses from getting mixed up. Comes off easy with polish remover.

EASY TO SERVE

Today let us plan a company meal for the bride to serve. Unless you are an expert cook, and sometimes even if you are, it is a good idea to plan a meal that has little last minute preparation. Jellied Veal, Potato Cakes, and a salad will fill the bill, and friend husband will bless you as he will have no carving to do. A Cabbage salad goes well with this meal. Or you might like one of mixed greens, with whatever you can find to add to it, such as sliced radishes, onions, green pepper, and tomato wedges. This can be preparel well ahead of time and the salad dressing passed. Most desserts can be made in the morning, and some such as the gelatine ones can be made the day before. This meal lends itself to buffet service, and you may then entertain more people than you have room to seat at a table. Company should not have you so tired in preparation that you cannot enjoy your friend.

JELLIED VEAL

Cover two meaty shanks of veal with water and cook slowly until the meat will fall from the bones, from two to three hours. When partly cooked add an onion and a stalk or two of celery or some celery tops. Season with salt and pepper and taste the broth to be sure it is properly salted. Let stand in the water until cool enough to handle. Take the meat off the bones and remove all fat and gristle Cut the meat in small pieces or put through the grinder. Place the meat in individual moulds. Those glass custard cups you got at the shower are a good size. If you want to be fancy, place a slice of stuffed olive or of hard-cooked egg in the bottom of the mould. Put the meat in loosely without packing, then fill the moulds with the broth which has been strained, and let it stand over night to set. Don't worry about it as it is sure to jell. If there is any liquid left over it is all ready for consomme. If you want to make soup, cover the bones and the bits of meat and gristle with water, add onion, celery, and any other vegetable you may desire, and cook slowly about two hours, strain and serve. You will find that even the soup from this second boiling will jell when cold.

POTATO CAKES

Season well mashed potatoes with a little scraped onion, a pinch of thyme, or sage, and salt and pepper. Add a beaten egg, use two if you are serving more than four. Form into cakes. I like to make cylinder ones and flatten the ends by patting them gently on the table. Roll in fine, dried, bread crumbs, or in rolled corn flakes. Place on a greased cookie sheet and brown in hot oven of 375 degrees, turning once. It takes about a half-hour. These cakes can be prepared well ahead of time and slipped into the oven with no trouble at all. Some of our poor brides haven't even an oven, so they might have to brown the potatoes in the frying pan.

SPANISH CREAM

1 Envelope gelatine (1 Tablespoon) 2 cups milk ½ cup sugar, speck of salt, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Soak the gelatine in the milk, add sugar and salt. Heat until the gelatine is dissolved. Beat the egg yolks slightly, and stir in hot milk. Cook in the top of the double boiler, stirring constantly, until the mixture thickens slightly and coats the spoon. Cool. Add vanilla and fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a mould and let stand until firm. This dessert will be in two layers.

SPRING CLEANING TWICE A CENTURY

Toronto (CP) — Spring housecleaning, or at least the tidying up part of housecleaning, is not confined only to modern and civilized communities, according to K. E. Kidd of the Royal Ontario Museum. At least one ancient people of the New World indulged in it, not, indeed, every year but at stated intervals, perhaps every 10, 20 or 50 years. These were the Toltees, who lived about a thousand years ago around the present city of Mexico.

These folk built mounds—often called "pyramids"—of rubble and faced with blocks of stone, on top of which they erected their wooden temples. When the stone facing on the "pyramids" grew soiled or damaged, the Toltecs renewed it by adding a new surfacing of rubble and cut stone, much as we put on a new coat of paint or paper.

This refinishing job was done in honor of the gods, and was, therefore, in a way a religious rite. In the Mexican gallery of the Museum there is a model of a Toletec city showing a "pyramid" which, it now is known, was redecorated seven times.

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There is a world-wide shortage of sugar. Last year world sugar production was twenty-five percent below 1939. Reasons for the decrease are:

- Destruction of the sugar industries in Java and the Philippines.
- Shortages of labour and fertilisers in many sugar-producing countries.
- Last year's drought in the Caribbean area, especially Cuba.
- Damage to European sugar beet fields.

