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Unemployment, Jobless Insurance, Problems Under Debate at Ottawa

By Ken Metheral

Ottawa, March 1 (CP) — The ever-pressing problems of security, of foreign trade, and other complex tasks that go hand-in-hand with running a country, were shoved into the background at Ottawa last week as the men on Parliament Hill focused their full attention on the problems of a growing number of "little" Canadians — the unemployed workers.

With unemployment officially estimated at more than 375,000 and unofficially placed as high as the 400,000 mark, parliament set aside its usual order of business to deal with a bill that will extend unemployment insurance benefits to an additional 100,000 job-seekers.

The bill won immediate support from all sides of the house. But the opposition parties — Progressive Conservative, C.C.F. and Social Credit — were quick to point out that they thought the bill didn't go far enough in extending aid to the unemployed.

Opposition critics made an unsuccessful attempt to have the government revoke a decision to increase unemployment insurance rates under the bill. Then the legislation was finally adopted, without a formal vote. There are three main provisions in the bill.

For Canadians already unemployed, probably the most welcome provision is a plan for special supplementary payments in cases where persons do not qualify for regular benefits.

Under this scheme unemployed workers who have exhausted their regular benefits through prolonged lack of work will be able to get additional benefits up to April 15 this year for a period equal to that for which they were qualified to receive regular benefits. The payments are 80 per cent of normal benefits.

Others Helped Too

Other workers who have not made the required 180 days contributions to qualify for regular benefits, or who have worked in lumbering camps for at least 90 days, also qualify for the added benefits.

Health Minister Martin, in outlining the legislation, said the supplementary benefits are designed to give extra protection for unemployed workers during the first three months of each year when the slack winter season normally forces employment to its lowest ebb.

For Canadians with jobs, the bill promises that should they lose their jobs they will collect benefits for a longer period than before. In addition, another 90,000 workers earning between $3,120 and $4,800 a year, who had not formerly paid unemployment insurance, now will be covered by the act.

But like any form of insurance, the increased coverage must be paid for. The contributions of each employee and each employer will be increased by one cent a day. Based on a six-day workweek, that means that for the broader protection each worker will pay about $3.00 more a year.

Next Year's Bill

Finance Minister Abbott has told Canada what the federal government expects to spend in the year 1950-51. The bill — $2,308,000,000 — gave Canadians an idea of what the cold war is costing them.

Mr. Abbott said defence expenses for the coming fiscal year will total $425,000,000, a jump of $42,000,000 over defence expenditures for the current year ending March 31. Health and welfare department expenditures will total $455,253,570 in the coming year, compared with $410,696,456 in the current year.

But the taxpayer could take some measure of comfort. The bill was $27,000,000 below estimated expenditures for 1949-50, although there were still supplementary estimates to add to it. Last year the supplementary estimates totalled $63,000,000, but Mr. Abbott said he expected the additional bill in the coming fiscal year would be less than that.

Family Escape from Night-time Blaze

The family of Damien Duval, Lachute Mills — his wife and two young children — escaped in their night attire as their dwelling burned, shortly after three o'clock this morning. They were awakened by the cries of one of the children, and the home, a wooden structure newly built, was quickly destroyed by flames. Only the frame remained standing, and nothing was saved from its contents.

The fire started around the chimney in the kitchen of the house.

The home is actually in Chatham Township, on a new street near the Exhibition Grounds, where the rough terrain and excavations for sewerage hampered the work of the fire brigade. At one point the hose traversed a ditch 10 feet wide. It was necessary to lay 1,300 feet of hose from a hydrant in the town limits — the surrounding hydrants in the new water system being not yet connected.

Blaze Subdued

Answering another alarm around 9 o'clock this morning, the brigade found a fire blazing in a wall at the home of D. Richer, baker, on Princess Street. The flames, caused by a defective chimney entry, burned a hole in the wall, but through effective firefighting the damage was kept to a minimum.

FOUND FLYING EASY

Montreal (CP) — Norman Delage had only a two-week holiday in Montreal from his mechanic's job at Knob Lake, Labrador, but he achieved his life's ambition. In a 12-day period he learned to fly and passed tests for a private pilot's license.

Dutch Farmers Settle in Canada

Montreal — The first group of Netherlands farmers to emigrate to Canada this year arrived in Montreal, recently, on two Canadian National Railways boat trains which brought more than 600 immigrants and displaced persons from Halifax. More than 100 Netherlands farmers and their families were on their way to engage in farm work in soutwestern Ontario and in western Canada.

W. End Post-Office In New Premises

The new Lachute Mills post-office was opened yesterday, March 1, in charge of Eric Stevens, who has served for some time past as assistant to Postmaster H. M. Gall at Lachute's main office. The new office is in the Lucien Lacoste block, a new building at the corner of Main and Bedard Blvd. — the postal department having rented these quarters for a year past. There are 320 mail-boxes and all new equipment. Mr. Stevens is acting postmaster, pending permanent appointment, and his assistants are Miss Filfe and Miss Latreille, who have served as clerks in the former office across the street.

Miss Alice Riddell has retired from the position of postmistress, in which she succeeded her late father who died in May 1930. Prior to this, the late Mr. Alexander (Sandy) Riddell had occupied the position since February 1909 — having conducted the postal business in the premises which are now Geo. Y. Deacon's, before building the present Riddell home combining the west-end post-office.

Criticism has been heard that, instead of being more central to the west-end community, the new site is still farther situated from the bridge and the large population residing across the river.

Firemen Carried Blaze Out of Basement

Between midnight and one o'clock Monday morning the fire brigade responded to a call from the Rex Café, in the Laurin Block on Main Street. Smoke was permeating through the restaurant and other parts of the building. The source of the trouble was found in the basement at rear of the restaurant, where a pile of potato bags was smouldering. The firemen lifted the sacks and removed the fire from the building, without applying water from the hydrant.

Ski-Tow Attracts Winter Sportsmen

An outcome of efforts by the Chamber of Commerce to promote winter sports — and a venture entailing some personal initiative — appeared doomed to discouragement with the lack of snow earlier this winter. During February, however, snow has fallen in usable quantities, and the ski-tow erected by Allan Hay, local farmer, came into its own last week-end. Many young ski enthusiasts braved the zero weather last Saturday and Sunday to patronize this spot, a short distance along the Brownsburg Road and convenient to the highway.

The main ski trail offers a steep descent to satisfy the more experienced skiers, who may either navigate the jump or by-pass this added test of skill. There are easier trails for beginners and those less proficient in the art. . . Probably the most valiant performer last Sunday was the photographer, seen midway up the chilly trail with camera poised in a petrified posture.

Besides the numerous skiers, there were many spectators on hand last week-end at this spot, which also has a small restaurant to afford warmth and refreshment.

The resort has been operating also on Wednesday afternoons, early closing day for local business houses, but the proprietor reports there has been no great activity at the ski-tow on this mid-week holiday.

Scouts' Fund Objective Exceeded in Brownsb'g

Brownsburg — In the national campaign for funds by the Boy Scouts Association, Brownsburg has exceeded its objective of $425 by approximately $100, with several final reports still to be made by group captains.

Six Patrol Leaders, four Scouters and several Group Committee members attended the annual Patrol Leaders' Dinner in Montreal last Saturday, February 25.

Boy, 6, Is Fatally Kicked by Horse

A grief-stricken family, relatives and neighbors attended the funeral today of a six-year-old lad at Grenville, Harris Dwane Dewar, who was kicked by a horse on a farm on the riverfront road, and died of injuries a few hours later.

The little boy, with his brother and sister, was sliding in a field, near a team with which his older cousin was hauling manure. The youngster moved too close to the horses and one of them became nervous, kicking the boy in the abdomen. The mishap occurred at four o'clock Monday afternoon. The victim was taken to Smith's Clinic Hospital at Hawkesbury, where he died of internal haemorrhage at 10 o'clock that night.

Police enquiries at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar, were reported to the district coroner, Dr. Jules Lafleur, at Lachute. The coroner pronounced the death accidental, and arrangements were made for the boy's burial this afternoon (Thursday). The Rev. P. R. Stote officiated at the funeral service, in St. Matthew's Church, Grenville, and the body was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Tells Interesting Origins of Pre-Pay Medical Plans, Blue Cross Principle

Dr. Paul R. Hawley, chief executive officer of the Blue Cross and associated hospital services, revealed some interesting facts concerning the origin of medical insurance plans. (Dr. Hawley has been in Montreal this week in connection with the Blue Cross and Blue Shield services, convening at the Windsor Hotel.)

The Chinese are usually credited with evolving the first medical insurance, or prepayment plan to take care of the high cost of being ill. Montrealers, however, are credited by this authority with evolving one of the first such plans in the Western world and certainly the first on the North American continent.

The Chinese used to pay their doctor — usually a good root and herb man but not much of a surgeon — a monthly sum as long as they were in good health. As soon as they became ill they stopped paying and the doctor was obliged to give free treatment until they were well again.

The not-unreasonable theory behind this plan was that the doctor should have a vested interest in health rather than illness and would work hard to cure his patients quickly and to keep them healthy.

Even today medical economists consider this plan to have had many advantages, but for one reason or another it never caught on, in quite those terms, in the the Western world.

At Ville Marie on the Island of Montreal in the year 1655, however, according to Dr. Hawley, "Urbain Tessier dit Lavigne and 36 others, acting for themselves and their families and children, contracted with Etienne Bouchard, master surgeon of the said Ville Marie, for the latter to dress and physic, of all sorts of illnesses . . except the plague of smallpox. . . or cutting for the stone . . in consideration of the sum of 100 sous each year payable by each of the above mentioned persons . . ."

Paid 75 Livres

And on August 20, 1681, likewise at Montreal, Rev. Mother Renée Le Jumeau, superior of the Dames Religieuses Hopitalières, contracted with Sieur Jean Martinet de Fonblanche and Antoine Forestier, master surgeons, for medical and surgical services to patients in their hospital "in consideration of the sum of 75 livres each for each year . . and on condition that the said surgeons cannot claim or seek to recover anything else whatever from the said patients."

Dr. Hawley says that these were, "so far as available sources reveal, the earliest health service prepayment plans on the North American continent".

From these plans he traces the development of other schemes which have culminated in widespread insurance and prepayment plans similar to the Blue Cross and Blue Shield. The latter plans have enrolled 36,000,000 persons in the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.

Gvt. Snow-Blower On Town Roads

While town employees had been intermittently engaged in sanding the streets and thawing fire-hydrants, the last week or two has brought snowfalls which enlisted all hands to the shovel, plus extra help. The snowplows have been pressed into action following recent blizzards, and the tractor and scoop have been busy removing snow piled in the centre of Main Street. Trucks dumping their loads into the river opposite the Memorial Park have piled up a sizeable snowbank.

An innovation on the streets this year has been the goverment blower brought into action, effectively cutting down the snowbanks between road and sidewalk, which will facilitate further plowing if the storms continue.

Livestock Judges for Lachute Spring Fair

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Argenteuil Agricultural Society, the following were named as Judges for the coming Lachute Spring Fair:

Heavy Horses — Andrew Crawford, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont.

Light Horses — E. S. Mason, Malone, N.Y.

Saddle & Jumping Horses — T. G. Mayburry, Hull, Que.

Ayrshire Cattle — Robert Seitz, Waukesha, Wis.

Holstein Cattle — Durno Innes, Woodstock, Ont.

Dual Purpose Shorthorns — Prof. G. Raithby, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ont.

Beef Cattle — Prof. G. Raithby, Guelph, Ont.

Jerseys & Canadians — Durno Innes, Woodstock, Ont.

Swine — Donald Stewart, Osgoode, Ont.

Sheep—James Graham, Ottawa.

Poultry & Rabbits — Maurice Wallace, Iroquois, Ont.

The longitude of all British maps is reckoned from Greenwich observatory.

Highway Plans for Eastern Ontario

Out of $43,400,000 to be spent for Eastern Ontario highways in the province's five-year $500,000,000 program, a substantial amount will be devoted to No. 2 and No. 17 routes (those more familiar to travellers from these parts) and to a four-lane highway from the Quebec border to Windsor.

Hon. George Doucet, M.L.A., Provincial Minister of Highways, stated in Ottawa last week that Highway 17 from the Capital to Pointe Fortune is to be widened to a 22-foot pavement with a 10-foot sloping shoulder. Work has been started at Green's Creek and will be advanced vigorously as soon as weather permits down the 71-mile stretch to Pointe Fortune. Mr. Doucett estimates the cost of grading this road at more than $100,000 a mile.

Highway No. 2 is to be renovated and straightened in the vicinity of Cornwall.

Four-Lane Highway To Windsor

Mr. Doucett said that Ontario's projected four-lane highway from Windsor to the Quebec border will be built north of Kingston, Brockville and Cornwall. The Department of Highways is buying the land needed for the right-of-way. "It will be made as safe as possible", he declared. "We won't have billboards or hot-dog stands along the route."

The new highway will by-pass No. 2 Highway, which runs along the St. Lawrence River front to Toronto. It will by-pass Prescott. "We are figuring on the St. Lawrence Seaway and Power Development being built", Mr. Doucett added. "Our engineers have made complete surveys and we know what places will be affected by the flooding necessary for the building of the St. Lawrence development."

The Lacombe Globe says phooey on the theory that sweeping helps the rock in curling, adding, "About the only point on which experts agree is that sweeping is good for the morale and keeps two slackers on the ice busy".

BEST IN WEST

Red Deer, Alta. (CP) — Seymour Nora Ormsby, five-year-old Holstein owned by Hans Ahrens, is top producer in her group in western Canada. The cow had a 1949 production record of 28,449 pounds.

Average profit of Canadian manufacturing companies is only six and two-fifths cents out of every sales dollar.

From Tractors to Printer's Ink in Refugee Camps





Refugees, now awaiting resettlement in European camps operated by the International Refugee Organization (IRO), a U. N. Specialized Agency, are learning new trades to earn livings in new homes and at the same time are keeping their skills at their former professions. A group of newspaper writers and editors (left) practice their new knowledge of tractor repairing. After finishing their work at mechanics, they turn out newspaper copy for one of 35 journals published in refugee camps. At right, displaced editors of a Latvian-language refugee paper at work.

$35,000 Appropriation for Post-Office Extension Here

Appropriations for federal public works in Quebec are listed in the government estimates which were tabled in the Commons last Saturday. The list includes an item of $35,000 for "addition and alterations to public building, Lachute".

This appropriation for enlargement of the main post-office here, is the outcome of increasing demands upon its space and facilities in recent years. No specific plans have been prepared, to the knowledge of the local postmaster, but his suggestions to the departmental inspectors have included a substantial addition to the rear of the building.

Bulletin Pays Tribute To Brownsburg Doctor

The current issue of Brownsburg "Bulletin" comments upon the devotion of the medical profession to the calls of duty — calls which at this season of the year, and in a countryside such as this, are more onerous and difficult than usual. The "Bulletin" cites this recent incident:

"Occasionally outstanding examples occur which exemplify the . . hazardous conditions under which our doctors perform their duties. One occurred recently in which a young doctor, fairly new to Brownsburg, answered a call from the Weir district when roads were icy and extremely treacherous. He was the only doctor available, and he did not hesitate. He had the foresight to take with him his skates. The inevitable happened, and his car left the road and balanced precariously over a ravine. Undaunted, he finished a journey of several miles on skates and was in time to meet the emergency. . . The doctor whom we commend for his bravery and beyond-the-ordinary devotion to duty is Dr. Jacques Destagner, and we are proud to have him in our midst."

Fought Losing Battle



SIR HARRY LAUDER, who died last Sunday at the age of 79. The famous Scottish comedian enjoyed a popularity more widespread, affectionate and enduring than any stage celebrity of recent times. . . Sir Harry Lauder had fought a valiant battle against illness, which confined him to his bed last August.

Eight G'vt Bills Adopted During One Sitting

By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec, March 1 (CP) — Discussion of bills on agriculture is to proceed at quick pace in the Provincial Legislature, which got off to a fast start last week with adoption of eight government bills during one sitting.

The bills were passed with little debate after the address in reply to the speech from the throne was adopted. Third and final reading on another piece of legislation concerning the Quebec mining act was postponed at the request of liberal opposition leader George C. Marler.

This bill, introduced by Premier Duplessis' Union Nationale government, is aimed at making good mining claims in the Chibougamau area which do not meet the requirements of the act now in force.

The present law states that certain mining claims situated less than 100 miles from a railway or a highway are not valid.

The bill would authorize a holder of a miner's certificate to stake claims for other holders of such certificates up to a total of 800 acres.

A government bill was adopted to amend the code of civil procedure concerning expropriations. It will cause expropriations where electrical enterprises are concerned to come under the electricity board instead of the public service board as before.

Other bills adopted amend the Courts of Justice act, allow recorders to be named among lawyers with three years of practice, instead of five in certain areas, increase coroners' fees to $25 from $15, amend regulations between masters and servants, define more precisely the powers of the Provincial Electricity Board, clarified jurisdiction of the Transportation Board and the Public Service Board regarding autobus and tramways transportation.

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Sales Tax Approved, to Benefit School Municipalities

Quebec, Feb. 28. — Imposition of the one per cent retail sales tax for school commissions received approval of the Legislature today when the public bills committee of the Assembly gave approval to the bill of the school boards of Coaticook to impose such a tax. However, at the suggestion of the Premier, the tax is no longer to be called a sales tax but an education tax. Education in Coaticook will have between $10,000 and $15,000 a year additional in virtue of this tax.

The Sorel one per cent education tax was also approved in principle though the Bill will have to come back after redrafting.

The attitude taken by the committee indicates that the same approval will be given to the dozen other such bills to come before Quebec Legislature this session.

Mayor Appeals to Citizens to Provide Off-Season Employment

Dear Fellow-Citizens:

Every now and then, we read an item about unemployment in Canada.

The condition is largely seasonal, due to the closing down of certain types of industry that cannot carry on through the winter months.

We can help solve this problem, in part at least, by doing jobs about our homes and business premises . . NOW.

Why leave until spring that interior decorating, those repairs and alterations which can be done now?

When spring comes there will be a greater demand for workers. You will have to wait your turn and it may be slow business. Workers are available NOW and they are anxious for employment.

Let us help ourselves, help our community and help unemployed men by doing the work now, instead of waiting.

Call the National Employment Office (phone 122) for additional information. They will be glad to assist you. Do it NOW!

— Léopold Carrière
Mayor — Le Maire

Appel du Maire en faveur des Chômeurs saisonniers

Bien chers Concitoyens:

Durant les mois d'hiver, il y a ordinairement un nombre de personnes sans travail, parce que certaines industries ne peuvent pas fonctionner durant cette saison.

Aidons à résoudre, en partie du moins, le problème du chômage en faisant exécuter nos travaux MAINTENANT.

Pourquoi attendre au printemps pour faire effectuer ces travaux de réparations, de réfections ou de décorations intérieures?

Au printemps les travailleurs seront en demande. Il nous faudra attendre notre tour et ce sera peut-être long. Il y a maintenant à notre disposition des travailleurs impatients de trouver un emploi.

Rendons-nous service; rendons service à la localité et aux chômeurs en faisant exécuter nos travaux immédiatement au lieu d'attendre à plus tard.

Si vous désirez des renseignements complémentaires, adressez-vous au Bureau National de Placement, qui vous aidera avec plaisir.

Agissons MAINTENANT. (Téléphone 122).

Gatineau LINES

The One-Meter Rate

In our last column it was pointed out that the one-meter rate, together with the system of equal rates for communities of equal size, has been a valuable factor in providing good electrical service at the lowest possible rates to our customers. We discussed the fact that the principle of equal rates in communities of equal size provides each community with the best opportunities for growth and development. There are equally tangible advantages resulting from the one-meter system.

One-Meter System

All Gatineau customers are on the one-meter rate — in fact this has become general practically everywhere in Canada, because it is the cheapest and fairest method of figuring electricity charges. Such was not always the case. When Gatineau was formed in 1927, it consisted of a dozen or so different companies, each with a widely different rate, and each with the two-meter system. Under this system lighting was supplied through one meter, and if an electric stove or similar appliance was operated, it was supplied through a second meter. All this meant duplication of wiring and much higher rates.

In 1930 Gatineau introduced the one-meter rate throughout its territory. As a matter of fact, Gatineau was one of the first companies on the continent to adopt this system. It resulted in immediate and continuing saving to customers in many quarters. A typical example might be found in Aylmer where, following introduction of the one-meter system, the cost of 100 kilowatt hours of electricity dropped from $10.00 to $3.65. Later it went down to $2.89.

The one-meter plan, together with the system of similar rates for communities of similar size which we reviewed in our last column, has played an important part in providing the best possible electrical service at the lowest possible rates to our customers. In these days, where electricity is used so extensively in so many ways besides lighting, it provides economies undreamed of two decades ago.

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Seasonal
Farm Topics



Be A Jump Ahead With Equipment

Nothing is more of a white elephant than a tractor that will not go. If the farm tractor wasn't thoroughly overhauled in the fall, it is not too early to attend to it now. Spring has a habit of catching everyone unawares, and a worn part on the tractor can often mean a few days' delay when the spring rush starts.

And other farm machinery and equipment can well be checked too. All bearings and other moving parts should be carefully examined, and those showing excessive wear should be renewed. All bolts and setscrews used in adjustments should be checked to be sure they operate. Machines should be checked for broken castings. Because a machine was running well last time it was used in the fall, that's no guarantee it will operate perfectly first thing in the spring.

Found Easier Way To Feed His Cows

The puzzler of how to get tightly packed hay easily and quickly from the mow to the cow has been solved on an Iowa dairy farm.

W. P. Fulton does it simply by a reversal of the hay-storage procedure. Fulton uses his hay hoist, an extra trip on his hay track, a grapple-type fork; he rearranges pulleys and cables, and does in 20 minutes what used to take him about two hours.

The hay hoist and motor remain in a stationary position. It is a brief matter to rearrange the pulleys so that they take out of the mow hay they once put in.

Two Hay-Driers

About 150 feet long, Fulton's barn has two hay-drier installations. As hay dried artificially has a tendency to pack tighter than that dried in the field, Fulton had a long, back-breaking job moving the hay to his 64 dairy cattle before he developed his present system.

One man operating the motor-driven hay hoist and using the grapple-type fork can move one day's supply — about 1,700 pounds of hay — in three forkfuls. The job takes about 20 minutes. The motor runs not more than five minutes during the operation.

The hay must be pulled almost straight up to loosen it, and to move it in big bunches to a hay chute. About 20 minutes, each morning and night, is needed for one man to move the hay into the mangers at feeding time.

— Macdonald College Journal

Sound Business to Care for Manure

Properly handled manure will save money that will otherwise have to be spent on commercial fertilizers. Barnyard manure will greatly improve the fertility of the soil if measures are taken to conserve its fertilizing qualities.

In the main, three fertilizer materials are required in soils, nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash. One half the nitrogen and about two-thirds of the potash are found in the liquid portion of the manure. This shows how important it is to try and save the liquid portion of the manure if at all possible and the need of using liberal amounts of straw or other bedding material to soak it up.

Spreading superphosphate on the manure in the barn prevents the ammonia from escaping. Ammonia is the nitrogen in the manure and until superphosphate came along, no matter how well manure was cared for, a high percentage of ammonia was lost. Fortunately today superphosphate does that very important job and besides it reinforces the very low phosphate content of the manure.

— Ottawa Farm Journal

Soil is a renewable resource, but it takes a good scientific management to renew it.

Borrowing Can Be Very Good Business

If you want to make your farm more productive, more profitable, you may be well advised to borrow money. If the purpose of the loan is sound, your borrowing can be very good business.

For instance, you may need a new plough, a new tractor or a new barn . . . you may want to repair or modernize your farmhouse or other buildings . . . you may want to install an electric or heating system or improve your present one.

For these and a score of other purposes, a B of M farm improvement loan may be the answer to your need. If you want to make your farm a better farm, why not call on Mr. D. M. Hay, manager of the Bank of Montreal, and discuss your plans with him in confidence. His farming customers are borrowing money at very low cost and repaying it over extended periods.

AUCTION SALES

At the residence of the
LATE LEONARD GASTON,
CUSHING,
Wed., March 8, at 12 o'clock:

2 Horses, harness, 6 cows, 3 heifers, express, Massey-Harris seeder, McCormick mower, rake, disc and other harrows, McCormick corn binder, 2 cultivators, 2 single furrow plows, gang plow, fanning mill, root cutter, scraper, 2 wagons and rack, tumbril cart, 2 pairs bobsleighs, cutter, corn sheller, 2-seated buggy, rubber-tired buggy, grindstone, turnip planter, wheelbarrow, scales, screw-jack, De Laval cream separator, 5 and 8-gal. milk cans, milk pails, 4 sleigh robes, several tons hay, quantity 1-inch maple lumber, some planks, chains, forks, shovels, 2 rack sleighs, and many other articles.

Terms: $10 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months' credit by furnishing approved joint notes.

M2.2c W. J. Boyd, lic. auctioneer

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(NOTE — Mrs. Gaston wishes to state that reports that cattle and horses have been sold before sale, are absolutely false. Everything will be sold as advertised).

FREQUENT DAILY SERVICES to MONTREAL
for the 7th Annual
MONTREAL SPORTSMEN'S EXHIBITION
17th Hussars Armoury, 4185 Cote des Neiges Road
MARCH 4th to 12th
from LACHUTE, $2.20 return.

The Sportsmen's Show, sponsored by The Anglers' Association of Quebec, is held to raise funds to help conserve fish and game in Quebec and aid in the education of the public to the need for conservation. Hunting and Fishing equipment as well as an educational display will be featured. The show will include:

BEEBE AND HIS RUSSIAN BROWN BEARS who appeared in the "Road to Utopia" with Hope and Crosby. They sing, dance, etc.

EMMET OLDFIELD AND EDDIE WARE the well-known comedy fishing act.

FRANK WEED AND HIS DOGS field dogs which point and retrieve game from under cover and from water.

AUNALEE CRUSEY world champion lady fly and bait caster.

ESKIMOS a complete Eskimo village and a family of five brought from Alaska by Dave Irwin.

CHIEF POKING FIRE in a ceremonial dance with his tribe.

MOOSE CALLING demonstrated by two experts.

LEE WULFF well known editor, writer, conservationist — with his special outdoor movies.

ZOO with many different species of wild animals and birds.

WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP log rolling, chopping and buck sawing contests.

TUG OF WAR between Dave Irwin's Siberian huskies or malemutes and men in canoe.

Masters of Ceremonies: Ovila Legare and Lee Wulff.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE SEE YOUR LOCAL AGENT

PROVINCIAL TRANSPORT COMPANY

Boy Scouts The World Over



PRIZE-WINNING CAKES

At a county fair and hobby show, held recently at Kew Beach United Church in Toronto, Boy Scout Larry Moore won first prize with his three layer cake; Scout Bob Guest took second prize with his chocolate cake, and Scout Anthony Ray baked pastries which took third prize.

HONORARY TREASURER

Chester O. McGirr, manager of the Bank of Montreal in Ottawa, has been named Honorary Treasurer of the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association. He succeeds C. H. Butterworth, also of the Bank of Montreal, who retired because of ill health.

INJURED FLIER AIDED

Five Boy Scouts in Sandwich East, Ontario, are credited with saving the life of Glendon H. Roberts, of Detroit, who crash-landed his light plane in a lonely Riverside field during a blinding snow storm.

Scouts Harold Turner, 14; Dolton Edwards, 12; William Bryce, 15; Norman Belmore, 16; and Donald Moore, 15, while skating on a pond, heard the aircraft in trouble, spotted the location of the crash, rushed to the rescue, made the injured airman comfortable on cushions from the plane, built a fire of cotton waste and wood from the wreckage, notified the airport, quickly called the police and brought an ambulance to the scene.

RESCUE FIRE VICTIM

Girl Guide Marla Mitchell, 11, and Wolf Cub David Bakes, 10, were instrumental in saving the life of Mrs. Bernard S. Clissold recently when her home burned.

While skating the children saw flames burst from the Clissold home. Marla rushed home and got her mother to telephone an alarm, then joined David in rousing Mrs. Clissold, who is a semi-invalid and hard of hearing. They helped her gather up valuables and got her safely out of the burning building.

"The Wee Nursery"

"The Wee Nursery" is now being conducted at 14 Water Street, under the direction of Miss Christina Matheson and Miss Mary Jack, both Argyle Nurses. Children of ages 2-5 years, from 9-12 daily. Infants to 2 years, from 2-5 p.m., three days a week. Taxi service. For information — Box 543; tel. 816.

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Everybody's Business!

WITH THE slogan, "Education — Everybody's Business", Education Week is being celebrated from March 5 to 11 under the joint sponsorship of eleven national organizations. Education Week has been observed in Canada since 1935 with broadening intensity, until today it is utilized by local schools, home and school associations, and service clubs to throw the spotlight of publicity on the achievements and the needs of education in their municipalities.

Canadians generally, and the people of Quebec in particular, have reason to be proud of the progress that has been made in education over the past fifty years. If the regettable reversion in this province to school fees is overlooked for the moment, it may be said that Canadians now enjoy free compulsory education and a goodly measure of equality of educational opportunities. More money than ever before is being found for school buildings and teachers' salaries; the least efficient of the smaller schools are being closed and the children transported to modern buildings staffed by experienced and well-trained teachers.

There is no reason for complacency, however. Grave inequalities still exist, between one rural area and another, between city and country. This problem is particularly acute in Protestant Quebec at present, as relatively high salaries on Montreal island tend to draw the better teachers away from the rural high and elementary schools. In a desperate effort to keep classrooms functioning, school boards are being permitted to employ untrained men and women, many of them only graduates of Grade X and XI, and these class monitors or sitters are being paid as much as experienced trained teachers for a classroom job that is very often far below even a mediocre standard.

So long as this shortage of trained teachers persists it will be impossible to do what should have been done in Canada fifteen years ago — raise the standard of teaching certificates so that eventually every teacher in Grades 1 to 8 will have the equivalent of a college education. Canada lags far behind other English-speaking countries in continuing to award teaching certificates to high school graduates after only one year of training in a normal school.

The solution of these problems is not simple or single, but it is closely linked to money. The Canadian taxpayer must find a way to compel the three main tax-collecting bodies in the country to spend more of every tax dollar on education. Federal aid to schools would help, larger provincial grants are a necessity, but in the long run the taxpayer in every school municipality must be persuaded of the great need and willingly pay more for the education of tomorrow's citizens.

In this very real sense, Education is definitely "Everybody's Business".

Cheerful Prospect

THREE recent news items go far to explain why Canadians have been enjoying such high post-war prosperity, why they were hardly affected by the mid-1949 American recession, and why they may have confidence for the future.

One was the third anniversary, February 13, of the finding of oil at Leduc, near Edmonton. This highlighted the fact that in three short years Canada has passed from being a desperately oil-hungry country to one that can look forward to being self-supplying.

It highlighted the fact that money is being poured into western oil at the rate of $150,000,000 or more a year, and that this money is percolating through the industry and payrolls of the entire country.

Another piece of news was a summary of mining expenditures prepared by the Canadian Metal Mining Association. This says that producing metal mines (not including iron) spend $151,000,000 yearly with other Canadian industries for materials and supplies, or nearly 30 cents out of every dollar they earn.

This is by producing mines alone and outside of money spent to bring mines into production. For instance, it is estimated that $150,000,000 will be spent on materials in the next few years in developing iron and titanium mines.

A third item, which probably gives the best assurance of all that good times will continue, was an estimate by the Dominion bureau of statistics that more money than ever will be spent this year in industries and private developments. This is what is known as capital investment, and the bureau estimates that it will total this year $3,587,000,000 or $162,000,000 more than the record-year 1949.

Capital investment, along with exports, have been the major sustaining items of post-war prosperity. It is itself, of course, being sustained by the developments in oil and mine fields.

These things — plus the fact that exports, though experiencing difficulties, are holding up remarkably well — plus the income from forests, farms and sea — add up to Canadian prosperity and reasoned optimism for the future.

Winter Creates Unemployment

DURING the winter months, we in Canada hear more about unemployment than at any other time in the year. During the late spring, summer and autumn there is comparatively little of this complaint.

The reason, of course, is Canada's climate. With the coming of winter, certain types of industry close down. Road construction is at a standstill, both on railways and highways. Construction of buildings is materially reduced, and a number of other outdoor activities are cut down.

The result is what is termed "seasonal unemployment". Canada has a certain amount of it every year. This year it is greater than in recent years, because woods activities in certain parts of the country are also reduced. The woods have generally taken care of a proportion of the labor thrown out of employment by the slowing down of other industry.

Employment officers feel that this temporary condition can be taken care of if communities across Canada will do something about it. The idea is that many of us have work which can be done now, but which for some reason is usually postponed until spring or summer. Such jobs as redecorating the home, repairing and reconditioning machinery and buildings; etc., can frequently be undertaken in winter.

It is obvious that unemployment is a bad thing in any community. It does no good to anybody, and it may do a great deal of harm. The unemployed individuals together with their families are the direct sufferers, but the whole community loses through the fact that they have ceased to produce and ceased to earn.

There is, however, another important angle. One of the problems in connection with getting work done in the spring and summer seasons arises out of the shortage of capable workmen. There are more men available now than at any time in the year, and anyone who has jobs to do can obtain capable help now that is not available later on.

It is obvious that there are certain types of work that cannot be done in winter. On the other hand, maybe some of us are holding back on work which could be done as well now as at any other time. All that the National Employment Service urges is that we go ahead and do this type of work. . . The request seems a reasonable one.

THE AUTOMOBILE business, one of the last two strong holdouts against the general trend toward a buyers' market (steel is the other) is finally showing signs of giving in — reports The Financial Post. The supply is catching up fast with the demand. In some cases, it has caught up and you can get immediate delivery. Prices are going down. Used-car prices are already down anywhere from 25% to 40% from last fall but are expected to steady by spring. Trade-in allowances are higher. Almost brand-new cars in some lines can be bought at $200 discount on Toronto used-car lots.

A LONDON doctor protested in the British Medical Journal that he had twice been sent for at night to keep a baby quiet.

When he complained to the father, the reply was: "It's your job, isn't it? I've got to go to work in the morning".

AS OUR governments set about the business of budgets — everyone is for economy, of course. That is — unless some particular measure proposed in the name of economy touches him, or his uncles, his cousins, or his aunts.

— Dauphin (Man.) Herald & Press

Atomic Wrath to Come

By Lewis Milligan

Dr. Albert Einstein has declared that the hydrogen bomb threatens with annihilation all life upon the earth. Coming from the man who is credited with having been primarily responsible for the discovery of atomic energy, that warning is all the more authentic and serious for mankind. Other scientists have issued the same warning of the terrible consequences of drifting into a third world war with atomic weapons.

There is more talk today about "security" and more schemes and efforts to achieve it than there has ever been before in the history of mankind. And yet there was never before a time when there was less security. It would seem that the more men seek for security in this world the further it recedes from them. This is because the very foundation upon which men propose to build their permanent Utopias is always insecure.

> The glories of our blood and state
> Are shadows, not substantial things.

The truth of those lines of Shirley is brought vividly home to us when we think of the devastating possibilities of the hydrogen bomb. In a news dispatch from London about the general election, we are told that back of all British minds lies the question: "What does the welfare state mean if our lives and the lives of our children are to be blotted out tomorrow?"

Before the First World War, Robert Blanchford, the brilliant and popular British Socialist, asked that same question. He had held up to the British workers the vision of a Socialist Utopia, and when he saw that vision fading in the shadow of the "German Menace" he turned to the Right, and was eventually converted from atheism to spiritualism. He realized that there was no lasting basis of security and human welfare in materialism. "They that deny a God", wrote Bacon, "destroy man's nobility; for certainly a man is kin to the beast by his body; and if he is not kin to God by his spirit, he is a base and ignoble creature."

It has become a platitude to say that the only hope for the salvation of the souls of men is in the Gospel of Christ; but that is now equally true of the salvation of men's bodies and their whole material domain. The old-time evangelists were scoffed out of the pulpit for preaching hell-fire; but their hell was in the next world, and it was at least habitable. Here is the latest description of the possible effects of the hydrogen bomb:

> "Given the right conditions, explosion of a H-bomb could turn us all into little suns, probably in less than 60 seconds after the blast. Our world would then be just another star in space."

That is not the wild imagining of a fiction writer, but the measured statement of Dr. Allan Munn, one of Canada's foremost physicists.

When one looks around on the world with its multi-millions of human inhabitants and thinks of the infinite variety of vegetable and animal life which have taken vast ages to evolve to their present state, the idea that all these could be annihilated in an instant by a mechanical invention of man is monstrously fantastic. Personally, I can't believe it. Yet when men like Einstein solemnly declare that such a gigantic catastrophe is possible and warn us to "flee from the wrath to come", what are we to say — and whither should we flee? Dr. Einstein says the only "way out of this impasse created by man himself is a supra-national judicial executive body" to collaborate in a "restricted world government". That is exactly what the United Nations have been trying to do for the last five years, and they are farther apart than when they started. We are told that "the fear of God is the beginning of wisdom"—the beginning, not the end. God moves in mysterious ways, and He may have permitted the nations to come to the verge of mutual extermination in order to bring them together in a common brotherhood of good-will and peace for their mutual preservation. The fear of the hydrogen bomb may yet be the beginning of international wisdom.

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— Geraldton (Ont.) Times-Star

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

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Mrs. Bradley Morrison and little daughter, Glenna, of Montreal, spent the past week as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison; Bradley joined them over the week-ends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Greenbank returned home Saturday after spending the past three weeks with their son Rolland, at Huntingdon.

Miss Mildred Cowan, accompanied by Miss Cathie Langston, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug MacKimmie and family, of Lachute, were Sunday guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig entertained at a "500" card party Saturday evening; three tabes were played and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Harland Schnauffer, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sobey.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen and family spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Owen at Lachute.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Larose included Mr. and Mrs. E. Larose, Mr. Lyall Larose, Miss A. Morrow and Mr. Clifford Larose, all of Montreal.

Cushing West

Sgt. M. Akeson spent the week-end here with his wife and family.

Mrs. Allan R. Vowles entertained the St. Mungo's Ladies' Association on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Roland Desforges and a party of friends, including Messrs. S. Robert, G. Moncrieff and Rodrigue Desforges, motored to Montreal last week and attended a hockey match at the Forum.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar and family in the loss of their younger son, Dwane, who met with a fatal accident last Monday.

Community Club

A meeting of the Community Club was held Saturday in Elliott's Hall. After quite a lapse of activities for this club, it was decided to re-organize — the new officers being: president, M. Wilson; vice-president, R. Dobbie; and secretary-treasurer, A. R. Vowles. Meetings will be held on the first and third Friday evenings of each month — the first being this week, March 3.

St. Andrews East

Miss Bessie Rodger, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rodger, Lachute Road.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller and two daughters, Carol and Sandra, spent last week in Renfrew, Ont.

Mrs. Williams, of Granby, Que., visited her daughter, Mrs. K. Campbell, last week.

Miss Irene McLure and Miss Janet Ryan, of Montreal, and Dr. W. A. Pitcairn, of Como, Que., were guests of the Misses Wales last week-end.

Miss Allison Rodger, of Montreal, spent the week-end in River Rouge with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Rodger, Sr.

Mrs. Robert Robinson and Mrs. Percy Hall attended the Montreal Presbyterial of the United Church W.M.S., held in the Dominion Douglas United Church on February 22-23.

Morin Heights

The sympathy of the community goes to Mrs. J. McCullough and family in the death of her husband, who passed away on Saturday, February 25.

Mr. Graeme Bell is spending this week at his home here.

Miles Aumais spent the week-end with his family.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mrs. R. Moss; friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Messrs. W. R. Bell and Merlin McCullough spent the week-end with their respective families.

GIRLS' TEAM WINS SCHOOL JUNIOR SKI TROPHY FOR 4th CONSECUTIVE YEAR

Morin Heights — The schoolgirls' annual ski race sponsored by the Penguin Club was held at Piedmont last Saturday.

The Junior team from Morin Heights Intermediate School won the Junior Trophy for the 4th consecutive year. This team was composed of — Corinne Watchorn, Beverley Bell, Ann Brown and Doreen Seale.

Calumet

The death of Mme Antonio Gauthier occurred is hospital at Ottawa early this morning, at the age of 39. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Gauthier, baker of this village, and the bereaved family of five children. Mme Gauthier was the sister of Police Chief Donat Villeneuve, of Lachute.

Brownsburg

Mrs. T. Smillie spent the week-end in Montreal visiting relatives.

Miss Emily Barker, of Montreal, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Graham.

Mrs. Percy MacAdam spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mrs. Wm. Prosser has returned home from Toronto, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. D. Wanamaker and Mr. Wanamaker.

Mrs. F. Barker was in Montreal last week.

Mr. Milton Mason is visiting at his home here.

Mrs. H. Graham spent Friday last in Montreal.

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of the late Mrs. J. H. McFaul, of Lachute, who was a member of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church here and had many friends in this community. The funeral took place in the Lachute United Church on Sunday last; her pastor, the Rev. J. G. Duncan, conducted the service.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sadler, of Flaxcomb, Sask., who have been east since November visiting friends and relatives, arrived back here on Friday last to spend a few days with her brother, Mr. Edgar Boyd and Mrs. Boyd. Mr. and Mrs. Sadler left on Tuesday for Boston, Mass., and from there will motor to their home in Saskatchewan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forsyth for the week-end were — Misses Doris Watchorn and Maddie Farmer, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, and Miss Bessie Scott, of Ponoka, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kendall, of Hampstead, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt.

Mr. Melvin Dey left Wednesday for a vacation at Camp Borden and Toronto.

Day of Prayer

The World Day of Prayer was observed here on Friday last when the ladies of the community met in the United Church. Mrs. Chas. Campbell, vice-president of the United Church W.A., assisted by Mrs. R. J. Seale, president of the Anglican W.A., conducted the service.

Inter-Village Ski Meet, Corrected Standing

Due to an error of the executive of the Inter-Village Ski Meet held at Ste. Agathe recently (and reported in last week's news) Mr. Bunny Basler, ski pro, informed Mr. M. Blakeley, school principal, after news had been sent in that the following is the correct standing of the girls:

Senior Downhill—(1) Gloria Dawson, (2) Barbara Brown.
Senior Slalom — (1) Barbara Brown, (2) Francis Munger.
Junior Downhill — (1) Muriel Black, (2) Ann Brown.
Junior Slalom — (1) Doreen Seale, (2) Ann Brown.

SKIERS TRIUMPH AT MONT TREMBLANT

Morin Heights — The annual Taschereau Downhill ski event was held at Mont Tremblant on Sunday last. Congratulations are extended to the following local girls and boys:

Doreen Elder, 2nd in Ladies' Junior A & B — 4.15.2.
Jean Elder, 1st in Ladies' Senior B — 4.52.1.
Corinne Watchorn, 3rd in Ladies' Junior C — 4.59.
Graeme Bell, 4th in Men's Junior A & B — 4.45.2.
Howard Elder, 3rd in Men's Junior C — 4.00.2.
John Gillingham, 15th in Men's Junior C — 4.41.7.

CROSS-COUNTRY

In the Cross-Country Relay from Ste. Agathe to St. Jerome, via Sun Valley Farm and Morin Hts. (a distance of approximately 35 miles) a team from Hull came in first, with Morin Heights second. At time of writing this news, the correct time was not available. The local team consisted of Ross Gillingham, Bobby Baldwin, Basil Green and Carmen Wood.



REID J. SMITH, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia's Toronto main branch, who has been named an assistant general manager. Mr. Smith has gained wide experience during his 41 years as a banker. He was successively assistant manager of the Halifax main branch, then of the Montreal main branch, in charge of the Foreign Relations Department at the general office in Toronto, and manager of the Halifax main branch. He has been head of the Toronto main office since 1946.

Activities at Curling Club

In the Senior Mackie knock-out competition, comprising skips and thirds, the following curlers played off for honors at the local club during the past week —

A. Scott, H. Scott, E. M. Jones, W. J. Deacon (skip) vs. L. Cruise, R. A. Giles, D. McTavish, Geo. Calder (skip). . . The latter team won by a substantial majority.

Lachute made a very good showing in the recent Hawkesbury 'spiel. Five rinks took part, with two teams reaching the semi-finals. In the finals, A Scott, L. Bedard, H. Scott and W. Deacon (skip) lost to Skip Stockwell, of Pointe Claire, but each received as runners-up a beautiful silver dish. Messrs. K. McGibbon, I. Gordon, R. Richardson and H. Dion (skip) were also in the semi-finals, playing with W. Deacon's team against Vankleek Hill Friday night for a 13-plus score.

Messrs. W. M. Steeves, D. McTavish, G. Calder, J. R. Charron and W. S. MacKimmie were skips of teams playing in the Edinburgh competitions.

Play for the Royal Caledonia Trophy in the Hawkesbury Centre is now underway, with Lachute making good progress.

The Junior Mackie knock-out contest was won by H. Graves, J. Johnston, D. Mitchell, D. Hay, skip, against E. Snadden, C. McOuat, R. Hadley, H. Todd, skip.

The chicken-pie supper on Tuesday evening was well attended, and a short discussion took place on the year's activities to date. A suggestion was made that there be a general meeting every two weeks, on which action will likely be taken shortly.

The week-end mixed bonspiels are held each Saturday afternoon and evening. Prizes are given for the highest-plus, and refreshments are served during a social hour.

NFLD. SCOUTS "COME IN"

Recently when Newfoundland Boy Scouts were welcomed into the Canadian Boy Scouts Association, Canada's Boy Scout membership went over the 110,000 mark.

Birth, Marriages and Deaths

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BIRTH

HALL — At Providence Hospital, Lachute, on Wednesday, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Hall (formerly Laura Maloney), of Brownsburg, a son — a brother to Colleen.

DEATHS

DEWAR — Suddenly at Smith's Clinic Hospital, Hawkesbury, Ont., on Monday, Feb. 27, 1950, Harris Dwane, youngest and dearly beloved son of Harris and Ivy Dewar, just 6 years of age.

McCULLOUGH — At Morin Heights, Que., on Feb. 25, 1950, John, beloved husband of Mary Ann Kilpatrick, in his 78th year.

McFAUL — Suddenly at Lachute, Que., on Feb. 23, 1950, Harriet Cox, beloved wife of John Henry McFaul. Funeral held Sunday, 2.30 o'clock, from Lachute United Church; interment Lachute Cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

McFAUL — Mr. John Henry McFaul and family wish to express to their many friends, neighbors and relatives, their sincere thanks for their tokens of sympathy and kindness during their recent bereavement.

McMAHON — Mrs. Wm. McMahon and family, of Harrington, wish to thank friends and relatives for their assistance and expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

BOYD — In loving memory of our dear son and brother, F/O. Walter Boyd, "missing, presumed dead" since March 4, 1944. — Father, Mother, Viola and Dorila.

"There is a road we call remembrance
Where thoughts and wishes meet,
We take that road in thought today
To a loved one we cannot greet."

HYDE — In loving memory of a dear father and husband, Leonard, who passed away on March 1, 1945. — Always remembered by his wife, Eileen, and kiddies.

"The depths of sorrow we cannot tell
Of the loss of one we loved so well,
And while he sleeps a peaceful sleep
His memory we shall always keep."

McCULLOCH — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. David McCulloch, who passed away March 3, 1948. — Ever remembered by her husband and family.

"The call was sudden, the shock severe,
Many a lonely heartache, many a silent tear."

McGRANDEL—In loving memory of a dear sister, Sarah, who passed away Feb. 27, 1949. — Ever remembered by Agnes.

"God knew that she was suffering
That the hills were hard to climb
So he closed her weary eyelids
And whispered, "Peace be thine".
Away in the beautiful hills of God
By the valley of rest so fair
Some time, some day, we know not when,
We will meet our loved one there."

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OBITUARY

Late J. McCullough Lived 50 Years in Morin Hts.

A long-time resident and well respected citizen, Mr. John McCullough, passed away at his home in Morin Heights on Saturday, February 25. He had been in ill health for the past year.

Mr. McCullough was in his 78th year. He was born in Mille Isles, Que., and lived for the past 50 years in Morin Heights.

The funeral was held on Monday at Trinity Anglican Church. The service was conducted by Rev. C. W. P. Baugh. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages", "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" and "Peace, Perfect Peace". The large attendance, and the many beautiful floral tributes, showed the high esteem in which the late Mr. McCullough was held.

He is survived by his wife, the former Mary Ann Kilpatrick; four daughters and four sons — Mrs. Thos. Seale (Beatrice) of Morin Heights, James, of Morin Heights, Thomas, of Montreal, Mrs. Chester Morrow (Muriel), of Morin Heights, Mrs. David Morrow (Myrtle), of Mille Isles, Victor, of Montreal, Cecil and Mrs. Wm. Baldwin (Elva), both of Morin Heights; also 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He also leaves three sisters and two brothers — Mrs. Wm. Davidson (Maud), of North Bay, Ont.; Mrs. Margaret Riddell, of Rutherglen, Ont., Mrs. E. H. Hughes (Annie), of Montreal, Alex, of Morin Heights, and James, of Claremont, Ont.

Pall-bearers were his three nephews and three grandsons — Eric McCullough, Douglas McCullough, Wilmer Riddell, Carl Morrow, Keith Seale and Mervin Morrow.

Late Hamilton Lady Was Born in Harrington

The Former Mary Milway

The death of Mrs. Frederick Rowley, the former Mary (Minnie) Milway, occurred Sunday, February 26, in hospital at Hamilton, Ont.

The late Mrs. Rowley was in her 88th year; she was born at Harrington in this county, and has a number of relatives in the district of Calumet and Grenville. She was married to Frederick Rowley, who predeceased her in 1928. (The late Mr. Rowley died in Saskatchewan). Mrs. Rowley had been residing with her son William J., at 314 Wellington St. N., Hamilton — besides whom, she is survived by three grandchildren; two brothers, Alexander Milway, Lakewood, Ohio, William Milway, Port Arthur, Ont.; and one sister, Mrs. Agnes Hutchison, San Francisco.

The late Mrs. Rowley was a member of St. Patrick's Church, Hamilton, where requiem mass was held on Wednesday at 9 a.m., followed by interment at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

In the last 11 years the March of Dimes campaign in the United States has drawn in $40,000,000 which has been used in helping 110,000 polio victims.

Note re Phone Calls

Funeral and Ambulance Service

Those consulting the new phone directory are advised that, since preparations for its publication, the number of J. P. MacKimmie Reg. (funeral directors) has been changed. This establishment may now be contacted through No. 218-W (John R. MacKimmie, new proprietor) or No. 4, Lachute. . . Phone these numbers also for ambulance service.

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Ottawa, March 1, 1950

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CHURCH SERVICES

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"Three Things Which Go Well".
7 p.m. Evening Service.
"What the Lord Requires".
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

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Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
47 Grace St. — Phone 462-J
10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. The Lord's Supper.
7 p.m. The Gospel.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting
Thursday at 8 p.m., W.M. Circle at Mrs. Lem Watchorn's.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
Every Wednesday, Lenten service at 8 p.m.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Lenten service, Friday at 7.30 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
7.30 Evening Worship, Lachute.