World sugar supplies are pooled for the benefit of the United Nations. Canada, the United States and Great Britain are allotted an equal share of sugar according to population. Available supplies must also be shared with other countries.

TEN POUNDS OF CANNING SUGAR PER PERSON

This year's canning sugar allowance is ten pounds per person —the same as last year. Instead of special canning sugar coupons, ten additional green "S" coupons are being made available for the purchase of canning sugar.

S8 to S12 inclusive become valid on May 2nd; S17 to S21 inclusive on July 4th. Each coupon is good for the purchase of one pound of sugar.

The ten "S" coupons for canning sugar are in addition to the "S" coupons which regularly become valid each month for the purchase of sugar and preserves.

Those who do not wish to do home canning may use the extra coupons to buy commercially packed, jams, jellies, canned fruit, etc., or sugar to supplement the regular ration.

The ten "S" coupons for canning sugar need not be used immediately they become valid. You will be given ample notice of their expiry date.

THESE ARE YOUR "S" COUPONS FOR EXTRA SUGAR

VALID MAY 2



VALID JULY 4



Any valid "S" Coupon, including those shown here, may be used to purchase sugar for canning, or the amount stated below of preserves.

The green "S" coupons S8 to S12 and S17 to S21 are in addition to the "S" coupons which regularly become valid each month for the purchase of sugar and preserves. They are validated to make available enough sugar for home canning or for other household uses.

"S" COUPON CALENDAR

4th April	S5	20th June	S15 and S16
18th April	S6 and S7	4th July	S17 to S21
2nd May	S8 to S12	18th July	S22 and S23
16th May	S13 and S14	15th August	S24 and S25

ALTERNATIVE VALUE OF ALL "S" COUPONS

1 lb. of sugar OR 4 lbs. honey OR 2 lbs. honey butter OR 40 fl. oz. canned fruit	OR 24 fl. oz. jam, jelly, marmalade OR 4 lbs. maple sugar	OR 80 fl. oz. maple syrup until May 31, after May 31, 48 fl. oz.	OR 2 qts. molasses OR 30 fl. oz. blended table, cane or corn syrup

CLIP THIS CALENDAR FOR READY REFERENCE

AMOUNT OF SUGAR USED IN CANNING

Each housewife may use her canning sugar to fit the needs of her particular household. A common method is to allow ⅓ lb. sugar for each quart sealer of canned fruit; and 1½ lbs. sugar for each quart of jam or jelly.

SUGARLESS METHOD OF CANNING FRUIT

Many home economists recommend the sugarless method of canning fruit. Sugar can be added during the winter as the fruit is used. If you have not a copy already, write the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, for "Wartime Canning" pamphlet.

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ADMISSION 50c.

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Drawing for Victory Bond and War Savings Certificates to be made at Dance.

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EMPLOYMENT, PROPERTY, TENDERS, ETC.

FOR SALE — horse, 7 years old, with harness and winter and summer express. — Apply Mrs. R. Larocque, 101 Main Street, phone 304, Lachute Mills. 1c.

FOR SALE — team of black horses: mare 5 years old weighing 1,350 lbs; horse 6 years old, weighing 1,400 lbs. Also double harness and wagon, in good shape.—Apply Rod MacMillan, Lost River, Que. M2-2c.

FOR SALE — Massey-Harris disc drill seeder, 13 discs, in good condition. Apply John A. Walker, 910-r-2.

FOR SALE — chesterfield set, bedroom set and desk; can be seen in evenings. — 312 Main Street, phone 484-J, Lachute. 1p.

FOR SALE — "Oakland" coupe, A-1 order, newly painted, 5 new tires, 1946 license, heater and defroster. Price $350. — Apply 69 Grace Street, Lachute. 1p.

FOR SALE — solid mahogany dining suite, in good condition. Price $120. — Phone Roberts, 341, Brownsburg. 1c.

FOR SALE — garden hose, red rubber, 100 feet in good condition, brass nozzle, $6.; lawn mower, in good condition, 14-inch cut, $6. — Apply Box C-600, Watchman, Lachute. M2-2p

FARM FOR SALE — with house and barns, approx. 150 acres, at Dunany, Que.; lake frontage on two lakes, next door to Dunany Golf Club. — Apply Melvin Boyd, R.R. 1, Dunany, Que. M2-2c

MACHINERY — Shovels, draglines, diesel tractors, diesel engines, diesel generator sets, graders, rock crushers, sand gravel equipment, lumbermen's equipment. We quote prices delivered your station. Send for bulletins. — Leventhal & Co., Machinery Dealers, Winnipeg. A25.3c.

Tenders Called for Tank Repairs

Sealed tenders for repairs to water tank and standpipe are called for by the Corporation of the Town of Hawkesbury. All tenders to be received not later than 5 p.m. on the 15th day of May, 1946. A certified cheque for 10% of the tendered price to accompany the tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Specifications available at the office of the Superintendent, Hawkesbury, Ontario.

(Signed) Joseph D. Turpin,
Superintendent

M2-2c

Properties for Sale

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A farm consisting of 180 acres, good buildings, water in same, 5 minutes' walk from railway station, in River Rouge, Parish of St. Andrews.

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1½-Storey frame dwelling, 7 rooms, furnace in basement; west side of Filion St., Brownsburg.

2 Tenement frame dwelling, 6 rooms and 3 rooms, corner of Main St. and St. Louis St., Brownsburg; also

1½-Storey frame dwelling, 5 rooms, on west side of St. Louis, Brownsburg; also

Vacant lot 45' x 60' on north side of Main Street, between St. Louis St. and Catholic Church, Brownsburg.

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SPACE TO RENT — for small shop or business. — Apply C. Belanger, Pool Room, 98 Foundry Street, Lachute. 1p.

NOTICE — anyone desiring good pasture land for 25 head of cattle or horses, at reasonable price, apply J. L. Sanscartier, R.R. 5, or telephone 926-r-2 A25-2p

PASTURE LAND — for year-old and 2-year-old heifers. — Apply David J. Rodger, R.R. 1, Lachute, or phone 914-r-4. M2-2p.

WANTED — girl or middle aged woman to look after elderly woman, confined to bed. — Phone 27, Lachute. -1x

WANTED—cotton rags, for cleaning purposes. Phone James Electric, Lachute 788-W. -1c

WANTED — immediately, middle aged woman or girl for general housework and care of children. Best of wages, own room if desired. English-speaking girl preferred. Liberal time off. —Apply Mrs. John J. Crooks, R.R. 1, St. Philippe, Que. -1c

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TEA AND SALE

The Ladies' Aid of Lachute United Church are holding their spring tea and food sale on Friday, May 3. White elephant table. Afternoon tea will be served. M2-2c.

BARN MEETING

The Laurentian Ayrshire Breeders' Club will hold a barn meeting April 27, at F. O. Peterson's, Lachute Road, commencing at 1 p.m. Judging contest, with prizes. Educational discussions. Bring your friends. M25.2c.

DANCE

A dance will be held under auspices of the Argenteuil Farm Forums, in the Lachute Auditorium, on Friday, May 10, at 9 p.m. Modern and old-time dancing. Lowe Bros' Orchestra. Admission 75c. M9-3c.

SCOUT AND CUB CONCERT AT BROWNSBURG

The third annual concert sponsored by the 1st Boy Scout Troop and Wolf Cub Pack at Brownsburg, will be held Friday, April 26, at 7.15 p.m., in the Consolidated School. All interested in the progress of Scouting, and in the welfare of local boyhood, are urged to attend this concert and give their encouragement. Excellent program. -2.

DANCING

At MacIntyre's Hall, Grenville, dancing every night. Orchestra every Saturday night. Modern and old-time dancing. xc

DANCE

A dance will be held in the Orange Hall, Louisa, on Saturday, April 27. Door prize. Modern and old-time dancing. Admission 50c each. A25-2c.