Sunday Morning Broadcast

Tune in at 9.15 to Station C.K.S.F., Cornwall (dial 1200), and enjoy the Bible Lovers' Fellowship program conducted by the Rev. J. R. (John) Boyd, of Sudbury, Ont., formerly of Lachute.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Dunany, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 3 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
LENTEN SERVICE, TUESDAY, MARCH 7, at 7.30 p.m.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
3 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Lenten service, Friday, March 10, at 7.30 p.m.
Kilmar
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

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3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Day of Prayer Service Held at St. Andrews

(Our District Correspondent)

St. Andrews East — The World Day of Prayer was observed Friday afternoon in the United Church, the Missionary Societies of the Protestant churches uniting.

The very impressive service was prepared by Miss Michi Kawai, founder of Keisen Girls' School, Japan.

Mrs. Fred Robertson sang "The Lord's Prayer" and Mrs. K. Campbell sang "The Stranger of Galilee".

A delegation from Cushing attended and took part in the service. There was a good attendance, in spite of bad weather.

Monthly Session of Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met on Monday in the Presbyterian Church hall, Lachute, with the president, the Rev. J. G. Duncan, in the chair.

The Rev. W. H. Britton gave the devotional address, based on Psalm 85, and taking as his theme the subject of Revival. All through the history of the Christian Church there had been many such spiritual revivals in various parts of the world, and today in Boston and other parts of U.S.A., the Spirit of God is actively working among men and women. The speaker mentioned that the subject was by no means foreign to the Word of God — in fact it is the work of God; but there are certain definite conditions. A Revival "must begin with ME", also without God it is impossible. . . We are beginning to see the need of Revival in channels of publicity, in the branches of the Christian Church whose primary purpose is not entertainment but soul-saving. The membership of the Church must exalt Jesus Christ and make Him known to others by means of deed and word.

The Association expressed appreciation of the fact that the Rev. W. B. Rosborough had recently decided to remain in Lachute.

Work in Ch. of England Diocese of Montreal

Facts concerning activities in the Diocese of Montreal have been circulated to the Anglican clergy — items which are of special pertinence in view of the centennial of the diocese, which is being observed this year. The following notes are reproduced for the public interest:

During February, annual meetings were held for the Girls' Auxiliary in Montreal, at which the Primate spoke.

The Rev. B. J. Thorpe, chairman of the Diocesan Missionary Committee, and the Rev. Dr. N. Gore attended the annual meeting of the Canadian Overseas Mission Council, as representatives from the Diocese of Montreal.

There is being developed a valuable interchange of information between the Diocesan Social Councils, by means of which a comprehensive knowledge of how the Church is handling social service problems will become available to each Diocese.

The Diocesan College Extension Department is making steady progress, not only in attracting students to its many courses but also in bringing this important phase of adult religious education to the consciousness of the church public. The younger groups in church life are not being overlooked; special committees are at work for Boys' and Girls' Religious Education in day schools, radio, visual aids and religious drama.

All branches of Church life are using the centennial motto suggested by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Dixon, "For their sakes I sanctify myself". Church people are asked to rededicate themselves to obedience and service to their Lord.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morrison returned home Monday after spending 10 days in Hamilton, Ont., where they visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George MacNeill.

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Miss Betty Clunie, R.N., of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. A. A. McOuat and Miss Janet McOuat.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie left by automobile Sunday for Lake Worth, Florida, to spend a three weeks' vacation.

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Mrs. L. E. McMartin spent last week in Montreal and on her return home was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Herbert Brown.

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Master Billy Gall was here from Montreal to spend the week-end with his grandfather, Mr. H. M. Gall.

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Mr. Hans Johansen has returned to Dr. G. R. McCall's farm after spending two months' vacation in Denmark with his father and other relatives.

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Among those who visited at Nymark's Lodge, St. Sauveur, last week-end were — Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holt, Audrey Brown, Roland Scott, Ruth Rae Walker, Florence Copeland, Glen Copeland, Frank Boyd, Margaret Holt and Garth Boyd.

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Mr. Kenneth McFaul, of Kingston, Ont., and Mrs. Jas. Pitney, of Avon Lake, Ohio, were here last week-end to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. J. H. McFaul.

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Mr. Allan Brown visited at his home in Pointe au Chene last week-end.

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Mr. John Busby, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Copeland and daughter, Audrey, Mrs. Rachel Copeland and Mrs. Geo. MacKenzie, visited the Orange and Protestant Children's Home at Rosemere last week-end.

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Mrs. K. W. Matheson, of Montreal, was here visiting her sister-in-law, Miss C. Matheson, on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Henry Downs, Jr., of Lennoxville, Que., was the recent guest of Mrs. W. S. Smith and Mrs. Roy Clarke.

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Mrs. Gordon Caswell is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Steeves and Mr. Steeves, while en route from Campbellton, N.B., to her home in Calgary, Alta.

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Miss Jean Stratchan, of Brockville, Ont., spent Saturday visiting with Miss Marion White in Lachute.

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Mrs. E. Cooke and granddaughter, Dale Campbell, of Verdun, Que., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Neill over the week-end.

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Mrs. Jack Findlay, with her youngest son, Bobby, of Montreal, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Creswell, last week-end.

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Mrs. William Kemp, of Bristol, England, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Morrison and Mr. Morrison, having travelled by plane. She expects to remain for a month's visit.

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Attended Presbyterial

At the 24th annual meeting of the Montreal Presbyterial of the United Church W.M.S., held in the Dominion Douglas United Church last week, the following ladies attended from Lachute — Miss L. Stalker (president of the local branch), Mrs. H. McNeil, Mrs. H. Riddell, Mrs. H. Martin, Mrs. W. Pollock, Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon and Mrs. Ross Brown.

Mrs. Alfred Broadbelt, of Sherbrooke, Que., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume.

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Mr. Fred Royal, Mr. Austin Thompson and Mr. Burton Millar, of the High School staff, also Miss Edwards, from Brownsburg Consolidated School, attended sessions of the delegates' conference of the Provincial Association of Protestant Teachers, held last week in Montreal.

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Mrs. F. Swaine, of Westmount, spent the week-end in town visiting her mother, Mrs. E. H. McCoy, and other relatives.

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Messrs. Percy and J. Roy Carpenter, of Montreal, visited their mother here last Sunday.

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Miss Alma Riddell spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. Matthew Elder.

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Mrs. Jack Archer returned Monday after visiting in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miles and family, of Montreal, and Mr. G. Miles, spent the week-end with their parents at Lachute Mills.

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Christening

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Fenwick took place on Saturday afternoon, February 25, at 2.30 o'clock at St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead, the Rev. G. E. Trueman officiating. The baby was given the names Gordon Andrew Niven, and the godparents were Mr. Keith W. Clarke and Mrs. R. G. Napp. . . Following the ceremony the child's parents entertained at their home in Valois.

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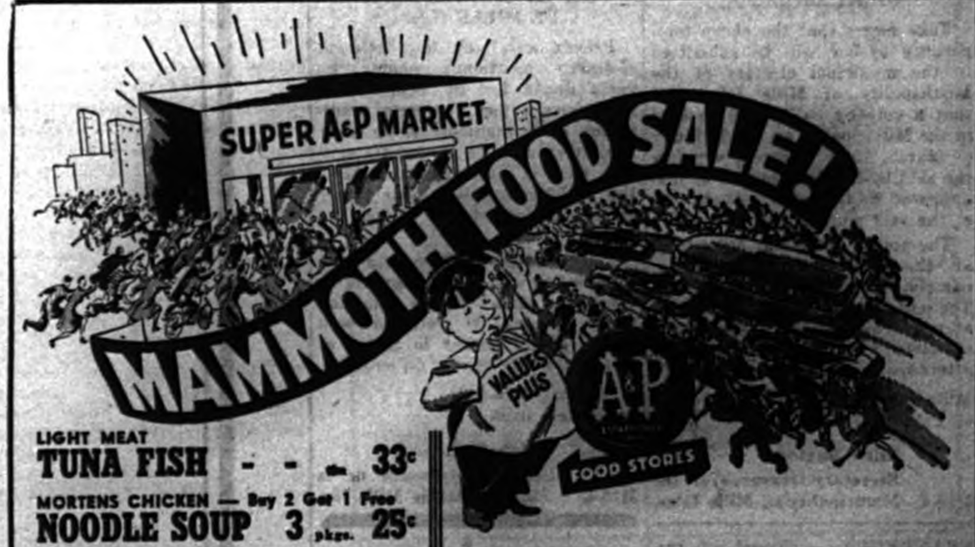
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THAT THE LOGOS was made human as the man Jesus and suffered death in order to produce the ransom or redemptive price for obedient men; that God raised up Christ Jesus divine and exalted him to heaven above every other creature and clothed him with all power and authority as head of God's new capital organization;

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Witness our hands at Mille Isles this 31st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Signatures:

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Arthur Bows

Pursuant to the above petition at a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the third day of January, 1950, at its regular meeting, the following notice of motion was given:

"That at the next meeting of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles to be held on the 6th of February, 1950, at the usual place of meeting at Mille Isles in the said Municipality of Mille Isles, the following by-law will be proposed for adoption:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquor and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles, under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

At a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the 6th day of February, 1950, the following by-law was adopted:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquors and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

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TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MILLE ISLES:

Take notice that the above temperance by-law will be submitted to the municipal electors of the Municipality of Mille Isles and that a vote by ballot will be held in the Municipality on the 27th day of March, 1950, to decide whether the said by-law is approved or disapproved by the municipal electors of the said municipality.

The poll to be held at Mille Isles at the usual place of voting, namely, the No. 2 School House. The poll to open at the above place at ten o'clock in the morning and to close at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Mille Isles, this 7th day of February, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretary-treasurer of the
M16.4c Municipality of Mille Isles.

Avis Public

Province de Québec
District de Terrebonne
Comté d'Argenteuil
Municipalité de Mille Iles.

LOI DE TEMPERANCE DE QUEBEC, Chapitre 257, Statuts Refondus de Québec, 1941.

Les soussignés, électeurs municipaux ayant la qualité voulue, de la municipalité de Mille Iles, demandent par les présentes que tout règlement que le conseil municipal pourra passer en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec, à aucune époque dans le cours d'une année de la présente date, soit soumis à l'approbation des électeurs municipaux de ladite municipalité.

En foi de quoi nous avons apposé nos seings aux présentes, à Mille Iles ce 31e jour de décembre, mil neuf cent quarante-neuf.

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En conformité avec la requête ci-dessus mentionnée, à une cession du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, tenue le 3 janvier 1950, l'avis de motion suivant, fut donné:

"Qu'à la prochaine session du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, qui sera tenue le 6 février 1950 prochain, à la place ordinaire des sessions à Mille Iles, l'adoption du règlement suivant sera proposée:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité du canton de Gore, en vertu et en exécution de la loi de Tempérance de Québec."

A sa session tenue le 6 février 1950, le conseil municipal de Mille Iles, a adopté ledit règlement qui se lit:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité de Mille Iles, en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec."

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AUX ELECTEURS MUNICIPAUX DE LA MUNICIPALITE DE MILLE ILES:

Prenez avis que le règlement ci-dessus mentionné adopté en vertu de la Loi de Tempérance, sera soumis aux électeurs municipaux de la municipalité de Mille Iles, et qu'un vote au scrutin sera tenu dans la municipalité de Mille Iles le 27 mars 1950, pour savoir si ledit règlement sera adopté oui ou non.

Le bureau de votation sera tenu à Mille Iles à sa place ordinaire de votation, dans l'école numéro 2. Le bureau de votation sera ouvert à dix heures le matin et fermera à cinq heures du soir.

Mille Iles, ce 7e jour de février, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretaire-trésorier de la
M16.4c Municipalité de Mille Iles

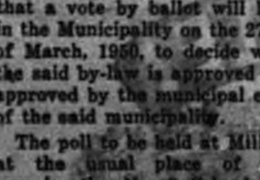
FRANKFURT — Trend of the cereal situation, according to the West Germans: "I'm glad to see you are making the rolls a little larger now", a housewife said to a baker. "Rolls!" he exclaimed, "They're loaves!"

OSLO — "I see our name isn't in the prize list of the Irish sweepstakes", Mrs. Hansen, reading the paper, observed to her husband.

"No", he answered.

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LONDON — Request refused. A British M.P. asked the Speaker to rule the clock three minutes fast to allow a question after closing time.



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Cushing

Mrs. H. McComb, of Ormstown, Que., was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon, and other friends.

Mrs. A. Starnes, Mrs. W. Y. King and Mrs. A. Graham were in Montreal last week attending the United Church W.M.S. annual Presbyterial meetings, held in Dominion Douglas Church. . . Mrs. M. Wilson spent Wednesday of last week in Montreal and attended the opening meeting of the Presbyterial.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie were guests of Mrs. J. A. Bradley on Saturday.

90 Years of Age

Mrs. John McDowell, of N.D.G. and Cushing, celebrated her 90th birthday on February 20. Besides congratulations from her many friends, she received flowers cabled from her old home in Scotland, also a cable message of congratulations from the editor of her home-town paper in Scotland, to which the McDowell family have subscribed for many years. . . Her Cushing friends are hoping that she will be spending the summer again at "Glenifer", her country home in Cushing.

Miss E. M. Graham spent Sunday and Monday with her aunt, Mrs. A. J. Scott, in Lachute.

Frontier W.I. will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Blakely, Lachute, on the afternoon of March 7. Blue Cross fees are due. Roll-call—pay your fees. Conveners' reports should be on hand for this meeting.

A small meeting of Community Club was held in Elliott's Hall on Saturday night. The next meeting will be held this Friday evening, March 3.

Avoca

Mrs. Wm. Arthurs spent Friday last in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. Garnet MacLeod, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents.

The pupils attending Grenville School enjoyed a long week-end, making a break for teachers and pupils between Christmas and Easter.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews over the week-end were the Misses Nellie Truhine and Priscilla MacDonald, Messrs. Geo. Truhine and Artie Duplessis, all of Montreal.

Mrs. Ed Andrews visited friends in Hawkesbury on Saturday, and Joyce Andrews was the week-end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Everett Young.

Mrs. Allan MacPhee visited her daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, in Aylmer, Que., for a few days last week.

Mr. Sam Bates is recovering slowly from a severe kick in the face inflicted by a horse.

Canvassing for the Red Cross is getting under way once again, and the collector for this district hopes that each one will contribute to the fund as generously as in the past.

The Rev. S. J. Pike conducted service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates last Thursday.

Medical Assignment

Friends of Dr. Lester McCallum, of Montreal, have received word that he is on his way homeward, having been appointed by the medical faculty to make an inspection of all hospitals from coast to coast. He has been absent from his office in Montreal for the past three months.

On Diplomatic Mission

Mr. Harry Jay, of Montreal, left last week to join the Canadian diplomatic mission in New Delhi, India. He was accompanied by his wife and little son, Lincoln, Jr. They will be absent two years. Before leaving, P. K. Banerjee, secretary of the Indian Mission in Ottawa, and Mrs. Banerjee, entertained in their honor.

Mr. Jay is a member of the Canadian foreign services. He is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Jay of Montreal, and Mrs. Jay is the daughter of Major the Rev. Harry Andrews and Mrs. Andrews, of Waterloo, Que. Mr. and Mrs. Jay have spent many holidays at "Linmar", the summer home of the former's parents, at Barkmere, Que.

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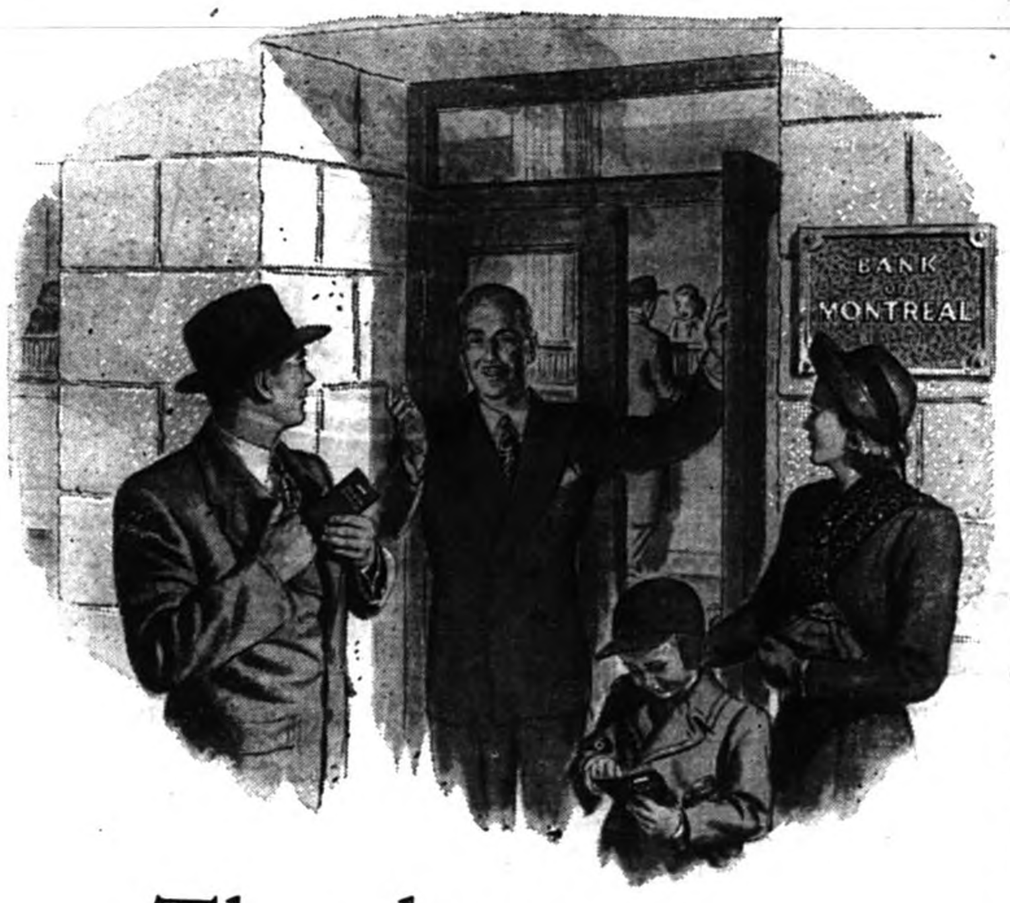
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— Women's Interests —

Out of the Freezer

Modern housewives are constantly searching for a greater freedom in living, and now with the advent of quick freezing, frozen foods can help by being the silent maid. Calm and relaxed, the hostess who owns a locker or home freezer may enjoy her guests because the work of preparation has been accomplished during slack days.

The fresh fruit and vegetable season of 1950 is now approaching. Many lockers may contain a quantity of frozen foods on hand. Now is the time to start using up these foods so that the locker is ready to receive a new supply. Asparagus, broccoli and berries are fruits and vegetables which are fairly expensive, and are usually frozen for that holiday dinner or an unexpected party. However, all too often these special occasions do not materialize and these foods are left in the locker. The wise housewife does not let this happen. She plans her menus so that they use up all the foods in her locker before a new supply of fresh fruits and vegetables appears on the market.

The home economists of the Consumer Section at Ottawa have been testing recipes using various frozen foods which have been stored for several months. Here are some suggestions:

Ham and Asparagus Roll

16-Ounce package of frozen asparagus, 6 thin slices of raw ham, 1 tablespoon fat, 1 tablespoon flour, ⅛ teaspoon salt, dash of pepper, ½ cup milk, 6 tablespoons chili sauce.

Thaw asparagus enough to separate stalks. Roll 4 or 5 stalks of asparagus in each slice of raw ham. Place in shallow casserole or baking dish. Bake, covered in a moderate oven, 350°F., for approximately 20 minutes. Uncover and continue baking for 10 minutes longer. Melt fat, blend in flour, salt and pepper and slowly add milk. Cook, stirring constantly until the sauce thickens. Remove ham-asparagus rolls from oven and place a portion of the white sauce on each roll. Garnish with chili sauce. Yield: six servings.

Raspberry Snow

4 Tablespoons cornstarch, ⅛ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 cups boiling water, 3 tablespoons lemon juice (1 lemon), 1 tablespoon grated lemon rind, 2 egg whites, 16-oz. package frozen raspberries (thawed).

Mix cornstarch, sugar and salt thoroughly. Gradually add the boiling water, stirring constantly. Cook over low heat until thick and clear, about 10 minutes. Add lemon juice and grated rind and pour slowly over stiffly beaten egg whites, stirring until well blended. Fold in drained raspberries. Yield: six servings.

This may be served with custard sauce or the fruit juice (¾ cup) left from the fruit, thickened with 1½ teaspoons cornstarch.

Rhubarb Muffin Puddings

1 Cup sifted all-purpose flour (or 1 cup less 2 tablespoons pastry flour), 2 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons sugar, 1½ tablespoons shortening, 1 cup finely diced frozen rhubarb, 6 tablespoons evaporated milk, 1 beaten egg yolk.

Mix and sift flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Cut shortening into the dry ingredients until mixture looks like fine bread crumbs. Add the diced frozen rhubarb. Mix the egg yolk with milk, add slowly to dry ingredients to form a soft dough. Fill greased muffin tins two-thirds full and bake in a hot oven 450°F., for 20 to 25 minutes. Serve as dessert with Foamy Sauce. Yield: six servings.

Foamy Sauce

1 Tablespoon cornstarch, ⅛ cup brown sugar, 1 cup boiling water, 1 tablespoon butter, ½ teaspoon vanilla, 1 egg white.

Combine cornstarch and sugar. Add the boiling water gradually. Cook 15 minutes in the top of a double boiler, stirring constantly until thickened. Remove from heat, add butter and vanilla, stir until blended. Add the mixture slowly to stiffly beaten egg white, stirring vigorously. Serve hot.

Views Role of W. Inst.

In Connection With Observance Of Education Week

"Quebec Women's Institutes have always shown a generous interest in Education", says Mrs. A. Coates, W.I. provincial convener of Education. She emphasizes the many projects undertaken by the branches, such as welcoming new teachers to the community, sponsoring hot lunches in the schools, offering prizes and scholarships; and also speaks of the growing interest taken in gathering the early records of pioneer days and preserving them in the books known as "Tweedsmuir Village Histories".

Mention is made by Mrs. Coates of the two provincial scholarships awarded annually in the School of Household Science and Diploma Course in Agriculture at Macdonald College, and plans nearly completed for a third, in the former course, as a memorial to the late Mrs. Alfred Watt, M.B.E. She feels the short courses, also sponsored by the Q.W.I., play an important part in this phase of Institute work. Close contact is encouraged with Farm Forum groups and Parent-Teachers Associations.

"Our interests are wide", concludes Mrs. Coates, "and we join with other Institutes, here and across the seas, to promote Education as the greatest factor in protecting Home and Country".

Australian Cabinet Gets Feminine Voice

Canberra (CP) — Dame Enid Lyons, the first woman member of the Australian federal cabinet, is carrying on a family tradition. She is the widow of a former Australian prime minister, Joseph Lyons, who died in 1939.

Dame Enid has another "first" in her record. She went to the federal house in 1943 as the first woman member of the legislature. Re-elected as Liberal member for Darwin, Tasmania, in last December's federal elections, she has been appointed by Prime Minister Menzies as vice-president of the federal executive council.

In this office she will have a prominent place in national affairs and will advise the government on matters concerning the welfare of women and children.

Her oratory and strong personality have won her the respect of both parliamentary colleagues and women all over Australia. She is an active supporter of women's organizations and a strong champion of the rights of her sex.

The mother of 11 children, Dame Enid loves home life and has never neglected family interests for her public career. A big, handsome woman, she is a keen reader and enjoys gardening and needlework at her home in Devonport, Tasmania.

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OBITUARY

Many Attend Funeral of Late Mrs. J. H. McFaul

The death of Mrs. John Henry McFaul occurred suddenly on February 23 in Lachute, in her 73rd year.

She is survived by her husband and two children, Kenneth and Elsie, two sisters, Mrs. Maud Moncrieff, of Brownsburg, Que., and Mrs. Emily Butts, of Ada, Michigan.

The funeral, attended by a large assembly of neighbors, friends and relatives, was held Sunday afternoon from Lachute United Church, the Rev. J. G. Duncan officiating. Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Archie McFaul, Harry White, Archie Cox, Ward Moncrieff, Donald Beers and Gordon Dobbie.

Mrs. J. L. St. Jacques Was Formerly of St. Hermas

Mrs. St. Jacques, wife of Mr. Justice J. L. St. Jacques of the Court of Appeals (who practiced as a lawyer 30-odd years ago in this town), died suddenly last Sunday at her residence in Montreal. She was 72 years of age.

Mrs. Jacques, the former Albertine Lafond, was born at St. Hermas, Que., and had been married 44 years.

Survivors include four sons, Jacques, Gilles, Gustave and Gerard; two daughters, Miss Alberte St. Jacques and Mrs. Paul De Seve; two sisters, Mrs. J. P. Thibault and Miss Noemi Lafond, and 15 grandchildren.

FOR FROZEN FINGERS SLIGHT HEAT IS RULE

Moose Jaw, Sask. (CP) — Don't put snow on that frozen ear. Don't try to warm frozen fingers in hot water. That sort of thing is dangerous.

The regional health centre here says that both snow and extreme heat can harm already-damaged flesh.

Best way to treat frostbite is the gradual application of slight warmth. Fingers can be put under an armpit. Gentle massage is all right, but it should not be prolonged.

Frostbite, oddly, resembles a burn, says the health centre. Blisters from frostbite should not be touched. Badly-frostbitten areas should be covered with some non-irritating antiseptic.

CHILDREN PAINT

Toronto (CP) — Saturday morning art classes in an east-end community centre are designed for young students. The 40 embryo artists taking lessons are all between the ages of eight and 12. Classes are sponsored by a Kinsmen's Club.

The head of a native state in India was staying at the Savoy in London, accompanied by seven ladies of his harem. He took his family into the bar and ordered port wine all around. "I like to have a port in every wife", he told the waiter.

— Reader's Digest

Daily Timetable

LACHUTE

— Westbound —

To Ottawa	10.12	a.m.
" "	7.05	p.m.
Saturday Special	2.35	p.m.

— Eastbound —

To Montreal	10.54	a.m.
" "	8.03	p.m.
Saturday Special	3.58	p.m.

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Lachute Meets Hawkesb'y In Crucial Game Tonight

Brownsb'g Escapes Elimination by Defeating Grenville Tuesday Evening

AT THE ARENA
By John H. Dunne

The Lachute hockey squad will either tie up their semi-final Series "A" with Hawkesbury here this evening, or bow out for the season. On Saturday last the Ontario club nosed out the homers by 7-6 in a game that could have gone either way. It was action-packed until the last second, but the season's League leaders had enough stamina in reserve to withstand the locals' furious last-minute onslaught. . . It should be a terrific tilt tonight.

* * *

In the Series "B" semi-finals, Grenville leads Brownsburg in games, 3-2. This elimination has found one player — Bourdon of Grenville — declared ineligible for future games. A protest filed by the Brownsburg club after last Thursday's game, to the effect that Bourdon has not played the necessary three games during the season, necessitated Fernand Legault, league president, fining the Grenville management $25, payable to the 'Burg club; the protested game, however, will count in the series. . . This left the Brownsburg team on the brink of elimination before Tuesday night's game. Bereft of their two star players, Williamson (eligible) and Bourdon (ineligible), Grenville faced a determined Brownsburg line-up that virtually annihilated their opponents 13-5. . . The victors played the same brand of hockey that swept all opposition aside during the play-offs last season, and it is doubtful whether the afore-mentioned two players would have made any great difference in the final verdict. At the present stage, it is the opinion of this observer that every club has an equal chance of winning the J. U. Nadon Trophy.

Play-Off Dates

MARCH 2, TONIGHT — Hawkesbury vs. Lachute
MARCH 4, SATURDAY — Grenville vs. Brownsburg
MARCH 7, TUESDAY — Hawkesbury vs. Lachute (if necessary) or Grenville vs. Brownsburg (if necessary)
MARCH 9, THURSDAY — FINALS

* * *

There will be no skating at the Arena this Friday evening. . . The Hawkesbury Club of the Quebec-Ontario League are also entered in the Citizens' Shield Trophy eliminations and will meet an Ottawa R.C.A.F. team here that evening.

The benefit carnival for Gaston Millette will be held here on Friday, March 17; details will appear in next week's column.

Bar-B-Que Reopened

The Barbeque at "Whisseltown", west of Lachute on the St. Philippe highway, is now reopened following the recent fire which interrupted business at this establishment.

Réouverture

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Lachute and Morin Hts Schoolgirls Score in Ski Title Competitions

A Lachute High School girls' team — comprising Doreen Elder, Jean Elder, Dorothy Kennedy, Lois Nymark and Audrey Morrison — competed in the schoolgirls' annual ski championship competitions at Piedmont on Saturday.

Trafalgar won the senior team title.

The team from Morin Heights Intermediate School — Corinne Watchorn, Beverley Bell, Anne Brown and Doreen Seale — won the junior team title.

Doreen Elder and Jean Elder ranked first and second in the individual performances.

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EDUCATION WEEK REVIEW -- SCHOOL PROGRESS IN COUNTY UNIT

Lachute and District School Facilities Make Notable Strides in Many Aspects

It is appropriate that, during Canadian Education Week, a review be made of the progress in education in this community during the last few years.

The new extension to Lachute High School is almost completed. This means the addition of 12 new classrooms, special rooms for Music, Manual Training, Household Science, Commercial Courses, Physics and Chemistry Laboratories, a large auditorium and offices.

This school will require about six more teachers in addition to the 23 already on the staff. When school re-opens in September the Protestant educational facilities in Lachute should compare with those in any other city or town in the province, including Montreal.

The new extension to the Arundel Intermediate School is even further advanced. Two of the new classrooms are now being used and it is expected that the official opening will take place within a few weeks' time. This extension consists of five additional classrooms, gymnasium, medical room and kitchen. A principal's room, a teachers' room and a secretary-treasurer's office have also been provided.

The extension to the Grenville Intermediate School is practically complete, and is now in use. This consists of four additional classrooms.

The plans and specifications have been completed and approved for the extension to the Brownsburg Intermediate School and for the new school at Morin Heights. Four additional classrooms and a gymnasium are being added to Brownsburg and a six-classroom school, together with a gymnasium, is to be built at Morin Heights. It is expected that the work in both cases will go forward early this spring.

Changes in Coverage and Unit Collaboration

Aside from the vast amount of new construction which is taking place, or being planned, a number of changes have taken place in regard to the schools which many children are now attending. It is reported that there are almost 300 children in this county who, four years ago, were attending rural elementary schools and who are now attending larger schools with better educational facilities. Many new bus routes have been inaugurated. There are now eleven school-owned snowmobiles and six school-owned buses. There are 45 bus routes throughout the county. Privately owned vehicles are used where school-owned vehicles do not operate.

Radios and moving picture projectors have been installed in all the larger schools, together with a considerable amount of incidental equipment of modern standards.

Mr. F. H. J. Royal, principal of Lachute High School, has been appointed Supervisor for the county unit. He visits all schools periodically and assists other principals and teachers with their problems. A special school nurse has been appointed. This should prove of great benefit to the general health of the school children of the county.

While there is evidence of many other plans for educational progress in this county, these cannot be reviewed at the present time due to the fact that they are incomplete.

School Closed, Pupils of Weir Attend at Arundel

(Our District Correspondent)

Weir, Que. — The Elementary School at Weir closed on Friday, March 3, and the children are now being transported to Arundel by but, where they will be attending bus, where they will attend the Consolidated School from now on.

Music Gains Foothold in Students' Interests at Lachute High School

Beneficial Effect on Pupils' School Attitude; Enthusiasm Carried Over into Community

Following is the digest of an article in the Quebec "Educational Record", written by Earl S. Morrison, B.Sc., of Lachute High School teaching staff. . .

Because of the many values to be derived from school music, the music program has been greatly expanded in Lachute High School. We have stressed appreciation as the basic aim of music education and have sought to arouse in the pupils a love of music. All the singing, instrumental music and listening have this as their motivation and aim. As a result, music has become a popular activity in the school. It has added greatly to the school spirit and has improved the pupils' relationship with the school staff.

The music program is separated into three main parts: (1) the prescribed course of music from grades I to VIII, (2) the glee club in grades IX, X and XI, and (3) instrumental music throughout the school. The last two phases are at present chiefly extra-curricular in character.

Music in Grades I to VIII.—The music curriculum as outlined by the Department of Education is followed generally in the first eight grades although, because of the lack of an organized music program for many years, we have had difficulty in following the course of study completely in the higher elementary grades. Two periods a week are now being devoted to music in the first six grades and one period in grades VII and VIII.

The music program consists of (1) singing, by note and by sight reading, along with some necessary theory and (2) music listening with the aid of two new record players and an adequate supply of records. Rhythm band instruments will also be incorporated into this work.

The Glee Club. — The greatest advance in music appreciation has been accomplished by the High School Glee Club. It has a short history of five years and in that time a genuine interest in choral and classical music has been developed among the majority of pupils in the high school.

The Glee Club was organized five years ago, as a Friday afternoon activity. It was offered in conjunction with art and public speaking classes during the last hour of the school day. Possibly because both of the last two activities seemed to demand more individual initiative, sixty-five of

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K. of C. Moves Council Quarters to Main Street

The local Knights of Columbus have changed their headquarters, having moved from Foundry Street as of March 1, and leased the hall above Esquire Shop on Main Street, for a period of two years.

The council, founded in 1933, first occupied premises above the present Liquor Commission, and it was around 1939 that they moved to Foundry, occupying spacious quarters in the west end of the Farmers' Supply block, which was then owned by Cottingham Supply Company. The K. of C. have used these premises for the past 11 years. . . It is the aim and intention of the Knights to build their own hall, when conditions permit.

The Legault Commercial College, which has been operating above the Esquire Shop, has now removed to Thomas Street.

Industry and Agriculture, Farm Forum Discussion

(Our District Correspondent)

Mabel — The local Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Black on Monday evening. It was thought that the demand for higher industrial wages probably helped the farmer more than harming him, as it gave the consumer more purchasing power. The members also thought that labor unions were not against the interests of agriculture, nor were farmers' marketing schemes against the interests of consumers. . . . As to whether farmers have more free time the year round than industrial workers, the answer seemed apparent to both parties. The average farmer would not give up his free way of living for industrial life, but he does not have as much "free time", that is, if he hopes to make a success of farming.

Matters Before Town Council

At the regular March session of Town Council, initial reading was given to two by-laws — one being the revised code on traffic regulation, the other making it compulsory for property-owners to have chimneys swept in accordance with the Town requirements. Other routine business was dealt with.

It was moved by Ald. S. Holt, seconded by Ald. E. Provost, that $50 be contributed to the Laurentian Anti-Tuberculosis League.

Approval was given for the installation of 10 new streetlights.

It was moved by Ald. J. Belanger, seconded by Ald. E. Provost, that Daylight Saving Time be adopted in Lachute at 12.01 a.m. April 2 of this year, until further notification.

The chimney-cleaning by-law was adopted in its first reading sponsored by Ald. W. Morrissette and Ald. O. Laurin — whereupon the council adjourned, and upon reconvening, adopted the by-law (No. 181) in its second reading (Ald. S. Holt and Ald. P. Chartrand).

First reading of By-Law 182 relating to traffic and parking was also adopted by council—proposed by Ald. E. Provost and seconded by Ald. O. Laurin.

The Chief of Police was instructed to make a survey of house numbers and to supply metal numbers where missing.

On motion of Ald. J. Belanger, supported by Ald. S. Holt, it was resolved to name the principal street of Mountain View townsite "Cottingham Boulevard", with cross-streets to be named "1st Avenue, Mountain View", etc.

Mayor Léopold Carrière presided and all members of council were in attendance with the exception of Ald. W. S. MacKimmie.

Current 'Racket', Bargain Watches

Police Chief D. Villeneuve gives warning on a prevalent racket by which several local customers have been victimized. Salesmen displaying good-looking wrist watches of the service type and resembling some of Swiss manufacture, are offered at a price of $10, with the seller's assurance they are worth a high figure, and a hard-luck story which justifies this "sacrifice" offer. . .

These watches are cheap imitations, selling retail at $2.96 in Montreal. Any readers approached by salesmen with "opportunity" offers of this kind are asked to inform the police immediately.

Two offenders have been brought before a local J.P. and fined $5 and costs, charged with peddling without a license.

Epidemic of District Fires During Recent Cold Snap

Many Outbreaks Wage Heavy Toll on Homes and Buildings in This Area

Early spring thaws have followed in the wake of the winter's coldest weather — bringing rain, slush and all the typical accompaniments of March. But last week a cold snap gripped this countryside (the thermometer here was at 35° below zero Friday night); and incidental to the bitter weather, an epidemic of fires took a costly toll in various sections of this county. Reports from the town fire department, and from district correspondents to this newspaper, depict the hazards of intensive heating in homes, and other factors contributing to fire.

Outbreak at Staynerville

At 6.30 Tuesday evening Lachute fire squad was summoned to a blaze at the Clarence Dixon cheese factory at Staynerville, Township of Chatham. A dwelling in the upstairs of the building was to be taken over that day by Harry Murdoch, whose family were burned out recently in a blaze at their home in Mabel.

The fire was burning in the wall of the building. Neighbors were busy drawing water in 8-gallon milk cans when the fire-truck arrived, and the brigade, using their booster pump equipment, were able to give timely assistance in quelling the outbreak. A hole was burned through the wall of the premises.

Fire at St. Andrews

At 8.30 o'clock the same evening, Lachute's auxiliary fire-truck was despatched at the call of the authorities in St. Andrews, to combat a blaze in a brick house opposite to Duhamel Bus Lines terminal. The property, acquired last year by a Mrs. Rocquebrune, was being renovated inside, and fire broke out in a section which was being newly painted. The painter, occupying rooms at the other extremity of the house, was able to save his effects, but despite the efforts of the firefighters the house was largely gutted, and the wall of a frame residence next door was also burned.

Most destructive insect ever to invade Canada's spruce-balsam forests is the spruce budworm.

Garage at Weir Destroyed by Fire

(Our District Correspondent)

Weir, Que. — Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the main part of Courte's garage on Friday afternoon. The fire was first noticed around 4.30 p.m., when flames were seen shooting out of the front of the building. Every available man rushed to the scene, and the fire pump from Arundel arrived a short time later, but the firefighters managed to save only part of an adjoining building. This is the second major fire Weir has suffered during the past two months.

Five Fire Alarms to Brownsburg Brigade

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — From February 14 to March 2 there were five fires in Brownsburg requiring the attention of the fire brigade.

A chimney fire at Mr. Monette's on St. Joseph Street was the first of the series. The blaze was soon under control, with damage estimated at only about $10.

A few days later in the same vicinity, Donat Lemay had a similar fire which was of a more serious nature, and offered a more stubborn resistance before it was under contral. Damage in this case was placed at $25.

On March 2 a fire in a chimney of Mr. Campbell's was extinguished before the fire brigade arrived. This chimney, which was of very sound construction, burned itself clean without damage.

Building Destroyed

On March 3 a spectacular fire occurred in the garage operated by David Pharand and owned by Wm. Moseley, ex-councillor. The cement block structure was completely destroyed. In the front portion of the building a restaurant operated by J. A. Murdoch, which had recently closed for the season, was cleared of its equipment before the flames reached it. Several cars in the garage were also removed to safety, and tools and equipment were saved from the flames.

This fire was particularly difficult to extinguish owing to the fact that about two feet of sawdust was used as insulating material between the ceiling and roof. In addition the area above the ceiling was partitioned off, which prevented the water from reaching more than one small section at a time.

The roof collapsed and the outer walls were badly damaged. The loss is estimated at about $1,500.

Fire at Mabel

Later that night a most devastating fire occurred at the home of Harry Murdoch, in Mabel. Mr. Murdoch, his wife and family were visiting his parents at Lachute. He had stoked the furnace before leaving and believed that everything was secure. When he returned he found the house on fire and almost a complete loss.

The fire brigade were on the scene early but lack of water supply prevented operation of the equipment. The firemen piled snow on the adjoining dry-shed and summer kitchen and these buildings were saved.

The main structure, a substantial brick building, was completely destroyed. The side-walls fell in, leaving no chance of restoring the building.

Harry Murdoch, who is a veteran of the late war, was a tenant under the D.V.A. small-holding plan. Damage is estimated at about $4,000.

Requests Made on Postal Facilities

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE REGULAR MEETING

A general meeting of Lachute Chamber of Commerce was held last Thursday in the Hotel Laurentien, under chairmanship of the president, J. Romeo Charron.

Jean-Bruno Menard proposed that a sports committee be formed with Gabriel Valois as committee chairman. The proposal was approved.

Mr. Valois stated that an invitation had been extended by the Golf Club to the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Montreal, to stage their annual golf tournament here in Lachute; and he recommended that the Lachute C. of C. should write cordially supporting this invitation. . . The suggestion drew approval of the members.

Among other business it was suggested by a member present, W. K. McArthur, that the Chamber make certain recommendations to Ottawa as regards postal service — namely, that Lachute Mills depot be considered subsidiary to Lachute so that a 3c local postal rate be effective throughout the town; that mail collection boxes be installed outside the new Lachute Mills post-office, as well as inside; and that a mail box also be installed somewhere on Hamford Street, the extreme west-end of town. . . The meeting approved these suggestions, which will be duly submitted to the postal department.

Correspondence presented by the secretary included — a letter of acknowledgment from Chas. Duncan, winner of an award in the contest for festive decoration of properties, sponsored by the Chamber in the holiday season; a letter from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce affirming its aims to assist this affiliated branch in every possible manner; also a communication from the Quebec Provincial Chamber of Commerce inviting Lachute to be represented at conferences in Quebec City (March 11-12). The president, Mr. Charron, was delegated to attend these meetings.

Late R. B. Owen, Community Figure

FORMER MAYOR OF WEIR AND COUNTY WARDEN

Richard Bradley Owen, a community figure in the life and activities of Weir, Que., for many years, passed away last Friday at his home in Lachute, where he had lived in retirement since 1946. Mr. Owen had been in ill health for the past two years, during which he had twice been under hospital treatment. He was almost 68 years of age.

Born at Liverpool, England, on March 22, 1882, he came to Canada in 1894. He lived in Montreal and Sturgeon Falls, Ont., until 1918, when he settled at Weir. He was married to Mary Jane Thompson of that place, and later took over the Thompson farm, working assiduously at his occupation and contributing his efforts to community affairs. . . He was mayor of the municipality for five terms, from January 1935 to December 1944, being elected warden of Argenteuil County in the year 1937. He also served as secretary of Harrington School No. 2, from 1925 until his retirement.

The late Mr. Owen is mourned by his wife, seven sons and three daughters — Charles, of Winnipeg, James, of Beaurepaire, Que.; Thos., of Lachine, Que.; the Rev. John Owen, Anglican minister at Quyon, Que.; George, of Ottawa; William, on the home farm at Weir; David, of St. Laurent, Que.; (Annie) Mrs. R. Gay, of Buckingham, Que.; Sr. Captain Elizabeth (Bessie) Owen, R.N., at the Salvation Army MacRobert Hospital in Dharival, India; (Dorothy) Mrs. M. E. Parker, of Windsor, Ont. He is survived also by 17 grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon in the Church of the Redeemer at Weir, conducted by the Rev. J. G. Barnett, of Weir, and the Rev. W. H. Britton, Baptist minister of Lachute. Masonic rites were held at the farm home of the Owen family, and interment took place at The Glen cemetery. Pall-bearers were six sons of the deceased — James, Thomas, John, George, William and David Owen.

ELECTROSTATIC SPRAYS

A method has been developed which makes insecticidal sprays stick to plants by giving each particle an electrostatic charge induced by ejecting the spray at a velocity greater than that of sound, C-I-L Agricultural News reports.

British football clubs say the reason so many fans faint at games is that they go without lunch to get to the games.

Lachute and B'bg W.I.'s Report Annual Meetings

A large attendance marked the annual meeting of the Lachute Women's Institute, which was held last Tuesday in the Legion Hall.

The annual reports presented by the conveners showed a year of progress featuring several charitable projects, as well as the opening of a public library in this town. The library, which is the latest project of the Women's Institute, consists of 600 books; 91 new books were added in the past year of which 27 were donations from interested citizens of the community. It is felt that this library renders a much needed service to the English-speaking people of Lachute and it is hoped that in years to come this small collection of volumes may be the nucleus of a much larger public library in a building of its own. The library will remain in the basement of the High School temporarily, and continue to be open to the public each Friday evening from 7 until 8 o'clock.

The following ladies have been elected to office in this branch for the year 1950-51:

President, Mrs. F. A. Brennian; past president, Mrs. S. Milnes; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Linton W. Armstrong; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Geo. McGibbon; secretary, Miss Janet McOuat; treasurer, Mrs. George Tattersfield.

Conveners — Education, Mrs. Geo. Muir; Agriculture, Mrs. S. Milnes; Health and Welfare, Mrs. Stuart Wilson; Home Economics, Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne; Finance Committee, Miss M. Scott, Mrs. R. A. Giles and Mrs. J. R. McOuat; National and International Relations, Mrs. A. Taylor; Social Committee, Mrs. E. McMartin and Mrs. Wm. Watson; Library Committee, Mrs. S. Milnes; Publicity, Miss L. Stalker.

The new president, Mrs. F. A. Brennian, expressed thanks to the members for placing their confidence in her, and hoped that the year would be full of activity and interest for everyone She mentioned important plans for community service during the coming year. Among other things, food parcels will be sent to Great Britain. The ladies are also very interested in helping to furnish equipment for the new cafeteria in the High School.

After adjournment the members sat around the fireside and tea was served.

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Brownsburg — Officers and conveners of Brownsburg Women's Institute for 1950 - 1951 were elected at the annual meeting of this branch, March 2, as follows:

Hon. pres., Mrs. Bertha Enlow; pres., Mrs. Chas. Stephens; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Chas. Vary; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Mason Crosby; sec., Mrs. Theodore Zimmer; treas., Mrs. Howard Elliott.

Conveners — Agriculture, Mrs. Earl Smillie; Publicity, Mrs. L. Wilson; Home Economics, Mrs. Hector Mason (joint convener, Mrs. G. Todd); Education, Mrs. W. Fletcher; National & International Relations, Mrs. G. Helmer; Blue Cross, Mrs. Jas. Low.

Sick Committee, Mrs. E. White, Mrs. John Connelly.

Installation of the above officers and conveners was conducted by the county president, Mrs. A. Geo. Leggett.

The branch voted $5 in support of the Girl Guides and $5 for the Boy Scouts fund.

Refreshments were served after the meeting, which was held in the Social Club premises.

Business and Organizational Angles Are Discussed by Concerts Executive

Officers and directors of the Lachute Community Concerts Association held a business session last week at the National Employment Office premises.

President Linton W. Armstrong, chairman, opened discussion on the approaching membership campaign. It was proposed to aim at an enrolment of 800 members; and in view of this larger audience-group exceeding the capacity of the Auditorium, it was announced that concerts next season will be held in the new assembly hall of Lachute High School. The membership campaign, opening on May 22 next, will be launched with a banquet for the workers, captains and executive members. Further discussion followed on details of the campaign.

Regarding receptions for visiting artists (when such are arranged) it was decided that the executive be invited, with provision that they signify their intention or inability to attend, and pay the apportioned cost; also that those of the executive attending be privileged to bring a guest, under the same provisions. A committee of ladies was appointed to assist the male members of the reception committee.

To avoid future doubt or confusion, it was proposed by Dr. M. Papineau, seconded by Mme B. Clément, that "O Canada" be played by the artists at the opening of concerts, and "God Save the King" at conclusion, without vocal participation by the audience.

Mlle Juliette Rodrigue proposed that a telephone extension be installed at campaign headquarters during progress of the canvass.

Specific duties of the various officers and directors were then outlined as follows:

Mrs. W. H. Ayers in charge of artists' dressing room.
Burton Miller in charge of stage.
Angelo Fasolo in charge of entrance, and order during concerts.
Mrs. M. Papineau and Mrs. Angus Taylor in charge of banquet.
Linton Armstrong, Willard Steeves, Chas. Duncan and Gabriel Valois in charge of reception (men).
Mme R. Beaulieu, Mlle Françoise Lavigne, Mlle Juliette Rodrigue, Miss Janet McOuat, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham and Rita Guilbert in charge of reception (ladies).
T. D. Titman in charge of publicity.
G. Lamontagne and Mozart Carrière in charge of advertising.
Mlle Mariette Joly in charge of check room.
Mlle Françoise Valois in charge of H.Q. secretaryship.
Mrs. E. Guilbert, chairman for Brownsburg.
Richard Ayers, Mlle Marthe Dumais, Mlle Juliette Rodrigue and Miss Janet McOuat chairmen for Lachute.
Dr. A. Pager, chairman for St. Hermas.
Mlle A. Marcotte, chairman for Ste. Scholastique.
Mlle Léonie Ladouceur, chairman for St. Andrews East and Carillon.
(Chairmen for Grenville - Calumet to be appointed.)

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Court Hearings Sequel To Brownsb'g Robberies

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — Appearing before Justice Liguori Lacombe in District Magistrate's Court on February 27, Willie Giroux, charged in connection with the theft of cash from Seguin Bakery; was ordered to stand trial at the next term of Criminal Court.

Giroux and Gaetan Seguin appeared before the same magistrate last Thursday charged with the theft of blankets from a home at Dalesville last December — the blankets having allegedly been sold afterwards in the vicinity. The two accused were also sent to trial before the Criminal Court.

Before Justice Hermann Barrette at St. Jerome, Noel, brother of Willie Giroux, faced charge in connection with the latter robbery, was found guilty and lodged in jail pending sentence to be handed down this Friday.

Co-operation between Hawkesbury police and Police Chief Henri Foucreau, of Brownsburg, resulted in recovery of goods and identification of the culprits, three local men, in a robbery at Lomer Carriere's garage in Hawkesbury on February 27. A quantity of clothing and garage tools were taken and duly recovered by the police, and action is pending.

Application for Autobus Service in Brownsburg

(By Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — A petition signed by a majority of the storekeepers of this village, asking a council by-law to regulate closing hours, was adjourned to next meeting of the council for further consideration before a decision could be reached.

Request for permit to operate a bus service around the village was also adjourned to next meeting.

ONE-MAN BAND

Manchester, Eng. (CP) — An accomplished performer on many instruments, Harry Richardson decided to turn himself into a full orchestra.

He made a record of himself playing the piano. Then he called next day with a saxophone and played this while wearing headphones so the saxophone could be superimposed on the piano. Day after day he called with other instruments, superimposing one upon the other until a full orchestra had been recorded.

"It's what I call my Danny Kaye act", he said.