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25-2c E. M. Jones, sec.-treas.

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Brownsburg

The Woman's Missionary Society meeting of the United Church has been postponed to Tuesday evening next, April 30th, owing to the supper meeting in Lachute on Tuesday evening of this week. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Alex Gordon, Maple Avenue.

(The Watchman is for sale every week at J. S. Thompson's and at Choux Pharmacy.)

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Kettyle spent the week-end with relatives in Mountain, Ont.

Mr. M. Cowley, of Winnipeg, Man., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. McAdam.

The 1st Brownsburg Boy Scout Group Committee met on Monday for their regular monthly meeting. Plans were made to have a paper collection on May 1st at 6 p.m. Citizens are asked to have paper tied up in bundles or boxes. Final arrangements have been made for the annual concert which will be held in the Brownsburg Consolidated School, Friday, April 26 at 7.15. For further particulars look in "Coming Events".

Laurentian Lodge, No. 14, I.O.O.F., will hold its annual service at the United Church next Sunday at 11 a.m. (D.S.T.)

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mosley, and Master Charles Mosley, spent the Easter holiday visiting friends at Niagara, Ont.

Miss Phillis Skinner spent the week-end at her home in Ottawa.

The Brownsburg W.I. are sponsoring a sandwich demonstration and tea on Wednesday, May 1st, in the Presbyterian Church. Miss Evelyn Walker, Quebec W.I. Demonstrator — Secretary of Macdonald College, will give the demonstration.

A goodly number from here attended the supper meeting in Lachute United Church in connection with the United Church National Pension Fund Campaign which opens next week.

Cushing

Mr. A. F. Huckle, of Montreal, was an Easter guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burton, of Montreal, also Master B. McDiarmid, spent the Easter holidays with the Misses Cleland.

Miss Wendy and Master David Wright, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. W. Y. King. Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Cushing, also of Montreal, were motor guests of Mrs. King on Friday.

Mrs. C. L. Meservey and daughter, Mary, of Ottawa, spent Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Innes.

The Misses Elsie Graham and Margaret Canning spent Easter week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Mr. A. Graham was the guest on Easter Sunday of his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Dougall, of Verdun.

Miss Jane Brown, of Verdun, was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Teggart.

Mr. T. Canning, of Stonefield, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Easter Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning were Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown, and family, of Lachute, also Mrs. V. Morris.

Auction Sale

At the residence of
James Johnston,
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May 4th,
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Snow-fencing, roofing tin, English windows, doors, Quebec heaters, stove-pipes and elbows, large chest of drawers, wooden bed, wicker chairs, electric hot-plate, kitchen utensils, china and other articles.

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— Edgar Boyd, lic. auctioneer M2.2c.

Auction Sales also on page 2.

Cushing West

Mrs. S. O. Hartley, Miss Olive Hartley, and Mrs. Laurence Hartley and daughter Margaret, are spending the week at their residence. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley and son Kenneth also spent the Easter holidays at their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pryor, of Montreal, with their son, Mr. Lorne Pryor, and his friend P/O. Gerald Cleary, R.C.A.F., who recently returned from overseas, spent Sunday at Miss S. Whelehan's residence, which they have again taken for the summer.

Miss Muriel Cooke, of Montreal, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. C. L. Cooke, at Easter.

Mr. C. J. Hartley visited friends at Hawkesbury on Sunday.

Mr. J. S. Robert spent Tuesday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Louis Brookes, of Montreal, spent Easter here as guests of the former's mother, Mrs. J. Brookes.

Miss Myrtle Densmore, of Montreal, spent Easter at her home at Grece's Point.

Miss Ora Watson is spending Easter week at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Weir were Easter guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir while en route from Montreal to their home in Thorold; in the city they had been visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. Fitchett, who also spent Easter here.

Dr. H. B. Cushing, accompanied by his brother, Mr. Jas. Cushing, and Miss Florence Cushing, spent the latter part of the week at his residence.

WHERE TO START?

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