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Overloaded Circuits

Not so long ago, we were talking about local power failures, and of how such failures frequently are the result of blown fuses in pole transformers. We explained that such fuses were installed on the basis of what power demands the power company thought the individual customers would make — and that when customers installed new electrical equipment, they would be well advised to notify the power company so that heavier fuses could be installed where necessary.

There is another side to this business of overloaded circuits, too. Such overload frequently cuts down the efficiency of appliances within the home even if it doesn't blow fuses indoors or outside.

Electricity in a wire can be compared with water in a pipe. If you have small water pipes in your house the water pressure may be good when only one tap is turned on, but if several taps are turned on at one time — you only get a dribble from each tap. Why? Not because the pressure on the Town's water system is too low — but because the water pipes in your house are too small. The same thing applies to the wiring in your house. If you connect too many appliances to your wiring, the voltage drops on your wiring system.

In the electrical distribution business, this condition is referred to as "inadequate wiring." It means that while the power lines outside the building are ample to supply all the power needed, there are too few or too light circuits inside to handle the demands placed upon them by modern living.

Homes which were wired many years ago are particularly subject to this condition. When that house wiring was done, electricity was used for lighting and for the operation of a few minor appliances. Now the same circuits are being asked to carry three, four or five times the load they once did — and in some cases they just can't do it.

For the greatest economy and the greatest efficiency of electrical appliances, adequate wiring is essential. If your appliances seem sluggish and slow to react to the demands placed upon them, it may be that the fault does not lie with them at all. Have your electrician examine your wiring.

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Seasonal Farm Topics



Tractors Can Be A Fire Hazard

Experience among fire insurance officials goes to show that the farm tractor — a great labor-saving device—can also be a number one fire hazard, if treated too casually. Farm tractors are designed so that the chance of fire is reduced to a minimum, but experts point out that, unless the machine is kept in good running order, and is operated on a safety first plan it can be, and is, the cause of many farm fires.

In keeping the tractors well serviced, the important items are mufflers, gasoline lines, carburettors and the ignition system. Trouble rarely comes suddenly and there are usually warnings of defects which can be detected in advance.

If the tractor needs repairing, under no circumstances should this be done in any building where fire could do extensive damage. Distance is the greatest protection and the cheapest. A minimum distance should be 80 feet from any main building. Flaming gasoline spreads rapidly.

Combustible material in and around a tractor can be a serious fire hazard. Chaff can accumulate on the engine, pile up on the muffler or get sufficiently in contact with heated parts to cause a flash fire to start.

And, say the experts, tractors being driven around farm buildings should be handled with the same care and good judgment given to driving a car on a crowded highway. There may be no rules of the farm — as there are of the highway — but the slightest accident, if flaming gasoline is involved — can cause a disastrous fire.

Condition Horses For Spring Work

It's not too far from seeding time to give some thought to having the horses in good condition. Lame horses, and horses with bad shoulders, cause expensive delays during seeding time.

During the winter months horses get soft and their feet often become broken to such an extent that lameness occurs when they are put to regular work. The feet should be trimmed and straightened up early, so that when the time comes for heavy work the horse will be ready for it.

Horses should be broken in to heavy work gradually and even before work starts, feed should be gradually increased to put on some extra weight and tone the horse up gradually. Have the hames snug into the collar, as that brings the draft closer to the neck. Rest the horses frequently in the field and rub down their shoulders if wet. Nothing causes sore shoulders more quickly than a dirty loose-fitting collar grinding dirt into wet shoulders. Bellybands should be kept tight.

A few simple extra precautions when breaking horses into the first of the spring work, will be amply repaid by the good condition during the rest of the season.

Iodine Essential For Livestock

In many inland areas of Canada, water and home-grown feeds used in stock production are more than likely deficient in iodine. Importance of iodine in nutrition is well established and the lack of it in growing and breeding rations is likely to produce serious weaknesses such as hairless and weak litters of pigs, goitre in young lambs and calves, and joint-ill in foals. A general weakness is usually observed in all newly born animals when the mothers have not had adequate iodine in their diets.

Iodine can be fed animals in several ways. By addition of iodine in the form of potassium iodide to the drinking water, sufficient quantities can be fed to wintering animals. The most practical way is by means of iodized salt blocks and licks or by use of a mineral supplement containing iodine, a method practiced by good husbandmen.

Iodized stock salt contains .02 per cent potassium iodide or about one ounce of potassium iodide per 300 pounds of salt, states R. M. Rowat, development manager of C-I-L's salt division. When iodine supplements are required, the above amount appears to be sufficient to combat deficiency, Mr. Rowat claims.

Education — English by Shortwave



This is one of the latest developments at CBC International Service headquarters in Montreal, coming just as the "Voice of Canada" celebrates its fifth anniversary. This picture shows Sonia Wollert and Sonia Brown, both of the Swedish Section of the International Service, sorting part of a day's mail from listeners in Sweden. Recently many of the letters have contained requests for a booklet which is being used in connection with the "English-by-Radio" course which the Swedish Section began this month — the first series of its kind to be broadcast by shortwave from Canada to another country. Gunnar Rogheimer, in charge of the Swedish programs, said "Any fears we may have had about the popularity of the course have been dispelled. Already over twenty-five hundred enquiries have arrived and more are coming in daily". The course contains basic material for the teaching of English, at the same time informing student-listeners about Canada. In addition, students are invited to send their Swedish translations of the English texts for correction.

Worthless Cheques Bounce More Often

Winnipeg (CP) — Storekeepers here are not as canny about cashing cheques for strangers as they once were.

Top police department officials reached this conclusion after taking a look at records on frauds involving worthless cheques.

Since the end of the war, police records reveal there has been a steady increase in cases involving rubber cheques, leading officers to the belief that city merchants are relaxing their vigilance.

Most of the cases concern people who write worthless cheques and are confident they will have the money in a day or two. This is contrary to the wide-spread belief that bouncing cheques are usually passed by counterfeit rings.

"It does not take us very long to find out a gang is working", one senior police official said. "As soon as we learn of the gang, we enlist the aid of the press and warn merchants. The gang then either ceases activities or leaves town."

He said that about 80 per cent of those who cash worthless cheques are caught.

Regular medical and dental check-ups can do much to locate incipient disease, and are major factors in the maintenance of health.

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DOG LOSES PAL

Kitchener, Ont. (CP) — Splinter, a springer spaniel, was a puzzled dog recently — his favorite postman didn't turn up. The postman was William Sole, who retired after carrying mail for 32 years. Splinter had made it a habit for eight years to accompany Sole on his rounds.

HOSPITAL PLAN APPROVED

Morden, Man. (CP) — A $315,000 plan for the Morden hospital district has the approval of the provincial government. Included in the district are Morden, the villages of Manitou and Pilot Mound, and parts of the rural municipalities of Pembina, Stanley and Thompson.

"The Wee Nursery"

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EDUCATION WEEK - MARCH 5 - 11

Music Festival as A Phase of Local Education

SOMETHING new in the sphere of local education is on the program for early spring, when Lachute High School will sponsor a Music Festival for the Counties of Argenteuil and Two Mountains. Though music has been elevated to its rightful place in the curricula of many of the schools in Argenteuil, this is the first time that a county-wide effort has been made to create music interest in the broader sense.

Lachute citizens have witnessed the notable progress made among local school students — with the glee club, orchestras and bands, but there is much latent talent throughout the countryside which needs developing. The music festival is designed to help in this matter.

Other communities, notably in Ontario, have held music festivals. Starting in a modest manner, they have gradually developed into festivals and competitions of one week's duration. Though this first festival in Lachute is promoted by members of the school staff, there is need of close co-operation between home and school, to ensure its successful outcome.

It is expected that over 300 English and French students will enter the various choral and instrumental contests — which means, that if it is to operate smoothly, there must be good synchronization in the routine planning of the festival. It is hoped that, when the time comes, citizens in all communities will make an effort to help their local students to attend — thus giving an impetus of enthusiasm to this first music fesitival in Argenteuil.

Education for Living

TRAINING is essential to enable a child to become a well-adjusted member of society. Our universal Public School is ideal for this important training, as it is a significant achievement of our democratic culture. Schools are devices and teachers are instruments designed to induct the growing child into this immense moulding heritage, where he may realize that he has something to contribute to democracy.

Teachers can only impart what they themselves possess. The class is the reflection of what they are. Various factors are essential for an effective society group — unselfishness, clean thinking and living, honesty and consideration of others.

The teaching of such attitudes is just as vital as any subject on the curriculum. How, then, shall the teacher develop these without being dictatorial? We all realize that one of the greatest factors in character is — conscience. Children in the habit-forming years are endowed with this guide. How can teachers aid children to listen to the dictates of conscience?

Johnny was guilty of taking Jimmy's belongings. Neither punishment nor scolding was inflicted, but Johnny was asked to sit quietly alone with his teacher and listen to his conscience. Soon, Johnny looked happily at his teacher and voluntarily achnowledged his dishonesty, saying he was sorry. Later he apologized to his class; his confidence was restored, his self-respect was heightened — and a significant example was set for other pupils. . . Instances may not follow exactly this procedure but the teacher with sincerity and initiative has a wealth of guidance to implant in receptive young minds.

An Instrument of Progress

LAST MONTH .. mighty explosion shook the Ottawa River area near Mattawa, Ontario. Tons of rock and ice hurtled hundreds of feet into the air. When the dust and smoke cleared, the Ottawa River had forsaken the course it had been following for centuries and was flowing down a new man-made channel to allow completion of the province's LeCave hydro power development.

While it took weeks to prepare for the blast, the actual work of river-diversion was accomplished in a split second—with 12 tons of dynamite. The chemical giant had done another good job.

Since 88 years ago, when the great Swedish scientist Albert Nobel gave the world a method whereby nitroglycerine could be employed as a commercial blasting agent, high explosives have played a major role in the industrial, agricultural and economic development of nations. In Canada, they have blasted a path through rugged wilderness to allow civilization to flow northward by road, rail, river and canal. They have made possible the development of Canada's rich mineral and hydro-electric power resources. They've discovered new oil fields, cleared farmlands, reclaimed swamps for useful purposes.

A nation's per capita use of commercial explosives is often taken as a measure of its standard of living. Whether or not this is a true gauge, there is no doubt that the continuance of development of the country's natural resources and vast unsettled territory, will depend, in large measure, on the use of explosives.

THE NEED for privacy and freedom will drive almost any person to take desperate measures. We believe that the 20th century housewife has the same stuff as her ancestors if she is called upon to prove it.

— Napanee (Ont.) Express

Task of the Press

TODAY, a distraught world is looking for an answer, both to war and for the building up of a better social order. The newspaper, which goes into nearly every home in most countries, has power to change the tide of thinking in its community. This makes the task of the Press pre-eminent.

Journalists have been described as possible "heralds of a new world order" because they can make so great and positive a contribution to the liberation of the world from chaos.

There is one kind of writing behind which you sense a good brain. There is another kind of writing behind which you feel the beating heart. Through the power of this latter creative writing, the Press will find regeneration. To do this, it is necessary to stop thinking only in terms of the written word, but also in terms of real living experience.

From the heart of man will come either a new beginning of history or its end. Man himself is the cause of war or the basis of peace, and the journalist can only propagate this idea if he starts with himself. Living is more important than talking and living is even more important than writing.

Our times demand the application in all our lives of a vital Christian ideology — people who live their faith according to the moral laws. Programs of reform have not put change in people at this primary point, which is the first condition of social change.

To play its part in the regeneration of our own and other countries, is the greatest task the Press can undertake.

To tax and to please, no more than to love and to be wise, is not given to men.

— Edmund Burke

FRIENDS ALWAYS HELP

Before the ashes of his home were cold, warm-hearted neighbors and friends started digging out the remains of the fire-blackened basement to help (Tom Laidley) rebuild. Roaring flames in half an hour left nothing but a little charcoal of the home where he and his family had lived for the past several years since they were burned out of their previous home.

— Little Current (Ont.) Manitoulin Expositor

$100 A Month at Age 65

PENSIONS WITHOUT A "MEANS TEST"

— By M. V. Trayers —

Canada is coming of age. It is no longer a country of young people. Thanks to the advance of medical science, the people who were boasting of youth scarce 20 years ago are today old people. . .

There are two factors which brought this about. By lengthening the life span of the individual, medical science increased the proportion of old people to that of the total population. According to the census of 1921 there were 75 people for every thousand of the population who were over 60 years of age. It has been estimated that at next year's census there will be 127 people over 60 years of age in every thousand. This trend is bound to continue in the natural order of events.

The second factor which increases the proportion of old people is the scramble for existence which takes place upon the shifting sands of industrial opportunities. This has become epitomized in the trite slogan "too old at forty". In the old days when agriculture was the chief means of livelihood, life accommodated itself to the years as they passed. Today, years become a condition of employment. The family has become disrupted as a unit, and as a unit, has no responsibility for its individual members. From the school to the grave each individual has to provide for himself during all the years that lie between.

During this short span, he has to meet the problems of living in an expanding and complex society, where the cost of living is zooming with each tick of the years, and he must endeavor to provide a competence for his unproductive years when he becomes "too old at forty". Ironically enough, if he succeeds, he is left to his own resources; or if he applies for the government subsistence grant, which is called an old age pension, he must surrender those resources. He must be destitute.

A system of combining a citizen's savings with a federal contribution to build up a retirement allowance is in the blue-print stage at Ottawa, and although all the major political parties approve of it, it rests discarded in a pigeon-hole — while all the time the people whom it would serve are growing older, more numerous and more dependent.

To provide $50 a month for every man and woman over 65 years of age in Canada would cost over $600-billion a year. This amount is greater than all the money now provided by the federal, provincial and municipal governments in Canada for welfare expenditure. It is doubtful if the country could finance such an undertaking for any length of time; so, to get over the difficulty what is known as a "means test" has been established so as to provide only for those who have no means. At the present time the maximum pension obtainable is $480 a year. The total income allowed is $600 a year, which means for every dollar earned over the first $120, a dollar is deducted from the pension allowance of $480. . . A few provinces increase this by a supplementary amount, but that does not change the set-up.

Recently we have heard and read a lot from across the border of Unions demanding, and Industry paying, $100 a month pensions to retiring employees, based on a maximum of 25 years service; smaller amounts pro rata for shorter services.

The situation in the United States is entirely different from that which exists here in Canada. Over the years the United States has developed a program of social insurance; an individual makes contributions to the national old age pension fund and when he reaches the required age he draws his benefits, much as a Canadian worker does his unemployment benefits. There is no "means test". When Labor Unions stipulate that eligible employees draw pensions of $100 a month, the Industry will not actually pay that amount but an amount equal to the difference between what the employee would ordinarily receive from the government from his contributory old age pension fund and $100. The company simply pays whatever amount would bring the pension up to $100. This has been estimated at about $55 a month.

The value of the $100 retirement allowance has been estimated by Labor at 12 cents an hour; and of the security program which takes care of the hospitalization and medical care for his family and himself and provides a disability wage of $36 a week for 26 weeks in each year — at 9 cents an hour. On this basis it would require 21 cents an hour during the productive years of the employee, to provide for his and his family's social security and a retirement pension of $100 a month.

If Labor were to demand in Canada what it has received in many industrial contracts in the United States, the companies concerned would have to provide the whole amount themselves. Nothing could be obtained from the Canadian government because of the "means test" clause in the Old Age Pensions Act. But that fact has not retarded Labor's demand. The Ford Company of Canada has already granted its workers a retirement income plan giving a maximum of $100 a month for life. Although the rates are similar to those of the parent company in the States, the cost is twice as much.

Other companies which have negotiated with Labor on this question claim that they could not possibly carry the load. That the fund required to guarantee payment of such a plan could only be set up by industrial giants, such reserves would be enormous. In fact the amounts required by some single industries would run into hundreds of millions of dollars. If there was no fund set up for this purpose, if the amounts were paid from the yearly profits or reserves without guarantee furnished by a capital reserve — the benefits of such a scheme would depend on the whim and fancy of business fluctuations. Pensions today; destitution tomorrow.

Labor counters with the suggestion that a guaranteed amount need not be set up the moment the contract is signed. The obligation can be amortized over the years. Labor believes Industry can meet the costs under a contributory plan, and has produced figures to support it. Some companies have done so under a non-contributory plan which has worked to the satisfaction of both parties. . .

Whatever the answer, the trend is towards social security and retirement incomes. The first steps may fumble or falter, but nonetheless the Welfare State is on the way.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Harrington

Miss Betty Cook, of Detroit, has been a guest for the past two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett. Miss Marjorie Shaw, of Montreal, was also a week-end visitor at the Bennett home.

Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Poulter and family, of Ottawa, visited the former's parents over the week-end.

Mr. Leslie Kerr, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his cabin in Rivington.

Farm Forum was held this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bennett.

Grenville

The Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote were in Montreal to attend the funeral, last Tuesday, of Mrs. Stote's grandmother, the late Mrs. A. Amsden, of Rosemount.

Mr. Eddie Barron was in New York last week, having received word that his sister, Miss Annie Barron, was in hospital there. Many friends here will be sorry to hear of Miss Barron's illness.

Mrs. J. F. Owens has recovered sufficiently to return to her home; wishes are extended for her continued improvement.

The many friends of Mrs. L. Dupuis are pleased to know that she is much improved from her recent illness.

The Misses Beatrice and Ramona Barron, Mr. James Timmins and Mr. Arnold Spencer, were week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Barron's.

Friends here were sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Frederick Rowley, the former Minnie Milway, in Hamilton, Ont. Mrs. Rowley spent the summer here two years ago, with friends and relatives.

Weir

Mayor A. G. Munich spent a few days recently at his residence, having just returned from a two months' vacation "down south".

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Trottier with their daughter, Pat, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their residence here.

Mr. Victor Courte and his daughter, Jeannine, were home from Montreal for the week-end.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, also to Mrs. R. B. Owen and family, in their recent sad bereavement through the passing of Mr. R. B. Owen.

Sweden has been neutral in war for 150 years.

Mabel

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Polloock and Mrs. A. Warwick, of Lachute, and Miss Jean Tomalty, of Montreal.

Mr. Leslie Clark spent the week-end at his home in Dunvegan, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. MacCullough, of N.D.G., were Sunday guests of Mrs. George D. Murdoch.

Mr. Douglas Clark was in Montreal this week attending the annual meeting of the Quebec Holstein-Friesian Association, held at the Queen's Hotel.

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murdoch, who lost their home by fire on Friday evening last.

Grenville North

Mrs. John Cousins has returned to her home here.

Mr. H. H. MacKrith spent the past week-end in Lachute.

Mr. Ernest McGill, of Montreal, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Lowe.

Mrs. Wm. Loughren has been spending a few days visiting friends in Calumet.

Mrs. Earl MacIntyre spent a few days with her sister in Harrington.

Many children from this district attended a carnival at Grenville and enjoyed a pleasant time. Congratulations are extended to the organizers of this enjoyable event.

Residents of this community extend to the Harris Dewar family sincere sympathy in the recent loss of their little son.

Lake Keatley

Mr. Geo. Rourke and daughter, Geraldine, of Montreal, called on Mr. and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar on Saturday. Sunday guests of the MacVicars were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Dowd and son, Jimmie.

Mr. Fred Parent, Mr. Ken Ford, also Mrs. Viola Ford and two children, of Montreal, spent the week-end at "Oak Bend Cabin".

Mrs. Dave MacVicar returned home after a week's visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Barnes, of Hawkesbury, Ont.

Mr. Chas. Watson and brother, Glendon, of Montreal, spent the week-end at "Bay Point Cottage".

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett, also Betty Cooke, and a girl friend, both of Detroit, spent Saturday at "Hedgerow Cottage".

Mrs. Chris Wheeler and daughter, Mrs. Dick Young, are spending a few days in Montreal, calling to visit her brother, Kenneth Campbell, who is a patient in hospital.

Cushing West

Mrs. Archie Stalker and Miss Martha MacDonald, of Montreal, spent a few days as guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir.

Miss Jean Genest, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home in Grece's Point.

Capt. and Mrs. Thomas W. Weir motored to Montreal on Sunday and attended the christening of their grandson, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Casement, who received the names Thomas John. The christening took place at the United Church in the Town of Mount Royal.

Mr. Christopher Hartley is at present in the Smith's Hospital at Hawkesbury; his friends extend wishes for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorazio Leclair and family motored to Papineauville on Sunday and were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Decaire.

Grenville Consolidated School News

Martha Richardson

A number of classroom changes were made, the latter part of last week. This was brought about by the moving of Grades I and II to the new addition. The little people were very happy over the change, as the new rooms have many features that the other classrooms do not have. A new recreation room has been opened in the basement for these two grades, enabling them to play in less crowded quarters. The new kitchen has been opened and is now in use for the noon meal.

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This is Education Week throughout Canada. The fact is being given consideration in this school. It is expected that members of the local clergy will pay a call during the week. On Friday the pupils and teachers are playing hosts to the parents, and a program is being drawn up for this occasion, based along the lines of parents' visiting day. . . The event will be written up for next issue of this column.

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This week will be of special interest to the pupils as it is the week in which the formal report cards make their appearance. It is hoped that all the cards will show "marked" progress.

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In spite of stormy weather, Arctic cold, and slippery roads, the school attendance has been excellent. Of course, there are the usual colds, but none of a serious nature.

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The school children were treated to two excellent pictures this week. They were shown twice, as they were of great interest to the pupils from an educational viewpoint as well as for their entertainment appeal.

Calumet

Mr. and Mrs. S. Harris and daughter, Betty, of Brownsburg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. MacIntyre.

Mrs. J. Irving, of St. Lambert, visited her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Foreman and Mr. Foreman, for several days recently.

Miss Mildred Brigden is spending a two weeks' holiday visiting friends and relatives in Buffalo, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthew and small son, Brian, spent the week-end with Mr. W. E. Brigden.

Mrs. P. Robinson spent several days in Brownsburg last week, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Birthday Gathering

Mr. and Mrs. J. Druce, of Hawkesbury, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce, when Mrs. Druce, Sr., was guest of honor at a family gathering in celebration of her birthday. Mr. Grant Robinson had a voice-recorder on hand for the occasion, and recordings were made, which were greatly enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. White and small son, Michael, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whinfield and daughter, Maidie, spent Sunday at "Whiteacres".

Sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Antonio Gauthier and family, in their recent loss of a beloved wife and mother.

OBITUARY

Funeral For Victim Of Grenville Mishap

The Late Dwayne Dewar, Six Years of Age

Grenville—Grief was occasioned in this community by the sudden death of Dwayne Dewar, on Monday evening, February 27, at Smith's Clinic Hospital, Hawkesbury, Ont. The youngest and beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar, he was only six years of age. (Dwayne died from injuries after being kicked by a horse. Circumstances of the accident were reported in last issue).

The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon, March 2, from his parents' residence, to St. Matthew's Anglican Church, where the Rev. P. R. Stote officiated and spoke words of sympathy to the bereaved. The senior-grade school children formed the choir, and hymns selected were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Jesus Loves Me".

He leaves to mourn his passing his parents, a brother, Gordon, and a sister, Barbara.

Pall-bearers were his uncle, Garfield Moncrieff, two cousins, Ronald Matthew and Erwin Conway, and Keith Canning. The remains were tenderly laid to rest in the cemetery adjoining the church.

There was a large attendance of relatives, neighbors and friends, and many beautiful floral tributes to the bereaved family. . . This community extends its heartfelt sympathy.

Tribute to the Late Richard B. Owen

The passing of Richard B. Owen removes from the County of Argenteuil one of the last real pioneers of the County. Coming from England as a young man, Mr. Owen took up land in Weir, and through many years of hard work developed one of the most beautiful and productive farms of the entire county.

Assisted in every phase of his work by his wife (formerly Mary Thompson), Richard Owen never spared himself either in the work of the farm or in his work for the community, which he served as councillor, mayor and secretary-treasurer over a period of many years. Highly respected by all his neighbors, he was often sought out for help and advice. A man of strong convictions and high principles, he expected the same high standards and diligence in others that he applied to himself; and, although impatient with laziness and shiftlessness, he never turned a deaf ear to pleas of those in real need. Thus he administered the municipal affairs with high integrity and charity.

His home was a centre of a very active and happy life. Not only were there the 10 sons and daughters in the Owen family, but also every summer there were many boarders; and hundreds of people have happy memories of summer holidays spent at Mountain View Farm. All his family have grown up to serve their country in a variety of callings — business, industry, education and the church, in peace time, and in the Armed Services during the war. One daughter is a missionary in India. He bore his long and wearying final illness with great courage. "The memory of the just is blessed."

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OWEN — Mrs. R. B. Owen and members of her family wish to thank the many friends who gave assistance, extended sympathy and sent flowers in their recent bereavement.

PROVENCAL — Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Provencal wish to express their deep appreciation and thanks for the many kindnesses shown during their recent sad bereavement, by the Rev. Mr. S. J. Pike, neighbors and friends.

IN MEMORIAM

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DISTRICT NEWS

Brownsburg

Mrs. Maud Moncrieff has returned to Kingston, after visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family, of Hull, Que., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacAdam.

Mrs. C. Graham was in Montreal on Sunday visiting her husband, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mrs. C. E. Prosser and Mrs. Wm. Petley visited relatives in Montreal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bonter, of Marmora, Ont., have received word of the location of the grave of their son, P/O Stewart W. Bonter (who has been listed "missing" since March 15, 1945) with two of his crew, in the British Military Cemetery at Erkrath, Germany. Stewart was employed in D.I.L. here during wartime and was well known in this town.

Plan Scout-Parent Night

A meeting of the Brownsburg Boy Scout and Cub Group Committee was held in the Social Club last week. Plans were made for a Scout, Cub and Parent night on March 28, when Mr. John MacGregor, field secretary, will be the guest speaker. The boys will also give a demonstration of their work. . . Mr. N. E. Smillie, chairman of the Group Committee, wishes to thank the citizens of Brownsburg for their generous response to the recent Boy Scout Association's financial campaign. The objective was exceeded by a considerable amount.

Church Services

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"A Cure for Despondency".
7 p.m. Evening Service.
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2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

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Preaching the Word.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Preacher: Rev. H. Hertzler, Dean of Residence, Diocesan Theological College, Montreal.
Every Wednesday, Lenten service at 8 p.m.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Preacher: Rev. H. Hertzler.
Lenten service, Friday at 7.30 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
7.30 Evening Worship, Lachute.

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BROWNSBURG
10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. Church
Happy Hour, Monday, 7 p.m.
Y.P. Fellowship, Monday, 8 p.m.
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DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Mille Isles, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 7 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector
St. Matthew's, Grenville
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Lenten service, Wed., March 15, at 7.30 p.m.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
3 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Lenten service, Fri., March 17, at 7.30 p.m.
Kilmar
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

Morin Heights

Miss Beatrice Bethell spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Jack Watchorn and Mr. Watchorn.

Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt spent a few days in Montreal last week visiting friends. Her sister, Mrs. Basil MacLean, of Rochester, N.Y., was also in Montreal last week.

Mrs. J. Syvret returned home Thursday after spending a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Gerry Boyd and Mr. Boyd, at St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac.

Miss Gladys Dawson, of Mille Isles, spent last week-end as the guest of Miss Helen Seale, who had a party for her seventh birthday on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cammy Paquette spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Basler.

Gordon and Keith Nesbitt spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt.

Ronald Dey spent the week-end in Mille Isles, the guest of Billy Morrow.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Wm. Smith in the sudden death of his wife at her home here last Saturday.

Mrs. F. Goldthorpe, who has been spending the winter in Montreal with her daughter, Mrs. R. Hulley, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doherty for a few days.

Miss Joyce Seale was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kirkpatrick in Mille Isles.

Mr. Geo. Goodfellow, of Lancaster, Ont., has been spending the past week with his wife and family here.

Skiers at Mont Tremblant

Congratulations are again in order for Doreen and Jean Elder for their fine performances in the 1950 Kandahar held at Mont Tremblant last week-end. Doreen clinched the Downhill honors, and in passing Rosemarie Shutz and Joanne Hewson, established herself as a front-rank competitor in the Zone. She finished third in the combined Slalom and Downhill while her sister, Jean, came in fifth.

Twins Christened

The christening of the infant twins of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Boyd took place on Sunday, February 26, in the Anglican Church at St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac. The babies were baptized Diane Heather and Donald Milton. Godparents were Mrs. R. Boyd, of Morin Heights, and Mr. Jack MacKimmie, of Lachute, for whom Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Boyd stood proxy.

Activities in Anglican Diocese of Montreal

Further items on activities in the Anglican Diocese of Montreal are published from a circular to the clergy, in connection with the centennial observance of this diocese. . .

There was recently held in Montreal a very helpful Ecumenical Service. Among those taking part were representatives of the United Church, Presbyterian Church, Lutheran, Greek Orthodox, Russian Orthodox and Anglican Churches. The Rt. Rev. Bishop J. Dixon preached the sermon, and the Russian Choir led the singing.

The Anglican laymen of Montreal have subscribed $2,000 towards the expenses of the Central Committee of the World Council of Churches, which is holding its annual meeting in Toronto in July.

The Bishop is offering a special prize for the best essay on "The History of My Parish" (juniors); "The History of My Diocese" (seniors); "The History of My Church in the Province of Canada" (Bible Classes). The competition is open to any members of the church under these three groups.

"AWAKE"

It is high time to "Awake". (Romans, ch. 13, verse 11). . . To find the cause of Earth's troubles read again Rev. 12: 12. . . And the cure, Isaiah 9: 6-7 & Daniel 2: 44.

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Bell Falls

Mr. Malcolm MacTavish, Jr., arrived home on Saturday last.

Miss Kathleen McMahon spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Emile Lacasse and son, of Lachute, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McNeil. . Miss Janet McNeil, Miss Ruby McNeil and a friend, from Montreal, were also week-end guests.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett last week-end were Miss Mary Bennett, Miss Frances Bennett and friend, and Mr. T. Bennett.

Mrs. Norman Simms, of St. Lambert, is spending the week visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Campbell entertained a group of young people at a sliding party and social evening at their home last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Campbell and Mrs. O. Robillard spent Monday in Montreal and visited Mr. Kenneth Campbell, who is a patient in the General Hospital.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell for the week-end were Miss Ella Campbell, Miss Pearl McRae and Miss Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunny McRae have purchased the home of the late Mr. William McMahon.

Sympathy of this community is extended to the relatives and friends of the late Mrs. Frank Provencal, who passed away on March 1 at the home of her son, Joseph, in Avoca. The funeral service was held in Avoca, with interment at Shaw's Cemetery.

Sympathy of this community is also extended to the family of the late Mrs. A. Gauthier, of Calumet.

Church Notes

Service will be held in the Harrington United Church at 11 a.m.

Bell Falls Sunday School will meet at the home of Mrs. J. McRae at the usual hour, 2 p.m.

The Harrington United Ladies' Aid are sponsoring a play on March 17 in the Harrington Orange Hall.

COMING EVENTS

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

Canadian Legion Branch 70 will hold a bingo in the Legion Memorial Hall on Wednesday, March 22, at 8.15 p.m. Very attractive prizes. 15 Rounds for 50 cents. Come and win a prize! M16.4c

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT, GRENVILLE

A St. Patrick's concert will be held at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Sat., March 18, at 9 p.m. Good program of Irish songs, dances and recitations; Miss Mary Burke and Miss Mary McGuire, dancers; Munro Wilson and his bagpipe band; Clifford Bourcier, popular little radio entertainer; and popular local talent, with Stanley Cavanagh as M.C. Adm. 60c (tax included). M16.2c

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Anglican Church will hold their annual tea and food sale in the church hall on Friday, March 17 Keep the date open. M9.2c

ST. PATRICK'S SUPPER

To be held in Elliott's Hall, Cushing, on Friday, March 17, by the St. Mungo's Ladies' Association. Supper served from 6.30 to 8.30 p.m. Admission, adults 65c, children 30c. Dance after, sponsored by C.C.C. -1c

SALAD TEA, BROWNSB'G

The ladies of Laurentian Lodge L.O.B.A. will hold a salad tea and sale of home-cooking in the United Church hall, Brownsburg, on Saturday, April 1. Keep the date open. m9.23.30c

The W.M.S. of the United Church, Brownsburg, is holding a "fruit salad tea" on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, in the church hall from 3 to 5 o'clock. Home-cooking and candy will also be on sale. Price 35c. -1p

Community Rink Project at B'burg

CANVASSERS ARE NOW COLLECTING

Brownsburg — The Community Rink Association have re-organized their campaign for funds, and canvassers are now collecting for this community project.

Many small towns and villages have built community rinks in the last year. Here are a few examples of what can be done when the whole community is behind a project. . .

Eganville, with a population of less than one third that of Brownsburg, has just completed a community rink.

Wapella, Sask., has opened a rink with a seating capacity of almost 2,000; it cost about $28,000, raised by public donations and community entertainment projects. The construction would have cost about $45,000 except that most of the work was executed by voluntary labor.

A community rink serving Pierson, Man., and district, was burned in February, 1948. A meeting was held to plan reconstruction; 25 persons attended and $2,800 was donated on the spot. Labor cost of this structure was only $200 — the rest all being voluntary labor.

Cooper, Ont., is another example of what can be done by a small community. All lumber used in the building was contributed as standing timber. The men cut the trees, took them to the mill to be cut into lumber, and then to the rink site. The residents also donated an average of $100 per family. The women of the community staged dances, sold tickets on a radio and hope-chest. The softball club played exhibition games and all the money went to the community rink. Some days 25 to 30 men turned out to work on the building.

When this can be accomplished in these small, enterprising communities, it seems logical that it can be done here. — Let's all get together and have Brownsburg the next place with a community rink!

SUCCESS STORY

Perhaps we can class the farm of Roland Myre, Hemmingford, Que., as rare in these parts, for he is operating a strictly poultry farm and making a good living therefrom.

— Huntingdon (Que.) Gleanor

HELP WANTED — MAIL

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THAT GOD created the earth for man, made perfect man for the earth and placed him upon it; that man yielded to unfaithful Lucifer, or Satan, and willfully disobeyed God's law and was sentenced to death; that by reason of Adam's wrong act all men are born sinners and without the right of life;

THAT THE LOGOS was made human as the man Jesus and suffered death in order to produce the ransom or redemptive price for obedient men; that God raised up Christ Jesus divine and exalted him to heaven above every other creature and clothed him with all power and authority as head of God's new capital organization;

THAT GOD'S CAPITAL ORGANIZATION is a Theocracy called Zion, and that Christ Jesus is the Chief Officer thereof and is the rightful King of the new world; that the faithful anointed followers of Christ Jesus are Zion's children, members of Jehovah's organization, and are His witnesses whose duty and privilege it is to testify to Jehovah's supremacy and declare his purposes toward mankind as expressed in the Bible;

THAT THE OLD WORLD, or Satan's uninterrupted rule, ended A.D. 1914, and Christ Jesus has been placed by Jehovah upon the throne, has ousted Satan from heaven, and now proceeds to vindicate His name and establish the "new earth"; (Rev. 12:12)

THAT THE RELIF and blessings of the people can come only by Jehovah's kingdom under Christ, which has begun; that His next great act is to destroy Satan's organization and establish righteousness completely in the earth; and that under the Kingdom the people of good-will surviving Armageddon will carry out the divine mandate to "fill the earth" with righteous offspring, and that the human dead in the graves will be raised to opportunities of life on earth.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Iris Jensen, R.N., of the Montreal General Hospital, spent the week-end with Miss Mary Baugh at the parsonage in Lakefield.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McFaul left by automobile last Sunday to spend a few weeks in Florida.

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Mrs. Norman Holland, Messrs. J. Roy Carpenter, Percy Carpenter, Ivan Carpenter, of Montreal, and Mr. Theron Carpenter, of Three Rivers, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Jas. Carpenter, who is ill at her home in Lachute Mills.

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Miss Ruth Low, of the Department of Education, was a guest last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon. Miss Low was one of the speakers at the Argenteuil - Two Mountains Teachers' Association meeting, held at Grenville.

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Mr. Leslie Morris, of Ottawa, spent the week-end in Lachute visiting his mother.

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Miss Marion Maxwell, R.N., and Miss Bettina Brock, R.N., of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Maxwell.

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Mr. Grant Riddell was a week-end visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. H. Riddell.

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Miss Betty Brown was visiting at her home during the week-end.

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Miss Else Jacobsen and Mr. Kenneth Solway, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jacobsen.

TIRE TROUBLE

Halifax (CP) — A worried wife told police that her husband and two other men were long overdue on a truck trip between here and Lockhartville. But there was no foul play. The men turned up after spending all night and part of a day on the road fixing no less than eight flat tires.

OLD RECORD BOOK

Neelin, Man. (CP) — A book, used to record the first meeting in 1886 of ratepayers of Neelin school district, is still in use. The first chairman was J. Neelin, on February 1, 1886.

Mrs. Robt. Millar left this week to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Franklin and Mr. Franklin, at Redding, California. Mrs. Millar is accompanied on the trip by her sister, Mrs. K. Wooding, of Ottawa.

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Miss E. O'Brien has joined the staff of the Bell Telephone office here; friends wish her success.

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Miss Pauline Sharpe and Mr. Lewis Lloyd, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lloyd.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacKimmie and daughter, Bonnie, spent last Sunday at Morin Heights.

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Mrs. Roy Cook, of Royal Oak, Mich., has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McMahon.

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Mrs. Eddie Kettyle is at present convalescing in a Montreal hospital.

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Mr. Guy Smith is at present in the Royal Victoria Hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

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Public Notice

Province of Quebec,
District of Terrebonne,
County of Argenteuil,
Municipality of Mille Isles.

QUEBEC TEMPERANCE ACT, Chapter 257, 1941

The undersigned, qualified municipal electors of the Municipality of Mille Isles, hereby require that any by-law which the Municipal Council thereof may pass under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act, at any time within one year from the date thereof, be submitted for approval to the municipal electors of the said municipality.

Witness our hands at Mille Isles this 31st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Signatures:

Robert Black	Henry Dawson
Willis Black	John A. Ward
Alex Thornton	Melvin H. Ward
Robert Thornton	Garnet Woods
George Riddell	James Carroll
Fred Black	Edgar Elder
H. E. Lister	Robert Fraser, Sr.
Mrs. H. Wood	Robert Fraser, Jr.
Wesley Dawson	Leonard Pollock
Dave Dawson	E. J. Morrison
Wm. Dawson	Clifford Black
Michael Captain	John Black
Duncan Dawson	F. E. Perry
Benj. Pollock	W. H. Seale
David Morrow	Douglas Dawson
Norman Kirkpatrick	Albert Ward
Richard Dawson	John Noble
Arthur Bows	

Pursuant to the above petition at a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the third day of January, 1950, at its regular meeting, the following notice of motion was given:

"That at the next meeting of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles to be held on the 6th of February, 1950, at the usual place of meeting at Mille Isles in the said Municipality of Mille Isles, the following by-law will be proposed for adoption:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquor and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles, under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

At a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the 6th day of February, 1950, the following by-law was adopted:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquors and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

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TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MILLE ISLES:

Take notice that the above temperance by-law will be submitted to the municipal electors of the Municipality of Mille Isles and that a vote by ballot will be held in the Municipality on the 27th day of March, 1950, to decide whether the said by-law is approved or disapproved by the municipal electors of the said municipality.

The poll to be held at Mille Isles at the usual place of voting, namely, the No. 2 School House. The poll to open at the above place at ten o'clock in the morning and to close at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Mille Isles, this 7th day of February, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretary-treasurer of the
M16.4c Municipality of Mille Isles.

Avis Public

Province de Québec
District de Terrebonne
Comté d'Argenteuil
Municipalité de Mille Iles.

LOI DE TEMPERANCE DE QUEBEC, Chapitre 257, Status Refondus de Québec, 1941.

Les soussignés, électeurs municipaux ayant la qualjté voulue, de la municipalité de Mille Iles, demandent par les présentes que tout règlement que le conseil municipal pourra passer en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec, à aucune époque dans le cours d'une année de la présente date, soit soumis à l'approbation des électeurs municipaux de ladite municipalité.

En foi de quoi nous avons apposé nos seings aux présentes, à Mille Iles ce 31e jour de décembre, mil neuf cent quarante-neuf.

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En conformité avec la requête ci-dessus mentionnée, à une cession du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, tenue le 3 janvier 1950, l'avis de motion suivant, fut donné:

"Qu'à la prochaine session du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, qui sera tenue le 6 février 1950 prochain, à la place ordinaire des sessions à Mille Iles, l'adoption du règlement suivant sera proposée:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité du canton de Gore, en vertu et en exécution de la loi de Tempérance de Québec."

A sa session tenue le 6 février 1950, le conseil municipal de Mille Iles, a adopté ledit règlement qui se lit:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité de Mille Iles, en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec."

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AUX ELECTEURS MUNICIPAUX DE LA MUNICIPALITE DE MILLE ILES:

Prenez avis que le règlement ci-dessus mentionné adopté en vertu de la Loi de Tempérance, sera soumis aux électeurs municipaux de la municipalité de Mille Iles, et qu'un vote au scrutin sera tenu dans la municipalité de Mille Iles le 27 mars 1950, pour savoir si ledit règlement sera adopté oui ou non.

Le bureau de votation sera tenu à Mille Iles à sa place ordinaire de votation, dans l'école numéro 2. Le bureau de votation sera ouvert à dix heures le matin et fermera à cinq heures du soir.

Mille Iles, ce 7e jour de février, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretaire-trésorier de la
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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Avoca

Mrs. Thos. J. Young visited Mrs. Charles Steele, of Grenville, for a few days last week.

The Misses Ethel and Evelyn Arthurs, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs.

Mrs. Tomachevsky entertained the young people of the surrounding district to a skiing and sliding party on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Herbert Andrews was the guest of Mrs. Elmer Andrews on Thursday last.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Jos. Provencal and all the family, in the loss of their mother, Mrs. Frank Provencal; also to Mr. Antonio Gauthier, of Calumet, in the loss of his wife.

Mrs. S. E. Smith has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elden Bates, of Lachute, for a few days.

Cushing

Mr. and Mrs. George Drew, of Verdun, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. W. Y. King, also Mrs. M. Wilson, spent the earlier part of this week in Montreal.

Mrs. A. Starnes is entertaining the W.M.S. of St. Mungo's United Church on Tuesday afternoon, March 14.

St. Mungo's Ladies' Association are planning a St. Patrick's supper on the 17th, in Elliott's Hall.

Bell Falls

(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman McLean and family motored to Cornwall recently.

Mr. Leslie Kerr, of Montreal, spent the week-end here.

Mr. Fraser McVicar spent Tuesday in Montreal.

Mrs. J. John attended the W.M.S. Presbyterial sessions in Montreal.

Miss Marjorie Bell, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Page last week-end.

Miss Ella Campbell, Miss Janet McNeil, the Misses Isabel and Edythe McCallum were among those visiting their respective homes for the week-end.

Mr. T. McNeil and Mr. Charles Campbell spent the week-end in Lachute.

The W.A. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Neil MacCallum.

Morin Heights

Mr. Russell Weeks spent a week-end recently at the home of his cousin, Mr. Miles Aumais and Mrs. Aumais.

The Guild of Trinity Church met in the Red Cross room on Thursday last, with Mrs. Robt. J. Seale and Miss Joyce Seale as hostesses.

The death of Mrs. Wm. Smith occurred on Saturday—the funeral being held Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock from Trinity Church.

In Ski Contests

Graeme Bell spent several days at Mont Tremblant, taking part in the Kandahar Race held Saturday and Sunday. He placed 17th, coming 2nd in the Juniors. He won the Junior Downhill. . . Doreen Elder topped both Seniors and Juniors in the Downhill run on Saturday, but lost out in the Slalom. She placed 3rd — coming 1st in the Juniors. Jean Elder, a Senior skier, placed 5th.

At Ste. Agathe on Sunday, Corenne Watchorn placed 1st in Junior "C".

OBITUARY

Late Wm. McMahon Was Respected Citizen Of Harrington District

Bell Falls — An old and respected citizen of this community was removed by death on February 16, in the person of Mr. William McMahon, who passed away quietly at his home here after a brief illness. He was in his 84th year.

Left to mourn his loss are his wife, the former Mary Fox, one daughter, (Irene) Mrs. C. Bennett, and a son, Thomas, of Lachute, also ten grandchildren. He is survived also by two brothers, John, of Rivington, and James, of Ste. Rose.

The funeral service was held from Harrington United Church, with the Rev. F. W. Swackhammer, of St. Thomas, officiating — assisted by the Rev. J. G. Duncan, of Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg, and Pastor Ellis, of the Pentecostal Church. Pallbearers were Messrs. Clarence Bennett, Thomas Bennett, Clarence McMahon, John McMahon, Jr., James McMahon, Jr., and Robert McMahon. Interment was in Shaw's Cemetery.

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Music Gains Foothold in Interests of High School

(Continued from page 1)

the ninety pupils then in high school decided to join the Glee Club. For a few months the work was slow because of the novelty of the enterprise and the lack of enthusiasm. In the second term, however, interest began to grow.

Each year the Glee Club has given to the public a Christmas Carol concert and a Spring Choral concert and has participated in a large number of other programs including the annual school opening. The concerts have been well attended and the interest and enthusiasm of both the Glee Club and the audiences have increased. It is not considered effeminate in Lachute to sing. The hockey stars and all the presidents of the Students' Councils have been among our valuable men singers.

Many difficulties have had to be surmounted. Because Lachute is a consolidated school, after-school and evening practices are impossible.

The membership in the Glee Club is not selected. At the beginning of the school year, the voices are classified according to their range. There have been a few who have sung "off key" but they have not been excluded and are generally helped by the large number of voices. Some have been helped individually.

Sight reading is not taught, but it has been learned incidentally by a good nucleus of the choir, so that from the Glee Club have come ladies', mixed and male quartets.

Instrumental Music. Instrumental music is only one and one-half years old, but in that time rapid strides have been made in interest and enthusiasm, even though proficiency in instruments has not yet been attained by very many. Students who are at present studying instruments other than the piano number over sixty.

Teaching in groups does not permit very much individual attention, but it enables us to do ensemble work from the beginning and in all classes we play in two, three and four part harmony. Two of the teachers on the staff look after most of the violin instruction.

Both the band and orchestra, have progressed marvelously and have played many times in public. While all the boys and girls are either part of the band or string groups, they have the orchestra as their objective.

When the idea of instrumental music arose, we decided to make a plea to the surrounding communities for any idle instruments. The Rotary Club gave us $100 and the Lions Club donated a clarinet. With a donation from the Legion we bought the necessary music stands. A former band organization of Brownsburg lent us other instruments.

The Glee Club proceeds have enabled us to purchase music and to allow most of the pupils to buy their instruments on the instalment plan. The school board also lent us a little reserve, which was returned as the payments came in from the students.

What has been done at Lachute High School has been accomplished by amateur music teachers. The results have been gratifying and have enthused the teachers so that we look forward to greater things.

We are planning a local festival of music within the central school unit of Argenteuil and Two Mountains. We hope shortly to be able to have a day of music with groups participating from all the schools in this area.

The music in the school has had a noticeably beneficial effect upon the students in their school attitude and in their interest in music. This enthusiasm and interest have carried over into the community. The attendance at all the school concerts bears this out. Since music has gained a real foothold in the school, there has arisen in the community an adult string orchestra, a men's choir and a Community Concert series. It is impossible to estimate how much the school has contributed to the formation of these new community endeavors, but the changed attitudes and the renewed interests in the school have undoubtedly been a starting place for such activities.

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The beginner at cooking has today many reliable sources of information and such efficient equipment that there should be no excuse for poor products. One may, however, know the rules and formulae and follow them with exactness and yet turn out very monotonous meals. It is the touch of originality that turns cookery from a science to an art.

The cook who has attained a reputation appreciates differences of texture, contrasts of dry and moist and also of sweet and sour foods. Good color combinations add much to the appetizing appearance of a plate of food. Seasonings play a part in enhancing natural flavors and lend a background but never overpower the original food.

Abundance of some food or shortages of others call on the homemaker to get out of a rut and change her menus or give the old family standbys a new twist by additions or substitutions. She may be able to serve the plentiful and inexpensive food often by combining with other foods or with special seasonings.

These recipes, recommended by the home economists of the Consumer Section at Ottawa, show what can be done to add interest to such a plain every-day dish as poached eggs.

Zesty Baked Eggs

¼ Cup salad dressing, ¼ teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon minced parsley, ½ teaspoon spicy meat sauce, ½ cup milk, 1 cup grated cheese, 6 eggs, paprika.

Combine salad dressing, salt, pepper, parsley and spicy meat sauce. Beat in milk and grated cheese. Pour sauce into a well-greased baking dish. Break eggs into sauce, sprinkle with paprika. Set casserole in a pan of hot water and oven-poach in a moderate oven, 350°F., until eggs are set, yield: six servings.

Eggs Piquant

1 Tablespoon chopped onion, 2 teaspoons fat, 1½ cups boiling water, ¼ cup chili sauce, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon paprika, 6 eggs.

Brown onion in fat. Add boiling water, chili sauce, salt and paprika and bring to boiling point. Reduce heat and slip eggs into sauce. Cover pan and poach gently until whites are set, about 5 minutes. Serve on buttered toast. Yield: six servings.

Poached Eggs with Mushroom Sauce

½ lb. Mushrooms, 4 tablespoons butter, 4 tablespoons flour, 2 cups milk, 1 teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper.

Wash and slice mushrooms. Cook in butter 5 minutes. Stir in flour slowly. Add milk and seasonings, stirring constantly until sauce thickens. Cook 3 minutes. Pour over six slices of toast and top each with a poached egg. Yield: six servings.

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The Status of Married Women

About three years ago a Joint Committee on the Legal Status of Married Women in the Province of Quebec was formed, and a brief drawn up asking for reforms in existing laws as they affect married women. Both rural and urban groups are represented on that committee, among them being the Quebec Women's Institutes, and the latter are giving strong backing to this brief, which was presented to the Provincial Government in February, 1947. To date, no action has been taken by the Government, but the matter is still being pressed.

More encouraging news comes from Holland, where rural and urban women also joined forces in a similar effort to obtain much needed reforms. In a recent report received by Q.W.I. from the office of the Associated Country Women of the World, they state their efforts have met with success and the Dutch woman is now "grown up." From now on, she will be allowed to administer her own capital, her own income, and if she does not receive sufficient household money she is entitled to go to a Court of Justice and ask them to order her husband's employer to pay her part of his wages. The word "obey" has also been struck from the marriage service.

Fight Polio ! !

Fight Polio! The forceful slogan of the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis is echoing throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion today, as the Foundation issues its appeal to Canadians in all walks of life to support its first annual Canadian March of Dimes.

From city and town, hamlet and countryside, child and adult, contributions are pouring into the coffers of the Foundation at its Toronto headquarters. All over Canada, women's organizations, service clubs and youth groups are dedicating themselves to the never-ending battle against the dread disease.

The Foundation has pledged itself to wage a constant war against this terrible malady, but like any great army it needs funds — and badly! If the Canadian Foundation for Poliomyelitis is to succeed in its gigantic task, and succeed it must, it needs the support of every man, woman and child in this community, in this great Dominion. Help the Foundation and get in the fight against Polio — the crippler.

Mail your donations to the Canadian March of Dimes, 410 Bloor Street East, Toronto, Ontario.

GRAVES FASCINATE CEMETERY PROWLER

Barnsley, England (CP) — Selma Carter, 26-year-old biology teacher, says graves are "fascinating". She's studied thousands of them. It's her hobby. In notebooks she describes epitaphs, types of stone, ornamentation and the lettering of inscriptions.

"Some folk think my interest is morbid", said Selma. "But they are wrong. Graves are fascinating".

MOBILE BOOKS

Edmonton (CP) — Edmonton may get a second library bus, similar to the "bookmobile" now operated by the public library. The library is asking city commissioners for a grant of $4,156 to buy a second vehicle.

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DISTRICT NEWS

St. Andrews East

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Muller over the week-end.

Miss Audrey Entwistle spent the week-end in Brownsburg.

Misses Joyce and Helen Rayson spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rayson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Fournier spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. Keith Pitcairn, of Montreal, visited his mother on Sunday.

The W.A. of Christ Church met at the home of Mrs. I. N. Draper on Thursday.

The Women's League of the Presbyterian Church met Wednesday at Mrs. E. C. Calder's.

The Women's Guild of the United Church purpose holding a St. Patrick's Tea on Friday afternoon, March 17, in the church hall.

Grenville

Letter from Former Missionary

A letter received from Miss Melissa E. Morrow, returned missionary from India, conveys greetings to old friends in these parts. Miss Morrow is happily occupied at the mission home (40 Chase Street, Newton Centre, Mass.) which gives haven to 15 relatives of missionaries and some retired from active work in foreign fields. . . The writer devotes her energies to the ladies' circles supplying articles of clothing to mission workers in India, also addressing meetings in Boston churches and in the home church at Newton Centre. In the summer months she travels farther afield, speaking in the neighboring states in the interests of missionary work.

Arundel

Dr. R. Ward and family spent part of last week visiting with Mrs. J. May.

Mr. George Henvis spent the week-end at his home.

Mr. Curll Staniforth spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Staniforth.

Mrs. T. Sevigny, accompanied by a guest, spent the week-end at the cottage of Mrs. Roy Cooke.

Mrs. W. D. Graham, who was spending a few days at her home, has now returned to Montreal.

Mr. Jack Smith attended the "Royal" held at Macdonald College, Ste. Annes, last week.

Ladies' Union

The Ladies' Union of the Arundel United Church held their monthly meeting in the church hall on Wednesday, March 1. The president conducted the devotional and business meeting. The tea hostesses were Mrs. Hugh Cooke and Mrs. Val Swail. Two new members were received.

Day of Prayer

The Day of Prayer was observed here in the Grace Anglican Church. The service was under the leadership of Mrs. A. Dewar, 1st vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and Mrs. P. Staniforth, president of the Ladies' Union. Quite a large number of ladies attended the meeting.

The Farm Forums of Arundel district held a "500" party at Maplewood Inn recently. Cards were played at 15 tables and the serving of refreshments brought an enjoyable evening to a close.

Mrs. Melvin Cooke, Mrs. Edward Craig, Mrs. Kirby (of Weir) and Miss Mary Smith motored to Grenville to attend the meeting of the Argenteuil-Two Mountains Teachers' Association.

The fortnightly dance will be held as usual at Maplewood Inn on Saturday, March 11.

Mr. Earl Graham and Miss Lois Gordon spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mrs. E. A. Bulley spent part of last week in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Goron Tariton occupied their cottage at Barkmere over the week-end and had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. A. Leslie Roy, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dixon and family, of Dalesville, and Mr. W. Swail, of Ste. Rose, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. William Swail, Sr.

Housewives should realize that methods of foodhandling in the home frequently are just as deserving of criticism as those in restaurants. In the home or in the restaurant, sanitary work practices are important to health.

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An Active Week At Curling Club

During the past week there has been an elimination contest among the male curlers for entry in the Caledonia games, which take place in Montreal this Friday and Saturday. Teams from Hawkesbury Centre entered in this preliminary event numbered 16 — seven from Vankleek Hill, one from Montebello, four from Hawkesbury and four local.

The finals were played on Tuesday evening between D. McGibbon, G. Calder, G. Muir, D. McTavish (skip) and K. McGibbon, H. Morrison, L. Cruise, A. Ogilvie (skip), the former team taking the laurels with a substantial majority of points. Honorable mention should be made, however, of the fact that two Lachute teams played the finals for this district, and also that the locals are proud to have their rink participating in the games this week-end.

President R. Todd made the presentation of prizes (Ronson lighters) to each of the winners, while Vice-President James McGibbon gave each of the runners-up a cut-glass mug.

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Tonight, Thursday, the Junior and Senior Combination finals take place, R. Fraser vs. J. R. Charron and J. A. Menard vs. D. Hay.

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Already under way is the MacKimmie Memorial Trophy mixed competition, with the ladies as leads and thirds and the men as seconds and skips. There should be considerable excitement and keen competition in these games.

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At the Seigniory Club, in the MacRae Bonspiel last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Lachute was represented by L. Bedard, F. Legault, D. McTavish and G. Calder (skip), playing four games against High Park, Hawkesbury, Ottawa and Rideau. While winning only one game, Lachute came out on top with a high-plus and received consolation prizes.

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The seventh annual Mixed Bonspiel opens on Friday, March 10, at the Seigniory Club, each team consisting of two men and two ladies. Teams from here will comprise — Mr. and Mrs. R. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson (skip), also Mr. and Mrs. Ross Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGibbon (skip). At 11.30 a.m. Mrs. Richardson will meet Mrs. R. H. Arnell, of Toronto Granite, while Mrs. McGibbon will play against Mrs. T. G. Lowrey, of Ottawa, and at 8.30 p.m. Mrs. Richardson will oppose Mrs. H. H. Clarke, of St. George.

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Last Saturday's mixed 'spiel at the local club was quite successful, with all ladies' and gentlemen's teams playing each other, by way of a change. In the final games the men were not permitted to sweep, and on both occasions the ladies won. . . A good turn-out is hoped for, this Saturday.

A SHIPPING PROGRAM

It would behoove our shippers to take the lead in a program to have the docks here extended so that they can handle an increased volume of shipping and then see to it that the larger part is kept in use by a long-range program of advertising so that shippers in other parts of the world will come to know us.

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Ladies' Curling

Play was concluded Tuesday at the ladies' curling club for Mrs. Wilson's Prize — Mrs. D. McGibbon's team winning in the final round against Mrs. G. G. Mitchell. The rinks were composed of —

Winners — Mrs. G. Homel, Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. D. McGibbon (skip).

Runners-up — Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Geo. Muir, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell (skip).

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Games are now proceeding in the Skips and Thirds bonspiel for Mrs. J. R. McOuat's Prize.

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Gala Days — an event covering a two-day period this year — have been set for March 20 and 21. Tea will be served to all members on the latter day, and the season's trophies will be presented.

Win Finals and Trophy In Industrial League

The Industrial League finals ended in a clear-cut triumph for the Dominion Shuttle "Bears", winning their third game in a 3-out-of-5 final series against Ayers Ltd. Tigers last Sunday at the Arena. The count in this final series was 3 games to 1 for the Bears, who thus claimed from Ayers "Tigers", last year's champions, the annual Ayers trophy.

On conclusion of the deciding game (in which the score was equally decisive, 6-2) — Marc Carrière, personnel manager of Ayers Limited, who has also served as president of the Ayers Industrial League this season, appeared on the ice to present the coveted trophy. Romeo Gauthier, captian of the Bears line-up, received the cup on behalf of his team, and the winners were boisterously applauded.

It was a fitting climax to the season's four-team schedule, in which the play-offs and finals had been keenly contested and enthusiastically followed by the fans.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dixon wish to thank the many friends and neighbors, also Lachute Fire Brigade, for their able efforts to subdue the fire in their property at Staynerville.

Hawkesb'y Meets Grenville In League Final Round, Starting Tonight at Arena

BROWNSBURG AND LACHUTE ELIMINATED FROM RACE

AT THE ARENA
By John H. Dunne

Hawkesbury edged out the Lachute line-up, well after midnight last Thursday, with a count of 3-2. It could be a long story, but suffice to say — they won. The locals once again found out that six players on the ice over a period of 60 minutes generally can defeat a club that ices five men over a prolonged period. The league leaders deserved their win. It would have been much larger if Red Martin, Jacques Haspeck, Ken Entwistle and Jean Lys Millette had not played their hearts out, intent that Lachute should stay in the race. These four players gave everything, but it was not enough to make up for deficiencies of the rest of the club — some who had played and the balance who did not turn up. The Ontario team were content that they had eliminated Lachute from the play-ooffs. This is the first time since joining the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League that they enter the finals As our English cousins would say, "Give me the thoroughbred that is good over the long pull".

Grenville defeated Brownsburg 3-2 in another very close struggle on Saturday, and eliminated last season's cup-holders from the championship. This game was not so tense as the Hawkesbury - Lachute contest, but it took 58 minutes of hockey before the issue was practically settled. In this observer's opinion the Grenville club deserved the laurels. You cannot mould a hockey club in the play-offs. Ronald Hebert of the Brownsburg line-up — and this player practically alone — kept the 'Burgers in the chase for the finals. Brownsburg, like Lachute, although both played gamely, did not have the necessary when the chips were down.

Hawkesbury vs. Grenville
(4-in-7 Finals)

MARCH 9 — THURSDAY
MARCH 11 — SATURDAY
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The Gaston Millette benefit carnival, to be held on Friday evening, March 17, will feature general skating, a junior ice hockey game and a broom-ball contest. It should be a good evening's entertainment. You can skate, see hockey, and skate again.

Program

7-8 p.m. General Skating.
8.15-9.15 p.m. Ice Hockey (Lachute Jrs. vs. College St. Viateur)
9.15-10.15 p.m. General Skating
10.15-11 p.m. Broomball Hockey ("Dow", Raymond Laurin, capt. vs. "Laurentien", Cl. Lafortune, capt.)

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There will also be junior hockey and general skating tomorrow night (Friday). Skating will be from 6.45 p.m. to 8.45 p.m., with the hockey game starting at 9 p.m.

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Due to the keen interest among members of the Lachute United Church bowling league, the regular season has been extended three additional weeks. After this extension, the first eight teams in the league standing will enter the play-offs for the championship.

The games this week were closely contested — four out of eight games being decided by a single ball. Three six-enders were witnessed and one fiver during the evening's play — which is unusually high.

At the close of the evening, the ladies of the league were guests of the "better-half" section of the league, and due to the hearty appetites of the former, and the good planning of the latter, not a crumb remained in the kitchen after the affair. A vote of thanks was extended to the caterers for their delightful refreshments.

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Discretion of Cinema Censors on 'Obscene and Immoral' Literature

"The Week at Quebec"

By Bernard Dufresne, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Quebec, March 14 (CP) — With 10 weeks to go before a Liberal convention to choose a provincial Liberal party leader, there was little speculation in political circles here this week on possible candidates for the job.

Candidates expected to make their bid for the post at the convention here May 19-20 could be counted on the fingers of one hand with members of the Provincial Legislature or of the Parliament the key figures.

The little talk there was, seemed to centre on two members of the legislature. George Marler, interim chieftain of the eight-member Liberal opposition in the 92-seat legislature was given the most serious consideration.

Mr. Marler, a Montreal notary sitting for Westmount-St. George, was chosen temporary party leader when Senator Adelard Godbout resigned after appointment to the Canadian Senate.

Lionel Ross (Liberal—Montreal-Verdun), one of the chief spokesmen for the party in the legislature, is also reported a possible candidate.

Announcement that all Quebec Liberal members of Parliament would attend the convention led to reports that possibly some of them may seek the Quebec leadership.

The name of G. E. Lapalme (L—Joliette-L'Assomption) has been mentioned repeatedly in connection with the post. More recently the name of Wilfrid Lacroix (L — Quebec-Montmorency) has been mentioned as a dark horse candidate, but his candidacy was considered "highly improbable" locally.

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Spencerwood, residence of Quebec's Lieutenant-Governor, will soon change its name to Bois de Coulogne.

A bill making the change was approved without opposition in the provincial legislature last week. The bill now awaits sanction of the legislative council and royal assent to become law.

The estate in suburban Sillery overlooking the St. Lawrence River was named after Spencer Percival, a former Prime minister of Great Britain. The residence is situated near the centre of the Chatellenie de Coulogne, a fief dating back to French colonial days.

In approving the Union Nationale government bill, Liberal opposition Leader Marler said that it was perfectly normal that in a province where the majority is French-speaking that the residence of the Lieutenant-Governor should have a French name.

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The Provincial government this week was all but set to wage war on obscene and immoral literature. A bill passed by the Provincial Legislative last week now awaits ratification by the Legislative Council and proclamation by an order-in-council of the provincial cabinet to become law.

The Liberal opposition in the Legislature approved in principle the legislation which provides that the attorney-general of the province may submit any "illustration" to the Quebec board of cinema censors to be decided whether it is immoral or not.

Premier Duplessis told the legislature the word "illustration" meant anything expressed in words, drawings or photographs.

The law will apply to all publications except newspapers and religious publications and decisions of the board of cinema censors will be final. Magistrates' orders of seizure will follow decisions of the board whenever necessary.

A clause in the law will allow any police officer to seize with or without warrant all pubications banned because they contain immoral illustrations.

The price of beef in Ottawa, at 79 cents a pound, is at its highest since 1925. Despite the reduced food contracts with Britain, domestic and American demand appear sufficiently high to make the production of at least some agricultural commodities quite profitable.

— Ottawa Citizen

Reviews Progress Of Rotary Movement

AS BROWNSBURG CLUB JOINS IN CELEBRATION OF ANNIVERSARY

Brownsburg was linked with 7,000 other cites and towns in 82 countries of the world as the local Rotary Club celebrated the 45th anniversary of the founding of the international movement. The local members observed the anniversary of this world-wide fellowship at one of their recent meetings.

Tracing the growth of the organization, Harold Barrie, vice-president of Brownsburg Rotary, said:

"The first Rotary Club was organized in Chicago, Ill., on February 23, 1905, by Paul P. Harris, a young lawyer, who suggested the idea to a group of his friends. It was called the Rotary Club, because the first meetings were held in rotation in the offices of the members.

"For more than four decades, Rotary has continued to grow in numbers and strength. In the last seven months, for example, 132 new Rotary Clubs were organized in Argentina, Finland, South Africa — in 27 different countries. Today, Rotary is a world-wide fellowship of some 334,000 business and professional executives who are members of more than 7,000 Rotary Clubs located in 82 countries".

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MUSIC ENDS DEBT

Hagersville Citizens Band made the round of the business section last Thursday night. Donations received enabled them to pay off the balance of a debt incurred when they purchased new uniforms.

— Hagersville (Ont.) Press

Business Before Central Board

The regular meeting of the Central School Board was held in Lachute High School on Monday, with Mr. W. M. Cottingham in the chair.

Among the items of business, it was reported that the rural elementary school at Weir had been closed and the children were being conveyed to the new school at Arundel. Although that school was not quite complete, two classrooms had been put into service. The young children who had been attending classes in the basement of the United Church moved to their new quarters about two weeks ago. In closing the school at Weir, Mrs. Kirby, the teacher, was also transferred to Arundel to augment that staff.

The Board discussed the purchase of additional buses. A letter from Quebec was presented offering a grant towards the cost of two vehicles. It was decided to invite tenders for this equipment immediately.

A letter from the Department approving the plans for the proposed new school at Morin Heights, was also presented. This school is to consist of six classrooms, a gymnasium, a lunch-room and kitchen, a library, principal's room and teachers' room. It is expected that tenders for this construction will be advertised within a very short time. The Board is anxious for the work to proceed as soon as possible in the hope that the building may be ready for use next fall.

Some discussion took place regarding the engagement of teaching staffs for the coming year. It was decided to proceed with this matter at once.

Bills totalling over $83,000 were approved for payment.

Red Cross Acquires Another Hospital Bed

Following increased demands for the loan of hospital beds in cases of sickness, the Lachute Red Cross at its last meeting voted to purchase an additional bed for use in the community. The branch has since taken delivery, and is now maintaining a total of seven hospital beds in its loan equipment.

Brownsburg K. of C. Presents Cheque for Parish Church Enlargement



Formal presentation of a cheque to the Rev. Father V. Bouchard, Brownsburg pastor — the proceeds of a "bingo" organized by the Knights of Columbus recently to aid in the enlargement of the parish church. . . Left to right: Roger Raymond, treasurer; A. J. Brunelle, Grand Knight; Rev. Father Bouchard; J. D. Lepine, chancellor.

The bingo, which drew an attendance of about 1,750 people from Brownsburg, Lachute and surrounding district, netted proceeds of over $1,600.

The Red Cross Seen in Action

EVIDENCE OF HUMANITARIAN AID AFTER RECENT FIRE

Vivid testimony to the work of the Canadian Red Cross in such emergecies as arise in the daily experience of community life, is given in this account by a St. Andrews resident, which is quoted verbatim:

Following the disastrous fire at St. Andrews East on Tuesday evening, March 7, in which three houses were destroyed and another damaged — although the Society was not notified till after 10 a.m. Friday, 10th inst., they had blankets, sheets and pillow-slips on the 5.10 train and delivered to the needy family by 7.30 p.m.

Four hours after notification they had instructed their representative at St. Andrews East to outfit the family at a local store and send the account to the Red Cross for payment. . .

A fine example of Christian and humanitarian practice, together with splendid efficiency.

"Two Toe" Wolf Bites the Dust

An old-stager in the Hill Head district — "Two Toe", the she-wolf — met up with a 30-30 bullet Monday morning; and Lloyd Hume was down here Tuesday with the 37-lb carcass.

With two claws missing from a front paw, this animal is known, by its tracks, to have been in the district for the past eight years. But local farmers always thought the tracks were those of a fox.

Lloyd Hume sets bait for such marauders as these, for there has been evidence they have killed a number of deer in the district this winter. . . At an early hour Monday morning he directed his flashlight from the window of his room and vaguely discerned three animals around the horse-flesh bait. From their size, he concluded these were not foxes but wolves.

Daylight broke, and when he unlatched the doors and went outside, there were two wolves still in sight; but the noise scared them away, and only one remained in range as he levelled his rifle. . . It was "Two Toe"; and her long career in the hilly countryside ended with the crack of a rifle-shot.

McTavish Rink Triumphs Again

Honors again came to Lachute Curling Club when Messrs. D. McGibbon, G. Calder, G. Muir and D. McTavish brought back the St. Lawrence Trophy which they won during the Caledonia games.

At the start of the Caledonia contest there were some 400 rinks from the various districts entered, and these all took part in the process of elimination. Over 100 rinks from Montreal district played, until the final rounds had been cut down to 18, which included the Lachute team.

The main event was captured by a rink from Utica, N.Y., this being the first time that an American team had ever won the coveted trophy. Their opponents were Three Rivers, and the score 17 to 5.

In the consolation game the Lachute quartet were up against Patterson's Royal Montrealers, and during the first six ends were trailing behind. However, the scene changed and before an extra end the score stood at 9-9. A one-point margin won them the game and the coveted trophy.

Previously, only pins had been awarded in this case, but in 1949, when surrendering their charter, the St. Lawrence Curling Club made a presentation of this trophy to the Canadian Branch of the Royal Canadian Curling Club — and to hold it in possession of the Lachute Club for the coming year, is something to be proud of.

(Local curling on page 8.)

School-Girl in Bus Mishap

Mary Ruth MacKimmie, 14-year-old High School pupil, had a nerve-wracking experience Friday afternoon outside the school. Walking homeward on Court Street, she was knocked down by a heavy school bus, which dragged her for some distance then passed completely over her. School-mates who witnessed the accident claim that her escape was miraculous; lying between the wheels of the vehicle, she suffered only bruises and scratches, besides a considerable shaking up.

Thos. Morrow, the driver, had taken on his load of youngsters for Brownsburg and Dalesville, and was backing his vehicle to pass another bus. The girl was struck unawares by the rear of the bus, and Morrow failed to hear the cries of other youngsters, who saw her being dragged underneath on the snow.

Mary Ruth, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, are at present in Florida, was taken immediately for medical examination, but was found to be little the worse for her experience.

On the basis of Government records and American Can Company statistics on can production, the consumption of canned foods in Canada during the past 25 years has increased about 23 times faster than the country's population.

Government Grader Levels Ruts and Ridges

Winter will linger well in the lap of spring, which officially starts Monday, March 21. However, indications of the approaching season are in progressive evidence with warmer temperatures, longer days and gently receding snowpiles.

The springtime discomforts of streets and sidewalks are yet to be endured — with ice, slush and water combining to inconvenience both motorists and pedestrians.

A government grader has been put to service this week levelling ruts and ridges on the main thoroughfares of Lachute, thus remedying one of the season's more recent hazards to street travel.

St. Patrick's Day — March 17

"The Call of Old Ireland"

When I sit and dream of Ireland, years and ages roll away,
And again I see the heather on the hills about Lough Tay.
I tread the winding pathway, to the upland farm once more,
And I see the turf piled high about the cabin as of yore.

Oh, to hear the pipes a-calling, across Avoca's dells,
Or pause at dawn to th' pealing of far St. Kevin's bells,
To see the mists a-rising o'er mountain gap and lea,
Where the vanished town of Bannow once smiled there by the sea.

Comes again the rippling music of the waves upon the shore,
And Kylemore Abbey's beauty, backed by hills I see once more,
Where ancient Lismore Castle, through the ages stands serene
By the famous river waters on the sward of emerald green.

To climb once more the slane hill where St. Patrick, long ago,
Taught the pagan Irish chieftains the mystic trinity to know. . .
So this "seventeenth" I'll wander, far across the Irish main,
And I'll wear a sprig of shamrock for St. Patrick once again.

Weir, Que. — Sarah Beaven Bennett

School Pupils See Shakespeare Film

About 200 children from Lachute High School witnessed the showing of "Henry V", the English film produced from Shakespeare's historic romance, at a supervised matinee Wednesday afternoon in the Rio Theatre. The pupils were from Grades VII and up. Among the audience were about 40 pupils who also attended from Hawkesbury High School.

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In the present concern for the choice of a Canadian flag, one authority on the subject, C. G. A. Henstridge, makes an interesting observation on this film picture. . . There is a fact about the Fleur-de-Lis which few Canadians know or realize (writes Mr. Henstridge). One of the most graceful figures in heraldry, it was originally the bearing of the Bourbons of France. It was added to the three Lions on the English Coat-of-Arms by Edward III in the year 1320 — and that is why some who have viewed the recent picture "Henry V" may have been confused to see the English as well as the French warriors all wearing the Fleur-de-Lis on their armour at the Battle of Agincourt which took place in 1415.

Teamsters View Film of Sleigh-Ride

On Monday evening at Ste. Anastasie hall, in the basement of the parish church, the recent sleigh-drive sponsored by "Les Loisirs" was portrayed in film, and a gathering of 250 — including the teamsters and all who had assisted in this big entertainment project — had an over-all view of the event.

It is recalled there were over 1,000 local youngsters and 30 sleigh teams taking part in this Sunday afternoon outing, which is now an annual affair in the program of Les Loisirs. Seven hundred feet of color film was taken, and the youngsters' keen enjoyment of the afternoon was vividly depicted in these scenes.

President Gaetan Cousineau again thanked those who had given their assistance, and bespoke their co-operation in another such venture next year.

Debate on Tax Rate Increase at Brownsburg; Levy Remains $1.05

Saturday Early Closing Another Hot Issue

(By Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg—At a recent meeting of the Brownsburg Village Corporation Councillor N. Somers strongly advocated increasing the tax rate from $1.05 to $1.20, and in support of his proposal gave as his reason — that an opportunity be given the council of improving the waterworks system. . .

The present water line is in urgent need of repair from the intake to the reservoir. This line is of cement pipes, which were inadequately covered when originally installed and have since been repaired at a number of points. The intake is also in need of reconstruction, and now is the acceptable time, when labor is available and it is the duty of the council to assist in absorbing it. The reservoir has also reached the limit of its capacity and within a short space of time will need to be enlarged. . . The advance of 15 cents in the $100 would produce $3,000, which was, after all, a small reserve for such an ambitious project. . . The line along St. Joseph's, which was the subject of a series of talks last year, had also to be taken care of, and by budgeting for this expenditure it would be possible to avoid interest, bonding, finance and legal charges which went with borrowing, as Brownsburg has been doing in the past.

Councillor Somers was of the opinion we were "getting into a blind alley" when work of this kind needed to be done, and it was a wasteful method of financing when we resort to borrowing.

Councillor Denault pointed out that $9,000 was available from surplus and a credit balance of $3,000 was budgeted for. This should be sufficient.

The Mayor, Mr. Donaldson, was of the opinion that a bush-lot should be purchased to take care of the unemployed, and although it might not show a profit, it would help in absorbing those in quest of work.

Councillor Wilson agreed with Councillor Denault that $12,000 was sufficient to meet the emergency if such existed; he was surprised that some of the neighboring councils ran their business on a smaller rate than did Brownsburg.

The Mayor observed that these projects were self-supporting and that any new extensions would be the charge of the people to whom the service was granted.

Councillor Somers replied that the council objects to spreading the cost on all the people; yet when money is borrowed for these works — who pays but all the people? He could promise that the engineering costs and problems would be taken care of without one cent cost to the council, and he asked for this balance, representing as he does, the largest taxpayer in the municipality. He was interested in taking care of our people who may need work, and now was the time to do it. If the other councillors were afraid of a squawk because of increased tax-rate, "what about the squawk when you have to borrow again, to the extent of $20,000 or so?"

The Mayor contended that people did not feel the same about borrowing as they would about an increase in taxation.

Councillor Wilson felt it was not a good time, as there was an

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Parents' Day at Grenville School

(Our District Correspondent)

Calumet—Grenville Consolidated School held a Parents' Day on Friday, March 10. Many improvements have been made this year, and four new classrooms added. The many parents who visited the school that day were favorably impressed. They visited all the classes while the pupils were at work, then with the staff and pupils adjourned to the assembly hall, where the principal, Mr. McGerrigle, showed motion pictures. Later, the parents were served afternoon tea by the staff in the new dining hall, and a pleasurable afternoon was brought to a close. . . Congratulations are extended to Mr. McGerrigle and his teachers on their excellent work.

Fashion Show At Legion Hall

A good co-operative effort produced something new in the way of entertainment at the Legion Memorial Hall last evening, when the new Auxiliary Branch staged a ladies' and children's fashion show. The event drew a capacity crowd, and won highly favorable comment. The attractive new hall was decorated with standards of flowers and soft music provided a background to the proceedings.

Children's wear was successfully modeled by a number of tots and young folk, and Mrs. Gordon Tabrett gave comment on the various outfits. Most of this clothing was supplied by courtesy of Martha Shop, and Mademoiselle Store, Lachute.

John Assad, local clothier, gave an apt commentary on the ladies' garments—including formal wear, afternoon dresses, sports and outdoor clothing. These creations had been supplied by courtesy of numerous local stores — Fauteux Wool Shop, M. G. Assaly, Malacket Girl's Shop (Lachute), J. Malacket (Brownsburg), Miss Lacasse, John Assad, G. Greenspon & Son, Miss Plouffe, M. Rosenthal and Argenteuil Bazaar Store, Leger Hat Shop and H. M. Lavigne Regd.

Most of the shoes and footwear were supplied by courtesy of Bedard Shoe Shop.

Modern jewelry — watches, bracelets, earrings, necklaces and costume pieces — were shown by courtesy of two local jewellers, J. U. Nadon and F. E. Earle.

Hair-styles were featured by co-operation of the Leger, Antoinette and Yvonne beauty salons, and cosmetics by Harriet Hubbard Ayer from Beaton's Pharmacy.

The finale, representing a wedding group with bride, three attendants and a flower girl, provided a charming climax to this well aranged program. Creations for this scene were furnished by Malacket's Girl's Shop.

Many hands contributed to the success of this show, which was the first public venture undertaken by the Ladies' Auxiliary. . Flowers were loaned by A. Ogilvie & Son, and music and lighting effects by Prégent Electric, while the public address system was installed by Hammond Radio Shop. Jacques Theoret took photographs of the more outstanding presentations. Carpets were supplied by F. Lagarde.

The models displayed poise, composure and personal charm, and all were warmly applauded. Those serving in these roles were — Misses Marilyn Armstrong, Norma Assaly, Willa Murdoch, Blanche Black, Mesdames D. Schwartz, H. Montgomery, A. Towell, Jas. Duncan, M. Fox, G. Tabrett and B. Bradford.

Miss H. Driver was in charge of cosmetics and make up.

As will be noted, full support to this undertaking was given by business firms in Lachute and Brownsburg, to whom the thanks of the Auxiliary are sincerely expressed. As a first effort, the ladies are well satisfied, and trust that all who helped in donations have been duly mentioned. The Ladies' Auxiliary are now planning to have another fashion show in the fall.

Ontario to Spend $525,000,000 on Five-Year Road Plan, Build Four-Lane Windsor to Cornwall Highway



Plans for completion of a four-lane highway from Windsor to the Quebec border are contained in the Ontario government's $525,000,000 five-year road-building plan. Part is already built, and right-of-way will be obtained for the rest. Northern Ontario has had $34,500,000 appropriated for roads.

Gatineau LINES

A Waning Winter

In our Canadian climate, it is always a bit dangerous to talk too soon about winter's end — so let's just say that at least the end is closer than it was a month ago. Old Man Winter may still have a bite or two left, but it can't be long before spring is here to stay.

The winter that is passing has been a fairly good one as far as the maintenance of electric lines is concerned. True, it had its bad moments—notably the few days in mid-January when exceptionally high winds played complete havoc with lines and set repair crews working around the clock in different conditions — but in general the elements were comparatively kind to us.

One rather unusual circumstance turned out to be a disadvantage, however. For the greater part of the winter, (although things changed in March) roads were comparatively clear—a circumstance which helped us in one way but caused trouble in another.

Clear roads, of course, are quite a help in reaching the scene of the trouble when a power break occurs. As a result of clear roads, our crews were able to make repairs faster than would ordinarily have been the case if roads had been blocked with snow. On the other hand, clear roads were icy roads — and icy roads meant higher automobile accident rates. And higher accident rates meant more power interruptions due to cars and trucks smashing out of control into power poles.

In fact, looking back now, we can see that the great majority of our repair trips during the passing winter resulted from cars or trucks smashing into our poles. Accidents like that wreck poles, break insulators and snap wires, which cause power blackouts, sometimes far removed from the scene of the crash, but there is little the power company can do except repair the damages as quickly as possible when they occur.

And at least, those same snow-clear roads which were responsible for the power break in the first place, usually enabled the repair crews to get to the spot quickly and restore service.

Did You Know?
That this winter, Gatineau Power used airplane patrols to supplement its ground patrols along main power lines.

Gatineau Power Company

Seasonal Farm Topics



Says Displaced Persons Leaving Farms

Displaced persons who came to Canada from concentration camps of Europe failed to solve the problem of agricultural labor, W. J. Major, Liberal member for Glengarry, told the Commons last week.

Experience of farmers in Glengarry and other parts of Eastern Ontario who had hired these men, he said, was that long before their year's contract was up they had arranged for other employment at shorter hours and higher take-home pay.

Mr. Major was elected in Glengarry after the retirement of former Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

Fit Harness And Help Horse

It is high time to check up on the harness and see that it is in good condition for the spring work.

It should be washed, oiled and mended. But there is more to handling harness than repairing it; its proper use is necessary to get the most out of it, and out of the horse. A collar should not be so small as to throttle the horse, nor so large as to put too much strain on any part of the shoulder. A properly adjusted collar distributes evenly the weight of the pull on the shoulders.

An ill-fitting collar can do more damage to a horse during the first few days of strenuous spring work than almost any other thing, as it can cause shoulders to scald and blister. It is a good plan to give the horse an occasional rest and to lift the collar forward somewhat so as to give the sholders a chance to cool and dry off.

Bring no outside animals onto the premises for breeding purposes without knowledge of their breeding history and that of the herds from which they come.

Screw-Worm Infection In Cattle and Sheep

Screw worm infection in cattle and sheep has been traced to a number of common flies, particularly the black blow-fly. According to the U.S. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, 1949 was the worst year in the history of that insect in the southwestern states.

The infection, which occasionally occurs in man, develops when the adult blow-fly lays its eggs in wounds on animals. If untreated, more eggs are laid and overwhelming numbers of screw worms develop, which may eventually destroy the animal. Mild winters allow adult flies to survive far north of their usual habitat, and thus enable them to attack susceptible animals immediately on the return of warm weather.

Claiming that screw worm infection is becoming increasingly prevalent in western Canada, J. A. Oakley, entomologist of the agricultural chemicals division of Canadian Industries Limited, suggests that certain precautions be taken to prevent the infection from spreading.

Dead carcasses should be burned to prevent contact between flies and dead flesh. It this is impossible, the carrion should be sprinkled with quicklime and buried. Blow-flies should be destroyed by use of insecticides. Since warble flies cause the formation of cysts which attract blow-flies, these insects too shold be subjected to strict control.

Further to reduce chance of infestation by blow-flies, Mr. Oakley said, wounds acquired by livestock from goring, bramble patches, barbed wire fences, branding or dehorning operations should be treated promptly.

CROP FAILURE PAYMENTS

Edmonton (CP) — Payments to Alberta farmers for crop failures under the federal Prairie Farm Assistance Act have reached a record high of $4,500,000. At the end of February payments had been made to 20,848 farmers who had crop failures in 1949.

A helicopter was used to herd elk back into their Riding Mountain park home. Shades of the farm boy with the cattle-wise pony! Now he'll dream of a helicopter to bring the milk cows from the far pasture.

— Dauphin (Man.) Herald

Money to Make Money

Long Term Loans for Farmers

The Bank of Montreal is solidly supporting the Federal Government's Farm Improvement plan, and is making long-term, low-cost loans to improve Canadian farms and help increase farm profits. New ploughs, tractors, machinery of all sorts, even new houses, come within the scope of the plan.

The bank's small interest charge is the only cost, and the terms of repayment may be extended over lengthy periods and adapted to the circumstances of each individual.

Discuss you plans for farm improvement in confidence with Mr. D. M. Hay, manager of the Bank of Montreal. He will appreciate the opportunity of doing business with you.

World Plant Catalogue in the Making



Plant breeders now can learn about any variety of wheat or rice through the World Catalogue of Genetic Stocks, developed by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), at Washington. The Catalogue, set up to aid breeders develop new varieties of plants, consists of information stored on punched cards, from which data can be furnished to growers. Here FAO staff members inspect machine which handles the cards of the Catalogue.

"Family Herald" Still Leads the Field

The Family Herald and Weekly Star, for so many years a household word in Canadian rural homes, has increased its circulation to well over 400,000 copies each week, and now far outstrips its competitors as Canada's leading rural magazine.

An encyclopedia in itself, its various departments provide interest for every member of the family. The agricultural section contains information on every farm operation or problem, from veterinary diagnoses to painting the barn. News of shows and meetings across the country bring knowledge to all farmers of new trends in their industry.

Special sections cover the activities of the younger generation. The Maple Leaf Club, the Children's Page, the page which is "Just for Girls" are read with keen interest by young people.

"Home and Fireside", "The Quiet Hour" page, and the beloved "Old Favorites" songs are enjoyed by the whole family; there are pages designed for Mother, which specialize in recipes for good things to eat, and needlework and patterns.

Informative articles are printed on a host of other subjects, including "The Family Doctor" and Dorothy Dix.

PLEA FOR KINDNESS IN SLAUGHTER HOUSE

Amersham, England (CP) — A plea not to be cruel to pigs, was made to Amersham district council by Councillor T. B. Hart.

He asked for an assurance that animals were not slaughtered in front of each other, suggesting that " for one animal to watch while another was killed, was very cruel."

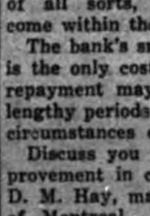
F. G. Caudery, local sanitary inspector, replied that one pig did not see the slaughter of another.



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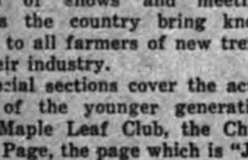
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Rotary Anniversary

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In commenting on the program of Rotary, Vice-President H. Barrie said: "Rotary activities throughout the world are based on the same general objectives — the development of fellowship among business and professional men, the betterment of communities, the promotion of high standards in businesses and professions, and the advancement of international understanding, good will and peace.

Rotary Fellowships enable outstanding graduate students to live and study for one year in a country other than their own as ambassadors of good will", he explained. "To make these awards possible, Rotary Clubs throughout the world are contributing to the Rotary Foundation fund, which is now in excess of two million dollars.

"The program is in its third year and 111 fellowships have been awarded to students from 26 countries. The Rotary Foundation Fellowships are not the only work of the Rotary Foundation, Vice-President Barrie pointed out. Approximately 12,000 packages of food and clothing have been sent overseas, families have been reunited, prisoners of war have been aided, and many other relief activities have been carried on through the Rotary Foundation fund.

Mr. Barry was presented to his listeners by Rotarian Keith Rutherford, and on conclusion of his talk was thanked by Rotarian Russ Graham.

Coal deposits discovered in the Garo Hills in Assam, India, are high in sulphur content.

DEER GET PICNIC

Campbell River, B.C. (CP)—Deep snows haven't troubled deer at Elk Falls Park near here. Game warden Rex Hayes and business man Walter McRae have been collecting food and placing it on picnic tables in the park. The deer are summoned to the banquet by blasts on a truck horn.

CHEERFUL PROSPECT

Manitoba is preparing to adopt permanent license plates for automobiles. The average motorist will certainly cheer.

— Altona (Man. Echo

In Italy the women use their bare feet to tramp on grapes and bring out the juice for wine-making.

"The Wee Nursery"

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Tribute to the Red Cross

AS IF in timely evidence of its purposes, the Canadian Red Cross, working through its local representative and Montreal headquarters, came to the aid of local fire victims last week. Bringing assistance in such practical terms as blankets, bedding and clothes — imperative items to a fire-stricken family in Quebec wintertime — the organization responded promptly and efficiently. . . . The story is told in a front page report this week.

This evidence should give impetus to the local campaign for funds, now underway, as part of the $5,000,000 national appeal. It illustrates how the Red Cross is a working factor, reaching out to emergencies in small and unimportant places. It operates with commendable efficiency, in big cities and in mining settlements, wherever the need arises. Thus it is not an enterprise of remote concern on Main Street and the rural route. It is very much on-the-spot, when citizens meet misfortune in just such places as these.

Sidelight of the Five-Day Week

HIGH on the list of modern life's ironies is the Saturday lot of the city housewife.

The little woman, it now appears, is to be pitied for having thought the millenium would begin with the inauguration of the shorter work week. At that moment "let George do it" took on an altogether fresh meaning for her as she visualized the Saturday morning jobs melting before her husband's muscular prowess. . . The five-day week was decked with rainbows and festooned with promise. But fulfilment — a different matter.

From the outset George shared his wife's enthusiasm for a co-operative attack on household jobs. Here at last was the chance to give the little woman some real help and relieve her of the tedium of Saturday tasks. And at the same time he could put to proof his long-contended opinion that doing housework was just another case for efficient organization.

On the first free Saturday George was up bright and early. The piano was moved into the back room, the stuff in the basement was rearranged with an eye to being streamlined and functional. Plans were laid for building additional kitchen cupboards. For a month or so succeeding week-ends were a repetition of the first.

Then George began to fall from grace; gradually, mind you, and unintentionally. Bed became progressively more comfortable; a pipe, the morning paper and an armchair more attractive. The climax came. "George! Can't you get your great carcass out of my way — you're always under my feet."

So George became enrolled in the rapidly-growing army of male Saturday shoppers. And you can take it from the little woman and the grocer, George and his friends in the corner groceteria are a riot.

It is not that George doesn't try. It's just a straight case of bewilderment. Initiation into the mysteries of the meat counter has opened unlimited possibilities for error. Three-pound steaks can last endlessly, and unsliced bacon is the housewife's nightmare. Wing roasts, blade roasts, rib roasts — what's the difference? George is more intelligible on the subject of the British election than on the choice of meat for next week's meals.

Much has been committed in the name of progress. But whether masculine mastery of the art of shopping was an object of the five-day week is a debatable question.

Girdles Against Tractor Jolts

A MAN who has treated a lot of aching backs on the farm has come up with advice for the man in overalls — put on a girdle! (writes Harman W. Nichols for United Press).

Dr. L. T. Fruin, who patches up backs and busted collarbones in Normal, Illinois, theorizes that the farmer isn't physically able to keep pace with the speedy vehicles science has provided for him.

He said as much the other day in a speech before the farmers' adult education class. . . Dr. Fruin started out with a lot of professional double-talk about "those of us who see farmers rather frequently in a professional capacity are struck with the multiplicity of complaints and definite lesions which we have felt were traceable directly to the violent shaking up that a farmer gets riding high speed tractors over rough ground."

Later he got down to earth, or almost.

The tractor and other mechanized farm implements, the doctor finds, give a man a heck of a going-over because of the "thudding, jarring action imparted to them by the seats of their tractors in fast activity over irregular ground". The physician was aware that among truck drivers, motorcyclists, aviators and racing automobile drivers some rather "amateurish and feeble" remedies have been tried. Like costly shock absorbent seats. "These", he said, "alter the timing and rhythm, but don't absorb the shock. What's wrong with an old-fashioned girdle — not a two-way stretch thing, but one that a man could lace up and tuck himself into?"

Dr. Fruin concluded that things like the kidneys and liver often are jarred from their mooring inside us by "constant jarring, and jolting upon the stomach and intestines".

Social Security

IN VIEW of the universal demand for social security, claims the Huron, Ont., Expositor, the line between state paternalism and no more than proper supervision of individual activity and rights is not clearly delineated. "Seeing that personal incentive is essential to the best work, the best that any government can do is to keep up an even balance between state supervision, and the due and proper protection of individual rights, and between permitting free enterprise to flourish and the incentive motive to have full play."

THE CURRENT issue of "Printed Word" draws attention to what may be a general misconception of terms. A newspaper (it remarks) states that a certain amount of money spent by a school board was a grant from the province and the rest was raised "by taxation". . . But where did the province get the money to make the grant?

SOME Scotsmen recently shipped a haggis abroad to friends, and the Egyptian Food Ministry seized and held it to determine whether it is "food fit for human consumption". Of course to any Scotsman, this is something like a declaration of war. In its long martial history, Scotland has fought wars over smaller insults than that. The heather of Bannockburn, one imagines, is already aflame.

— Huron Expositor

FOR THE COMMON GOOD

When the people of a community decide to work together much can be accomplished for the good of that community. Let us show that we can make a success of any enterprise we decide to sponsor, just the same as other nearby towns have done.

— Huntingdon (Que.) Gleaner

A VALUABLE ORGANIZATION

We cannot over-emphasize the advantages offered to the youth of our region in becoming members of the Arvida Athletic and Recreation Association. Few cities can boast of possessing such a complete sports centre where membership can be obtained at such a low price.

— Arvida (Que.) Le Lingot

SHARE THE POWER

Farmers in the Humber Valley and at Cormack are again raising the question of rural electrification. We are still of the opinion that some move be made to provide farmers with a share of the abundant supply of electricity which is available in their areas.

— Corner Brook (Nfld.) Western Star

THE VOLUNTEER BRIGADE

Carrot River is fortunate in having an active local volunteer fire brigade that is interested in fire prevention and fire protection. These community-minded citizens have always responded quickly to any fire alarm during the last year.

— Carrot River (Sask.) Observer

THE COST OF SIZE

We wonder how many people realize that this town (of 4,500 persons) occupies an acreage more than one-sixth that of Ottawa before annexation of properties. Right here is where the high cost of improvements and maintenance begins.

—Carleton Place Canadian

Half the money Hitler spent on war would have provided every German family with a furnished home, a garden and a car.

Education Week and Parent-Teachers' Night

By M. V. Trayers

The theme of this year's Education Week was "Education — Everybody's Business". . On Friday night last, what has come to be known as "Parent - Teachers' Night" was celebrated at the English school building at Brownsburg. The chairman, Mr. M. P. Reilly, recapitulated a series of articles under the general heading of Education Week. Principal D. Staniforth said he favored calling a spade a spade. He touched on the question of school accommodation and the urgent need for extensions to the existing facilities. It is understood that sanction has been obtained from the Department of Education at Quebec to proceed with the erection of two extra classrooms, a gymnasium, and a refectory. The most obvious deficiency in the present institution is the heating system, or lack of one; the one at present in operation is in imminent danger of falling apart.

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Overcrowded and down-at-heel schools with inadequate facilities, while a serious and urgent problem, are not a problem incapable of solution. The present Quebec Government has put the question of educational institutions in the forefront of its legislative program, immense sums of money have been spent and granted for the construction of better buildings, and we in this County of Argenteuil are well aware of the generous treatment which we have received in this respect. A considerable mead of thanks may be due to our M.L.A., Mr. Cottingham, who has always been a "live wire" where educational matters are concerned, and we are pleased to acknowledge his interest and assistance. . However, the solution of school capacity is not the biggest question facing our educational authorities today, but the matter of teacher supply.

The shortage of trained teachers in 1948-49 was 7,039. This was the figure submitted last September to the annual meeting of the Canadian Education Association. To this total should be added the 3,584 teachers who are teaching without minimum qualifications. In April of last year nearly 22,000 pupils in two provinces alone were receiving their education by correspondence courses because of lack of teachers. And the situation threatens to become progressively worse.

More than 66,000 new teachers will be required to staff Canadian schools by 1955. But at the present rate of training only 30,000 will be available. In the 1948-49 period, a total of 214 schools closed their doors because there were no teachers to man them. So by building bigger and better schools if we do not solve the teacher problem, we shall only be building bigger and better White Elephants. Oh, yes! Education is everybody's business but not everybody wants to assume the burden of his full share in providing it. Parents today try to shift that burden at the first opportunity onto the shoulders of the teacher, but education is not found in the school alone, a more important education can be taught in the home, and this is a fact which parents must re-learn.

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A delightful buffet supper was served by the teachers at the conclusion of the business session, to whose generosity and service we are pleased to offer our thanks.

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A man severe he was, and stern to view,
I knew him well, and every truant knew;
Well had the boding tremblers learned to trace
The day's disasters in his morning face; . . .

In arguing, too, the parson owned his skill,
For even though vanquished he could argue still;
While words of learned length, and thundering sound,
Amazed the gazing rustics ranged around;
And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,
That one small head could carry all he knew.

The weeklies say . . .

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A COMMUNITY MEMORIAL

There is no better way our community can show gratitude to those who sacrificed their lives in the recent war than by erecting a Memorial Rink. The buildings themselves will be a testimony for years to come of the community spirit that made such projects possible.

— Carrot River (Sask.) Observer

THE HUMAN ASPECT

It is impossible for the human mind to grasp such values as hunger and suffering, or even beauty, from a statistical report. When it is made known that there are 400,000 out of work in Canada, back come the figures to show that this is only a small percentage of the employable whole.

— Gananoque (Ont.) Reporter

A UNIQUE PLAN

The finance committee of the Highwood Memorial Centre is starting a drive to collect 10,000 bushels of wheat from the district surrounding High River. This is to pay for costs incurred in order to complete the building and put it to use.

— High River (Alta.) Times

Ancient Town in Rural Britain



The Village of Abinger Hammer lies along the road between Dorking and Guildford in Surrey. Many travellers will remember the quaint little clock which projects over the roadway on entering the village. The clock, with a figure of a smith complete with hammer which strikes the hour, is the only reminder to the general public that in olden days the village had its own iron industry. Inscribed on the side of the clock is a motto for users of the road; it reads "By me you know how fast to go", which can easily be seen when entering the village. In a field nearby are the remains of a Roman villa and a path which leads to the loneliest memorial in Surrey. The memorial is that of William Wilberforce, who was known for his help in freeing the slaves.

A NEW GAME FISH

For the first time rainbow trout are being introduced into northern Manitoba lakes. Experts estimate it will be two years before the fish are mature enough to pass size limits, but they will not reach full size for 10 years.

— The Pas (Man.) Northern Mail

MISSING A MARKET

Costs and shortage of help on the farm are probably the reason that many eastern Ontario farmers no longer grow potatoes in commercial quantities, but with a market right at their door it seems strange that they pass it up.

— Pembroke (Ont.) Bulletin

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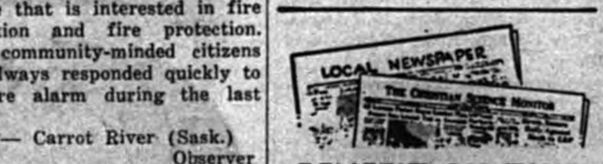


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Brownsburg

Mrs. C. Caldecoat, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Murdoch.

Mrs. James Heatlie is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Mason.

Mr. Wm. Petley and Master Wayne Petley spent the week-end with relatives in Montreal.

A beautiful bouquet of flowers at the United Church last Sunday morning was in memory of the late Mrs. R. Gilmour's birthday, placed there by her family.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brownsburg Legion No. 71 held their March meeting in the Social Club on Friday evening last. Final plans were made for the supper they are sponsoring, which will be held in the United Church on Thursday, March 23.

A taffy party by the senior classes of the Sunday School is to take place this Friday evening at the United Church hall, under the leadership of Mrs. H. Elliott and Mrs. I. Bain.

The Mission Circle of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church held their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Hector Mason on Tuesday afternoon; Mrs. J. G. Duncan gave the topic, "Mission Work in the Maritimes".

The St. Patrick's salad-tea, under auspices of the United Church Woman's Missionary Auxiliary this Friday afternoon, promises to be an interesting affair. A special committee is in charge of the decorating.

The March meeting of the Local Association of the Girl Guides and Brownies was held in the school on Wednesday evening, Mrs. A. Stewart presiding. Plans were made to attend the annual Provincial meeting, which will be held in Montreal on March 27. The Association are sponsoring a moving picture in the Capitol Theatre on April 12; proceeds from this will be used in Guide and Brownie work. Tickets will be on sale next week. — Please help this worthy cause.

Embezzlers have been found to have the highest intelligence of any class of criminals.

Calumet

Miss Muriel Whinfield, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Whinfield.

Miss Elsie Graham, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson, of L'Orignal, Ont., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Harries.

Mr. and Mrs. H. White and Miss E. White, of "Whiteacres", were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. White.

Mrs. R. Harrison, of Chalk River, Ont., spent a week here as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon.

Mrs. Stanley Irving, of St. Lambert, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Foreman.

Grenville

Miss Eleanor Owens, of Ottawa, was the week-end guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

Mrs. E. O. Bennett, of Ottawa, has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens for a few days.

Mrs. John Oakman and little daughter, Linda, are spending this week visiting in Montreal.

Mrs. John Welden, who has been spending the winter with her daughters in Windsor, Ont., has now returned home.

Friends of Mr. Richard Garland, who has been quite ill, are pleased to see him up and around again.

The Rev. P. R. Stote spent Tuesday in Montreal.

Mr. Gordon Moncrieff, employed with the Northern Electric Co. in Montreal, has been transferred to Moncton, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brazeau, of Dorval, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Miss Merle Gauley, of Leonard, Ont., spent the week-end with her parents.

Passing through the Panama Canal from Atlantic to the Pacific, one travels from west to east.

Bell Falls

The Misses Isabel and Edythe McCallum, of Gatineau Mills, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. McCallum.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett and Mrs. W. McMahon spent Monday in Lachute.

Farm Radio Forum was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Benpett on Monday. Next meeting will be held at Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett's.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell and the Misses Ella, Fay and Margaret Campbell, also Mr. Leslie Campbell, Jr., spent Sunday in Montreal.

Mrs. O. Robillard left Monday to return to her home in Port Arthur.

Church Notes

The Harrington United Church Ladies' Aid are sponsoring a program in the Campbell Hall, Bell Falls, this Friday evening; an invitation is extended to all.

Service will be held at 11 a.m. in the Harrington United Church, Mr. L. T. Harbour officiating.

Grenville North

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Younge, also Mr. Asa Younge, and the former's family, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cross at Vankleek Hill.

Mr. John Richardson is spending a few days in Montreal.

The Misses Bernice and Gwen Hoare spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare.

Mrs. Enid Stone and family are spending a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Mott.

Mrs. J. McDougall, of Ottawa, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Bennett.

Little Miss Patricia Lowe spent the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe in Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett were in Chatboro recently to visit the latter's grandmother, Mrs. George Perks.

Mrs. Wm. Loughren is spending a few days with her mother, who is seriously ill. Residents of this community extend to Mrs. Joly sincere "get well" wishes.

In a previous item concerning a birthday party in honor of Mr. H. H. MacKrith, the names of Mrs. R. Dumouchel, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Farrara and daughter, were omitted among the guests.

Many posture faults can be corrected by exercise. Posture is important to health because poor posture can damage vital organs.

Red Cross Canvass In Brownsburg to Open Next Monday

Brownsburg — So many other campaigns for funds have been under way in this centre recently that the annual appeal for funds for the Canadian Red Cross was deferred until the present time.

There being no local branch of the Red Cross, Mr. H. M. Sherwood and Mrs. N. E. Smillie have again agreed to act as chairman and vice-chairman, respectively, of a committee to conduct this appeal. Mr. Allan G. Talbot will again act as secretary-treasurer, and the organization will be similar to last year's, with various groups sharing the work.

The local appeal will be conducted between the 20th and 31st of March, with an objective of $1,500, the same as in 1949, when 96% of the objective was subscribed.

A meeting was held in the Social Club on March 13, when a group of willing workers who had agreed to act as team captains, picked up the necessary supplies and departed to prepare for the start of the canvass next Monday.

Do you know that $0.43 out of every dollar received by the Red Cross is spent on Free Blood Transfusion Service?

Please welcome your Red Cross collector, because he (or she) is doing another volunteer job for an exceptionally good cause.

Many Attend Funeral Of Late William Elliott

Another long-time resident, Mr. William J. Elliott, passed away in Lachute last Friday, March 10. He had been in ill health for some time, and was in his 77th year.

The late Mr. Elliott was born in Mille Isles, and lived in Lachute for the past 38 years. He was a life member of the Oddfellows Lodge.

The funeral service was held on Sunday at St. Simeon's Church, and was conducted by the Rev. C. R. Lang, assisted by the Rev. H. Hertzler. The large attendance, and the many beautiful floral tributes, showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

He is survived by his wife, the former Carrie Boyd, also two sisters and one brother, Mrs. W. J. Rogers, Mrs. M. Rogers and Mr. A. J. Elliott, all of Lachute. His first wife, Charlotte Sutton, predeceased him 32 years ago.

School Extension Plans Described At B'burg Parent - Teachers' Night

Brownsburg — The Parent-Teachers' Night held last Friday at Brownsburg Consolidated School was a successful event in the community's observance of Education Week.

The parents, who gathered at the school to inspect the various classroms, to view the work of the pupils and talk with the teachers, later assembled in the school basement. Here the chairman of the school commission, Mr. M. P. Reilly, conducted the proceedings, and in his address reviewed the various topics outlined for each day's study during Education Week. Mr. Reilly commented on these topics and quoted from special newspaper articles prepared by authorities in the different aspects of Education. "Perhaps one topic appealed to some of you more than others", he added, "but . . it can be readily seen that Education of our children is no longer a simple matter of Reading, Writing and Arithmetic, the 'Whole Child' must be equipped to take his place in a world of ever increasing complexity. When we think of the progress of the last 10 years, it makes even a college education of 10 years ago seem inadequate."

Proposed School Addition

The chairman, in his address, reported progress on plans for the school extension. "We recently received approval from Quebec on our plans", he said, "and the architect is busy completing drawings so that we can call for revised tenders. The delay in plans since late last fall . . has been justified inasmuch as our plans now are much more practical than our first proposal. . . Basically, the changes include the addition of four classrooms and an assembly hall - gymnasium, providing a 20-foot ceiling for basketball, badminton and other games. On the second floor above the gym will be the four new classrooms, a library, toilet facilities and teachers' room. The present two rooms on the west side of the school will be combined into one large room to be used as a combination lunch room, General Science and Visual Education room. We will in effect be adding only three permanent classrooms — as this last room described will be used by many classes at various times of the day. Facilities will be provided for serving hot lunches to the 60 to 70 pupils who bring lunches to the school.

"We are putting on a new heating system in the old school — a hot-water system — so the present basement will be completely rearranged, with new toilet facilities and showers.

"It may be added that we are planning on 'dressing up' the front entrance to the school so that it will be a little more pleasing in appearance — and will not look as much like a 'Cheese Factory' as someone once described it."

The Academic Outlook

Principal Dennis Staniforth, addressing the audience, dealt with future developments from the academic angle, rather than from the aspect of material improvements. He stressed the need of change in the program of tuition — such as the existing school facilities had not permitted. He believed the curricular program could be improved to include every hour of the school day, so that even the pupils' leisure time — at noon hour, and after closing of the classes, if desired — should be guided into constructive and wholesome channels.

In conclusion the gathering enjoyed refreshments provided by the teachers and commissioners' wives, and an informal social hour was spent.

Brownsburg Council

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addition to be built to the school and that tax would surely be increased. The burden might be too heavy.

Councillor Somers did not want to labor the point but advanced the contention that people were not enticed to build in Brownsburg because, contrary to good civic preparedness, we do not build service utilities ahead of residences. "Who is going to build away out in a field and sit and wait for the grace of God to tempt the council to install water and sewerage to take care of his new home?" People who considered building here (and he knew of some) changed to other locations when they investigated the facilities.

The mayor suggested that extensions which he admitted were required, could be taken care of by local contract and far below the estimates received and filed.

Councillor Denault favored hand labor over steam shovels so as to spread the work; and Councillor Wilson demurred against raising the tax.

Councillor Denault remarked, "We might get shot", as he proposed the rate be left as is, $1.05. Councillor Lavoie seconded, and the matter was dropped.

As a sequel to this discussion, while the council was in session a call came in to inform the mayor that there was no water available on the French Hill. The mayor moved to have the C-I-L pump put on to supply the deficiency. The assistant foreman informed the meeting that the reservoir had about 12 feet of water when the pump was stopped, but that the rate of usage goes up all through the night as people leave their taps full-on to avoid freeze-up.

Councillor Somers: "C-I-L is not equipped to continue pumping, as the installation is for intermittent use. There might possibly be a colossal bill for pumping water into a hole in the ground, as that seems to be what we are doing. People should be made to realize that it is not necessary to run all that water to keep taps from freezing, and if the C-I-L service breaks down, the council have already been warned that the cost of repairs will devolve upon it. The pump has been on for three or four days, and after being off just a short time, it is now required again. It's too bad."

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Notices were ordered sent to a number of householders to have water and sewerage installed or this would be done by the council and charged to them.

Mr. A. Brunelle, Mr. D. Lepine and Mr. S. J. Thompson were appointed valuators for the coming year.

The Bell Telephone Co. asked and were granted permission to cut trees and erect poles, and in one case put an underground line on the council's property.

Tenders for the supplying of a new truck, and the accepting on trade-in of the council's present two trucks, were considered, and Lachute Motor Sales secured the order to supply a Chevrolet 2½-ton with accessories, for the cash sum of $1,738.

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Early Closing Saturday

Councillor A. Denault made a strong plea, supported by a signed petition containing 26 names (seven did not sign), to have the council pass a by-law making it obligatory on shops and stores to close Saturdays at 7 p.m. The council chamber was crowded by interested parties. The discussion waxed hot and fast at times, but no action was taken. The secretary pointed out a technicality in procedure, which required notice of motion be given before a by-law was enacted. The mayor and Councillor Wilson were not in favor of the closing, as it would tend to send business away from town. Councillor Ouellette wanted a referendum of all the people, at a cost (as estimated by the secretary) of $150. Councillor Somers expressed the opinion it was a good thing but was not in favor of the council taking arbitrary action as between two factions; he offered the suggestion they agree on some basis or arrangement to their mutual advantage, and the council would then accede to their agreed desires. The matter will come up again at next meeting and is expected to be a hot issue. Several merchants present spoke strongly on the merits of their point of view, and order had to be called to allow the meeting to proceed.

A request from the barbers was presented for a like action, and evidently a similar situation prevails, as contrary opinions were also expressed in this case. This was also adjourned to next meeting.

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BIRTHS

CRUISE — At the Royal Victoria Hospital, on Monday, Feb. 27, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon P. Cruise, of Lachute Mills, a son.

LAGARDE — At the Misericorde Hospital, Montreal, on Tuesday, March 7, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Lagarde, a daughter, Louise.

LAVIOLETTE — Born March 5, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Laviolette, of Detroit, Mich., a son, brother for Sandra.

MONCRIEFF—At the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on March 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Ward Moncrieff, (née Edith McKenzie), a daughter, Brenda Margaret Lynn.

WILSON — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills, March 14, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson, a daughter; both well.

MARRIAGE

COPELAND - RAINEY — At St. Simeon's Church, Lachute, on Tuesday, March 14, 1950, Margaret Florence Rainey, daughter of Mr. Sam J. Rainey, of Brownsburg, Que., to Delmer John Copeland, only son of the late Albert H. Copeland and of Mrs. Copeland, of Lachute.

IN MEMORIAM

COUSINS — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Thos. R. Cousins, who passed away Feb. 14, 1943, and also of a dear dad and grandfather, Thos. R. Cousins, who passed away March 14, 1947. — Always remembered by Laura, Tom and family.

"We shall meet our loved ones gone,
Some sweet day, by and by."

McCULLOUGH — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, William McCullough, who passed away on March 10, 1947. — Sadly missed by his wife and family.

"What would I give to clasp his hand,
His happy face to see,
To hear his voice and see his smile
That means so much to me."

RONALDS — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Margaret Ronalds, who passed away March 13, 1948. — Her husband, Bill, Velma, Kenny, Barbara, Angus, Lizzie, George, Rose, Wyman and Elmer.

"Nothing can ever take away
The love our hearts hold dear.
Fond memories linger every day,
Remembrance keeps her near."

SCOTT — In fond memory of dear Mother, Mrs. William Henry Scott, who left us March 14, 1949.

"We do not need a special day
To bring you to our minds,
For the days we do not think of you
Are very hard to find."

TODD — In loving memory of dear Mother, who passed away March 14, 1937, and dear Father, who passed away May 2, 1944; also dear sisters — Lizzie (March 27, 1922) and Jessie (May 31, 1937). — Always remembered by Stuart, Alice and Emma.

"Their memory is as dear today,
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COUSINS — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, Thomas R. Cousins, who passed away, March 14, 1947. — Fondly remembered by Harry, Katie, Olga.

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Time cannot change them it's true,
Years that may come cannot sever
Our loving remembrance of you."

YOUNG — In loving memory of Edward Cecil Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Always remembered by Greta, John and grandchildren.

"As we look upon your picture
Sweet memories we recall
Of a face so full of sunshine,
A smile for one and all.
Though your smile has gone forever
And your hand we cannot touch,
We shall never lose sweet memories
Of the one we love so much."

YOUNG — In loving memory of Edward C. Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Always remembered by his wife and family.

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7 p.m. Evening Service.
"The Christian's Calling".
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

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Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
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10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Preaching the Word.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Lenten Service, Wednesday at 8.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Lenten service, Friday at 7.30 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A., Minister
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No service in Brownsburg.
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Y.P. Fellowship, Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Thursday 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Dunany, 6 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
Wed., March 23, Lenten Service at 7.30 p.m.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
3 p.m. Holy Communion.
Friday, March 17, Lenten Service at 7.30 p.m.
Kilmar
9 a.m. Holy Communion.

Canada's Economy "All Right for 1950", Says Prime Minister

"WEEK AT OTAWA"
By Ken Metheral

Ottawa, March 13 — The Canadian Trades and Labor Congress presented its annual brief to the government last week. Prime Minister St. Laurent and cabinet members gave the T.L.C. delegation, headed by Percy Bengough, a courteous hearing — but little encouragement in the way of meeting Congress requests.

Mr. St. Laurent said the number of jobless was decreasing, and blamed this winter's unemployment largely on climatic conditions and on production cutbacks in some industries.

Canada's economy generally is going to be "all right" through 1950, the prime minister said. The construction industry had a big year ahead of it and the Congress suggestion that the government launch large-scale public works to create more jobs was unfeasible.

Pensions Debate

The Commons adjourned debate at the week-end on a note that sounded optimistic for Canada's old folk.

Health and Welfare Minister Martin put forward a motion that a joint committee of the House and Senate be established to study the whole question of old-age pensions. He said the committee would study all phases of old-age security, with the eventual aim of establishing the "best possible" old age and retirement system for Canadians.

All parties in the Commons agreed that the pension system could stand improvement — but there the agreement ended.

Donald Fleming, Progressive-Conservative spokesman, said his party wanted immediate implementation of a national contributory old-age pension scheme and said the government was establishing the committee to relieve itself of "pressure" from all parts of the country for improved pensions.

Stanley Knowles, C.C.F. member for Winnipeg North Centre, called for immediate removal of the means test while Rev. E. G. Mansell, Social Credit member for Macleod, said he was opposed to a contributory system.

Secession Talk

Throughout most of the week the speeches in the House of Commons were pretty dull affairs. The meandering throne speech debate, rolling through its third week, mainly concerned private members' views of what was needed to help local conditions in their own ridings, or reiteration of charges and counter-charges about Canada's trade position.

But a Progressive Conservative member from the new province of Newfoundland injected a fiery spark into the otherwise dull debate.

Rising in the Commons, Gordon Higgins said the federal government had not lived up to its agreement on freight rates for Newfoundland. The lawyer-member said he would give up his seat — St. John's East — if the agreement wasn't lived up to.

What's more, Mr. Higgins said that if he resigned he would do everything in his power to get Newfoundland to secede from Confederation if his province continued to pay a higher freight rate than the three Maritime provinces.

Outside the House, Premier Smallwood of Newfoundland said he is carrying the province's fight for a better freight rate deal to the federal cabinet.

As for secession, he said he was confident that the controversial issue would never sever the bonds that now tie the rest of Canada with the island province. He felt sure Newfoundland residents were more in favor of confederation now than when they had voted to become the Dominion's 10th province.

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Quebec Holstein Breeders' Meeting Held in Mont'l

Montreal—A more than doubling of business since the association's inception 15 years ago was reported in Montreal last week to members of the Quebec Holstein Friesian Association by secretary-fieldman Hermas Lajoie.

Membership in the association now stands at 1,469, which is 744 ahead of that reported in the original report in 1934, said Mr. Lajoie. Registrations during the year had amounted to 7,158 and transfers to 5,338.

Coupled with Mr. Lajoie's report was the address of the retiring president, E. E. Richmond, who said that as members of the largest breed association in the British Empire members had a double duty to perform. This included trying to acquaint their city friends with some of the problems faced by the dairy industry, and always acting as fieldmen for their breed, advertising their product wherever possible.

The association also went on record as supporting requests for price supports for farm products and asking the Federal Government to prohibit the sale and manufacture of margarine.

Honor Breeders

Also highlighted during the meeting was the presentation of 22 Long-time Production Certificates to 15 breeders. These certificates were presented as recognition of cows which during their lifetime have produced a total of over 100,000 pounds of milk.

Grenville Team Here For Badminton Tourney

Lachute's shuttle enthusiasts were victorious last Thursday, March 9, when a team of over 20 players from Grenville were guests of the local Badminton Club. A total of 42 games were played, Lachute coming up on top with a score of 33 - 9. The games were hard fought, and many were taken by a narrow margin of one or two points.

Lachute is playing at Kilmar tonight (Thursday) with a team of seven men and seven women. This is the second encounter with Kilmar this year — the previous game having been staged when Kilmar visited Lachute and defeated the local team on their own grounds.

Arrangements were made to hold the annual tournament for the Tip-Top Trophy on Sunday, April 16, at the Lachute Auditorium, with players from this district, comprising Lachute, Brownsburg, Grenville, Calumet and Kilmar, participating.

Some steam railroad locomotives are so long they have to be "articulated", that is, hinged in the middle so as to be able to bend in going around curves. These have a separate set of driving wheels in each segment.

COMING EVENTS

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SONG RECITAL BY JUVENILE SOPRANO

Gerard Barbeau, 13-year-old songster known as "La Voix d'Or de Québec" (Quebec's Golden Voice) will be presented in an entertainment at the Auditorium, Sunday, March 19, at 8.30 p.m., sponsored by Les Loisirs (Ste. Anastasie). Adm. $1. -1c

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

The Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Anglican Church will hold their annual tea in the church hall this Friday, March 17. Home-cooking and fancy articles for sale. M16.3c

LEGION BINGO

Canadian Legion Branch 70 will hold a bingo in the Legion Memorial Hall on Wednesday, March 22, at 8.15 p.m. Very attractive prizes. 15 Rounds for 50 cents. Come and win a prize! M16.4c

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT, GRENVILLE

A St. Patrick's concert will be held at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Sat., March 18, at 9 p.m. Good program of Irish songs, dances and recitations; Miss Mary Burke and Miss Mary McGuire, dancers; Munro Wilson and his bagpipe band; Clifford Bourcier, popular little radio entertainer; and popular local talent, with Stanley Cavanagh as M.C. Adm. 60c (tax included). M16.2c

TEA AND SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church will hold an afternoon tea and food sale on Friday afternoon, May 19. Please reserve the date. M11.18.3c

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Betty Cook returned last Friday to her home in Royal Oak, Mich., and was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Thos. McMahon, who will spend two weeks' visit.

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Mrs. Geo. Creswell is at present visiting her brother, Mr. Stanley Crabbe, at Saint John, N.B.

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Mrs. Lee Read (the former Marion LeCras) and two children, of Montreal, are spending two weeks here as guests of Miss Lulu Millar.

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The Rev. H. Hertzler, Dean of Residence at the Diocesan Theological College, Montreal, was a guest of the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Lang last Sunday and occupied the pulpit at the Lachute and Brownsburg Anglican services.

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Mrs. Robt. Hendry and daughter, of Montreal, are spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Lulu Millar, at her home in East Ward.

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Couple Feted on 41st Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Hadley, Main Street East, were feted at a family gathering last Friday evening at their home, in honor of their 41st wedding anniversary. The party was in the nature of a surprise, and a pleasant reunion of the family and relatives was enjoyed.

VOTE ON NEW NAME

West Jasper Place, Alta. (CP) Villagers here apparently aren't too happy with the name of the community. They have been asked to suggest new names and the final selection will be decided by a popular vote.

SHIP SAFETY

Vancouver (CP) — Radio operators will be required aboard all west coast passenger ships if a recommendation by coastal shipping operators is approved by parliament. A resolution to this effect is expected to be introduced by Transport Minister Chevrier.

Coronation, Alta. (CP) — Mail carrier Lloyd Baldwin had a problem with the 35-mile-long mail route after a recent storm. There were bare stretches over which a horse couldn't pull a sleigh and there were drifts which could stop an automobile. Lloyd tried a tractor and completed the route after 10 hours of hard labor.

Mr. Walter Gunn, of Hamilton, Ont., spent a few days here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gunn.

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Mrs. G. Tucker, of Dixie, Que., was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Rogers.

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Miss Joan McMartin, R.N., of Montreal, spent Tuesday in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erle McMartin.

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Miss Catherine McGibbon spent last week-end in Montreal visiting her sister, Mrs. Burroughs.

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Mrs. R. B. Owen has been spending this week at Weir, and intends shortly to visit with members of her family in Ontario.

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Miss Lois Morrison, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, spent the week-end at her home.

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52nd Wedding Day

Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary quietly at their home on Barron Avenue yesterday, March 15. They received a number of gifts and messages of good will. Later in the day, members of the family gathered for an afternoon tea in honor of their parents, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Archie Gordon, Court Street. . . Friends join in extending congratulations of this occasion.

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Her 87th Birthday

Mrs. W. J. Rogers was the recipient of a bouquet of flowers from Radio Station CJAD on the occasion of her 87th birthday, which she celebrated quietly with her family at Main Street last Monday.

Mrs. Lena Kerr, of Lakefield, spent last week in Lachute visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Morrison and Mr. Morrison.





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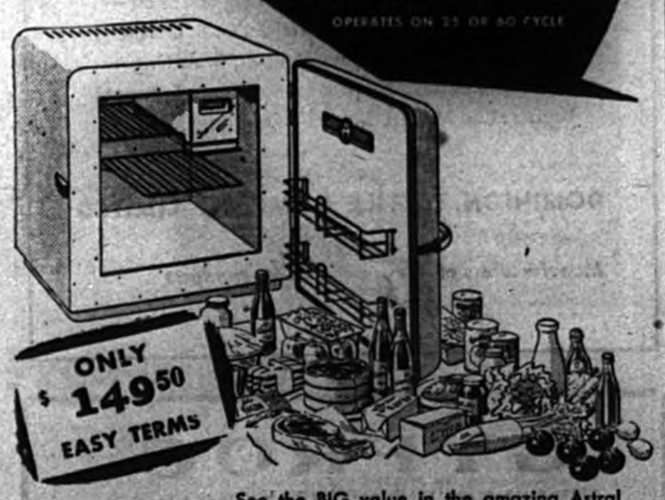
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THAT THE LOGOS was made human as the man Jesus and suffered death in order to produce the ransom or redemptive price for obedient men; that God raised up Christ Jesus divine and exalted him to heaven above every other creature and clothed him with all power and authority as head of God's new capital organization;

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Public Notice

Province of Quebec,
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County of Argenteuil,
Municipality of Mille Isles.

QUEBEC TEMPERANCE ACT, Chapter 257, 1941

The undersigned, qualified municipal electors of the Municipality of Mille Isles, hereby require that any by-law which the Municipal Council thereof may pass under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act, at any time within one year from the date thereof, be submitted for approval to the municipal electors of the said municipality.

Witness our hands at Mille Isles this 31st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine.

Signatures:

Robert Black	Henry Dawson
Willis Black	John A. Ward
Alex Thornton	Melvin H. Ward
Robert Thornton	Garnet Woods
George Riddell	James Carroll
Fred Black	Edgar Elder
H. E. Lister	Robert Fraser, Sr.
Mrs. H. Wood	Robert Fraser, Jr.
Wesley Dawson	Leonard Pollock
Dave Dawson	E. J. Morrison
Wm. Dawson	Clifford Black
Michael Captain	John Black
Duncan Dawson	F. E. Perry
Benj. Pollock	W. H. Seale
David Morrow	Douglas Dawson
Norman Kirkpatrick	Albert Ward
Richard Dawson	John Noble
Arthur Bows	

Pursuant to the above petition at a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the third day of January, 1950, at its regular meeting, the following notice of motion was given:

"That at the next meeting of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles to be held on the 6th of February, 1950, at the usual place of meeting at Mille Isles in the said Municipality of Mille Isles, the following by-law will be proposed for adoption:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquor and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles, under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

At a session of the Municipal Council of the Municipality of Mille Isles held on the 6th day of February, 1950, the following by-law was adopted:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquors and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

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TO THE MUNICIPAL ELECTORS OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MILLE ISLES:

Take notice that the above temperance by-law will be submitted to the municipal electors of the Municipality of Mille Isles and that a vote by ballot will be held in the Municipality on the 27th day of March, 1950, to decide whether the said by-law is approved or disapproved by the municipal electors of the said municipality.

The poll to be held at Mille Isles at the usual place of voting, namely, the No. 2 School House. The poll to open at the above place at ten o'clock in the morning and to close at five o'clock in the afternoon.

Mille Isles, this 7th day of February, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretary-treasurer of the Municipality of Mille Isles.
M16.4c

Avis Public

Province de Québec
District de Terrebonne
Comté d'Argenteuil
Municipalité de Mille Iles.

LOI DE TEMPERANCE DE QUEBEC, Chapitre 257, Status Refondus de Québec, 1941.

Les soussignés, électeurs municipaux ayant la qualité voulue, de la municipalité de Mille Iles, demandent par les présentes que tout règlement que le conseil municipal pourra passer en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec, à aucune époque dans le cours d'une année de la présente date, soit soumis à l'approbation des électeurs municipaux de ladite municipalité.

En foi de quoi nous avons apposé nos seings aux présentes, à Mille Iles ce 31e jour de décembre, mil neuf cent quarante-neuf.

Robert Black	Henry Dawson
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En conformité avec la requête ci-dessus mentionnée, à une cession du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, tenue le 3 janvier 1950, l'avis de motion suivant, fut donné:

"Qu'à la prochaine session du conseil municipal de Mille Iles, qui sera tenue le 6 février 1950 prochain, à la place ordinaire des sessions à Mille Iles, l'adoption du règlement suivant sera proposée:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité du canton de Gore, en vertu et en exécution de la loi de Tempérance de Québec."

A sa session tenue le 6 février 1950, le conseil municipal de Mille Iles, a adopté ledit règlement qui se lit:

"La vente des liqueurs alcooliques et l'émission des permis en conséquence, sont les présents règlements prohibés, dans les limites de la municipalité de Mille Iles, en vertu et en exécution de la Loi de Tempérance de Québec."

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AUX ELECTEURS MUNICIPAUX DE LA MUNICIPALITE DE MILLE ILES:

Prenez avis que le règlement ci-dessus mentionné adopté en vertu de la Loi de Tempérance, sera soumis aux électeurs municipaux de la municipalité de Mille Iles, et qu'un vote au scrutin sera tenu dans la municipalité de Mille Iles le 27 mars 1950, pour savoir si ledit règlement sera adopté oui ou non.

Le bureau de votation sera tenu à Mille Iles à sa place ordinaire de votation, dans l'école numéro 2. Le bureau de votation sera ouvert à dix heures le matin et fermera à cinq heures du soir.

Mille Iles, ce 7e jour de février, 1950.

Allan Buxton,
Secretaire-trésorier de la Municipalité de Mille Iles
M16.4c

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Mr. W. Gray, of Biggar, Sask., who has been spending the past few months with his sister, Mrs. L. M. Gaston, left for his home on Saturday.

Mrs. N. Humphrey, of Ottawa, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Mrs. A. Starnes entertained the Cushing W.M.S. on Tuesday, when interesting accounts were given of the recent Presbyterial meeting held in Montreal.

Mrs. Carson Tomalty, of Mount Maple, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Dobbie, on Wednesday.

War Veteran Mourned

Cushing —

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. John W. Bradford in the loss of her brother, Daniel Hill, a veteran of World War I, whose death occurred in a Toronto hospital after an illness of several weeks. A former resident of Chatboro, he was a son of the late Daniel Hill of that place, and of his wife the former Clarissa Smith, of Buckingham. His passing is regretted by his many friends in the Chatboro district.

A veterans' guard of honor was formed at Leaside Hospital in Toronto.

The funeral, held Tuesday afternoon from the Bradford home in Cushing, was conducted by the Rev. A. G. Moore, of St. Mungo's Church. The remains were borne to the cemetery at Chute à Blondeau.

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. F. O'Brien, E. Gauley, A. Graham, S. Donaldson and W. O'Brien.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that ANTONIO TOUCHETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; JEAN-LOUIS BRISSETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne, widow not remarried of the late Edward Clark, in his lifetime Mechanic of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, and the said DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, universal legatee and sole testamentary executrix of the said late Edward Clark; and KENNETH CLARK, Riding-master, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME GRAZIELLA TIMMINS, wife contractually separate as to property of Honorable Donat Raymond, Senator, both domiciled at No. 3541 Ontario Avenue, in the City and District of Montreal; the said DONAT RAYMOND, herein acting to authorize his wife for all legal purposes; JONATHAN C. MEAKINS, Physician, domiciled at No. 1390 Sherbrooke Street West, in the City and District of Montreal, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec during the current session to have a bill passed confirming and enacting a reduction of THIRTY PER CENT (30%) in the value of the lots of land only appearing on the valuation roll of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, for the year 1950, and that the said valuation roll for 1950, thus amended shall be the valuation roll in force, and having force and effect, of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts for the year 1949 just elapsed, and the current year 1950, as well as for the three coming years, 1951, 1952 and 1953, as authorized by Section 485 of the Cities and Towns Act, subject however to the annual revision as mentioned in said Section 485.

Ste. Agathe des Monts.
March 8, 1950

— Jean Morin,
Attorney for Petitioners.
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St. Andrews East

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridge and family, of Alexandria, Ont., spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Lorraine McOuat, from Macdonald College, spent the week-end in River Rouge with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McOuat.

Misses Antoinette and Marguerite Dorion spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dorion.

Miss Margaret Bradley was taken to hospital in Hawkesbury last Friday; her little friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Garnet Pride, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his family.

Mrs. Jos. A. Bradley had the misfortune to break her wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeWitt, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, and Mr. George DeWitt, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder. Roy has recently been discharged from Ste. Anne's Military Hospital and will spend some time in St. Andrews East.

Annual Meeting of Arundel Women's Inst.

Arundel — The fourth annual meeting of Arundel Women's Institute was held Wednesday, March 8, in the United Church hall. Despite bad weather and condition of the roads, it was gratifying to note the large attendance, which signified the keen interest the members take in their Branch.

The president, Mrs. E. A. Bulley, was in the chair. The annual reports were read by the officers and conveners. The president gave a short address, after which the meeting was turned over to the nominating convener, Mrs. Melvin Cooke. Elections then took place, resulting as follows:

President, Mrs. Frank Davis; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Percy Staniforth; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Douglas Cooke; treasurer, Mrs. Roy Staniforth; secretary, Mrs. Alex Dewar.

Conveners — Education, Mrs. A. Heron; Agriculture, Mrs. Gordon McGrandel; Publicity, Mrs. Alfred Morrison; Home Economics, Mrs. R. Moss; Health and Welfare, Mrs. Melvin Graham; Citizenship, Miss Mary Smith; Overseas Parcels, Mrs. J. May and Mrs. Val Swail; Sick and Visiting, Mrs. Val Swail and Mrs. T. Craig.

At the close of elections the president called the elected officers and conveners to the front, and for the first time the new Women's Institute ceremony of installation took place, the retiring president, Mrs. Bulley, installing the new board.

The new president was then presented with her gavel and a corsage, and took over the meeting. New business and payment of fees were dealt with.

The Branch now has a membership of 42 ladies — one new member, Mrs. Herman Graham, joining at the annual meeting — and there are prospects of more members enrolling.

Robins of Legend

Oxford, England (CP) — Dr. David Lack, 39-year-old Oxford ornithologist, is squaring accounts with the robin.

Six years ago, Dr. Lack published a text called "The Natural History of the Robin", in which facts of the bird's life were compiled.

Now, "Robin Redbreast", which he calls an "unnatural history" of the species is to appear. In it the professor has compiled stories commonly told about the robin.

Robins, he says, are commonly supposed to cover the bodies of murdered persons with leaves. They are popular figures on Christmas cards, and English legend has them comforting prisoners. One is supposed to have attended a hanging.

Morin Heights

Miss Corinne Watchorn was in Montreal on Thursday last.

Mr. Merlin McCullough is spending a two weeks' vacation at his home here.

Miss Joyce Seale was in Arundel over the week-end, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Craig.

Mr. Henry Gillingham is a patient in the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital. Friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Skiers at Val David

Miss Beverley Bell spent a long week-end at Mont Conrad Lodge, Val David, and competed in the Ladies' Provincial Race held there Saturday and Sunday. She placed 9th in the Combined Downhill and Slalom, Jean Elder 3rd, and her sister Doreen 4th; while Corinne Watchorn came 6th. . . Mr. and Mrs. Bell attended this meet on Sunday.

At Ste. Adele

In the Midget Race held at Ste. Adele on Saturday, sponsored by Marion Lineaweaver, Muriel Black was 3rd in the Girls' Junior Combined and Ernie Woods 3rd in the Boys' Junior Combined.

Other Sunday Races

In the Cross-Country Race held at Ste. Adele on Sunday, Carmen Woods placed 2nd and Basil Greene 3rd in Class "A" and "B". In Class "C", Grant Seale was 1st and Ross Gillingham 3rd.

In the Class "C" Slalom held at Val David, Phyllis Davidson placed 1st in Ladies' Senior, and Clifford Pollock was 1st in Men's Junior.

(Results of the Intermediate School ski races are reported on page 8.)

Arundel

Miss Marion Champagne and a guest spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Champagne.

Mrs. Gordon has returned home from Montreal, where she had been confined to hospital.

Mr. Leslie May was the week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. J. May.

Miss Marion Gilker, of Montreal, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward Graham, last week-end.

Mrs. Thomas Graham has returned home after a lengthy visit to Montreal. Week-end guests at her home were Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Royal, and Miss Muriel Graham.

Mr. Harold Gordon is spending a few days in Montreal.

Owing to severe weather and condition of the roads, most social functions last week were cancelled. Parents' Night at the Arundel School will be held this Friday evening, March 17. The Maplewood Inn will hold its dance this Saturday evening, March 18.

Farm Forums

Farm Forum No. 4 met in the home of Mrs. C. O. Bennett, Mrs. Stuart Bennett being hostess. Forum No. 1 met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Swail; and Group No. 2 met at Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rathwell's.

Farewell Party

An enjoyable evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooke on Saturday, when a large number of friends gathered in a farewell party extended to Mr. and Mrs. J. Veit, who are moving to Manchester U.S.A., in the near future. Cards were played during the evening, and on conclusion Dr. R. B. Henry presented a purse to the honored guests as a token of the esteem in which they are held by all. An original verse was then read by one of the guests, after which refreshments were served. Their many friends in the community wish Mr. and Mrs. Veit a happy and prosperous future in their new home.

Train Service Restored

We are pleased to note that the regular train service here, including the specials, has been resumed since settlement of the coal strike.

What's It All About? Prince Charles Wants to Know



Prince Charles (in buggy) is more interested in the antics of the photographer than in the little girl who has stepped up to speak to the royal youngster. A plainclothes detective appears to be curbing her enthusiasm to approach too close to the buggy, although Prince Charles' nurse doesn't seem a bit worried.

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In the photo above are, left to right; seated — Fernand Houde, Hubert Chatelois, G. B. Gordon, Gaston Lacasse, Jacques Perron. Standing — Germain Ledoux, Jacques Lamontagne, Laurent Vezina, Leo Martin, Marcel Gamache.

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Wealthy Girl Pupils Cause School Uproar

St. Albans, England (CP) — Forty-one wealthy girls have taken up residence at Ashridge College for a year's study in citizenship.

The decision to admit them to the school, previously reserved for working-class students, caused the resignation last September of Gen. Sir Bernard Paget, as principal.

The board of governors decided the well-to-do girls, who pay 85 guineas ($276.67) for an 11-week term, were necessary for the financial well-being of the college.

Gen. Paget maintained their admittance would undermine the principles on which the school operated. He was succeeded as principal by Admiral Sir Denis Boyd.

The new girls, whose average age is 20, will study languages, history and secretarial duties.

"They won't be expected to rough it", said Capt. Henry Gordon, college secretary. "But they won't live in luxury. Only a few of them will get a single room."

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Wife's Able Tongue Helped Wheat Sale

Winnipeg (CP) — A woman with a knowledge of the Jewish language has been credited with being largely responsible for the first wheat contract ever given Canada by Bolivia.

The contract for $900,000 worth of wheat went to a Winnipeg company. This marked the first time the South American country has ever bought wheat outside the United States or the Argentine.

C. O. Swartz, president of the company which sent the grain from Vancouver to La Paz, gave part credit to his wife for the deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartz were at a party in Paris last May with a Bolivian grain man. No one in the Swartz party could speak Spanish, but the South American and Mrs. Swartz talked Jewish and the deal was born.

"If course", said Mr. Swartz, "my wife's knowledge of Jewish isn't what sold the wheat. We got the contract because Canadian wheat is the best in the world."

FASHION HINT

Scarlet Crepe Print



Scarlet crepe with a neat little white circle print makes up into a costume that is perfect for resort wear now or at home a little later. A waist-length jacket buttons snugly over a little chemise dress with short sleeves and kerchief neckline. The jacket has five-eighth length sleeves with deep underarm line. Attached to the belt is an overskirt which is divided into four panel-like sections, and which is optional.

— Women's Interests —

Creative Cookery

By Ida Bailey Allen

When a homemaker becomes 40 years of age or older, one of two problems may have to be solved. With the children grown she has too much unfilled time. And in exceptional cases she is confronted for the first time with the problem of earning her own living.

The solution to either or both problems would be simple if she had only looked ahead during the years of her 30's and acquired a hobby or avocation that might be turned to money-making later on if necessary.

"But I don't have time for a hobby!" I can almost hear many busy homemakers say.

You're mistaken. You can find the time by practicing more short cuts in housekeeping and cooking. Moreover, you can't afford not to have a hobby—otherwise you may become psychologically "ingrown", a spiritless mother and a dull companion to your husband.

45-Minute Time Saving Dinner

Tomato Juice
Peanut Butter Canapes
Cranberried Ham Slice
Grilled Sweet Potato
Quick Cabbage
Hot Rolls
Cooky Crumb Pudding with Jelly
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)

Procedure

Start sweet potatoes to boil.
Start ham to bake.
Make pudding.
Peel potatoes, slice and start to grill.
Shred cabbage and start cooking.
Open tomato juice.
Set table.
Start coffee and reheat rolls, or finish baking ready-to-bake rolls.
Serve dinner.
(All measurement are level. Recipes serve four.)

Cranberried Ham Slice

Trim the rind from 1 lb. tenderized ham sliced a scant ½ in. thick. Place the ham in a baking dish into which it just fits. Pour over 1¼ cups cranberry sauce mixed with 1 tablespoon vinegar. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375 - 400°F., until the ham is tender, about 20 minutes. Baste twice with the juice in the pan.

Cooky Crumb Pudding

Beat 1 egg; add 1½ cups crumbed stale cookies or cake, 3 tablespoons honey or sugar, 1 teaspoon allspice or ½ teaspoon each nutmeg, cinnamon and clove, and 2½ cups heated milk. Transfer to a butter or margarined casserole or shirred egg dishes and bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°F. until set and firm on the top, about 15 minutes. Serve warm or cold with light cream, whipped topping or with melted jelly foamy sauce.

Melted Jelly Foamy Sauce: Add ½ cup any tart red jelly to ½ cup boiling water. Cook and stir until the jelly melts. Then beat into 1 egg white which has been whipped stiff. Serve at once.

Grilled Sweet Potatoes

Scrub good-sized sweet potatoes. Cut off the ends and boil potatoes until half done, about 20 minutes, or pressure-cook 4 minutes at 15 lbs. Peel and slice lengthwise ½ inch thick. Brush both sides with melted butter or margarine. Dust with salt and grill about 8 minutes at a distance of 4 inches from the heat. Turn once. When almost done sprinkle over 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

Disguise our bondage as we will,
'Tis woman, woman rules us still.
— Thomas Moore

"What's for Supper!"

How often does that cry, "What's for supper", come to the homemaker's ears, as the door admits children from play or from school and the workers of the family come home tired and hungry from their various activities.

For most of the year hot food is preferred for supper, particularly through the winter and these last chilly days of March.

Cereal products such as macaroni, spaghetti, and noodles are a good foundation for many excellent supper dishes, with potatoes and other vegetables running a close second. Other foods such as eggs, meat, poultry, fish or cheese may be used in small amounts for flavor and texture.

To cook macaroni, spaghetti and noodles, use 1 quart of boiling water and 1 teaspoon of salt to 4 ounces of the cereal, or in the case of macaroni, 1 cup of 1" pieces. Boil until tender, about 15 to 20 minutes, then drain and rinse in cold water to separate the pieces. These cereals approximately double in bulk during cooking.

Here is one answer to the cry for something different. The recipes come from the home economists of the Consumer Section at Ottawa.

Macaroni Souffle Ring

1 Cup macaroni (in 1-inch pieces), 1 tablespoon fat, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 1 cup top milk, 1 cup grated cheese, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 egg yolks, 3 egg whites.

Cook the macaroni in boiling, salted water until tender. Drain. Melt fat and add with bread crumbs, top milk, cheese, salt and slightly beaten egg yolks, to the macaroni. Beat the egg whites until stiff, but not dry and fold into first mixture. Pour into a greased casserole and oven-poach in a moderate oven, 350°F., for 1 hour. Serve with a well-seasoned tomato sauce. This mixture may also be cooked in a ring mould and the centre filled with creamed mixed vegetables. Yield: six servings.

Macaroni Meat Special

2½ Cups macaroni (in 1-inch pieces), 1½ cups left-over meat (chopped), 2 cups gravy, 1 teaspoon spicy meat sauce, 1 medium onion, chopped, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 1 cup bread crumbs, 1 tablespoon fat.

Cook the macaroni in boiling, salted water for 15 minutes. Drain well. Mix together the chopped meat, gravy, spicy meat sauce, onion, salt and pepper. Combine with the macaroni and place in a well-greased baking dish. Cover with the crumbs, dot with fat and bake in a moderately slow oven, 325°F., for 20 minutes. Yield: six servings.

Scalloped Macaroni and Ham

2 Tablespoons fat, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 cups milk, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 cups macaroni (in 1-inch pieces), 1 cup diced, cooked ham, ½ cup grated, sharp cheese, paprika.

Melt fat, blend in flour. Add milk and salt and cook until thick, stirring constantly. Boil macaroni in salted water until tender. Drain. Place half the macaroni in a greased casserole, add diced ham and half the sauce. Cover with macaroni then sauce. Top with grated cheese and sprinkle with paprika. Bake in a moderate oven, 350°F., for 50 minutes. Yield: six servings.

HOSPITAL PATIENT NOW WORKS THERE

Toronto (CP) — Edinburgh-born Elizabeth Stewart was a patient in Sunnybrook veterans' hospital not so long ago. She works there now.

During the war Miss Stewart, as a member of the Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service, fell and injured her back. Unable to walk she was given physiotherapy treatments in hospital that she knew well herself, since during her service as a Wren she had become a physiotherapist.

When she was well enough to work, the Scottish woman was told she had a job as physiotherapist in Sunnybrook.

Besides her job of curing veterans, Miss Stewart helps the patients to be useful despite the fact that they are lying on their backs.

She learned skills in occupational therapy — leather working, toy-making — and now her favorite hobby is teaching patients the same hobbies.

EXTRA FARM HELP

Chatham, Ont. (CP) — One hundred displaced persons will arrive in the Chatham district this spring to work in sugar beet fields. A similar group of workers from overseas was used last year and after sugar beet operations were finished they were established on individual farms.

Parcels to Britain Forge Closer Ties

Approximately 900 parcels of food and clothing sent overseas during the year by 100 branches of the Quebec Women's Institutes, are the figures just released from the office of that organization. This work has been carried on since the close of World War II, when names and addresses of old and needy people were obtained from the Women's Voluntary Services. Through the years many warm friendships have been established and more personal contacts cultivated, not only with individuals but in many instances with W.I. groups in Great Britain. The influx of war-brides into the communities has also served to bring closer ties and a deeper understanding of the needs. Many of these more intimate exchanges are not entered in annual reports so the above number does not give the complete picture of this "sharing", which is so gratefully acknowledged by the overseas recipients.

The W.V.S. is calling the attention of all donors to the fact that Collection Depots of the United Emergency Fund for Britain will be closed after March 18 until further notice. Will all branches, using this agency for forwarding their personal porcels, please bear this in mind. "Canaid" parcels may continue to be ordered through UEFB after the above date as usual.

Sticky Feet

On the lower surface of the "feet" of house flies and other insects are padlike structures known as pulvilli. The skin covering them is traversed with minute pores through which exudes an adhesive fluid which enables the insects to walk on the lower surface of objects, as for instance, on the ceilings of rooms.

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At Curling Club

Play for the MacKimmie Memorial Trophy, in the form of a high-plus mixed event, is being well contested, and much enthusiasm is shown on both sides of the plate glass.

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Mr. W. K. McArthur is in Montreal this week curling in the Plumbers' Annual Bonspiel.

A team comprising C. E. Richardson, R. Cairns, W. K. McArthur and W. J. Deacon are also playing in Toronto on Friday, on invitation of The Granites, High Park.

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In the Mixed Bonspiel at Seigniory Club last week-end two husband-and-wife teams from Lachute participated — Mr. and Mrs R. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGibbon; Mr. and Mrs. R. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson. The rink skipped by Mrs. McGibbon came close to the high-plus winners, being one-point down from teams in the prize play. . . Mr. and Mrs. Douglas McGibbon also took part, on a team entered from Quebec City.

Grenv'l Beats Hawkesb'y 10-5 After Losing First Two Finals in Overtime

MEET AGAIN TONIGHT

Gaston Millette Benefit Promises Good Crowd Tomorrow Night

AT THE ARENA
By John H. Dunne

Georges-Henri Lessard's Grenville squad made a clean-up on the Hawkesbury Club last Tuesday night. Previously they bowed to the League leaders in overtime by one goal in each game — the first two games in a best four-out-of-seven final series for the J. U. Nadon Trophy, emblematic of the championship of the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League. This Grenville club has actually outscored the Hawkesbury outfit in the first three games by the count 21 to 18, but are behind in games won, 2-1.

The Ontario team still hold the edge, but the first clear-cut victory was landed by the Grenville sextet during the course of this week. Bellefeuille in goals, Presseault, Pitou Girard, Williamson, and especially a local boy, Rolland Gervais, have distinguished themselves in the finals up to this time. Gervais has never played so brilliantly in this observer's memory, and at this point he stands out as the hero of the series. It is sufficient to say that he has been a stand-out. Williamson, from Calumet, is one of those players that every hockey coach dreams of; he never makes mistakes. . . We call Grenville to win in six games, and let the chips fall where they may.

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Gaston Millette Benefit Tomorrow Night

Program

7 - 8 p.m. — General Skating
8.15 - 9.15 p.m. — Lachute Juniors vs. College St. Viateur
9.15 - 10.15 p.m. — General Skating
10.15 - 11 p.m. — Broomball Hockey Dow (Raymond Laurin capt.) vs. Laurentien (Cl. Lafortune, capt.)

N.B. — Everybody pays to get in the Arena on this night — participants plus the spectators. Please help a good sportman, who is one of our own Lachute citizens, by attending at the Arena on this occasion. You will not win a car, or a bingo call, but — "please attend."

Ladies' Curling

Last week a team of lady curlers were guests of the Pointe Claire club for friendly games. Those making the trip were — Mrs. Homel, Mrs. Geo. Muir, Mrs. W. S. MacKimmie, Mrs. F. E. Earle (skip).

On Tuesday of this week a foursome paid a similar visit to Cornwall, comprising — Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. R. Cairns, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. F. Earle (skip).

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Mrs. W. M. Cottingham entered a team in challenge against Mrs. Earle's rink as holders of the Wilson Cup — Mrs. Cottingham taking the honors and possession of the trophy. The two contending teams were —

Miss M. Scott, Mrs. A. Hills, Mrs. H. Rigg, Mrs. F. E. Earle (skip).

Mrs. G. F. Calder, Mrs. K. Campbell, Mrs. J. R. Charron, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip).

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In the bonspiel for Mrs. J. R. McOuat's Prize the winning team was — Miss A. Riddell, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell (skip).

Runners-up — Mrs. L. Ayers, Mrs. G. F. Calder, Mrs. S. S. Campbell, Mrs. F. E. Earle (skip).

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Next Monday and Tuesday are "Gala Days" for the lady curlers, and on the latter day (March 21) supper will be served at 5.30 o'clock to all active and social members. Presentation of the season's prizes will follow.

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A Snooker Record

A well known snooker performer here, Côme Bélanger, established a new record for the vicinity Monday evening by scoring 80 straight points in a game with Henri Provost. Starting play with six red balls gone, Bélanger went right through to the end, cleaning every ball from the table.

Côme Bélanger made this unusual score in his own pool room on Foundry Street, in the presence of many amateurs of the cue. Such high performance is not often seen, even in the larger centres.

School Ski Events At Morin Heights

Midget Slalom

Girls — 1st Helen Seale 18.4, 2nd Sandra Seale 19.1, 3rd Kathleen Muncey 31.0.

Boys — 1st Ronald Dey 12.04, 2nd Winston Kirkpatrick 14.03, 3rd Hubert Relter 14.04.

Junior

Girls, Slalom — 1st Grace Gillingham 55.4, 2nd Doreen Seale 1.04.0, 3rd Anne Brown 1.07.0.

Boys, Slalom — 1st Teddy Muncey 34.4, 2nd Sherwin Captain 37.4, 3rd Murray Elder 41.2.

Girls, Cross-Country — 1st Anne Brown 9.24, 2nd Doreen Seale 9.46, 3rd Muriel Black 10.21.

Boys, Cross-Country — 1st Donald Wood 7.26, 2nd Ernest Woods 7.36, 3rd Teddy Muncey 7.54.

Senior

Girls, Slalom — 1st Beverley Bell 32.1, 2nd Barbara Brown 33.3, 3rd Corinne Watchorn 36.4.

Boys, Slalom — 1st John Gillingham 30.1, 2nd John Goodfellow 30.3, 3rd Brian Ward 33.1.

Girls, Cross-Country — 1st Geraldine Kirkpatrick 8.42, 2nd Barbara Brown 9.05, 3rd Frances Munger 9.30.

Boys, Cross-Country — 1st Melvin Woods 6.38, 2nd Clifford Pollock 7.26, 3rd John Gillingham 7.39.

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Fri., Sat., Mar. 17, 18
Joan Davis, Andy Devine
THE TRAVELLING SALESWOMAN
THE GANGSTER
Also NEWS OF THE DAY

Sun., Mon., Mar. 19, 20
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THE BIG WHEEL
Gene Autry, Gloria Henry
RIDERS in the SKIES
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Capitol Brownsburg

Fri., Sat., Mar. 17, 18
Clark Gable, Walter Pidgeon
COMMAND DECISION
Frederick March, Florence Eldridge
ACT OF MURDER
Also: SLEEPLESS NIGHTS

Sun., Mon., Mar. 19, 20
Errol Flynn, Alexis Smith
MONTANA
in Technicolor
Philip Reed, Hillary Brooke
Big Town After Dark
Also SENOR DRUPY

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Mar. 21, 22, 23
Olivia de Havilland, Mark Stevens
THE SNAKE PIT
William Powell, Ella Raines
The Senator Was Indiscreet
Also: SEEING GHOST

Rio Lachute

Jeu., ven., sam., 16, 17, 18 mars
Bette Davis, Claude Rains
FEMME AIMEE TOUJOURS JOLIE
Raimu et Michèle Morgan
Gribouille

Dim., lun., mar., 19, 20, 21 mars
Simone Renaud, Jean Marchant
Le mystérieux Monsieur Sylvain
John Mills, Valerie Hobson
Grandes Espérances

Mer., jeu., ven., sam., 22, 23, 24, 25 mars
Michèle Morgan, Henry Vidal, Michel Simon, et Louis Salou
FABIOLA
1ère Episode
Les Mirages de Rome
2ème Episode
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Grenville Wins Quebec-Ontario Hockey Title

First-Year Entry Takes Four Straight After Losing Two Overtime Tilts With Hawkesbury, to Clinch Nadon Trophy

"AT THE ARENA — By John H. Dunne

The "Cinderella" club of the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League that had picked up the so-called "left-overs" from Hawkesbury and Lachute, really put on a show to defeat the Ontario boys 9-5 last Tuesday before a bumper crowd at the Arena. Mayor Cavanagh, of Grenville, will have ample occasion to render many Irish ditties at banquets to be tendered to the new champions. Contrary to the general prognostications, Georges-Henri Lessard's club did not need a seventh game to cop the honors. Deslauriers in goals (erroneously referred to as Bellefeuille in last week's Arena column) was a stand-out in the series, ably assisted by René Rochon, Ti-Coq Larocque (an old-timer who played for Lachute in '39 when Jos. Raymond owned the club and your present correspondent was the coach. . . Boy, are we getting old!), and many others. . You have to hand it to this club; they were great to get up from the floor after losing two heart-breaking overtime contests and then defeat Hawkesbury in four straight games — three on fast ice and the clincher on very heavy ice. And the welkin sure will ring out in Grenville, this week and next, as the Lessard's, Cavanagh's, Arnold's and Dansereau's do fitting homage to the champs.

In defeat, Hawkesbury as always accepted the fact very graciously, and it was the cleanest final played in this observer's memory. There were the usual "I would like to protest" bickerings after the game, but on the ice the boys stuck to their knitting and played fast, clean hockey.

The referees, picked by Tony Laurin, league secretary-treasurer, gave excellent service. They handled every situation with fair judgment and quick dispatch.

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TAX INFORMATION

It would be a good thing if people were made aware of the so-called hidden or indirect taxes, which add substantially to consumers' costs. If each of us knew exactly what we pay in a year in government taxes, we might take more interest in what goes on at Ottawa and provincial parliament.

— Pembroke (Ont.) Standard-Observer

Local Curlers Visit Toronto

— By R. A. Giles —

Many of our local curlers have no doubt heard of The Granite Club in Toronto, but few have had the opportunity of playing there or even visiting.

During last week-end a spiel comprising 64 rinks was put on by this Club and a team was invited from Lachute. This kindly gesture was duly taken advantage of and Messrs. W. K. McArthur, C. E. Richardson, R. Cairns and W. J. Deacon made up the competing rink with the writer R. A. Giles subbing for McArthur on Saturday morning. While not being able to boast of a single win the last game was very close, Lachute being down by only one point, and our competitors then having won three games entered the finals, but were defeated by Thistle Club of Montreal.

For the benefit of those who have never seen the Granite Club a somewhat brief description of its activities follows, for besides the sport of curling one can swim, skate, bowl, practice golf, play at billiards, squash racquet, lawn bowling, tennis and badminton.

Recognized as one of the finest and most modern clubs to be found anywhere 'tis hard, without seeing for oneself, to realize the vastness of this wonderful organization, centrally located on St. Clair Avenue, and only a short distance from downtown Toronto.

The grounds comprise over three and one-half acres beautifully landscaped, giving ample accommodation for the club buildings and outside sports grounds. Adjacent to the club is the parking area where there is space for three hundred cars. At the rear are the lawn bowling greens and tennis courts.

The four-storey club house has a floor space of 144,685 square feet and architecturally combines a most appropriate sense of space with ready accessibility.

The Granite Rink is the largest single covered expanse of artificial ice on the American continent, and comprises nine sheets of ice, with only one division between the 4th and 5th.

What surprised us most was the fact that the same rink is used for skating, at the close of which

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Two Children Die in Hawkesbury Blaze

Hawkesbury—Two young children lost their lives in a fire which swept their parents' cement block bungalow in the west end of Hawkesbury on Tuesday morning.

The children perished while their mother was at the home of a neighbor, not 300 feet distant, placing an order by telephone for wood.

Dead are — Joan Glover, aged two; Raymond Glover, aged one year. A third child escaped.

The fire broke out at 9.45 a.m. in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Glover.

The charred bodies of the two children were recovered from the ruins of the house only 25 minutes after the fire alarm had been turned in.

It is reported the three children, Joan, Raymond and Richard, four years, were in the house with their mother. The mother left the three playing alone in the front room while she walked to a neighbor's home to telephone.

There was a stove in the front room, but no fire for lack of fuel.

Investigation established that a short circuit over the front door had caused the fire. The surviving child, Richard, said he had seen fire flash from the electrical wiring above the door.

The fire brigade were summoned, and just as Fire Chief J. H. Giroux arrived, the elder boy ran screaming from the house. Firemen were then unable to get within 30 feet of the house because of the intense heat.

The young mother heard the fire sirens and ran back towards her flaming home. She attempted to get in to save the children, and four men had to hold her back. . . Mr. Glover was at work in Montreal at the time.

So fierce was the blaze it had completely destroyed the interior of the house in 15 minutes.

Besides the four-year-old brother, Richard, there is a sister, Linda, six, who was attending school when the fire broke out.

Process Using Hard and Soft Wood Brings New Life to Ottawa Valley Pulp Industry

$3-MILLION EXPANSION FOR HAWKESBURY C.I.P. PLANT

Building to Be Completed In September

Hawkesbury — A $3,000,000 building program has been begun by the Canadian International Paper Company at Hawkesbury calling for additional mill buildings and machinery, it was stated this week.

The program, to be carried on under supervision of company engineers, will take until September to complete.

New Process

For some time the C.I.P. research department at Hawkesbury has been working on a new process to utilize a mixture of hard and soft wood in pulp manufacture. The new process will be carried on in the new plant.

It is expected this process will prolong the life of the industry at this site, as it will not be necessary to bring wood from such long distances.

Until the new buildings are completed offices will be housed in the store-rooms. About 500 persons are now employed by the Canadian International Paper Company's plant.

Bjarnason Seeks Marriage Unnulment

Toronto—The Ontario organizer of the United Textile Workers' Union (A.F.L.), Val Bjarnason, of Brantford, filed suit at Osgoode Hall this week for annulment of his marriage in 1941 to Madeleine Parent Bjarnason, Quebec organizer of the same union.

Before the courts now is an appeal by Mrs. Bjarnason against a two-year penitentiary sentence imposed for her activities during the 1947 Lachute textile strike.

Annual Meetings Reported By Argenteuil W.I.'s

Twenty-seven members of the Arundel W.I. branch attended the annual meeting, when new officers were installed for the coming year. Plans were made for a course in felt work and hooked rugs to be held later in the month. Ten prizes were purchased for pupils in each of the ten grades in the local school.

The installation of officers and conveners of Brownsburg branch was conducted by the county president, Mrs. Geo. Leggett. Thirty-four members attended and a new member joined. Another food parcel was sent overseas.

Frontier branch rendered assistance to a family who had lost everything, including their home, by fire. Thirty members and two guests attended the annual meeting, when yearly reports from the conveners were heard. A parcel of clothing was sent overseas to a widow with a family of children. Fruit was sent to an invalid.

The meeting of Jerusalem-Bethany branch was mainly a business session. The roll-call was answered by the payment of fees. The new officers for the year were inducted with the Installation Ceremony, which was found very impressive. The sum of $5 was donated to the Boy Scouts and $15 to the Red Cross.

Lachute Women's Institute are holding their meetings in the Legion Memorial Hall at 2.30 p.m. the first Tuesday in the month. Thirty-three members attended the March meeting. Ninety-one new books have been added to the library. The sum of $50 was donated to the Red Cross. The retiring president, Mrs. S. Milnes, thanked the officers and members for their co-operation during her term of office. Mrs. F. Brennian was elected president for the coming year.

The annual meeting of Lakefield W.I. was held at the home

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Easter Seals for Local and Prov'l Aid to Cripples

LIONS CLUB PROMOTING CAMPAIGN IN THIS AREA

With the voluntary assistance of Service Clubs throughout Quebec, half a million envelopes have been sent in the mails, each containing a sheet of Easter Seals. Accompanying each is an appeal to the recipient to send in a donation in support of the campaign to provide funds to be used solely for the benefit of crippled children and adults.

Every section of the community and all races and creeds, are invited by the Quebec Easter Seal Society to co-operate, and to contribute at least one dollar in return for the artistic Easter Seals sent them. Just as there is no limit to the benefit which can be obtained by crippled children and adults through proper treatment and training, so there is no limit to the amount which generous-hearted people may subscribe to this fund, as an Easter offering of thankfulness for their own well-being.

While all the Service Clubs in a town or city will do their utmost to help, the Society, for purposes of organization this year, has selected one Club in each centre to be responsible for the campaign, and has allotted specific territory to that Club. In one place it is the Rotary Club, in another the Kiwanis, and in a third the Lions Club, and so on. . . The district of Lachute is being canvassed by the local Lions Club.

The Quebec Easter Seal Society is headed by J. Arthur Laprès, who for many years has been closely associated with welfare and community work in Montreal, and who is president of the newly-formed Rehabilitation Society for Cripples. On the Board of Directors are many who are well-known for their services to the underprivileged and handicapped, and the Executive Secretary is J. L. Busfield, who has long been associated with comparable activities in the Red Cross and other organizations.

Half of the funds raised through the efforts of the Service Club in charge of the territory will be retained by that Club for local use for the benefit of cripples only, either adults or children. The other half will be forwarded to the Society, who will distribute it on a province-wide basis where the need is greatest and where rehabilitation work, both for children and grown-ups, can best be aided.

Youth, 17, Killed in Train - Auto Crash

Gaston Gibeault, 17, of Lachute Mills, was killed at the Hamford Street level crossing at 8 o'clock last evening, when a car driven by his brother, Reynald, 19, was struck by the eastbound passenger train.

The two youths were driving from Millway Street onto No. 8 Highway to proceed to Hawkesbury; they were in a Bouchard Drive-Yourself car. Reynald Gibeault told police officers that the auto stopped on the C.P.R. track and he was unable to restart it. Seeing the train approaching, he jumped clear, while warning his brother to do likewise. The younger brother, however, was caught in the crash. The locomotive carried the shattered car for almost half a mile, hurling the victim's body against the water tank beside the track, about 100 yards from the crossing.

Dr. Jules Lafleur, district coroner, sanctioned removal of the body after making his examination. Provincial and town police investigated the circumstances of the accident. A coroner's inquest will be held here this evening.

The train was in charge of R. McNally, engineer, and H. Carrière, conductor, both residing in Ottawa.

Father of the two youths is Alexandre Gibeault, a restaurant keeper on Princess Street.

Argenteuil Roads and Public Works Petitioned by Chamber of Commerce

At a meeting of Chamber of Commerce directors last Monday evening, under chairmanship of President J. R. Charron, there was unanimous approval that a representation be sent to Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., relative to road improvements and public works considered imperative in this county. The request covered the following recommendations:

(1) Completion of the Montreal highway (Route 8) between Belle Riviere and Lachute.

(2) Completion of the unfinished portion of Route 41 (Lachute to St. Jerome), extending two or three miles from the limits of this town.

(3) Improvement of Route 30 between Lachute and Morin Heights.

(4) Accelerated progress on Route 31 (Brownsburg to St. Jovite).

In the latter instance it was observed that cutting, filling and grading last season had extended only one mile — at which rate of progress, it was calculated this important highway would not be completed until 1990. It was therefore urged that, immediately after the period of thaw, this work be recommenced, and continued without interruption until the entire route is paved.

Argenteuil needs good roads, and it was felt by the Chamber of Commerce executive that the local deputy was the right man to press for execution of this work with the minimum of delay.

New Bridge Recommended

It was further decided that this petition should include the construction of a new highway bridge to replace the present Barron's Bridge, which has become inadequate for present traffic volume — numerous accidents having also proved it a source of danger. The petition will recommend planning and location of this bridge to give more direct access from both Chatham Street and Brownsburg Road at its northern approach.

Many other plans were discussed by the Chamber officers—projects which require further study before action can be outlined. It was considered in the meantime, however, that government agreement to the foregoing works would achieve a dual aim — in creating employment for the local population, and in filling the transit needs of this county.

The meeting was held at the president's office on Main Street.

Bank Manager Faces Charges Of Embezzlement

A well known figure in this county, Romeo Monty, manager of Grenville branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, faces embezzlement charges involving the disappearance from his bank of $120,000 in customers' funds and securities. Mr. Monty, who has been manager at Grenville for the past 21 years and has enjoyed the friendship and confidence of the neighborhood, faced charges before Justice Hermann Barrette at St. Jerome last Friday. He was released on bail of $5,000 and will appear for trial at St. Jerome on April 14.

Investigation into the case was started a month ago by the Quebec supervisor's department of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Montreal and the inspectors' office of the bank's headquarters in Toronto. This came after alleged discrepancies in the branch's books had been noticed by an inspector last month. Mr. Monty was relieved of his duties when bank headquarters ordered an investigation of the books.

Romeo Monty, now 54, joined the bank staff in 1912. Prior to assuming the management at Grenville in 1929, he served at other branches of the bank.

Argentia, Nfld. (CP) — Seamen at the U.S. army dock at Argentia were no match for the landlubbers of a local railway union. The railwaymen challenged the tars to a rowing race and edged the army boat by less than an oar's length.

President Donald Gordon Proposes Plans for C.N.R. Finance Reorganizing

Ottawa (CP) —

A $1,000,000,000 financial reorganization plan for the government-owned Canadian National Railways has been placed before the Royal Commission of Transportation by C.N.R. President Donald Gordon. His proposals were largely a matter of book-keeping between the railway and the government, and would give the company estimated savings of more than $50,000,000 a year to pull it out of the red.

Mr. Gordon's proposals called for wiping out interest payments on $760,000,000 worth of C.N.R. obligations held by the government, and the establishment by the government of $300,000,000 credit for the C.N.R.

The aim of reorganization was to let the C.N.R. operate, financially, in about the same manner as other railroads. At present the government taxes away the C.N.R.'s surpluses and then pays off its deficits.

British Industries

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The Blaw Knox B.K.12 Motor Grader, with 12 ft. blade, seen in operation in the New Forest area, England. The grader is powered with a 94 h.p. 6-cylinder diesel or an 83 h.p. 4-cylinder diesel engine, according to user's specification, and all mechanical controls are power operated. The front wheels are designed to lean at angles up to 30 degrees.

Big Agricultural Advance



The first post-war Smithfield Show to be held in London has shown revolutionary developments in British farm mechanization. Output from the factories is eight times greater than it was before the war, and implements are an important export. The Smithfield Show took place at the large Earls Court Exhibition Hall. Brightly painted agricultural machinery shared the interest of visitors with greatly improved strains in store cattle, dairy herds, sheep and pigs. . The new Ransomes MG.5 Motor Cultivator (above) is an all-purpose tractor, capable of heavy ploughing, cultivating and harrowing; the operator can ride on the machine.

Aircraft Squadrons Feature in Record Defence Budget Placed Before House

"WEEK AT OTTAWA" — by KEN METHERAL

Ottawa, March 21 (CP) — Debate in the House of Commons ended on a sober note last week-end as members heard Defence Minister Brooke Claxton tell them of Canada's preparations for a possible war.

If the country were attacked tomorrow, Mr. Claxton said, the attack probably would come from the sky.

Outlining Canada's defence planning as he opened study of a record $425,000,000 defence budget, the defence minister said that to meet the eventuality of an air attack, the R.C.A.F. is building a standing interceptor fighter force of "at least five squadrons" and the equivalent of about six other active squadrons ready for immediate action. The R.C.A.F. already has two interceptor squadrons and the "equivalent of seven other squadrons of one kind or another."

But a broader approach was being taken to defence, through co-operation of the Atlantic Pact nations. Mr. Claxton said they had agreed on a "strategic concept" for the integrated defence of the North Atlantic area. As part of this Canada had invited her allies to send 250 military officers here for training.

Officer training arrangements already exist with Britain, the United States and France, Mr. Claxton said. The other Atlantic Fact powers are Belgium, Holland, Portugal, Iceland, Italy, Norway, Luxembourg, and Denmark. It was possible that Canadians might later be sent to those countries under a similar training arrangement.

Dealing with local defence in Canada, Mr. Claxton said his department has "completed the stage of planning civil defence at the federal level." This was interpreted as meaning a master plan has been worked out to cope with the effects of air attacks on Canadian cities.

Bells Bring Vote

The traditional throne-speech debate came to an end in the House of Commons last week amid a clamor of division bells and a display of the Liberal party's overwhelming majority.

In swift tempo, the division bells rang out on the final day of the debate. And just as quickly the government's huge majority — largest in the history of the Canadian parliament — brushed aside two opposition motions of non-confidence in the government and approved the address in reply to the speech from the throne.

With a voting strength of 187 against a combined opposition of 71, the Liberals had no fear of a vote going against them.

Highlight of the speech from the throne was the government's announcement that additional assistance would be provided to help Canada's unemployed through the difficult winter months. The bill, providing for additional payments to about 100,000 job seekers, already has been passed and given royal assent.

Communications Boss

A new government-owned company is ready to go into business with a newly-appointed president. He is D. L. Howard, of Montreal, assistant general manager of Canadian Pacific Communications since 1945, who was named to head the Canadian Overseas Telecommunications Corporation.

The new company will nationalize the Dominion's external telecommunications under a Commonwealth agreement.

Business Blocks Undergo Changes

It is not so long ago that glistening new cars — English and Canadian — shared floor-space with trade-in stoves and assorted articles of hardware at Lachute's biggest west-end auto dealer's, Deacon Motor Sales Ltd. During the war period and immediately following, it is true there were few cars for sale, and none for display purposes. But times have changed, and new models now enjoy a brief stop-over in the showroom before buyers take them away for harder usage.

Similarly, the scene has changed at Geo. Y. Deacon's premises. The showroom has gone modern. Half of this large west-end store is now devoted to the display of automobiles and trucks, with streamlined offices and parts department painted in tasteful colors, and two-tone linoleum flooring. The hardware department confined to the east side of the store is being similarly modernized.

Another business block dating back to Lachute's early enterprises, the Farmers' Supply Company building on Foundry Street, is also undergoing a change. The Knights of Columbus recently vacated their spacious quarters at the west end of this block, and Farmers' Supply is removing partitions to include this in its floor-space. The transformation has revealed ornate woodwork and time-tested principles of construction dating back to the days of O. B. Lafleur & Sons, woodworkers and furniture makers, who erected this building in the earlier years of the century.

Fat men! Don't look now. . . Statistics show your average girth is increasing and men generally average a 34-inch waist-line against 31 in 1930.

Over 300 Present at Arundel "Parents' Night"

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — Over 300 parents and visitors attended the "Parents' Night" event, which was held in the new auditorium of the Arundel School.

Dr. Wm. Morrison opened the program, which was followed by the newly-formed Girls' Glee Club, who led the audience in "O Canada" and rendered a choral number "The Road to the Isles".

Guest speaker of the evening was the Rev. G. Barnett, who took as his subject "Education"; his discourse was closely followed by an interested audience. The prizes were then presented to the pupils by Mrs. E. A. Bulley, after which a clever skit in the form of a mock court trial was presented by a number of the older pupils. The program was brought to a close by a Glee Club selection and the singing of the national anthem.

The visitors were then invited by the chairman to inspect the various classrooms, where work by the pupils was exhibited. Refreshments, served in buffet style, brought the successful evening to a close.

Gatineau LINES

Incubators

This week's column is directed mainly toward our rural customers who are installing incubators, but it has a moral which may be helpful to urban residents as well.

Not long ago we asked our customers to advise us when they purchased new electrical equipment, so that we could install heavier transformer fuses where necessary to give them uninterrupted service. We pointed out that too heavy a demand for power frequently resulted in the blowing of pole fuses, installed to take care of a much lighter load.

Incubators are among the things we like to know about in advance — and in their case we have two reasons for wanting to hear about them. The first one is the general one mentioned above — that unless the power company is kept advised as to the kind of demand for power it must expect, overloaded circuit will result in blown fuses.

In the case of incubators, there is a further reason of extreme importance to the farmer. When we know that incubators are operating on any particular circuit, we make special efforts to keep the power flowing on that circuit — because cold incubators don't hatch any chicks. If power has to be cut off the line, to make repairs or changes, we try to advise the incubator owners in advance, telling them when the power is going off and how long it will be off. This gives them time to arrange other heating if it is necessary — and it relieves them of worry if the power break is going to be of short duration.

Obviously, however, we can't advise the incubator operator if we don't know he has an incubator. So if you have an incubator, or if you are installing one now, won't you please — for your own protection — get in touch with the nearest Gatineau office and tell them about it?

The same thing applies, in a variety of ways, for many other types of electrical appliances. Your power company can always give you better service for your appliances if it has an accurate idea of just what appliances you have and how often you are using them.

Did You Know?

That it takes only about one kilowatt hour of electricity — costing something less than two cents — to hatch each 25 chicks in an incubator.

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Farm Topics



Plant Fertilizers

Correct timing and placement of fertilizer can make the difference between success and failure of vegetable crops. In experiments with onions, celery, spinach and peas, it was determined that the best time for fertilization was at seeding or while transplanting. Best results were obtained by placing fertilizer deep enough to be in the area of abundant moisture.

To prevent burning, fertilizer was placed as close to plants or seeds as possible without actually contacting them. In most cases, placing it directly beneath the plant row gave best results, state officials of C-I-L's agricultural chemicals division.

For bed-planted vegetables, they claim, it is best to place fertilizer two inches to each side of the plant row and about one inch below the seed. With such crops as transplanted onions, placing the fertilizer two inches deep and directly under the plant may prove even better.

Further benefits may be realized if a side dressing of ammonium nitrate or other high nitrogen fertilizer is applied during summer and worked into the ground adjacent to the plants. The nitrogen is immediately available to the root system ond results in the development of strong, healthy plants.

Tests conducted last summer showed that band fertilizing is more effective than the broadcast method, especially with onions and annual legume crops because of their shallow root system. Plants with well extended root systems such as potatoes, beets ond tomatoes showed less response to banding since they have more soil area to draw from.

Development of New Oat Varieties

New varieties are always in demand either as a means of better crop insurance and higher yields or of creating a wider seed market.

In eastern Canada, several new oat varieties have been introduced during the past few years. With few exceptions these varieties have been found adapted for limited areas only and have not spread to any extent beyond these limits. The varieties Erban, Ajax and Beaver, however, have shown fairly wide adaptability and are being grown in all eastern provinces. While a variety possessing wide adaptability as regards soil ond climate is favored, the trend in variety improvement in recent years appears to be toward the development of varieties adapted more particularly for conditions prevailing in smaller areas. Such a trend will naturally increase the number of varieties but will help in solving variety problems for local conditions, says R. A. Derick, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

No new oat varieties were licensed for sale in Canada in 1949. The introduction of several new oat varieties in the U.S.A., particularly in the north central states, has created interest among Canadian growers. Most of these varieties are resistant to some of the races of stem rust to which the commonly grown Canadian varieties are susceptible. Some of these have excellent straw. None, however, has proved superior in yield to our own varieties in tests conducted by the experimental institutions and cannot therefore be recommended. Furthermore, during the past two years there has been a substantial increase of certain crown or leaf rust races both in the U.S. and Canada, to which these American varieties are susceptible. The plant breeders are finding it difficult to cope with the ever-changing disease problems and as a result, newly developed hybrid strains, which might have been released are being held back until further disease resistance can be incorporated into

Plant breeders who are responsible for the development and introduction of new varieties are usually cautious in making recommendations as regards adaptability, disease resistance, maturity, and so forth. Such recommendations are based on extensive tests covering different conditions of soil and climate, but do not always apply to individual farms or even to local conditions. Small soil differences, lack of good drainage, low fertility, weeds or other factors may offer sufficient handicaps to the performance of a new variety to condemn it in the opinion of the grower.

Canadian Sawing and Chopping Aces



Dominique Chenard, of Le Bic, Rimouski County, Que., representative of the Quebec North Shore Company, of Baie Comeau, (bottom photo), won the combined bucksaw and woodchopping championship, and the bucksaw crown, at a contest held at the recent Montreal Sportsmen's Exhibition, and sponsored by the Canadian Pulp and Paper Association. Chenard also holds the record for a single cut, for sawing through a ten-inch spruce log in 7.2 seconds. Yvon Larochelle, 21, of Noranda, (upper right), representing the Canadian International Paper Company, is Canada's new chopping champion and was runner-up in the bucksaw contest. Ludovic Cyr (upper left), of Pellegrin, Gaspe County, who represented the Ontario Paper Co. Ltd., Heron Bay, Ont., came third in the bucksaw championship. The contests began in pulpwood camps in Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick, and aimed to feature the all-important role of the pulpwood cutter in Canada's largest industry.

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Around the Country

— Jim Greenblat —

Charged at Haileybury with theft of a heifer which was found butchered without being skinned, a couple swore before Magistrate Atkinson they thought it was a deer; it was so dark they couldn't see the sights of their own rifles. . Paul Coe, of Tribune, Sask., did some spring plowing last December, the weather was so nice. . At Prongua, Sask., V. Water was breaking some scrub land late last fall, came across a rose bush which tipped 11 feet 5 inches from top to bottom. . . John Monkhouse, who has been with a tailoring shop in Stouffville, Ont., continuously for 57 years, thinks it's time to retire—and does, closing his shop. . At the tiny community of Cooper, north of Queensborough, Ont., they boast a new covered rink containing 52,000 feet of 2-inch planking, built entirely by the hockey boys of the place and public spirited citizens; not bad for a population of 130 souls. . .The winter harvest of fish from the water of Great Slave Lake in the Peace River area brings a new season's record of 4,000,000 lbs. . In Meota, Sask., Ole Iverson met up with William Schaefer of Cavalier who handed over $50 saying it was a bet made back in 1924 that the Wheat Pool wouldn't last 25 years; Ole had forgotten, and naturally was astounded at the honesty of mankind.

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People Prefer to Read

THE PUBLIC'S preference for getting information from the printed word has been demonstrated by a survey taken among employees of one of Canada's big paper plants. . . And one of the best ways to get information to the public, the survey showed, is through local weekly newspapers.

The survey was made last November among 500 employees in Northern Ontario paper plants, a "sample" cross-section of the whole working force. The poll was to help the company decide how best to give information about its policies and operations to employees and others living in the mill communities.

Some of the results of the survey have been published by the weekly Fort Frances (Ont.) Times.

A company house organ was ranked at the top of the list. Seventy-seven per cent of employees chose this organ as one of the best ways to get information about the company.

Local newspapers also ranked high on the list.

Nearly two out of three (63 per cent) chose their local newspaper as one of the best ways to get information about the company.

Nearly four out of five (79 per cent) said they read every issue of the local newspaper.

More than half (54 per cent) said they remembered advertisements about the company in the newspaper.

As a result, the company has decided to continue to publish in the local press significant news items and advertisements.

It is a decision which other companies can follow with advantage. The local weekly, which goes into hundreds of homes in a compact area, has always been and will continue to be an excellent medium for informing the public.

"GATINEAU LINES" this week deals with a subject of special interest to poultry raisers, of whom there are many among rural readers of The Watchman. An understanding of power supply to such appliances as incubators and electric devices in agricultural usage — in fact, in any other line of production — may count in terms of dollars and cents to the power consumer. A regular perusal of these topics will prove profitable all round.

In Fond Anticipation

ALREADY there are a few ardent anglers overhauling their tackle — inspecting rod and reel with a critical eye, appraising their stock of baits, and listing prospective purchases. The season does not open for a few weeks yet (April 19 for most varieties of trout). However, the perennial handbook issued by Quebec's Department of Fish and Game is in circulation; and in the interests of law-abiding recreation it is not too early to peruse some of the restrictions in force this season, as follows:

It is unlawful — For any non-resident in the Province to fish without license, even if that person is the lessee of the fishing rights or the member of a club.

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For any person to fish, without permission of the lessee, in any territory under lease.

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To pollute the waters of lakes or rivers by throwing, depositing or introducing in these waters chemical substances, lime, poisonous matters, mill rubbish or any other deleterious substance.

To buy, export, sell, offer for sale or to possess for purposes of sale, speckled trout, rainbow trout, brown trout, ouananiche, landlocked salmon, bass and maskinonge.

Fishing for speckled trout, brown trout and Quebec red trout through the ice is prohibited.

Husbands, On Guard!

SCIENCE was bound to outsmart itself sooner or later. People took the A-bomb and the H-bomb calmly but the latest scientific gadget is carrying things a bit too far.

This little abomination goes by the deceptively-innocent name "sleep-learner". It's a tiny speaker which, placed under a pillow, broadcasts messages to your brain from a phonograph or tape recorder while you sleep.

Psychologists think it can teach people such things as languages. The theory is that the messages are suggested to your subconscious mind and that in no time they become implanted in your memory.

Sounds fine, doesn't it? Learn while you sleep. Be a brain without strain. But the frightening possibilities of the thing are apparent in the illustration psychologists in Washington used to prove its efficiency.

A wife, they said, was eager to feed her husband salads. The husband balked, until she hid this little treasure under his pillow. In three weeks the poor unsuspecting husband was begging his wife for salads, imploring her to take that nasty steak away.

Husbands, can you see what a future with this insidious mechanism could mean? You face a life of slavery to a little gadget hidden under your pillow or tucked in your bedsprings.

A few suggestions from your wife-recorder and you'll be doing dishes for the rest of your life. Washing as well as drying. When you feel an urge to stay out with the boys a conflicting inner compulsion will jet-propel you home.

We suggest vigilance. If you find yourself shunning your usual minor vices, if you start calling for milk at a stag party and swearing off penny-ante — look under your pillow!

THERE seems a natural reticence on the part of folks on the land to admit ever having made a dollar. According to a recent survey, however, the farmer isn't doing too badly at all. In fact, his cash income has the average buckaroo in town backed right off the map.

— Lindsay (Ont.) Watchman-Warder

Old Age Security

— M. V. Trayers —

Two weeks ago we wrote in these columns: "A system of combining a citizen's savings with a federal contribution to build up a retirement allowance is in the blueprint stage at Ottawa, and although all the major political parties approve of it, it rests discarded in a pigeon-hole — while all the time the people whom it would serve are growing older, more numerous and more dependent."

Since that article appeared the blueprint has been taken from the pigeon-hole and is being dusted off, following a resolution by the Hon. Paul Martin, Minister of National Health and Welfare, to establish a Joint Committee of the House of Commons and the Senate to investigate the question of Old Age Security.

Because of the amount of local interest centred in this question — as shown by our correspondence following publication of the article, as well as personal conversations — we should like to return to the subject and examine it in the light of the Government's action.

The appointment of a committee by the government to study a subject of immediate interest to the people (and of, perhaps, embarrassing possibilities to the government), has often provided a means of shelving the question until a hope-deferred public grow weary and discouraged and lose interest in any tangible compensations.

We do not infer that this is so in the present instance, we do not know. But we have become circumspect of "joint committees" and all that they entail. There is one clause in the terms of reference as laid down by the Government which bids us hope that a practical scheme may be developed without too much delay, and that is "that any improved old age security plan suggested by the committee must be ready for consideration at the federal-provincial conference this fall."

Labour Unions estimate that the cost of a $100 a month pension for workers retiring at 65 years of age would cost industry over 21 cents an hour. Those who are against the proposition that industry should be required to pay employee pensions and health and welfare benefits, say that only the largest companies in Canada could conceivably carry the load. Indeed, many go further and argue that such plans are away up in the air even for the most powerful industrial units. Furthermore, some of these pension contracts, they contend, are simply "pie in the sky". The workers are dreaming of benefits which could vanish overnight into thin air.

A pension plan, to mean anything, must have a fund behind it to guarantee payment at all times without consideration of whether the business and profits of industry are good or bad. Some companies have recently granted pensions of $100 a month to retiring employees, but this contract is predicated on the assumption that business enables this sum to be paid. It is paid while current profits permit. If bad times should recur such pensions are suspended or stopped altogether. A pensioner takes his chance with the worker within the plant, so far as security is concerned.

According to the resolution placed before the House on March 10, the Government attaches great importance to improving old age security in Canada. The object is to develop the best possible old age and retirement system that can be devised, with full consideration for the well-being of all Canadians. There are several points which must be considered to achieve this. The people must understand where the money they want for their old age is to come from; they must be assured that the plan is practical and within their capacity to pay, and most important of all, the system developed must be enacted as law without undue delay.

In order to secure the information necessary to develop such a plan it will be necessary to have the support of all parties in the house; a means must be provided to allow an expression of public opinion to be heard; representatives of labour, industry, agriculture and social services should be heard; the relative areas of jurisdiction of both the federal and provincial governments must be defined; pension plans of other countries must be examined and assessed; and the study must include both forms of contributory and non-contributory pensions, including consideration of the "means test" in this and other countries.

The present limited form of Old Age Pension was introduced in 1927. In 1930 there were 42,000 old people in receipt of pensions. This number had increased to 293,000 last year — over seven times as many. In 1944 the amount paid out in pensions under our "means test" scheme was $33,500,000 of federal money. It is expected that this amount will be increased to $103,000,000 to cover the cost of Old Age Pensions for the present year. In addition to that amount between $34 and $35 millions are paid by the provincial governments. Since the present scheme was introduced in 1927 the sum of $867,000,000 has been paid out in pensions to the old age pensioners of Canada; this includes pensions to the blind.

In considering a pension plan there are three changing factors — the age at which the pension is to be paid; the amount of the pension; and the pensioner's personal circumstances. If a universal system of pensions were adopted payable at 65 years, there would be 1,101,400 persons eligible for benefits in this country in the present year. The cost in payments and administration would run into the sum of $660,840,000 (in our last article we inadvertently quoted the figure as over $600 billion).

As far as cost is concerned, labour is never much impressed with the contention that industry cannot afford to meet its demands. If the cry of financial ability had always been taken seriously, through the years, many thousands of workers would still be struggling along on pre-war wage scales. In the past when labour demanded higher wages, industrial leaders were wont to cry "Ruin". After the contract was signed and the demands met, industry reported bigger and better balances. Industry may get rid of its obligation by passing the cost of pensions along to the consumer. So what! One means is as good as another to make people provide for their old age. Whether it's higher costs, or savings, what is the difference, so long as their declining years are spent in comfort and security.

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Fort Frances, Ont. (CP) — An officer of the R.C.M.P. visited Fort Frances recently to talk to school students about good citizenship and respect for law enforcement officers. The visit was part of an R.C.M.P. educational program to curb juvenile delinquency.

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and

George F. Calder, T. Brassard, Bank of Montreal, Dame Alice Dew, Mis-en-cause.

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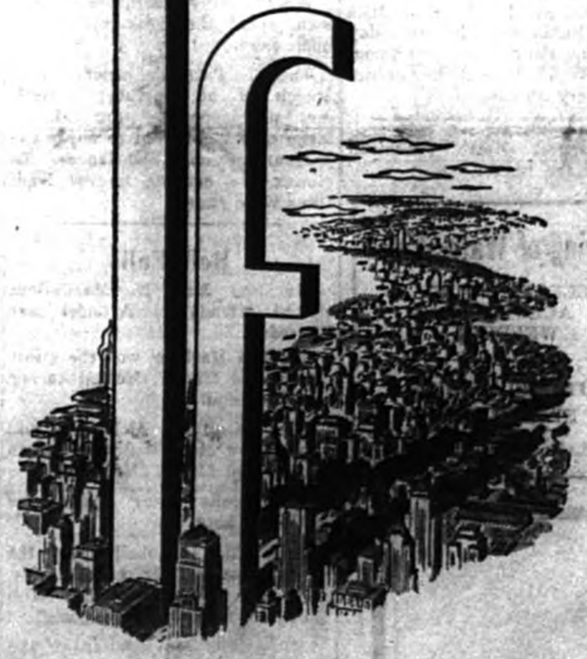
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FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Morin Heights

Miss Joan Gillingham and Mr. David Wells were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham.

Messrs. Wm. R. and Graeme Bell spent the week-end at their home here.

Mrs. E. Johnson, of Montreal, accompanied by her daughter, Margaret, and Miss Grace Bennett, spent the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. M. Blakely spent Monday in Montreal.

Mishap to Skier

Miss Beverley Earle had the misfortune to sprain her ankle while ski-joring on Sunday. This was the same ankle she fractured just about a year ago on Mt. Gabriel.

Tea and Sale Held

The Guild of Trinity Anglican Church held an afternoon tea and sale of home-cooking in the Red Cross room on Friday afternoon. The home-cooking table was artistically arranged by Mrs. Leslie Williams. Decorations were carried out with the traditional shamrocks, with green candles set in a base of Irish "murphy's". Proceeds amounted to $36.

St. Patrick's Dance

On Friday night a St. Patrick's dance sponsored by the Student Council of the Morin Heights Intermediate School was held at "The Commons". The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion. Music was provided by the Carruthers Bros., Freeman Kilpatrick, Mrs. R. J. Seale and Miss Vera McCullough, with Messrs. Wm. J. Seale and Wm. Baldwin calling the sets.

Door prizes donated by Messrs. F. T. Watchorn and J. E. Brown were won by Mrs. Leslie Seale and Mr. Reg Meldrum. Two additional prizes donated by Mr. Chas. Lavoie were won by Mrs. F. T. Watchorn and Miss Vera McCulloough.

An enjoyable evening was spent by all present. Substantial proceeds were realized.

Cushing

Mr. Arthur Weir, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with relatives in Cushing.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham.

Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon, who has been a patient in Dr. Smith's Hospital for a short time with a broken bone in her wrist, spent part of this week at the home of her brother, Mr. Roy Dobbie.

Mrs. I. H. Fuller, of the Fuller Road, was the guest of her sisters, the Misses Bryerton, of Verdun, for several days last week.

Mr. F. Pitt and son, of Montreal, visited their summer home here last Sunday.

St. Andrews East

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald de la Ronde were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. de la Ronde.

Mrs. Thos. MacAdam, who has spent the winter in Lachute, has now returned to her home here.

Dr. Will Pitcairn, of Como, Que., visited his mother at "Sunnybank" on Friday.

Miss F. C. MacKay, of the Embassy of India at Washington, D.C., visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hungerbuhler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brown and family, of Montreal, spent Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dorion.

The St. Patrick's tea on Friday, March 17, was well attended. Gay St. Patrick decorations and Irish music added to the attractiveness of the afternoon program.

Shaddock is another name for grapefruit.

Cushing West

Miss Ora Watson and Miss Jean Simon spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson.

Sgt. M. Akeson, of Montreal, is spending a two weeks' vacation here with his wife and family.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir spent the week-end in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker, and on their return were accompanied by their grandson, Donald Stalker.

Miss Jennie Leclair arrived home Monday from Dr. Smith's Hospital, Hawkesbury, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis; friends wish her a speedy convalescence.

Mrs. S. Campbell and Miss Grace McMeekin are spending some time at the home of Mr. C. J. Hartley.

Mr. F. Pitt and son, Danny, of Montreal, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott.

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(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bisset and son, Tommy, spent Sunday at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Vowles spent a few days in Brownsburg, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Vowles.

Calumet

Miss Marjorie Whinfield, nurse-in-training at Ottawa Civic Hospital, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Whinfield.

Miss Evie Welden, of Lachute, spent the week-end here as the guest of Miss Rosemary Whinfield.

Guests at the home of Miss Bunny Robinson last week-end were Mr. Milton Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. G. Robinson, and the Misses Nancy and Bess Marshall, all of Montreal.

Miss Olive McVicar, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Brannan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas and ittle daughters, Linda and Heather, were guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. Druce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. White and small son, Michael, have moved into their new home over on the highway; their many friends wish them happiness there.

Miss Burald Dumoulin, accompanied by her sisters, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Montreal.

The ladies of the United Church held a tea at the home of Miss Bunny Robinson on Saturday afternoon. Fancy work and home-cooking were sold, and the venture proved very successful.

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Miss M. D. McOuat $10, Mrs. E. V. Martin $15, Miss Marie-Ange Millette $25, Miss Janet Montgomery $10, P. O. Ness $10, Albert Paquette $12.50, Gertrude Parisien $25, T. G. Pasco $50, Miss Ludivine Pharand $25, Miss Joan P. Phillips $25, Francis Pressault $12, Miss J. Prud'homme $25, Miss Cecile Ranger $12.50, Miss Evelyn Ranger $12.50, Miss Cecile Raymond $12, J. D. Raymond $25.

Miss Rollande Raymond $12, John Roberts $12, Miss Alice Rochon $25, Miss Huguette Rochon $25, Paul Emile Roy $25, Rodolphe Sabourin $25, G. Scudamore $25, Ernest Tasse $12, Donat Tessier $25, Jas. Thompson $12.50, Alvin Tomalty 25, A. B. Waller $50, Harry White $25, Winnie White $12.50.

Grenville North

Mr. and Mrs. W. Heatlie, of Lachute, also Mrs. Eddie Mathew, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett.

Miss Lilly Murray is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Matthew in Kilmar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crooks and family are planning to move to Dallas, Texas, in the near future.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crooks were Messrs. Chas. Lindsay, Elder Brown and Elder Duffin, all from the State of Idaho.

Mr. John Richardson, Sr., is spending a few days in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thorburn and son, Wayne, of Lachute, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young.

Miss Mabel Younge, also Mr. Asa Younge, spent the week-end in Avoca.

Miss Dorothy MacIntyre, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home here.

The St. Patrick's concert, held March 18 at MacIntyre's Hall, met with popular approval. A large crowd gathered to enjoy the program of songs and dances. To climax the evening a few Irish films were shown.

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. N. MacCallum visited friends in Arundel last Thursday.

Mr. Len Harbour was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. McNeil during the week-end.

Miss Kathleen McMahon and Miss Helen McMahon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. McMahon.

Mr. Leslie Kerr spent the week-end here.

Miss Ella Campbell spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell. Miss Eleanor Fox was also a guest.

Mr. Alvin McVicar spent the week-end at Kilmar as the guest of Mr. D. Moncrieff.

Church Notes

The play held in Campbell's Hall by the Ladies' Aid last Friday was a notable success.

Mrs. A. I. Brown, superintendent of the Bell Falls Sunday School, entertained the boys and girls to a sliding party last Saturday evening. Supper was served afterwards and a social evening was enjoyed.

Service will be held in Harrington United Church at 11 a.m.; everyone is cordially invited to attend.

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Grenville Consolidated School News

By Martha Richardson

A successful Education Week program was carried out by the pupils and staff. Each day various themes and purposes of Education Week were explained to the pupils. The main idea was to make everyone aware of the values to be derived from schooling. The Rev. P. R. Stote addressed the pupils on Thursday, his topic being "Education for Citizenship". The pupils enjoyed this talk, and carried away many new ideas concerning the purposes of school life. The week's observance terminated with a parents' day program, which was reported in last week's Watchman.

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Recently Mr. Earl Morrison, of L.H.S., visited the school to ascertain to what extent this school intends taking part in the Music Festival.

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Spring must be here — that is, if marble-playing is an indication. On all sides of the playrooms one can see many small folk busily engaged in this pastime.

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It will not be so long now until the Easter vacation arrives. The younger people will welcome the recess after the long winter. However, the school schedule calls for considerable study work before that time.

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Tickets for the raffle for the furnishing of the First-Aid Room are selling well. The draw will be made on April 6, the day school closes for Easter.

Local Curlers Visit Toronto

(Continued from page 1)

period it is scraped, pebbled and ready for curling within a half hour. In our competition play we found this made quite a difference and for some time could not get the run of the ice, which seemed to vary greatly. The same difficulty has been experienced by their own players and a further addition is being planned to have each part separate and which should eliminate this difficulty of untrue ice.

Just behind the lengthy plate glass windows is the dining-room where you can have a full course meal or light refreshments while still enjoying the skaters' or curlers' performance. Then there is the large auditorium where dances and entertainments are held; the ladies' lounge; the men's lounge and reading room; a barber shop, beauty parlor and therapeutical department and an entire floor devoted to living quarters for bachelor members who wish to reside at the Club.

While everything material pertaining to the Toronto Granite Club may be termed "gorgeous" what appealed to us most, as visitors, was the very cordial reception given us and the loyal way in which we were entertained. The very best was ours and without the asking, all of which made our visit a most happy exeperience, in which we hope at some time to reciprocate.

Total membership in this Club stands at 3,500 including 600 men and 130 lady curlers. A pleasing factor in membership here is that it is a family affair and affords pleasure and recreation to the young as well as the old.

We refrain from trying to describe the furnishings of the many lounges other than to say that they are rich and gorgeous, with priceless paintings of old masters and with its huge fireplace, the whole presenting a feeling of warmth and hospitality.

Visitors are always welcomed and may we say it is well worth while seeing.

Birth, Marriages and Deaths

Births, Marriages, Deaths and In Memoriam, etc., 75c; 5c per type line extra for verses with In Memoriam (estimate 6 words per type line).

BIRTH

GORMAN — To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gorman, of Lachute (née Gwen E. Spriggs) on March 18, 1950, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, a daughter, Gwenllian Ann. Both well.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

ELLIOTT — Mrs. W. J. Elliott wishes to thank friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted during her recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

DEWAR — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Edward Dewar, who passed away March 25, 1947. — Ever remembered by Ella, Herby and family.

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Loving and kind till the end of her days.
Sincere and true in heart and mind —
Beautiful memories she left behind.
Time has changed in many ways,
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At Curling Club

The week-end mixed bonspiel was well attended and, to all appearances, was enjoyed by the many contestants.

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The MacKimmie Trophy mixed bonspiel was keenly played, and in the semi-finals on Monday between F. E. Earle and R. A. Giles an extra end had to be played, in which the former won by a very close margin of one point. On the other sheet of ice, Geo. Muir was defeated by Skip H. Dion. Finals then were staged on Tuesday — Mrs. S. Drew, P. Carrière, Mrs. A. Hills, F. E. Earle (skip), vs. Mrs. R. Cairns, S. Wilson, Mrs. F. E. Earle, H. Dion (skip). These games all drew large audiences, and the competition was keen throughout. The winners received their presentation afterwards, when refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent.

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The match committee competition is now on the go, and will be followed by the Annual Invitation 'Spiel, in which some 70 rinks have entered. This will continue during next week and will call for some first-rate exhibitions of curling.

MOOSE WAS MAD

Quesnel, B.C. (CP)—A bull moose put on a single-handed blitz the other day on the Quesnel-Barkerville road and left in his wake four befuddled truckers. The cantankerous animal met the trucks singly and charged them, but veered off at the last moment without damage.

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11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"To Whom Shall We Go?".
7 p.m. Evening Service.
"Our Need of Christ".
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

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Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
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Saturday at 8 p.m. - Illustrated Missionary Lecture, "Among the Lepers on the Burma Road".
10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Preaching the Word.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Lenten Service, Wednesday at 8.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
Lenten service, Friday at 7.30 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
7.30 Evening Worship, Lachute.
Religious sound film:
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This religious film is based on the first Commandment, and shows how a group of modern young people applied it to life.

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"The Singing Church"
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11 a.m. Worship Service.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
Rev. J. Gordon Duncan, Pastor

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
BROWNSBURG
10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. Church
Happy Hour, Monday, 7 p.m.
Y.P. Fellowship, Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Thursday 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

Sunday Morning Broadcast
Tune in at 9.15 to Station C.K.S.F., Cornwall (dial 1200), and enjoy the Bible Lovers' Fellowship program conducted by the Rev. J. R. (John) Boyd, of Sudbury, Ont., formerly of Lachute.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Shawbridge, 9 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Mille Isles, 2.30 p.m.
Lakefield, 7 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Wednesday, March 29, Lenten service at 7.30 p.m.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
3 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Friday, March 24, Lenten service at 7.30 p.m.
Kilmar
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7.
Monday, Mar. 27, Y.P.U. motion pictures in sound and color. "Vegetable Insects" and "Canadian Woollens" (local subject).

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Notices of Entertainment, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed 60 cents.
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SALAD TEA, BROWNSB'G
The ladies of Laurentian Lodge L.O.B.A. will hold a salad tea and sale of home-cooking in the United Church hall, Brownsburg, on Saturday, April 1. Keep the date open. m9.23.30c

SUGAR PARTIES
The sugaring parties arranged annually at Hercule Legault's (on Route 30) will be held Sunday, March 26, April 2, 9 and 16. $1 per person. — Telephone 930-r-5. M30.2c

EASTER THANK-OFFERING
The Easter thank-offering meeting of the United Church W.M.S. will be held on Friday, March 24. The guest speaker will be Miss Jeanie King, Strangers' Secretary of the Montreal Presbyterial. All ladies of the church and friends are cordially invited. -1c

BEAN SUPPER
Branch No. 70, Canadian Legion, will hold a Bean Supper in the Legion Memorial Hall, Wednesday, March 29. (Please note correction of date — 29th March, not 21st March as stated in bulletin). -1c

Every Dominion election thousands who have the right to vote don't even bother to do so.

DISTRICT NEWS

Brownsburg

Mrs. Paul Brosseau, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Smillie.

Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of the late Mr. Nap Gagné, who passed away at his home in Rousillon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham, of Niagara Falls, Ont., were recent guests of Mrs. John Graham, Sr., and other relatives here.

Miss Ronnie Underwood, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Congratulations to Mr. W. J. Tomalty, who celebrated his 81st birthday on March 16. Mr. Tomalty is ill at present; his many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacAdam were—Mrs. Wm. Horner, of Ogdensburg, Miss Winona MacAdam, of Chapleau, Ont., Miss Elaine MacAdam, of Montreal, also Mr. Rodney Freeborn, of Chapleau, Ont.

Mrs. Thomas Izzard spent part of this week in Montreal.

Miss M. Vowles, of St. Eustache, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Vowles.

Mrs. Clifford Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kettyle, are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kettyle.

Young People of United Church

Another enjoyable evening was spent by the young folks at the United Church last Friday, at a "taffy" party. An interesting period of games, etc., conducted by Mrs. H. Elliott and Mrs. Jas. Thompson, was included in the program. Mrs. I. Bain, who prepared the taffy, was thanked by the group, as well as Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Thompson; also Miss Beverly Bain, for making the St. Patrick's prizes which the Rev. S. J. Pike presented to the winners.

Beautifully colored sound pictures will be shown at the meeting on Monday evening, at 7 o'clock, entitled "Vegetable Insects" and "Canadian Woollens", a local subject — to which the public are invited.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

To Hear Missionary From Burma Road

Miss Beth Albert, a missionary-nurse on the staff of the International Christian Leprosy Mission, who just returned to Canada from the scene of her labors on the Burma Road, will address a special rally in the Lachute Baptist Church this Saturday, at 8 p.m. Miss Albert is an outstanding speaker and will be showing beautifully colored 35 mm. slides, also curios.

The public are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association will convene in the Presbyterian Church hall, Lachute on March 27, at 10 a.m. The Rev. C. R. Lang will conduct the devotional period. The matter of the International Christian University will receive attention.

The clergy of Argenteuil County are cordially invited to attend.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Keith Clarke spent a few days in St. Lambert, Que., as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Clarke.

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Mr. George Warwick, of Ashton, Ont., is visiting his relatives in this vicinity.

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Miss Margaret Graham, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home in Lachute.

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Miss Lorna Sly and Mr. Gordon Sly were home from Montreal.

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Mr. R. J. Little, of Philadelphia, Pa., has been in Lachute this week addressing meetings at the Hugh Street Hall, and has been a guest at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Walker.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradford, of Montreal, were week-end guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albt. Stewart.

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Friends regret to hear that a former townsman, W. D. McOuat, has been obliged to give up his job as manager of Cockshutt Plow Company Limited, on account of ill health. However, Mr. McOuat with his wife and family will be cordially welcomed as residents of Lachute again in the near future.

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Mr. Robt. McLeod, of North Bay, Ont., spent the week-end here as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Gordon Elliott and Mr. Elliott.

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Miss Alma Riddell, of Montreal, was the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. Elder, last week-end.

Harrington

The St. Patrick's concert held in Campbell's Hall, sponsored by the Harrington Ladies' Aid, was well attended and proved a great success.

Master Brent Swail is a patient in the Reddy Memorial Hospital undergoing an appendicitis operation; friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. L. M. Marshall returned home recently after spending the winter in British Columbia.

Mrs. Geo. Poulter is in Ottawa visiting her son, who is a patient in the Civic Hospital.

This community extends to Mr. and Mrs. John Mapp and family sincere sympathy in the loss of their young son and brother, who died Monday of this week in the Alexander Hospital, Montreal.

Miss Betty Brown, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brown.

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Miss Joan Copeland, nurse-in-training at the Homoeophatic Hospital, Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bell Elliot and three daughters, of Montreal West, spent Sunday in Lachute and visited among friends.

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Mr. W. D. Graham, of Brownsburg, left last Wednesday by plane to visit his parents in Scotland, and will be back by the same route within his two weeks' vacation period at C-I-L.

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Miss Ellen Bompas, of Bell's Corners, Ont., paid on overnight visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Black last week. En route to Scotland to purchase Ayrshire cattle, in which she is a specialist, Miss Bompas was met at Dorval Airport by Mr. Black and his daughter; her trans-Atlantic flight being delayed through weather conditions, she then accompanied Mr. and Miss Black to their home in the meantime.

Gave Assistance in Recent Fashion Show

Mention was made in last issue of the businees houses and ladies who contributed to the success of the Legion Auxiliary's fashion show. Others who should have been included in this list are — Mme T. Ranger, Lachute, Lise Ladies' Wear, Brownsburg, and Mlle Lacasse, Brownsburg, who loaned costumes, garments and hats for display; also Miss Terry Lavis and Mme Marcel Ladouceur, who assisted as models.

Mrs. D. E. Chapman, of Notre Dame de Grace, visited her sisters, Mrs. Wilfred Morrison and Mrs. H. Riddell, last week-end.

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YORK BOLOGNA - 12 oz. tin 33¢
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La Vente des "Timbres de Pâques" pour apporter les Traitements aux Infirmes

Grâce à l'aide volontaire de nombreuses organisations s'occupant de service social à travers la province, un demi-million d'enveloppes est aujourd'hui en route, chacune contenant une feuille de timbres de Pâques de même qu'une lettre faisant appel à la générosité du destinataire en faveur des enfants et adultes infirmes.

Chaque classe de la société, de toute croyance et de toute race, est invitée par la Société des Timbres de Pâques de la Province de Québec à coopérer à cette oeuvre charitable et à contribuer au moins un dollar en retour pour l'artistique timbre de Pâques qui leur a été envoyé. Comme il n'y a pas de limite aux bienfaits que traitements et entraînements appropriés peuvent apporter aux infirmes, de même aucune borne n'est imposée à la générosité les gens qui témoigneront ainsi, à l'occasion de Pâques, leur reconnaissance pour leur propre bien-être.

Tout en étant partout assistée par toutes les organisations de service social, la Société, afin de faciliter l'administration, a choisi dans chaque ville un club à qui revient la responsabilité du territoire défini qui lui a été assigné. . . Dans cet endroit, c'est le Club Lions.

La Société des Timbres de Pâques de la Province de Québec est sous la direction de J. Arthur Laprés qui, depuis plusieurs années, est étroitement associé avec les oeuvres de service social et est aussi président de la nouvelle Société de Réhabilitation des Infirmes. Le Conseil des Directeurs est formé de personalités bien connues dans le domaine de l'aide aux nécessiteux et aux infirmes. Le Secrétaire-Exécutif est J. L. Busfield, intéressé de longue date dans de semblables activités avec la Société de la Croix Rouge et autres organisations.

La moitié des fonds obtenus grâce aux efforts du club responsable de chacun des territoires sera retenue par ce club au profit des infirmes, adultes ou enfants, de sa propre localité. L'autre part sera remise à la Société qui en fera une distribution équitable à travers la province, là où besoins les plus pressants et où l'oeuvre de réhabilitation peut en bénéficier le plus.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that ANTONIO TOUCHETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; JEAN-LOUIS BRISSETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne, widow not remarried of the late Edward Clark, in his lifetime Mechanic of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, and the said DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, universal legatee and sole testamentary executrix of the said late Edward Clark; and KENNETH CLARK, Riding-master, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME GRAZIELLA TIMMINS, wife contractually separate as to property of Honorable Donat Raymond, Senator, both domiciled at No. 3541 Ontario Avenue, in the City and District of Montreal; the said DONAT RAYMOND, herein acting to authorize his wife for all legal purposes; JONATHAN C. MEAKINS, Physician, domiciled at No. 1390 Sherbrooke Street West, in the City and District of Montreal, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec during the current session to have a bill passed confirming and enacting a reduction of THIRTY PER CENT (30%) in the value of the lots of land only appearing on the valuation roll of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, for the year 1950, and that the said valuation roll for 1950, thus amended shall be the valuation roll in force, and having force and effect, of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts for the year 1949 just elapsed, and the current year 1950, as well as for the three coming years, 1951, 1952 and 1953, as authorized by Section 485 of the Cities and Towns Act, subject however to the annual revision as mentioned in said Section 485.

Ste. Agathe des Monts.
March 8, 1950

— Jean Morin,
A6.4c Attorney for Petitioners.

Avoca

Mr. Thos. J. Young spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Samson McArthur, in Calumet.

Friends of Mr. Jos. Arthurs will be pleased to know he has returned home from the Royal Victoria Hospital much improved in health, and expects to leave for his home in the West this week.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates' on Sunday last were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates, Mr. and Mrs. John Bates and family, of Harrington, and Mr. John MacLean.

The Misses Marian and Catherine Nixon visited Miss Marguerite Provencal on Sunday last.

Friends of Mr. James Bates, of Lachute, will be sorry to know that he is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

The Red Cross canvasser wishes to thank all those who have contributed to the annual appeal. Will those who have not already done so, kindly send in their cards with donations to the post-office.

Arundel

Mr. Curll Staniforth, accompanied by the Misses V. Marshall and A. Wong, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Staniforth.

Miss Muriel Graham was home over the week-end.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke's were Mr. J. Gilfillan, Miss Lucille Dever and Miss Edythe Brocklehurst.

Mr. Gordon Tarlton and family spent the week-end at their cottage at Barkmere.

Miss Ethel Cooke spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cooke.

Miss Frances Davis, accompanied by a friend, Mr. Kitts, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stuart and family occupied their cottage at Bevan Lake over the week-end.

Handicraft Instruction

Miss Birch, handicraft instructress of Macdonald College, has just completed a week of instruction in felteraft and rug weaving to a class of Women's Institute members. Twelve felt bags were made during the course, also seven members were instructed in rug hooking. Classes were held afternoon and evening, and members were regular in attendance, showing the keen interest taken in this form of handicraft. The classes were held in the Maplewood Inn, by kindness of the management.

Dance Held

A successful complimentary dance took place at the Maplewood Inn on Saturday evening, at which there was a large attendance. Square dances were the order of the evening, and in between sets round dancing was also enjoyed. These dances are becoming more and more popular and the management are to be congratulated on their foresight in providing this form of entertainment not only for the many young people but for the older ones who like to "trip the light fantastic".

COURT-ROOM SCENE

Sherbrooke, Que. (CP) — A trial was delayed here when Mr. Justice W. E. Mitchell wanted a book from his chambers. The man who should get it — court crier J. Laplante — was asleep in his chair. Finally a policeman gently awoke the white-haired crier, who went for the book.

MAY USE MARSH SOILS

Amherst, N.S. (CP) — A recent meeting of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia agricultural officials discussed programs for rehabilitating Maritime marshlands. The meeting was told that experiments show the marshes have a higher natural fertility, in general, than upland soil.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Morin Heights

Mrs. Jack Watchorn and daughter, Judy, spent a couple of days in Montreal this week with her mother, Mrs. A. Bethell.

Mr. Wm. Dey, of Hemmingford, returned home on Sunday after visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Forsyth, for a few days last week.

Miss M. Birch, W.I. demonstrator from Macdonald College, is here this week giving a course on rug-making.

Miss Mildred Pollock is spending this week in Montreal visiting friends.

Mrs. E. Johnston, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. Hamilton and Mr. Hamilton.

Misses Margaret Johnston and Grace Bennett, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Keast, Mr. and Mrs. G. Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. J. Robertson were week-end guests of Mr. Albert Routledge at Rockcliff Inn.

Friends of Col. J. E. Seale will be sorry to hear that he is in hospital at West Palm Beach, Florida.

Mr. Ernie Dey, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Melvin Dey and Mrs. Dey.

Miss Bessie Scott, of Ponoka, Alta., and Miss Margaret Prous, of Brandon, Man., and Ste. Anne de Bellevue, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forsyth.

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SKI-ING EVENTS

Miss Doreen Elder spent the week-end at the Alpine Inn, St. Margaret's, taking part in the Women's International ski meet on Mount Baldy, and helped the Canadian team to defeat the American ladies in both the downhill and slalom, thus winning the coveted silver tray. Each member of both teams received sterling silver spoons.

Official results not being available at time of writing, no report can be given on the combined downhill, slalom and cross-country ski meet held on the Kicking Horse trail, Morin Heights, sponsored by the Morin Heights Ski Club. However, in the Midget downhill, sponsored by Ralph Earle, prizes were given out at the completion of the race to the following —

1 Ronald Dey; 2 Burrill Pollock, Penny Williams and Gordon Earle (tied).

Every other midget skier who entered the race got a small prize — all donated by Mr. Earle.

Morin Heights

(Intended for last issue)

Mrs. D. Théroux, of St. Jovite, has spent a few days as the guest of her uncle, Mr. Edgar Boyd and Mrs. Boyd.

Mr. Peter Jekill arrived by plane in Montreal last week from London, England, and spent Sunday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Earle and his uncle, Kennie Binns. He left that night from Dorval Airport for a holiday in Mexico, stopping off at New York for a few days. He expects to fly back to London early in April.

Mrs. J. H. Davis and daughter, Margaret, spent a day in Shawbridge as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Strong.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. Jack McCullough.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Campbell, with the president, Mrs. G. Watchorn, in the chair. About 25 ladies were present.

Miss Phyllis Seale spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Seale; Mr. Geo. McDowell was their guest also.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, of St. Donat, left for a vacation in Florida.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Pete Jordan, of Shawbridge, whose wife died recently after a long illness. Sympathy is also extended to Mrs. Mingie in the death of her husband, the Rev. Geo. Mingie, in Montreal; and to Mr. Edward E. Workman, of Montreal, in the sudden death of his wife. . . The Rev. Mingie (an uncle of Mrs. Lawson Kennedy and Miss Belle Russell) and Mr. Workman have had country homes here for a number of years and are well known in this vicinity.

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Rationing of butter during the war years taught us to spread the bread a little more thinly and to do without that delicious little pat of butter in the baked potato or on other cooked vegetables. Habits are easily formed, whether good or bad, but many of us are still foregoing a flavor treat as well as a good nutritional investment by continuing the habit of going easy on the butter.

No matter how good butter may be when purchased, care must be taken to retain its sweet flavor. Butter should always be stored in a cool, dry place, away from all foods which have a distinct odour or flavor, as it readily absorbs foreign flavors. It should be kept in a covered container or well wrapped in the parchment paper in which it is purchased.

Butter is so smooth and flavorful that it makes an excellent spread for bread or toast and it adds extra goodness to cookies, cakes, desserts, sauces and candies. The names "Butterscotch" or "Buttercrisp", where used in any of these products, bring to mind mouth-watering suggestions of flavor and texture.

Nothing beats a topping of crunchy buttered crumbs on a casserole dish. Often such a topping makes the family forget that they are eating leftovers.

Another idea for topping is used on biscuits. Use your favorite recipe for making powder biscuits but substitute ½ cup oatmeal for ½ cup of the flour. When the dough is rolled and cut, dip the tops of the biscuits in melted butter, then in cornmeal. Bake as usual in a hot oven, 400°F., and serve with butter and maple syrup, honey or jam.

The home economists of the Consumer Section at Ottawa, suggest trying the following recipes which they think are particularly good:

Apple Butterscotch Sauce

¼ Cup butter, ¾ cup brown sugar, 3 tablespoons cornstarch, pinch of salt, 2½ cups apple juice (20 oz. can).

Melt butter. Blend in sugar, cornstarch and salt. Cook until mixture is slightly browned. Add apple juice and cook, stirring constantly, until sauce thickens. Continue cooking for 5 minutes. Serve with steamed fruit pudding or hot gingerbread. Yield: six servings.

Butter Tarts

½ Cup butter, 1½ cups brown sugar, 1 teaspoon cornstarch, 2 eggs, 1 cup raisins or currants, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, pastry.

Cream the butter and sugar. Add cornstarch and cream well together. Add well beaten eggs, fruit and flavoring. Line muffin tins with pastry and fill almost to top with mixture. Bake in a very hot oven, 450°F., for 10 minutes. Reduce heat to 350°F., and continue baking until done, about 20 minutes. Yield: 24 small or 12 large tarts.

Butter Wafers

1 Cup melted butter, ¾ cup brown sugar, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1¾ cups sifted pastry flour (or 1½ cups sifted all-purpose flour), ½ teaspoon cream of tartar, ½ teaspoon baking soda.

Add butter to brown sugar, mixing well. Add vanilla and unbeaten egg and beat well. Mix and sift flour, cream of tartar and soda and add to creamed mixture. Drop by half teaspoonfuls well apart on an unbuttered baking sheet. Bake in a moderate oven, 350°F., for 5 minutes. Yield: eight dozen small wafers.

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Elegant Desserts

By Betty Barclay

Colonial fathers loved good food, and the colonial mothers enjoyed a reputation for good cooking. And, in those good old days, a woman's recipe was her own carefully guarded secret, set down in her own best hand in a sturdy little book designed to last through the years.

Mrs. Patrick Henry was famous for her pound cake, Martha Washington for her George Washington Pie, and Dolly Madison for her ice cream.

But these were secretly guarded recipes; whereas we generously present to you three luscious dessert recipes — just as elegant as any Mrs. Washington guarded so carefully. Try them the next time you're having a company meal, and you will be delighted with the results.

Washington Cream Pie

1 Package prepared vanilla pudding, 1½ cups cherry juice and water, 2½ cups (No. 2½ can) sweet cherries (drained), 1 baked 9-inch pie shell, ½ cup cream (whipped).

Place pudding powder in saucepan. Add cherry juice and water gradually, stirring constantly. Cook and stir over medium heat until mixture comes to a boil and is thickened. Remove from heat and cool to lukewarm. Fold in cherries. Turn into pie shell. Chill. Garnish with border of whipped cream.

Grape-Nuts Coffee Ice Cream

¼ Cup coffee, ¼ cup sugar, 1 cup milk, 16 marshmallows (cut), 2 cups cream whipped, ½ cup Grape-Nuts.

Combine coffee, sugar, and milk; heat over hot water until milk is scalded. Strain through cheesecloth. Return to double boiler; add marshmallows, stirring until melted. Chill. Fold in whipped cream. Turn into freezing tray of automatic refrigerator, setting control for coldest freezing temperature. Stir thoroughly once after first ½ hour of freezing, adding Grape-Nuts while stirring. Freezing time: about 3 hours. Makes 1 quart ice cream.

Princess Pudding

2 Egg yolks (slightly beaten), ½ cup sugar, ¾ teaspoon vanilla, ½ teaspoon double-acting baking powder, ⅛ teaspoon salt, 1 cup raisin bran, ½ cup chopped walnut meats, 2 egg whites (stiffly beaten).

Mix together egg yolks, sugar, and vanilla. Add baking powder, salt, and cereal, and mix well. Add nuts. Fold in egg whites. Turn into custard cups or small casserole. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Serve with fruit sauce or with sliced bananas and custard sauce. Makes 5 or 6 servings.

Note: If desired, use one of the egg yolks in the pudding and the other in the custard sauce.



CBC STAMP CLUB — Directors discuss new stamps and queries from members at one of the club meetings, which are broadcast Saturdays at 12.30 p.m. on CBC. Shown above (left to right) are CBC announcer and Stamp Club narrator Del Mott, junior vice-president George Metcalfe, producer Ian Reid, Martha Patterson who works on scripts, and president Douglas Patrick.

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OBITUARY

Death of Old Resident of Harrington Community

Late Mrs. Frank Provencal

The death of Mrs. Frank Provencal occurred on March 1 at the home of her son, Jos. E. Provencal, at Avoca, Que., in her 74th year. Her husband predeceased her five years ago.

Left to mourn her loss are five sons and four daughters, all residing in the district — Joseph E., of Avoca, John, of Kilmar, Elden, William and Frederick, Harrington, Mrs. Rupert Young (Amy), of Rivington, Mrs. Chas. Oswick (Dora), of Grenville, Mrs. Wesley Young (Lyda), Kilmar, and Mrs. George Page (Violet), of Calumet. She is survived also by 43 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren, and three brothers — one in Harrington and two in Montreal.

The Rev. S. J. Pike conducted the funeral service, and interment took place in Shaw's Cemetery.

Annual Meetings Held by Women's Inst. Branches

(Continued from page 1)

of Mrs. A. Kyle. The roll-call was answered by the payment of fees. Letters from the provincial and county presidents were read and discussed. The sum of $5 was voted to each of the following — Red Cross, Save the Children Fund and the Cancer Research Fund. Officers were elected for the coming year.

At Mille Isles the Q.W.I. financial statement and extracts from the minutes of the semi-annual board meeting were read. Letters received from Mrs. Thomson and Mrs. Leggett were read and discussed. A collection of old cotton and linen is to be made and sent to the Canadian Cancer Society. Yarn was distributed for the knitting of an afghan. Another parcel was sent to England, and a letter of thanks was read, from the recipient of a previous parcel. Conveners' reports and the branch annual report were presented. Officers were elected for the coming year.

Morin Heights had an attendance of 23 members and two guests at their meeting. The sum of $10 was donated to the Red Cross, $10 to the Canadian Cancer Society, and $5 to the Children's Memorial Hospital. A "military whist" is to be held on March 30. Another parcel is to be sent to England this month. The W.I. branch in England which receives a parcel from this group every month sent them a book entitled "The King's England, Arthur Mee's Lincolnshire", and three calendars. Officers for the coming year were elected, fees were paid and conveners' reports were read.

Pioneer held their annual meeting, with the installation of officers for the coming year. A gift was given to a sick member going to the hospital. A salad tea and sale of home-cooking was held. One member showed four beautiful hooked rugs she had made recently. All conveners gave splendid reports for the year ending March, 1950.

Twenty-five members and one guest were present at the annual meeting of Upper Lachute - East End W.I. Conveners' reports were given and the installation of officers was held. The sum of $10 was donated to the Cancer Research Fund and $5 was given as a prize to Grade V in Lachute High School. Current events were read.

To Attend Conference of Associated Country Women of the World

Plans ore taking shape for the sixth triennial conference of the Associated Country Women of the World, at Copenhagen, Denmark, on September 10-14, and a tentative program has been received by the Quebec Women's Institutes. The stress of the conference will be on Rural Welfare and discussions will be held under the following headings: (a) Rural Welfare and Improvement of Rural Living (b) Support of FAO (c) UNESCO (d) International hospitality and exchange of scholars. Miss Hocking, Rural Welfare Officer of the Rural Welfare Section of FAO, will lead in an open forum on the last evening of the conference.

A photographic display showing women working on the land is being prepared and each constituent society has been asked to submit entries. A thumbnail sketch, with picture, of their delegate has also been requested, and a brief summary of the activities of the organization since the last triennial conference.

Mrs. R. Thomson, of Abotsford, Q.W.I. president, will be one of a party of about 25 Canadian women representing the various provincial Institutes. This will be headed by Mrs. E. E. Morton, Vegreville, Alta., national president of the F.W.I.C. Their itinerary will include a week-end at Denman College prior to the conference, and a tour of several European countries where they will be officially received.

Former Lachute Lady Dies in Massachusetts

Late Mrs. Margaret Neil

Mrs. Margaret W. Neil, of Malden, Mass., retired school teacher and wife of the late Andrew Neil, passed away February 27 at the Norwood Hospital, where she had been a patient for the past six weeks. She was 75 years of age, and had enjoyed good health until two months previous to her death.

The late Mrs. Neil was born at Lachute, a daughter of the late Ward Smith and Jane Tees. She went to Malden as a bride in 1910.

One and one-half years later she was doubly bereaved by the deaths of her newly-born son and her husband, who passed away within two days of each other; and shortly thereafter she resumed the teaching career she had begun in Canada several years before her marriage.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Helen J. Neil, 38 Hancock Street (widow of her husband's brother, the late Henry W. Neil, who passed away 10 years ago); three nieces, Mrs. Frederick H. Elliott, of Malden, Mrs. Frank P. Reynolds, of East Walpole, and Mrs. Dale E. Washburn, of Melrose; also several nieces and nephews in Canada.

The Rev. David Harold Hickey, pastor of the Robinson Memorial Methodist Church, officiated at the funeral, which was held at the Cowan funeral home. Burial was at the Forest Dale Cemetery.

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AT THE ARENA
By John H. Dunne

(Continued from page 1)

Your correspondent would like to thank everybody connected with sports in this and the neighboring counties, for the support he has received in the past five seasons. It is undoubtedly our last season, because unfortunately the present-day hockey and skating business cannot hope to compete in black ink, burdened as it is with heavy taxes. Readers may not understand or agree — but how can an Arena, run by private enterprise, survive, let alone make necessary improvements, when it receives 35% before expenses are deducted and the Provincial Government receives 14% clear! . . This is written not in haste or rancor against the present government; it is the law, but it is killing competitive sports.

The backers of the four clubs in the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League are also very fortunate if they are on the right side of the ledger after meeting their expenses. The old adage reads, "You have to like hockey to be in hockey"; but as always, in everything, sometime you reach your limit.

MEN'S CURLING ON PAGE 4.

There has been a decrease in the inventories of canned applesauce in Canada. . . Result of a heavy election campaign?

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Lady Curlers Receive Season's Trophies

Gala Days last Monday and Tuesday passed off successfully at the Ladies' Curling Club, and on the latter day there were around 80 active and associate members at the supper preceding presentation of the season's prizes. Mrs. K. Campbell, president, thanked the officers and committees of the club for their efforts contributing to a successful season. . . (The season's prize-list is published hereunder.)

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Holders of the Wilson Challenge Cup retained the trophy in a game staged at the rink on Wednesday — Mrs. Douglas McGibbon skipping the challengers against Mrs. W. M. Cottingham. The two teams comprised —

Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, Mrs. K. Campbell, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip).

Mrs. R. Cairns, Mrs. D. McTavish, Mrs. H. Rigg, Mrs. D. McGibbon (skip).

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Today (Thursday) two ladies' rinks are playing at Seigniory Club for a Hawkesbury Centre trophy, the Cottingham Cup. The local teams include —

Mrs. J. McIndoe, Miss Janet McOuat, Mrs. T. Bishop, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell (skip).

Mrs. G. F. Calder, Mrs A. Hills, Mrs. J. R. McOuat, Mrs. W. K. McArthur (skip)

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Following were the season's awards presented last Tuesday:

Club Trophy — Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. S. Milnes, Miss L. Giles, Mrs. D. McGibbon.

Mrs. Calder's Prize — Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Mrs. J. Barbour, Mrs. E. H. Wilson.

President's Prize — Mrs. E. Dixon, Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie.

Junior Trophy (late Mrs. J. MacGibbon's Prize) — Mrs. S. Forbes, Miss M. Millar, Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. A. Ogilvy.

Vice-President's Prize — Mrs. F. Legault, Mrs. G. Muir, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. J. R. Charron.

Mrs. Charron's Prize for Leads and Seconds — Mrs. S. Forbes, Miss M. Miller, Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. H. Morrison.

Mrs. Wilson's Spoons — Mrs. Homel, Mrs. C. Maclean, Mrs. S. Patterson, Mrs. D. MacGibbon.

Mrs. J. R. McOuat's Prize for Skips and Thirds — Miss A. Riddell, Mrs. L. J. King, Mrs. C. D. Richardson, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell.

Match Committee's Prize (Sr. and Jr. Bonspiel) — Miss A. Riddell, Mrs. G. F. Calder, Mrs. D. MacGibbon, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham.

Mrs. L. Cruise, Miss F. A. Carriere, Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. D. MacTavish.

Mrs. Bishop's Prize for Main Event (Gala Day) — Mrs. H. Kerr, Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. J. Barbour, Mrs. MacNeill.

Mrs. King's Prize for Consolation Event (Gala Day) — Miss L. Harrison, Miss M. Scott, Miss A. Riddell, Mrs. G. G. Mitchell.

Mrs. Cottingham's Trophy for Singles — Mrs. H. Rigg.

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Lachute United League Bowling Schedule Ends

The Lachute United Church Bowling League concluded its regular playing season on Monday, after 14 weeks of keen interest to all the members. The Red Cross team (Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne) finished at the top of the league, followed closely by teams skipped by L. W. Hammond, Wayne Riddell and Merlin Evans.

The first eight teams in the league standing enter the play-offs, but these were not fully decided until the last game on Monday night. The first play-off games will be staged on Monday next, and the semi-finals and finals will be contested on the following Monday, April 3.

In conclusion, on Monday, April 10, there will be a social evening, when prizes will be presented to the winners and the season will officially close.

The first play-off games will be played as follows:

7.30 p.m. Red Cross B vs. Y.P.U.
7.30 p.m. Mission Band vs. Y.W.A.
8.30 p.m. S.S. Teachers vs. W.M.S. Blues
8.30 p.m. The Raps vs. The Vikings

Final Standing, United Ch. Bowling League

Team and Skip	P	W	D	L	For	Agst.	Pts.
Red Cross B (Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne)	14	9	1	4	135	96	19
The Raps (L. W. Hammond)	14	9	0	5	128	99	18
Mission Band (Wayne Riddell)	14	9	0	5	108	108	18
W.M.S. Blues (Mrs. M. Tillotson)	14	8	1	5	127	105	17
S.S. Teachers (Merlin Evans)	14	8	0	6	133	87	16
Young Women's Aux. (Mrs. E. Laurin)	14	8	0	6	119	102	16
The Vikings (Mary Jacobsen)	14	6	1	7	98	127	13
Young People's U. (Catherine Gauley)	14	6	0	8	114	119	12
(Above eight teams enter play-offs)							
Red Cross A (Mrs. E. Noble)	14	4	3	7	115	125	11
Ladies' Aid (Mrs. H. Scott)	14	5	0	9	92	122	10
The Aces (Lester Thompson)	14	4	1	9	104	137	9
W.M.S. Reds (Miss R. Parsons)	14	4	1	9	76	112	9

Ross Gillingham Wins Combined Ski Trophy At Morin Heights Meet

Morin Heights — Ross Gillingham was winner of the trophy for the 1950 combined cross-country, downhill and slalom held here on Saturday and Sunday.

Results of the downhill and slalom are as follows:

Junior Girls, Class "C"
Downhill — 1st Grace Gillingham.
Slalom — disqualified.

Junior Girls, Class "B"
Downhill — 1st Beverley Bell 29.4 sec., 2nd Corinne Watchorn 30.0.
Slalom — 1st Beverley Bell 45.2, 2nd Corinne Watchorn 60.2.

Boys, Junior "C"
Downhill — 1st John Gillingham 27.6, 2nd Ronald Williams 30.2, 3rd Melvin Woods 32.8.
Slalom — 1st Clifford Pollock 44.00, 2nd Melvin Woods 53.06, 3rd John Gillingham 54.00.

Senor Women, Class "B" & "C"
Downhill — 1st Jean Elder, 2nd Phyllis Davidson.
Slalom — 1st Jean Elder, 2nd Phyllis Davidson.

Senior Men, Class "A", "B" & "C"
Downhill — 1st Graeme Bell 37.4, 2nd André Beiré 38.0, 3rd Ross Gillingham 38.6.
Slalom — 1st Grant Seale and Ross Gillingham (tied) 38.2, 2nd Baird Davis 40.0, 3rd Graeme Bell 41.2.

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Abbott's Budget for Year 1950-51 Is Week's Most Unexciting News

Ottawa — Finance Minister Abbott's budget speech Tuesday night in the House of Commons left the Canadian tax structure almost unchanged. Moreover, the speech cautioned the public against expecting any except minor concessions in future budgets and spoke sombrely of the possibility of "increased taxes".

This was a stand-pat budget in which Mr. Abbott told the taxpayer bluntly that the years of large Federal surpluses were over, that Federal expenditures were at or near an irreducible minimum and that the 1950 budget was the first of a series of post-war budgets based upon a tax level which Canadians will have to accustom themselves to regarding as "normal".

"We must have a tax system", he informed the House of Commons, "that will at least balance the budget in good years, in those times when private expenditures and exports will sustain our employment and incomes at high levels, for otherwise we should slide quickly into inflation at such times and pile up our national debt more quickly than we could add to the economic and financial capacity of the national to carry it.

Future changes with respect to either Federal expenditures or Federal tax levels would have to be on an extremely "modest" scale, Mr. Abbot said.

"What is important, I believe, is that we should now realize clearly that there is no prospective surplus from which proposed new programs of expenditure can be met."

The budget provides no changes in taxes on personal incomes, liquor, tobacco, cosmetics or succession duties. No taxation on capital gains. The eight per cent sales tax is dropped on ice cream, dairy drinks and prepared whipping cream — effective immediately. The five per cent excise tax on toilet soap dropped—effective immediately No other commodity tax changes proposed. — That, in brief, would appear the general extent to which the man-in-the-street is affected.

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WEEK IN REVIEW

By Ken Metheral

Ottawa (CP) — Most of the topics under discussion on Parliament Hill last week had an old, familiar ring. . . There was much talk of floor prices for agricultural products. The controversial freight rates issue broke out anew on several fronts. The Canadian National Railways reported that once again its top-heavy debt burden had spattered the government-owned line's books with red ink. Through all the various debates the months-long pipeline filibuster wended a wordy, wearisome path. And Finance Minister Abbot had news about federal rent controls. . . Rent controls in the residential field, Mr. Abbott said, will go out the legislative window April 30, 1951. After that provinces would decide whether they want to keep rent ceilings on. The government didn't intend to ask for a further extension of its wartime powers to control rents or prices beyond April 30, next year. But until that date present rentals are frozen, except for individual cases or minor amendments to regulations which may be necessary.

Strong But Broke

President Donald Gordon of the C.N.R. tabled a report in the Commons last week that seemed to demonstrate that the government-owned railway will have to get some measure of debt relief if its accounts are ever to register a profit.

Physically strong and vigorous, but financially in the red, that was the story of the company's 1949 operations.

For the first time in the 28-year history of the 33,000-mile system, the C.N.R.'s earnings hit the half-billion dollar mark. Yet despite a gross operating revenue of $500,723,386 its books showed a $43,000,000 deficit. The deficit, some $9,000,000 more than in 1948, resulted from some $46,000,000 in interest on debts to the public and government.

Mr. Gordon, making his first report as C.N.R. chieftain, said findings of the Royal Commission on Transportation "will be of vital importance to the national system."

The company has recommended to the commission that interest charges on government loans be wiped out. Had it not been for the debt obligations, the C.N.R. in 1949 would have been able to report a surplus of more than $4,00,000. The railway has estimated that its proposed financial reorganization would mean a saving on the C.N.R. books of some $33,000,000 annually.

Rotarians Hear Int'nl President

Travelling in a chartered bus to Ottawa last Monday, 21 members of the local Rotary Club were joined by six others from Hawkesbury, to attend the Ottawa branch dinner and reception to the Rotary International President, Percy Hodgson, of Pawtucket, R.I.

The delegation reported a profitable and pleasant session. The banquet in the Chateau Laurier was under presidency of Rotarian Mayor E. Bourque, and numerous lady guests and notables were present.

President Hodgson proved himself a captivating speaker. He stressed the role of Rotary in world peace and harmony, and the organization's part in the United Nations — which is the theme and keynote of the Rotary program this year. The speaker interpreted this aim as a responsibility of each individual club and each individual member, even to the atmosphere of the home. . . In the course of his term as president, Rotarian Hodgson has visited Rotary Clubs in 20 North and South American countries and in Belgium, China, Denmark, Germany, Greece, Hawaii, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, the Philippines and Switzerland; he leaves shortly for the Mediterranean area and Africa.

President Percy Hodgson, who was accompanied by his wife, was presented with the gift of a handsome floor-rug woven with the Rotary wheel, symbol of the organization.

President and treasurer of the Parkin Yarn Mill in Pawtucket, Mr. Hodgson was born in Bradford, Yorkshire, England, and received his early education there before coming to the United States. Mr. Hodgson, in addition to his many club activities, is a business and civic leader in Pawtucket.

'Parents' Night' Held By Brownsburg Scouts

Brownsburg — The Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs entertained about 100 parents and guests at a highly successful open meeting on Tuesday evening.

The guests were welcomed by Mr. N. E. Smillie, Group Committee Chairman for Brownsburg. Visiting officials, J. L. McGregor, Provincial Field Commissioner, and C. L. Duncan, District Commissioner, accompanied Scoutmaster Arnold Waller and Cubmaster Bert Potter on an inspection of the Scout Troop and Cub Pack, following which the boys put on a brief demonstration of their activities.

Presentation ceremonies by visiting officials were highlighted by the awarding of King's Scout badges to Billy Cribb and Bernie Golphin. (Other awards are listed elsewhere in this issue).

The principal speaker of the evening, Commissioner McGregor, was ably introduced by Commissioner Duncan. Addressing his remarks first to the boys and then to the parents, Mr. McGregor stressed the importance of Scouting ideals in building desirable citizens and in preserving and improving the Canadian way of life. The close attention given the speaker by all present, was a tribute to his sincerity and enthusiasm.

The Brownsburg Scout Troop formally handed over to Commissioner McGregor 100 Scout staves to be shipped to Greece in response to an appeal for 5,000 of these necessary pieces of Scouting equipment.

Commissioner C. L. Duncan advised the meeting that the recent campaign for funds had reached its objective in this district, and added special thanks to Brownsburg for its wholehearted support of the Scouting movement.

Appreciation of the efforts of the ladies, convened by Mrs. E. Cribb to prepare and serve refreshments, was expressed by the Group Committee Secretary, Mr. G. H. Quinn.

It is better in the end to tell the ruth in the beginning.

Ticket at Grenv'l Wins $200 Sweepstake Award

News is confirmed regarding a sweepstake consolation prize won by Mrs. Thos. Canning, of Grenville, who is reported to have held an Irish Hospitals ticket drawn on the Grand National horse-race at Aintree last Saturday. It is learned, Mrs. Canning received a telegram informing her of her consolation award, and another message confirming it; the amount of the prize was stated to be $200

Daylight Saving Not Effective Until April 30

Contrary to the date specified in a town council resolution some time ago, Daylight Saving Time will not become effective here until the end of April. The postponement (from April 2 to April 30) is adopted to conform with a similar measure by Montreal and other eastern centres. . It is learned from the town secretary at Brownsburg that the latter town will also follow suit.

Mille Isles Votes Non-Temperance

The vote of property holders in Mille Isles Municipality last Monday, on the question of the prohibition by-law, resulted in defeat of the by-law — or a majority favoring the issuance of liquor licenses in the township. The vote was — 11 for the by-law, 40 against.

In view of the number of electors eligible (150), this may appear a small vote. However, it must be recalled that a considerable proportion of the proprietors are city people, residing in the municipality only in the summer season. The remainder were doubtless deterred to some extent by bad weather. It is reported also that a few arrived too late to vote at the poll.

The temperance by-law submitted in the referendum last Monday and voted down by popular majority, had been passed provisionally by the council last February 6, as follows:

"That the sale of alcoholic liquors and the issuing of permits therefor be prohibited within the limits of the Municipality of Mille Isles under the authority and for the enforcement of the Quebec Temperance Act."

Our pioneering days aren't over. Our greatest discovery is still to be made — how to get along together.

Bicycle Licenses As Theft Protection

Bicycle license plates are now available at the local police headquarters. There is an innovation, in the form of protection against theft, in the licenses issued locally this year. According to Police Chief D. Villeneuve, the firm supplying these plates operates a system whereby all bicycles licensed are recorded as to serial number, and the record is retained by the company. The system — which has endorsement of the provincial authorities, and which is subscribed to by numerous towns in Quebec, Ontario and across the Dominion — is the means of identifying any bicycle for which a license is issued in these towns, and thus enables the police to trace any stolen bicycle. Chief Villeneuve cites the example of a bicycle of doubtful ownership, held here for two years, which was ultimately identified as a machine stolen in Verdun, Que.

This system costs slightly more to the corporation in purchasing the plates, but there is no increase in the fee to the licensee.

Dog licenses are also available at the town offices, and owners are recommended to attend to these matters before a check-up is made.

Corporation Votes $1,000 For Vankleek Hill Community Centre

Vankleek Hill—The Corporation of the Town of Vankleek Hill last week donated $1,000 to the Vankleek Hill Community Centre and Covered Rink.

Local organizations are hard at work on this project. The High School Literary Society donated the sum of $150, which represented the proceeds of an "At Home"; the Children of Mary are having a Euchre for the purpose of purchasing the pump for the new rink; the Ladies' Curling Club held a mixed bonspiel, and about $135 will be turned over to the fund as a result of the Irish Night held Friday, March 17.

The people in the town and district are assisting all they can in this Community Rink.

Plans are being drawn up for the approval of the building committee to be sent to Toronto for government approval.

Second Annual Invitation Bonspiel Draws Big Entry at Curling Club

With many more entries than last year, Lachute Curling Club started its second annual Invitation Bonspiel last Friday. That the event is proving popular, is evidenced by the fact that 74 rinks are taking part in this competition, and that they come from points far and near, including Quebec City, Ottawa, Lacolle, Howick, Ormstown, Valleyfield, Papineau, Rockland, Hawkesbury, Vankleek Hill, and Montreal with over 40 rinks.

There has been, so far, some very fine curling and keen competition, as the rinks attending are generally of the best.

The handsome prizes, numbering 16 in all, are topped with a beautiful trophy, graciously donated by Mr. Quint Miller, of Caledonia Club, to be won annually by the winning team in a play-off of the four highest-plus rinks. Last year's winner was Skip L. Ireland, of Montreal, who defeated Skip G. Vary, of Caledonia.

The games throughout have been interesting to watch, with exceptionally good curling on many occasions. This was particularly the case on Wednesday evening, when Dr. Cheney, of Ottawa, defeated Carl Ott, of Outremont, by only one point. Mr. W. G. McGerrigle, of Ormstown, in a closely contested game was two points up on J. Bradley, of Ottawa. The play was also eventful for another reason — the occasion being Skip McGerrigle's birthday (77th, we understand) and he was well serenaded by players and well-wishers. Also on his team was Mr. Ayerst.

The 'spiel will end on Friday, with finals being played Saturday; and at the close, the presentation of prizes will take place.

Most favorable comments have been made on the splendid ice, and the ladies are doing an efficient job in serving meals for convenience of the visitors.

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Other Competitions

We regret that in last week's report of the MacKimmie Trophy the name of the winner was omitted. The two contestants were Frank Earle and H. Dion, the latter winning the laurels with considerable credit.

In the Elgin Trophy Competition Lachute missed the honors by a narrow margin, winning three games but being down only one point to qualify for the finals.

In the St. George's Spring Mixed Bonspiel, teams were composed as follows —

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie; Mrs. K. Campbell, Art St. Onge.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Calder; Mr. and Mrs. A. Ogilvie.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McTavish; Mr. and Mrs. D. McGibbon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. MacKimmie; Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Boyd.

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Learning New Lines at U.N.



Sir Cedric Hardwicke, distinguished British actor, came to U.N. Headquarters to view at first hand the work of the Economic and Social Council. He plays the starring role in "All Your Strength," a radio program based on the work of the Council, first of a series of documentary radio features produced by the United Nations. Above, ECOSOC President Hernan Santa Cruz of Chile (left) is pointing out to the visiting actor and to Sir Ramaswami Mudaliar of India an important phrase in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Motorists Get Summary Of Quebec Traffic Laws

In an effort to inculcate in all drivers a knowledge of the traffic laws, and also with the object of reducing the number of traffic accidents, the Provincial Government has issued a "Summary of the Quebec Motor Vehicle Act", a copy of which is handed each motorist at the time he secures his license plates.

The brochure is bilingual and summarizes, in 50-odd pages, regulations governing the registration of vehicles, the issuing of licenses and permits, as well as indispensable accessories for an automobile, such as brakes, horns, etc.; it also contains information pertaining to speed limits, parking, violations of the law, and also warns against certain traffic dangers. By means of illustrations the brochure explains various road signals, how to turn properly and safely, passing other cars, right of way, in short, everything that a motorist should know and observe, both for his own protection and for that of others.

Copies of this booklet may be obtained at the various automobile license offices throughout the province.

An Old London Ceremony



The general election in Britain was accompanied by an old London ceremony. The Royal Proclamation dissolving Parliament was read from the steps of the Mansion House, the Lord Mayor's residence. It was signed by His Majesty the King at Sandringham and taken to London, where the Great Seal, which gives it legal authority, was affixed. In this picture the Common Crier and Sergeant-at-Arms, Commander J. R. Poland, R.N., reads the Royal Proclamation to the assembled crowds.

Lottery Bill Passed at Quebec; Marler Criticizes Prov'l Taxation

"WEEK AT QUEBEC"

By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec, March 28 (CP) — The Provincial Legislature this week held the Quebec news spotlight as a widely-discussed lottery bill awaited approval of the Legislative Council.

The Bill, giving power to the Quebec cabinet to establish a provincial lottery plan for education and public health purposes, was approved on formal division without a counted vote by the provincial legislature last week.

The measure, introduced by Premier Duplessis who announced his intention to establish a provincial lottery some months ago, will set up a committee of seven to plan and control it.

The committee will include three cabinet ministers, two education officers, the heads of Quebec's new social welfare court and the president of the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Final decision to organize a lottery will be left up to the cabinet. There was no indication when this could be expected.

The Premier told the legislature the bill was not intended as a challenge of the criminal code of Canada, article 236 of which prohibits lotteries.

"It is only a question of manifesting the opinion of the province which has a right to that opinion", he said.

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A bill approved by the legislature last week gives Quebec's Union Nationale government power to cooperate with other governments in the trans-Canada project.

The government made known its intention to co-operate on the project but will be watchful lest federal authorities use the trans-Canada highway project as a "pretext for control over provincial highway traffic."

Premier Duplessis said that while his government wishes to co-operate in the project it cannot do so at the expense of retarding its own rural road-building program.

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Premier Duplessis told a delegation from the Union Catholique des Cultivateurs, that the "common-sense ideas of Quebec's old rural class provide the best basis for an economic system.

"Ideals have their place but common-sense is what counts", he told the executive of the 46,000-strong organization of Quebec farmers.

Quebec's taxation system was criticized last week by liberal opposition leader George Marler, who said taxation in Quebec was the highest among the provinces.

He said this was due to uncontrolled Union Nationale government spending.

Opening the debate on the budget speech, introduced by provincial Treasurer Onesime Gagnon, Mr. Marler said the government boasts it has not raised taxation but statistics establish a different picture.

He said the average per capita taxation figures "have risen from $20.67 in 1943 to $44.30 during the current year."

The liberal chieftain said that "under the Union Nationale, taxpayers are contributing more than twice the amount they paid under the last liberal administration."

The opposition leader said "The government thinks only of spending" instead of studying measures to make the provincial tax structure the best in the country.

Trout Season Opens on Third Wednesday, April 19

Quebec — The official summary of Fishing Laws and Regulations for the Province of Quebec, issued by the Minister of Game and Fisheries, Hon. C. E. Pouliot, M.D., shows some changes in 1950 laws which affect the possession limit of wall-eyed pike, listed as "pickerel - doré"; and the booklet clarifies some points with regard to local restrictions, notably in Brome County.

The legal fishing season for Speckled, Quebec Red, Sea, Brown and Grey Trout is from April 19 (the third Wednesday) until September 30. Announcing this change, the Minister says, in a message to sportsmen which appears in the booklet: "Even at this date lakes are often covered with ice, and fishing under the ice is still prohibited."

Minimum legal length, daily bag and minimum sizes in these fish vary as follows: Speckled or Sea Trout, bag per day, 40 fish or 15 lbs.; minimum length 7 inches; Quebec Red Trout, bag per day, 10 fish or 15 lbs.; minimum length 7 inches; Grey Trout, bag per day, 5 fish or 30 pounds, minimum length, 15 inches; Brown Trout, bag per day, 10 fish or 15 pounds, minimum length 10 inches.

The legal fishing season for Rainbow Trout in the province generally, opens June 16 and continues until September 30, with bag per day, 5 fish or 15 pounds, minimum length 10 inches. However, in five named lakes in Papineau County, the open season is from June 15 to October 15.

An angler is not allowed to possess, at any time, more than one day's legal catch of any species of game fish, but an exception is made in the case of fish known as wall-eyed pike or pickerel (in Quebec, doré). The possession limit is now the legal catch of two days. The season, below Latitude 47, is from May 16 to November 15.

Northern pike restrictions are unchanged. North of the Ottawa and St. Lawrence Rivers, the daily bag limit is 30 pounds with legal minimum length of 17 inches.

The cost of the 1950 resident angling permit is $1.10.

Jury Asks Action On Level Crossings

A coroner's jury, at an inquest under presidency of Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur gave a verdict of accidental death last Thursday in the case of Gaston Gibeault, 17, who met his death in a train-auto collision at Hamford Street crossing the previous evening.

A rider to the jury's verdict took cognizance of the many deaths on railway crossings, of which there are no fewer than seven in this town, and recommended that the provincial authorities give study to this situation and take necessary steps to remedy the hazard.

"IN BROWNSBURG"

Specially Contributed

Radio Interference

At one time or another we have all expressed annoyance over line noises which interfered with our listening pleasure. There is no doubt one can get very annoyed if one's favorite program becomes a staccato racket of machine-gun intensity; but when a regularly, accurately timed cackle cuts Sunday evening programs to the level of a "cat's concert", it's time some action was taken to correct radio reception.

Two particularly noticeable sections of Brownsburg suffer in this respect—Woodbine and Rosedale. Someone has ungrounded or unsuppressed motors in use over lengthy periods in these two districts, and if an improvement is not effected without delay, this someone will have but themselves to blame for the consequence following a report to the Transport Board.

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Spring

The almanac reminds us, "Now that Spring is here, look to your fences and your daughters". Some may scent spring in the air, some may recognize it by 'noticing a robin — but most people find it ushered in by the current underfoot. Whether it be a current of air, or a current of water, we are glad it is here. The council were up and doing in making the streets passable and having the ice cut out. It was bad for a time, but it was not bad for long.

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Sweepstakes

There was pretty general approval of the Quebec sweepstakes bill, passed last week, even though it is just a gesture rather than any tangible evidence of intent. Interest in the Grand National would be a mild flutter if it were not for the Irish and Army, Navy, and Airforce sweeps. The "rags to riches" Irish plough horse, Freebooter, made good interesting copy, but if it were not for the $31,000's spotted throughout Canada our interest would flag. . . This district did not make the headlines, but it was not for want of trying! Better luck come Derby.

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Margarine

Prince Edward Island dropped the margarine ban. How about it, Quebec? We are the only province imposing a ban now. The rest of Canada used up 71 million pounds in 1949. Why should we be different; or are we?

With a population of approximately 1,500, Rainy River now has a church for every 250 people. The Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church when completed will make Rainy River the town of churches.

— Rainy River (Ont.) Record

Gatineau LINES

Summer Service

For the 4,000-odd Gatineau Power customers who own or rent a summer cottage each year, it isn't a bit too early to start thinking about making arrangements for electrical service in the coming season. The person who gets in touch with his local power office early is the person who has his electric service connected when he occupies his summer home.

When orders for summer connections are placed well in advance, the power company can plan its work so that each connection is made ahead of the time it is needed. When too many people leave things until the last minute, it is inevitable that some delay will occur, when you consider that some 4,000 extra connections have to be made, in widely separated areas.

Now that we have started thinking about electricity for the summer cottage, it might be interesting to go a bit further and consider the advantages of year-round service for the same cottage. A year-round contract automatically eliminates any need of worrying about the summer connection, and also comes in very handy indeed if the cottage is used at any time during the winter. And, in general, the cost for year-round service is no higher than for summer service.

The reason why a power connection serviceable for a full year is about the same in cost as one serviceable for only six months is pretty obvious when you think about it. The summer connection to the power company is the same as the summer tourist business to the hotel owner — all the cost must be borne out of the revenue produced in a few months. When approximately the same cost is spread out over a full year, the cost per month drops drastically.

In the Gatineau area, the minimum cost of summer service is $12, or $2 per month for a six-month period. The year-round minimum cost is $1 per month — also $12 in total, but spread over twice the time. The summer rate includes the cost of 25 kilowatt hours of electricity per month, while the yearly rate includes the cost of 20 kilowatt hours per month. For the average consumer there is little to choose between them in terms of cost — but much to favor the year-round rate in terms of convenience.

Regardless of whether you prefer one system or the other, please let us know early about your requirements for summer power so that we can give you the best service.

Gatineau Power Company

Brownsburg Fire Brigade Satisfied, Put New Engine Through Its Paces

MOVE TO IMPROVE TOWN'S WATER SUPPLY; PROGRESS ON TWO COMMUNITY CAMPAIGNS

(Intended for last issue)

Brownsburg — The municipal corporation took delivery of its new fire engine recently, and the brigade put it through its paces in all phases of fire prevention drill. The boys were most enthusiastic over the performance of the equipment, and they were in no way surprised when the underwriters' representatives and the provincial government's fire department inspector announced it had passed all the necessary tests at an official trial.

The equipment is of the most modern kind, and a 300-gallon "booster" tank on the truck enables the crew to capitalize on that axiom of their craft, "It's the first few minutes that count". In addition, the absence of a water supply in outlying districts will not frustrate the efforts of the brigade, as has been the case in the past.

The chemical extinguishers are a late innovation, and they may be the start of the road along which fire-fighters have to persevere before damage by water (which often exceeds damage by fire) can be overcome. The cost of the fire engine — 50 per cent of which is borne by the provincial government — is $8,000.

Improved Water Supply

Further moves are on foot to improve the existing waterworks system, and an early replacement of the much talked-of defective line can be expected. Negotiations are in progress to provide the money to start work on this project — so that the abortive attempt by Councillor N. Somers to provide a reserve by taxation, may have borne some fruit after all.

Community Rink

Contributions are coming in slowly — but they are coming in, notwithstanding — for erection of the rink this year. The committee are hard at work on the many details involved in this project; perhaps the publicity department is less active than appears necessary. Judging by the many questions one hears, a progress report seems to be in order. Plans are in the finished stage, and everything is ready for an early start if the necessary funds are on hand.

The Legion Hall

Pretty much the same report applies to the work on the Legion Hall. The energetic president of the local Legion and secretary of the project, Mr. Sid Stilwell, is inundated with work in this connection, but progress is being made, and work is expected to start very soon now. In this case also, further funds are urgently needed to instill life and zest into the undertaking.

Herald of Spring

On the 20th of March the groundhog came out and sat on a large boulder in the Canadian Safety Fuse Company's property, and by his presence, sitting in the sun for a prolonged period, announced to the employees that spring was really here. The roads, too, jog that fact into your body—smoothing the way for the "Sons of Mary", or to quote Kipling:

"Lift ye the stone or cleave the wood
To make a path more fair or flat —
Lo, it is black already with blood
Some Son of Martha spilled for that."

Reports Steady Progress By Metropolitan Life



GLEN J. SPAHN

Second Vice-President in charge of the Canadian Head Office, who reports that more than forty-one million dollars was paid by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company to Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries in 1949, and that the total amount the Metropolitan Life has paid to Canadians since it entered Canada in 1872, plus the amount now invested in Canada, exceeds the total premiums received from Canadians by more than $364,000,000.

Seasonal Farm Topics

Suggests Sales Methods In Milk Distribution

Prof. G. L. Burton, of Macdonald College, stated at the conference of the National Dairy Council last week that one of the most promising ways of expanding the market for bottled milk is to cut costs and pass part of the cut to the customer.

He said there are at least three sales boosters which could be used. They are:

1. Distribute less milk to homes and more to stores. This distribution avenue cuts hauling costs and permits cheaper milk to the consumer.
2. Grant the customer a price cut for buying more than one bottle at a time.
3. Reduce the cost of hauling milk from the farmer's gate to the dairy plant.

Elaborating on his cut-costs theme, Prof. Burton said a recent study of distributing costs in New York shows that by distributing milk to stores, rather than to the homes, a saving of five cents a quart can be made.

He suggested that the current practice of charging the same price no matter how many bottles a customer buys, offers no incentive to sales.

He offered instead the idea of printing a blue ticket for two quarts, an orange one for three quarts and possibly a yellow ticket for four quarts and selling these tickets for proportionately lower prices than the one-quart ticket.

As to trucking costs, "there is some evidence that these trucking charges are too high. Some modification of the way in which trucking charges are determined may be called for."

Another delegate, Mr. E. G. Silverwood, of London, Ont., pointed out that the advent of margarine has cost Canadian farmers $70,000,000 in lowered dairy sales. However, not only butter was hit. Consumption of butter in 1949 at 260,000,000 pounds was down nearly 44,000,000 pounds over 1948, but margarine consumption totalled 72,000,000 and it would indicate "that a lot of margarine replaced other types of shortening."

R. Silverwood suggested that Canadian dairy men should not pin their hopes on the Imperial Privy Council upsetting the Supreme Court of Canada decision allowing margarine to be manufactured in Canada. The Council now is studying the case.

"The realistic approach", he said, "is to realize that we have to have better quality butter and that we must do a better selling job."

It is a good practice to clean the face of a horse collar at the end of the day. This is particularly necessary with a cloth faced collar. In addition to cleaning the collar, dry it out in the wind and sun.

Quote from Yesterday —

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acres o' charms,
O, gie me the lass wi'
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— Burns

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Ambitious Undertakings in Brownsburg

TWO BIG community projects are in hand at Brownsburg — the Legion Hall and the Community Rink. (Our district correspondent notes progress this week as to their organizational aspects). By co-incidence, in this issue progress is reported on a similar undertaking at Vankleek Hill, where plans are afoot to construct a community skating rink.

Subscription lists in the Brownsburg projects have revealed a generous response from all classes of the population. The Watchman takes occasion to voice its sentiment on behalf of these campaigns — to urge every support towards the culmination of two ventures which loom as large, in terms of community pleasure, as the job of their financing, which is now a sizeable worry to the organizers.

Here in Lachute we have seen the extent to which such assets contribute to community satisfaction. The Legion Memorial Hall has well justified itself in its short existence, both to the veterans' organization and in other avenues of public usage. The Lachute Arena, likewise, has always provided a centre of winter sports not only for this town but for the surrounding district. It has been the hub of neighborhood league activities; and whatever its future (which now hangs in the balance), one cannot visualize organized hockey, outside the collegiate level, without the Arena. There are other examples of immeasurable benefit to this town — the civic auditorium, owned by the corporation; the Ayers Recreation Centre; the Women's Institute Library, which has possibilities of a greater destiny. Lachute needs still more centres of public recreation and culture — but these are sufficient to illustrate their indispensability in community life.

We wish the good citizens of Brownsburg all success in the culmination of their plans. The Watchman has extended ready co-operation in publicity. While touching briefly upon the benefits experienced in Lachute, we cannot too strongly urge the public of our neighboring town to see their projects realized.

The Play's the Thing

THERE'S an interest which seems to have slowly but definitely taken a grip on the country. We don't mean canasta, or even the presently popular sport of spotting flying-saucers. The interest we refer to is as old as the ancient Greeks and as noble as Shakespeare; in short, play-acting.

Stage plays, from those presented in grand theatres of big cities to those staged in the town halls of rural communities, are hardly a new thing in Canada. Even the early colonists, as soon as their numbers were great enough to provide both cast and audience, probably acted out their home-brewed plays in the meeting places of the pioneer colonies.

But since the war ended Canada has noted a revival both in the number and standards of its stage groups, which collectively make up the little theatre movement.

The reasons for the movement's virility are obvious. Enthusiasm can often make up for stage skill, and a large portion of the community is itching to tread the boards. Most folk are natural-born actors, or think they are — if given a chance. Add to these a director with a world of patience, plus a more modest hard-working crew behind scenes, and another little theatre is born.

What play to produce? It doesn't much matter, as long as the audience likes it. The big cities seem to go for Ibsen and Euripides. But in Kenville, Man., "Aunt Minnie from Minnesota" wowed 'em. Grade X of Red Deer, Alta., high school won the school shield with "Not Quite Such a Schmoo". And in Elmira, Ont., they're looking forward to "Ring Around Elizabeth". We're not sure, but the playwright of one of these latter epics may live around the corner.

And are the plays good? They can't all win critics' awards, but the achievement level in the fine art of play-acting is going up all the time. There are more and more regional drama festivals, where failings come into the awful light of comparison and where new lessons are learned. Indeed, these festivals have that quality of fun and competition which could make them one of Canada's favorite indoor sports.

So the little theatres grow and multiply. And whether they are big city or small town, they all have one thing in common: the people on both sides of the footlights are having a wonderful time.

Women's $64 Question

WOMEN! What governs your life? The opinion of your husband, boss, or neighbor? The needs of your children, friends or fellow-workers? Your pocketbook? Your fears? Your desires? Or do you ever feel personally responsible for the mess the world is in today?

Let us face the fact that the world is in a mess. There is distrust and insecurity. Never has there been more widespread need for kindness, love, understanding, among people and nations — never more need for right ideas.

As a woman, do you really care enough for your loved ones, your home, your city, your country, to want the biggest idea of all to captivate the minds of other women? This idea may be democracy's inspired ideology. It calls for a revitalized, propagating Christianity. It asks for the building of a hate-free, fear-free, greed-free world. The price of world peace for women is to face honestly where they have been wrong; where relationships have been wrong in our homes and communities; and to work constructively to put these wrongs right. It begins in individuals and spreads to nations.

Weapons? Women think of weapons as belonging to a man's world, instruments of offence and defence such as arms. There are other weapons which are instruments for combatting another sort of enemy. Love is a weapon against hate. Honesty combats dishonesty. There are many weapons in this "war of ideas". You want your children brought up in freedom, not under a materialistic dictatorship. Therefore sound homes are weapons. Women are the homemakers. Women can have the heart-power — another weapon. Women want peace, but do women want peace enough to fight for it with these weapons always at hand — love, understanding, honesty and discipline?

AKLAVIK has two months each year when the average temperature is 50 degrees above zero, which means it is not cold enough to be classed as in the Arctic zone. — Don't tell an Aklavikian that in January.

Russian Supermen?

(Contributed — by Norman Thorburn)

Five years ago we succeeded in debunking the idea of the Nazi superman. Russia, lately, has been extolling her proficiency in the arts and sciences of war and peace. A Russian, they say, invented the airplane, wireless telegraphy, and the telephone, etc. Let us look into the facts of history.

Peter the Great, who built up the Russian army, was a German and employed Prussian drill-masters to drill that army. He made Russia a first-class power.

Catherine the Great, Empress of all the Russias, was a Prussian princess, a daughter of the Prince of Anhalt-Zerbst.

Three Englishmen, Elphinstone, Greig and Dugdale (admirals, no less) in the navy of Catherine, gained for Russia the free navigation of the Black Sea by their victories over the Turks in 1774, and enhanced immensely the traditions of Russian seamanship.

Russia now has the atom bomb, but even that was brought about by captured German scientists. And above all, communism itself was the invention of a poor little physical wreck, Karl Marx, a Rhineland Jew.

Beverley Baxter states that the conquest of Russia is impossible, and he cites as examples the invasions of Russia, by Napoleon, the Kaiser and Hitler.

With this view one can scarcely agree. Did not the Tartars conquer Russia and rule it for several centuries?

What about Charles XII of Sweden, who struck fear and terror into the hearts of the Russians, captured the best part of their country and ruled it for many years? His statue stands today in a Stockholm square facing the East he conquered. He sits astride his stone charger, his hand on the pommel of his petrified sword, as if in readiness to begin once more his perilous adventures against Sweden's ancient foe.

Beverley Baxter thinks Russia could never be completely over-run, but I do not think even Stalin would agree with him. Stalin was always afraid of a war on two fronts. That is why he did not attack Japan until Germany was beaten.

Even Sino-Russian relations are probably not as roseate as they are made out to be. In 1771 a tribe of peaceful people, living on the Volga near Astrackan, originally from Chinese Tartary, were being cruelly oppressed by the emissaries of the Empress Catherine. They decided to leave Russia and return to China. They went on their perilous journey with their hordes of cattle, secretly and silently. The Chinese Emperor received and gave protection to "his children", and when the exasperated Empress asked him to give them up, he refused. When Catherine asked for a renewal of the treaty regarding commerce between the two nations he provokingly replied to her envoys, "Let your mistress learn to keep old treaties, and then it will be time enough to apply for new ones."

This incident inspired Catherine with such a hatred for China that, to her dying day, she could not bear to hear the word mentioned.

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Bell Falls

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Campbell during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. William Fox, of Calumet, Miss Ella Campbell, of Lachute, and Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, of Kilmar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McRae, of Lachute, called on Mr. and Mrs. T. McNeil on Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett last week-end were Mrs. N. E. McCaig, Miss B. Goldbie, Miss Mary Bennett, all of Rosemere, and Mr. Thomas Bennett, of Ste. Adele.

Miss Elsie McVicar was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Moncrieff.

Mr. Percy McLeod spent a couple of days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar.

Miss Isabel MacCallum and Miss Edythe MacCallum, of Gatineau, were guests of their parents for the week-end.

Sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Mapp in the recent loss of their son, Jerome.

Condolences of this district are extended to Mr. Grant Baker, of Kilmar, in the sudden death of his wife last Sunday.

Friends in this community are sorry to hear that Mrs. J. Fox, Sr., is ill; all wish her a speedy recovery.

Church News

Service will be held at 11 a.m. in the Harrington United Church; Mr. L. S. C. Harbour will officiate.

Bell Falls Sunday school will meet at 2 p.m., at the home of Mrs. J. McRae.

Grenville

Guests of the Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote at the rectory for the week were the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mimee, of Montreal. Week-end guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, of Montreal.

Sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Grant Baker, in the sudden passing of Mrs. Baker at their home in Kilmar last Sunday morning.

Miss Carol Cavanagh is a patient in Dr. Smith's Clinic Hospital, Hawkesbury, having undergone an operation for appendicitis; her little friends will be pleased to see her home soon.

Mrs. J. R. Johnson, of Thetford Mines, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens. Mrs. Owens, who has been confined to her home through illness, is now much improved.

Mr. Walter Dewar is a patient in the Providence Hospital, Lachute; his friends extend wishes for a speedy recovery.

The many friends of Mrs. Thos. Canning extend congratulations to her on holding a lucky ticket on the Grand National steeple-chase, which was run in England last Saturday.

Mrs. Douglas Scharf and little son, Bruce, of Ottawa, are here visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. Conway. Mr. Scharf was here for the week-end.

Mr. Robert Johnson, of Montreal, was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. H. Welden.

Miss K. Whinthrop, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Pratley.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Matthew during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthew and small son, Brian, of Kilmar, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar and son, Hartland.

Mrs. J. Leduke, of Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Barron.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bigelow and daughter, Bernice, of Kilmar, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noble.

Weir

Mr. P. McVicar returned to his home on Friday after spending the winter months with friends in Lachute.

Mrs. R. H. Weldon spent a few days recently visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Williams in Montreal.

Mrs. A. Turmel is spending a holiday with friends in Montreal.

Mrs. Frank Thompson, accompanied by her daughter Hilda, spent a few days in Montreal, where they were the guests of Mrs. C. Mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig spent a few days last week visiting at the home of their son, Ray and Mrs. Craig, at Lakeside Heights.

The many friends of Mrs. Robt. Williams will be pleased to learn that she is progressing favorably in the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaven, accompanied by Mrs. B. Beaven, of Montreal, visited friends here for a couple of days.

Mrs. Ken Cowan, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Mrs. Geo. Clifton spent the week-end in Montreal, where she visited her mother, Mrs. R. Williams, at the General Hospital.

Mr. A. Parisienne, accompanied by his sisters, Emilienne and Marcia, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. A. Turmel.

Mrs. Wm. Owen, with her daughter Beth, returned home recently after spending a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aldridge in Montreal.

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Brownsburg

Old Resident Mourned

Sympathy is extended to the family and relatives of the late Thomas Martin, who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Connelly, on Sunday last. Mr. Martin had spent most of his life in this town and will be missed by his many friends.

Women's Institute

The April meeting of the Brownsburg W.I. will be held in the Social Club on Thursday, April 6, at 7.30 p.m. Mrs. L. Wilson, convener for Publicity, will have charge of the program; Mr. J. S. Giles, of Lachute, will be the guest speaker. The roll-call is, "Places I would like to visit and why". Subscribers to the Blue Cross are reminded that dues will be collected at this meeting.

Mr. Winston Smillie, of Winnipeg, Man., who is at present attending the C-I-L conference in Montreal, was a Sunday guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Smillie.

Attend Annual Meeting

Six members of the Local Association for Girl Guides and Brownies attended the annual meeting of the Quebec Provincial Council, Girl Guides Association, held in the Stanley Presbyterian Church in Montreal on Monday. Excellent reports were given, showing the wonderful work which is being done for the girls throughout the province.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kettyle are to be week-end guests of Mr. Kettyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kettyle. In the absence of the Rev. J. G. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Kettyle will conduct the service in Grenville on Sunday afternoon, and in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church on Sunday evening.

Film Program

Colored sound films were shown Monday evening at the United Church Young People's meeting, which was opened to the public. The films included "Canadian Woollens for Warmth and Beauty", produced at Ayers Ltd., Lachute, which was much enjoyed by all who attended. Another film, "Vegetable Insects", depicted the use of microscopic photography to show how insects live and destroy the produce of man, illustrating their habits, life cycle and the methods used to control them. Two others on sports and adventure were "Ski Time in the Laurentians" and "Canadian Tackle-Busters", a fast-moving fishing story.

Mr. Earl Morrison, of Lachute, conducted service in the United Church on Sunday morning in the absence of the minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike. (Mr. Pike had been called to Providence, R.I., on the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur S. Pike; the funeral took place on Saturday afternoon). . . A song service at the United Church at 7 p.m., was conducted by Mr. C. J. Wheeler.

Presentations at B'burg Scouts Parents' Night

Brownsburg — Following are the Proficiency and Service badges which were awarded to Cubs and Scouts at the Parents' Night exercises in Brownsburg last Tuesday:

Cubs

House Orderly Proficiency Badge — Alan Johnston, Roddie Potter, Dennis Seary.

Scouts

Marksman Proficiency Badge — Charles Duncan, Ronald Kennedy, George Pasco, Russ Hazel, Lorne Brewer, Arthur Morrison, Reg Mason, Robert Johnston, George Gordon, Robert Warwick.

Pathfinder Proficiency Badge — Bernard Golphin, William Cribb.

Tracker Proficiency Badge — Bruce Mason.

3-Year Service Star — Russ Hazel, Don Martin, Bruce Mason, Dean Prosser, Bobby Warwick, Ernie Zimmer.

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BIRTHS

HALLAM — At Lachine General Hospital, on March 23, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Hallam (née Janet Black), a son. Both well.

STEERE — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on March 25, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steere (née Alice Morrow), a daughter, a sister for Sandra Lee.

MARRIAGE

CUNNINGHAM-BURGESS — The marriage is announced of Ruby Lillian Burgess, of Halifax, N.S., to Gerald Louis Charles Cunningham, R.C.N., of Brownsburg, Que., which took place March 18 in Halifax, N.S.

DEATH

GORDON — At the Reddy Memorial Hospital, Montreal, March 20, 1950, William H. Gordon, beloved husband of Margaret McConnachie and brother of Mrs. Frank J. Black.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

GAGNE — The family of the late Mr. Napoléon Gagné wish to thank all relatives, friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes during their recent bereavement.

GORDON — Mrs. W. H. Gordon and family wish to express thanks to all relatives and friends for their many expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

MARTIN — In loving memory of our dearly beloved son, Franklin, who passed away April 1, 1944. — Ever remembered by Mummy, Daddy and family.

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Shall fall a silent tear."

OBITUARY

Napoléon Gagné Died At B'burg, in 79th Year

The death of Napoléon Gagné occurred last Wednesday, March 22, at his home in Brownsburg, following a lengthy illness.

He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Olivier Gagné, and was born in St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, March 23, 1871. His wife predeceased him only six weeks ago.

He is survived by his 10 children — four daughters, (Alida) Mrs. Ed Decoste, (Val) Mrs. Syd Fisher, (Yvonne) Mrs. Clarence Carpenter, (Alice) Mrs. F. H. Carroll, of Calgary, Alta., and six sons, Arthur, of New York, Paul, of Lachute, Leo, Albert, Ernest, and Emile, of Brownsburg; also 28 grandchildren and one great-grandson. He is survived also by one brother, Noé, of Lachute.

The funeral service was held at the Brownsburg United Church, the Rev. S. J. Pike officiating. The remains were laid in the vault for interment in the Brownsburg burial ground at Lachute Cemetery.

Pall-bearers were Clarence Carpenter, Sydney Fisher, Arthur Gagné, Rolland Decoste, Gilles Franche and Arthur Fournier.

SPRING SPORT

Montreal (CP) — There was still lots of ice when spring officially arrived in Montreal. So marble-playing youngsters devised a new game — rolling their marbles into little holes in the ice and snow.

VALUABLE HAUL

Halifax (CP) — Fishing hasn't been good on the Nova Scotia banks this winter, but the schooner Isabel F. Spindler went out for 2½ days recently and brought in 65,000 pounds of halibut. The catch netted the fishermen about $300 each.

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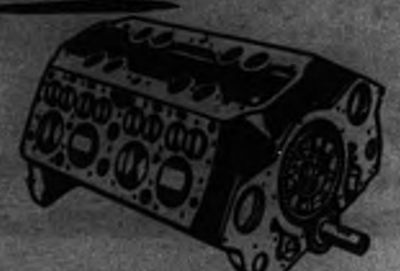
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W. M. Steeves, *Manager*, Lachute, Que.

Exile from Sunnyacres

— XV —

By Margaret Cook

How lovely was that first day of Spring! Muffled shapes that had been glimpsed scurrying from shelter to shelter through the veil of falling snow, were revealed as old acquaintances, so that the sidewalks were soon clotted with gossipping groups. Even Haile Selassie, the black Persian, ventured out and sat blinking into the sun's rays. He came in hours later, his eyes glowing, the tip of his tail gently waving and his fur smelling delightfully of sun, air and life. . . In the city, the smile of the milliners was a little less fixed as they put their most fetching confections in the forefront of the window, ignoring probable fading. Everybody was ready to welcome the sun, on any terms. . . Two days later, we were engulfed in the same old white stuff. Rumor has it that we owe the great mass of snow to the prayers of a Laurentian priest. We believe in prayer, but deplore the reverend father's lack of discretion. He must be a young priest.

To the country-born, those two days of brilliant sun, of course, brought the thought of sugaring. We yearned to follow the farmer as he goes from tree to tree, draining away a little of its life-blood. Our thoughts dwelt lovingly on the image of a sunlit grove, the silver-grey boles of the maples etched against the pale blue of a spring sky, where a crow flaps his insolent way. In our dream, we tasted once more the eggs cooked in syrup; the sugary wax stirred in a saucer till a pale, golden candy emerges. We remembered the relief of a sour pickle filched from the bottle standing on a beam; we saw the amber syrup threaded upon pans of snow and rolled its sweet richness around our watering mouth. Sugaring has a charm all its own and is one of the few occupations to have its inception in America. It is symbolic of life in a northern country; we can say with Sampson, "Out of the strong came forth sweetness."

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But in the city we were engrossed with other things than sugaring. Education Week and Saint Patrick's Day, for instance. Nobody seems to be able to explain the fuss made over Saint Patrick. The first of March was Saint David's Day, and was barely mentioned; and Saint George will be duly honored next month with a feast and decorous gatherings of the English . . but on Saint Patrick's Day, a million people turn out in the slush to render honor to a minor saint, whose reputation is intimately bound up with snakes and Ireland, although his birthplace was Scotland. One suspects that he owes his popularity to the Irish, who, whatever their faults, have always the virtue of gratitude and often the gift of good memory. Perhaps gratitude is mostly memory. Certain it is, that the memory of the Irish is a formidable thing. To help an Irishman is the equivalent of laying up treasure in heaven, but to injure one is a misfortune, from which only flight or death can save us. Someone (I think it was Beverly Nichols) has said that if a scandal breaks in an English town, everybody discusses it loudly and the principal figures leave quickly, but in ten years all is forgotten and life can be taken up where it was left off. In an Irish town, the matter is merely whispered behind closed doors and the principals go about as before, seemingly unconscious of strain. In ten years the situation is exactly the same; the whispers are still sibilant in the attentive ear, the memory of the outrage is still green. — I see that I have inadvertently made a poor joke, so let us pass on.

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Education Week was almost as popular as Saint Patrick, for education is now a fascinating subject to everyone except school children. Millions of words were written on the subject, the only thing that was certain about the views expressed being that they would all differ the one from the other. People who would blanch at the thought of disobeying the doctor's orders and who look upon lawyers as high priests of an occult learning, do not hesitate to expound at length on the subject of how to cultivate the mind. Somehow the general public does not consider teaching as a profession. One wonders if the general tendency of teachers to band together as in a union, even as plumbers, is going to help elevate the profession. In any case the public seems to be dissatisfied with the brand of education currently in force in our schools.

We had a visitor last week who harangued us for a half-hour on what he would consider as suitable curriculum. He is a business man and as such would first insist on a greater proficiency in the three R's; according to him the spelling of the office staff is deplorable and the knowledge of correct English practically nil; as to the hand-writing — words failed him. But not me (words seldom forsake me!) I would suggest that our educational authorities go humby to their opposite number on the Roman Catholic side and enquire their methods. It is a fact that a graduate of their institutions may have no idea where Abyssinia is situated but can nevertheless write that word beautifully, and what is better, legibly. A poor writer among them is the exception rather than the rule.

At Grade VII, our citizen would have the psychologist called in to make extensive probings of the young mind, and on his findings would depend the future education of the child. Some would go to the academic course; some would learn to deal cunningly with the blow-torch and the force-cup; while others would learn all about fabrics and the subtle way they can be draped about the female figure. We have here the old refrain — "Why don't they teach them something practical?" Practical meaning money-making! It is in the interpretation of this word that we are at cross-purposes, for it has different meanings for different people. However, the above suggestion would meet some of the difficulties.

As for the writer, her views are hopelessly archaic, being simply that you cannot make mahogany out of basswood — although a skilled operator may, by persistent attention and much veneer, make a good imitation — which will serve very well until a strain is imposed, when the inherent coarseness will inevitably reveal itself. But skilled operators are imperative, those who have an intimate acquaintance with mahogany. . . On which depressing note, we return to the mumpy daughter upstairs.

COURT FINDS A WAY

Montreal (CP) — A special interpreter was needed when an 80-year-old woman — blind, deaf and dumb — gave evidence in court here. She used a touch system of communication and an interpreter from the Deaf Mute Institute told the court her answers.

So-called "closet dramas" are those designed to be read, but not acted.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed: "Tender for Construction of a new school for the Protestant School Commission of Morin Heights, Morin Heights, Que.", will be received at the Architect's office, 1241 Guy Street, Montreal, at 12.00 o'clock noon on April 12, 1950. Tenders are to follow the instructions and forms supplied with the plans. A Performance Bond of 50% of the tender is to be supplied by the successful Contractor, issued by a bonding company satisfactory to the owners. A bid bond guaranteeing that the Performance Bond will be issued is to be included with the tender.

Tenders are for all trades exclusive of the Mechanical and Electrical work. Tenders for these trades will be called for separately, based on plans and specifications prepared by T. G. Anglin, Consulting Engineer.

Plans, specifications, instructions to bidders and tender forms are available for inspection at the Montreal Builders' Exchange Inc., 620 Cathcart Street, Montreal, and copies of same may be obtained by General Contractors only intending to submit bids on and after March 23, 1950, at the office of the Architect, 1241 Guy Street. A certified cheque for $150.00 made payable to the Architect, Grattan D. Thompson, will be required as a deposit on the plans. This will be released on the return of the plans and specifications complete and in satisfactory order. Deductions from the deposit will be made for damaged or missing plans and specifications.

Plans and specifications for the Mechanical and Electrical trades will be obtained from T. G. Anglin, Consulting Engineer, Room 703, Dominion Square Building, upon receipt of a certified cheque for $75.00, payable to T. G. Anglin, and subject to the same conditions as mentioned for the general plans and specifications.

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Newsweek



Newsweek looks at Life Insurance

RECENTLY members of *Newsweek* magazine's editorial staff interviewed Mr. Leroy A. Lincoln, President of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, on the subject of Life insurance.

The tremendous role that Life insurance plays in the national economy, and the interesting institutional material developed during the discussion, are so important that a motion picture has been made of this interview. This film will be given wide distribution in line with Metropolitan's "Open Book" policy.

Naturally, in reply to questions from the editors, Mr. Lincoln made many references to Metropolitan's achievements in 1949. In fact, the interview developed the information that is customarily included in the Annual Report to Policyholders.

Accordingly, a complete transcript has been printed as the Company's Report for 1949. Here are some of the highlights of that report:

—"Metropolitan . . . paid about $769,000,000 (to beneficiaries and policyholders last year) . . . and I might add further that . . . (this includes) $502,000,000 to living policyholders."

—"For our 33,000,000 policyholders in the United States and Canada, the total Life insurance in force in the Metropolitan at the end of last year was almost $42,000,000,000 — an increase of 4 percent over the preceding year."

—"Metropolitan's assets totaled $9,700,000,000, an increase of about 6 percent over the figure for 1948."

—"Through the combined efforts of the many health organizations, the average expectation of life at birth has improved 18 years since 1900. At that time it was about 49 years — while right now it is about 67."

—"Expenses for the Life insurance companies have gone up the same as for everybody else. For example, in the Metropolitan last year they increased about 4 percent . . . insurance in force in Metropolitan has increased about 80 percent since 1939, whereas operating expenses have increased only 71 percent."

—"In 1949, Metropolitan . . . paid $164,000,000 in dividends to policyholders — the largest such amount in the Company's history. Dividends payable to policyholders in 1950 will be somewhat larger in the aggregate than 1949."

—"Dividends would be substantially higher were it not for the low interest returns which have prevailed throughout the United States and Canada. For example, last year the net interest earned on Metropolitan assets was 3.07 percent, compared with 3.03 in 1948, and with 5.18 in 1929."

Metropolitan's Annual Report to Policyholders for 1949 will be sent to anyone on request. In addition, copies of the film may be borrowed for showing by local business, civic, or other groups in which Metropolitan policyholders are interested.

METROPOLITAN STATEMENT
OF OBLIGATIONS AND ASSETS . . . DECEMBER 31, 1949

OBLIGATIONS TO POLICYHOLDERS, BENEFICIARIES, AND OTHERS

Statutory Policy Reserves — This amount, which is determined in accordance with legal requirements, together with future premiums and reserve interest, is necessary to assure payment of all future policy benefits.		$8,252,239,531.00
Policy Proceeds and Dividends Left with Company — Policy proceeds from death claims, matured endowments, and other payments, and dividends — left with the Company by beneficiaries and policyholders to be returned in future years.		531,949,902.00
Reserved for Dividends to Policyholders — Set aside for payment in 1950 to those policyholders eligible to receive them.		164,260,999.00
Policy Claims Currently Outstanding — Claims in process of settlement, and estimated claims that have occurred but have not yet been reported.		35,804,438.43
Other Policy Obligations — Premiums received in advance, reserves for mortality and morbidity fluctuations, reserve for continuing the program of equalization dividends on weekly premium policies, etc.		64,879,400.04
Taxes Accrued — Including estimated amount of taxes payable in 1950 on the business of 1949 and $10,000,000.00 for United States Federal Taxes on 1947 and 1948 income under pending bill.		36,825,574.00
Contingency Reserve for Mortgage Loans		21,000,000.00
All Other Obligations		42,355,959.00
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS		$9,149,315,803.47
SURPLUS FUNDS		
Special Surplus Funds	$ 84,252,000.00	
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	474,379,879.03	
TOTAL SURPLUS FUNDS		558,631,879.03
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS AND SURPLUS FUNDS		$9,707,947,682.50

ASSETS WHICH ASSURE FULFILMENT OF OBLIGATIONS

Bonds		$7,298,735,485.05
U.S. Government	$2,884,039,974.00	
Canadian Government	242,548,827.19	
Provincial and Municipal	69,029,148.93	
Railroad	492,569,747.96	
Public Utility	1,322,222,366.98	
Industrial and Miscellaneous	2,167,230,348.06	
Bonds of the Company's housing development corporations	121,095,071.93	
Stocks — All but $4,534,643.85 are Preferred or Guaranteed.		136,059,753.85
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate		1,271,067,551.97
Mortgage Loans on City Properties	$1,164,238,419.48	
Mortgage Loans on Farms	106,829,132.49	
Loans on Policies — Made to policyholders on the security of their policies.		393,258,765.52
Real Estate (after decrease by adjustment of $25,000,000.00 in the aggregate)		247,728,331.90
Housing projects and other real estate acquired for investment	$ 198,151,779.86	
Properties for Company use	38,588,738.97	
Acquired in satisfaction of mortgage indebtedness (of which $7,166,352.46 is under contract of sale)	35,987,813.07	
Cash and Bank Deposits		150,379,081.15
Premiums, Deferred and in Course of Collection		137,886,883.07
Accrued Interest, Rents, etc.		72,831,829.99
TOTAL ASSETS TO MEET OBLIGATIONS		$9,707,947,682.50

NOTE — Assets amounting to $456,197,535.92 are deposited with various public officials under the requirements of law or regulatory authority.

SOME FACTS ABOUT METROPOLITAN'S OPERATIONS IN CANADA

These highlights of the Company's business in Canada during 1949, our 77th year in this country, will be of particular interest to Metropolitan's Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries.

Payments to Policyholders and Beneficiaries

Metropolitan paid in 1949 to its Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries $41,286,966 in death claims, matured endowments, dividends and other payments. Of this, 69% was paid to living policyholders.

The total amount the Metropolitan has paid to Canadians since it entered Canada in 1872, plus the amount now invested in Canada, exceeds the total premiums received from Canadians by more than $364,000,000.

Life Insurance In Force

In 1949, Canadians bought $208,278,971 of new Life insurance protection in the Metropolitan, bringing the total of the Company's Life insurance in force in Canada to $2,336,103,078 at the year-end. This amount is made up of 57% Ordinary, 29% Industrial and 14% Group.

Total Investments in Canada

Metropolitan's total investments in Canada amounted to $557,336,716 at the end of 1949. The Company's dollars are at work throughout the country . . . in practically every phase of production and distribution . . . helping to produce more goods and create more jobs for more people.

Health and Welfare Work

During 1949, a total of 212,458 nursing visits was made to those insured under Metropolitan Industrial, Intermediate, and Group policies in Canada; over 2 million pamphlets on health and safety were distributed, and the Company took part in 154 Canadian health campaigns.

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" "	7.05 p.m.
Saturday Special	2.35 p.m.

— Eastbound —

To Montreal	10.54 a.m.
" "	8.03 p.m.
Saturday Special	3.58 p.m.

Full information from
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or C.P. STATION (tel. 5)

Canadian Pacific

Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 10963

Superior Court

James A. Dawson, plaintiff
vs.

Florence Dawson, wife of Albert Dew; Sarah Dawson, wife of Edgar Boyd; Westley Dawson; Rachel Dawson, wife of Gordon Riddle; William Dawson; Syrus Dawson; Adeline Dawson, wife of Garnett Ivall, defendants

and

George F. Calder, T. Brassard, Bank of Montreal, Dame Alice Dew, Mis-en-cause.

The defendants are ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, March 23, 1950.

— J. C. Marchand
M30.2c Prothonotary, S.C.T.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that ANTONIO TOUCHETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; JEAN-LOUIS BRISSETTE, Merchant, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne, widow not remarried of the late Edward Clark, in his lifetime Mechanic of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, and the said DAME JEAN MacWHIRTER, universal legatee and sole testamentary executrix of the said late Edward Clark; and KENNETH CLARK, Riding-master, domiciled in the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, District of Terrebonne; DAME GRAZIELLA TIMMINS, wife contractually separate as to property of Honorable Donat Raymond, Senator, both domiciled at No. 3541 Ontario Avenue, in the City and District of Montreal; the said DONAT RAYMOND, herein acting to authorize his wife for all legal purposes; JONATHAN C. MEAKINS, Physician, domiciled at No. 1390 Sherbrooke Street West, in the City and District of Montreal, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec during the current session to have a bill passed confirming and enacting a reduction of THIRTY PER CENT (30%) in the value of the lots of land only appearing on the valuation roll of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts, for the year 1950, and that the said valuation roll for 1950, thus amended shall be the valuation roll in force, and having force and effect, of the Town of Ste. Agathe des Monts for the year 1949 just elapsed, and the current year 1950, as well as for the three coming years, 1951, 1952 and 1953, as authorized by Section 485 of the Cities and Towns Act, subject however to the annual revision as mentioned in said Section 485.

Ste. Agathe des Monts.
March 8, 1950

— Jean Morin,
A6.4c Attorney for Petitioners.

To Rome for Holy Year



The first large group of Canadian pilgrims to make a visit to Rome for Holy Year left recently from Saint John, N.B., on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of France. Pictured here are members of the L'Action Catholique Pilgrimage, gathered on the top deck just prior to sailing. Although members of the group came from all parts of Canada, the majority of the pilgrims hail from this province.

Fencing the Garden With A Hedge

Whatever size the property, most people like to have a part of the back garden which is private and screened from view. Hedges and well located shrubs can accomplish this. Hedges are often cheaper than fencing and they act as a background to the brighter displays of flowers in the garden — says R. W. Oliver, of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

The height, color and texture of a hedge will be governed largely by the size of the property and type of garden which the hedge surrounds. A large garden needs a taller hedge than a small garden. A tall or medium hedge should under ordinary circumstances be mid or dark-green in color, as its purpose is to act as a background to the garden. A golden, grey or red-leaved hedge kills the appearance of any plants in the foreground.

Low hedges or borders used only to give emphasis to the design by extending the architectural lines in plan on the property, may be of brighter shades, particularly in formal work or in conjunction with light colored buildings.

The texture or detail of a hedge is largely a matter of coarse and fine foliage, and the degree of shininess. Large leaves and shiny ones are seen in more detail than small or dull ones. Consequently they have the appearance of being nearer at hand and the tendency to reduce the apparent size of the space they surround. A hedge of fine texture and dull green color such as Caragana would, on the other hand, increase the apparent size.

Couple Build Home, Find Independence

Invested Hard Work and $2,500 to Get Freedom from Landlords

Colborne, Ont. (CP)—Confidence, hard work and the dread of a nagging landlord turned a $2,500 investment into a two-storey frame home valued at $7,000 for Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dingwall and their four children.

"We aimed at a place where we didn't have to smother the children if they wanted to yell for joy, or be turned out if we didn't just please a landlord", said Mrs. Dingwall. "We wanted a home and we worked for it."

In April, 1948, the young couple paid $325 for nine acres of land near this village 25 miles west of Trenton on Lake Ontario. Mrs. Dingwall "couldn't even lift an axe when we started" but soon she and her husband were clearing the land while the children picked wild berries.

One year and one baby later they moved from a cramped two-room apartment into their spacious white house.

"There were times when things looked hopeless", said her husband.

Once a home-made car-tractor they were using rolled into the excavation for the house and they had to shovel in loads of clay to get the tractor out.

But both husband and wife said everything was worth it, and they're proud they did it themselves. Any offer of help was politely refused because the Dingwalls wanted to be independent.

Now they plan to make a living from the land. Last summer berries paid them $180. Fruit trees and vegetables are expected to give even better returns.

In the 9th century the Danes imposed a head tax which became known as the "nose tax". Hence the expression "pay through the nose."

Tulips grow best when planted as close to cold weather as possible.

All empire is no more than power in trust. — Dryden



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11 a.m. Morning Worship.
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7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
8 p.m. Stainer's "Crucifixion". Montreal tenor soloist and church choir. All welcome.
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.
Good Friday:
11 a.m. Public Worship.
Preacher. Rev. H. A. Carson, D.D.

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Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
Palm Sunday - April 2.
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Lenten service, Friday at 7.30 p.m.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charles Maclean, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
7.30 Evening Worship, Lachute.

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11 a.m. Worship Service.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
Rev. J. Gordon Duncan, Pastor

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11 a.m. Church
Happy Hour, Monday, 7 p.m.
Y.P. Fellowship, Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Thursday 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

Sunday Morning Broadcast
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Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 2.30 p.m.
Dunany, 6 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
3 p.m. Children's service.
Kilmar
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met in Lachute on Monday morning, with the Rev. J. G. Duncan, president, in the chair.

The devotional address was given by the Rev. C. R. Lang. The speaker traced the steps leading to our Lord's Crucifixion from the Transfiguration, emphasizing His willingness, His joy that surmounted all sorrow, and His complete consecration.

Considerable interest was shown in the International Christian University and it was hoped that all who are able will respond to the appeal in April.

The Rev. C. H. Maclean will take the devotional address on April 17.

Presbyterian Church

This spring the Presbyterian Church in Canada will celebrate its 75th anniversary, and a National Presbyterian Congress will be held in Montreal in June, as part of the commemoration.

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In the U.S.A., Presbyterian Unity is being urged by laymen. A renewed effort to bring together all branches of the Presbyterian Church was launched at a convention of churchmen meeting at Atlanta, attended by about 5,000 southern laymen from 16 States.

100th Anniversary Of Anglican Diocese

The 100th anniversary of the formation of the Diocese of Montreal, of the Church of England in Canada, will be featured at the annual meeting of the synod of this diocese to be held in Montreal April 25, 26 and 27.

The anniversary has significance for all Montrealers as the same Letters Patent of the Crown dated July, 1850, which declared the formation of the diocese also proclaimed that the "Town of Montreal in the said diocese shall henceforth be a city."

The history of the Church of England in the Montreal area dates back to 1760, when the chaplains of the British regiments which occupied the town in that year held the first Anglican services for the small minority of British residents.

Highlights of the three-day meeting of the synod, which will be attended by clergy and laymen from all parts of the diocese, will be a number of distinguished guest speakers from other Canadian and United States dioceses.

Among these will be the Rt. Rev. R. H. Waterman, Coadjutor Bishop of Nova Scotia, whose diocese celebrated its 200th anniversary last year; the Rt. Rev. T. R. Ludlow, Suffragan Bishop of Newark; the Very Rev. George Calvert, Dean of Victoria; and the Rev. Allan Clark, a member of the Rural Life Committee of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States.

"Crucifixion" by Choir Of United Church This Sunday Evening

Sir John Stainer's "Crucifixion" is being presented in the Lachute United Church on Sunday evening next, following the evening service. This beautiful pre-Easter cantata has not been sung in Lachute for many years, so it is hoped that the work will be enthusiastically supported by the community. An invitation is extended to all who would like to attend.

The leading part in the "Crucifixion" is to be taken by a Montreal tenor soloist, who has been especially engaged for the performance. This composition has rare musical beauty and pathos, as it interprets the story of Christ's crucifixion in solo and chorus.

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COMING EVENTS

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LACHUTE W.I.
The regular meeting of Lachute Women's Institute will be held Tuesday, April 4, at 2.30 p.m. in the Legion Memorial Hall. Program — colored film of Lachute. -1c

SALAD TEA, BROWNSB'G
The ladies of Laurentian Lodge L.O.B.A. will hold a salad tea and sale of home-cooking in the United Church hall, Brownsburg, on Saturday, April 1. Keep the date open. m9.23.30c

SUGAR PARTIES
The sugaring parties arranged annually at Hercule Legault's (on Route 30) will be held Sunday, April 2, 9 and 16. $1 per person. — Telephone 930-r-5. M30.2c

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Has it ever seemed to you that we are living in a peculiar time? Has not wickedness gone to seed to bring forth a crop of violence and hate? Has not each spasmodic effort of men, however sincere, to restore the world to sanity met with defeat and despair? No doubt you have wondered why this should be so. In this age of enlightenment, when there is such a tremendous capacity for good, why should the future loom continually darker before struggling humankind? Is there any special significance to the events of our day? What does the future hold?

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THAT GOD created the earth for man, made perfect man for the earth and placed him upon it; that man yielded to unfaithful Lucifer, or Satan, and willfully disobeyed God's law and was sentenced to death; that by reason of Adam's wrong act all men are born sinners and without the right of life;

THAT THE LOGOS was made human as the man Jesus and suffered death in order to produce the ransom or redemptive price for obedient men; that God raised up Christ Jesus divine and exalted him to heaven above every other creature and clothed him with all power and authority as head of God's new capital organization;

THAT GOD'S CAPITAL ORGANIZATION is a Theocracy called Zion, and that Christ Jesus is the Chief Officer thereof and is the rightful King of the new world; that the faithful anointed followers of Christ Jesus are Zion's children, members of Jehovah's organization, and are His witnesses whose duty and privilege it is to testify to Jehovah's supremacy and declare his purposes toward mankind as expressed in the Bible;

THAT THE OLD WORLD, or Satan's uninterrupted rule, ended A.D. 1914, and Christ Jesus has been placed by Jehovah upon the throne, has ousted Satan from heaven, and now proceeds to vindicate His name and establish the "new earth"; (Rev. 12:12)

THAT THE RELIF and blessings of the people can come only by Jehovah's kingdom under Christ, which has begun; that His next great act is to destroy Satan's organization and establish righteousness completely in the earth; and that under the Kingdom the people of good-will surviving Armageddon will carry out the divine mandate to "fill the earth" with righteous offspring, and that the human dead in the graves will be raised to opportunities of life on earth.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Professor Geo. Bain and Mrs. Bain, of Amherst, Mass., are the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. John Scott, at Hill Foot.

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Miss Mariette Joly is spending the week in New York, visiting friends.

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Mrs. Silas Elder and family, also Mrs. Albert Nicoll and son, Edward, spent the past week-end in Montreal visiting friends.

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Miss Ruth Todd, of Montreal, has been spending a few days here visiting with friends and relatives.

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Silver Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson received congratulations and good wishes from their many friends, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary last Saturday.

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Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Provan W. McCulloch wish to announce the engagements of their daughters —Gwendolyn Mae, to Mr. Herbert Sydney Morrison Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cook, of Saskatoon, Sask., and Bernice Leith, to Mr. Cyril Charles Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Ward, of Lachute, Que. The double ceremony will take place early in April.

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Former Lachute Man Alumni President

Former acquaintances of James Arthur de Lalanne, C.B.E., M.C., note with pleasure that he has been named president of the Graduates' Society of McGill University. Mr. Lalanne is a former Lachute man (his mother, Mrs. Lalanne, and his sister, Mrs. M. Tillotson, reside on Grace Street); he is better known among veterans from these parts who served in World War I. Mr. Lalanne served with the Canadian forces in both wars and attained high military rank. He is now active in affairs of Protestant education in Montreal.

Bob Hope frequently plays golf with Bing Crosby. During one of their matches, they were approaching the first cup. Crosby was preparing to putt. He studied the ball from every angle. Finally he said to the caddie, "When was the grass cut?" "Just this morning", the caddie replied. Bing sank his putt. Hope approached his ball, studied the lie, smoothed the grass with his hand carefully, then turned to the caddie and seriously inquired: "What time this morning?"

Mrs. T. B. Millar, of Montreal, spent the week-end here as the guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Ruby Parsons.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brash and two children left Wednesday to take up residence in Montreal. Their many friends wish them happiness in their new surroundings.

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Miss Lorna Giles, of Ottawa, spent two days this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Giles.

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Mrs. Geo. Fenwick and two children, of Hampstead, are visiting in Lachute as guests of her sister, Mrs. Keith Clarke and Mr. Clarke.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hynes, of Verdun, spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Silverson and Mr. Silverson.

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Miss Ella Spriggs, R.N., of Harbour View Hospital, Sydney Mines, N.S., is visiting with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Spriggs.

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Mrs. Jean Foden and daughter, Susan, are leaving today to join her husband in Prince Albert, Sask., after spending two months at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Black, Upper Lachute.

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LAC. Donald Jolley, stationed with the R.C.A.F. at Centralia, Ont., has spent the past two weeks on leave as the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. E. Murphy and Mr. Murphy.

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Lachute Girl Feted By Staff Associates

On Tuesday evening about 20 ladies — wives of the employees at Geo. Y. Deacon's — met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cowan in honor of the approaching marriage of Miss Bernice MacCulloch.

The gathering was in the form of a shower, and a lovely Ayers blanket was presented to the bride-to-be, who briefly expressed her appreciation.

Following the presentation an enjoyable evening was spent in playing games and cards, and at the close refreshments were served by the host and hostess.

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Cushing West

Miss M. Whelehan, who has been spending the past two months in Montreal, is at present the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Funcheon, at the home of Mr. W. H. Robert.

Miss Joyce Harvey, of London, England, arrived last week to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Gerard Trottier and Mr. Trottier, of St. Philippe d'Argenteuil.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prior, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Robinson, of Lachute, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Danford, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their cottage here.

Miss Myrtle Densmore and Mr. W. Hogbin, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. Dewar of Grece's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Raymond and family, of Montreal, visited at their summer cottage on Sunday.

Cushing

Communion service will be held in St. Mungo's Church on Easter Sunday — the service beginning at 11.30, to permit of a morning Communion being held in St. Andrews East Church at an earlier hour.

It's the division between parents that adds up to problem children.

St. Andrews East

Mr. Stuart Todd, of Lachute, spent the week-end with friends here.

Miss Janet Ryan was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cairns.

Mr. Ben Howell spent the week-end at his home here.

The W.A. of Christ Church met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Percy Burwash.

Mrs. Robin spent two days in Montreal visiting her sister, Mrs. Lanctôt.

Young people visiting at their respective homes during the week-end, included — Misses Joyce and Helen Rayson, Marjorie Gates, Mrs. Wilde, Jack Entwistle, Arthur Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gates.

Russian Supermen?

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It is more than possible that, to this day, distrust of Russia still lingers in Chinese hearts.

From Russia and its vassals all news is suppressed at present, but from Russian-occupied Eastern Germany it seems people in this country still receive word from their friends and relatives.

I happened to visit an acquaintance who came here from Saxony, which is now behind the Iron Curtain. He told me that, in that state, the dairy farmers are very resentful of their communist masters. They are not troubled with small quotas. The government sets a minimum requirement for each farm, the farmer must meet this or forfeit his farm. They have to send, more often than not, the milk they need for their own household in order to appease their masters.

Russia is no superstate. Russians are not supermen.

Public Notice

TO RATEPAYERS OF THE PARISH OF ST. JERUSALEM

Province of Quebec
Municipality of the Corporation of St. Jerusalem

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Special Superintendent of the aforesaid municipality, that certain changes are to be considered and discussed on the cleaning and straightening of the Vide-Sac watercourse, said request having been made by several ratepayers interested in this watercourse.

A public meeting is hereby called of the ratepayers by the Special Superintendent to take place at Allan McLean's Gas Station on Route 41, on April 3, 1950, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Given at Lachute, Que., this 24th day of March, 1950.

— Z. Plouffe,
Special Superintendent

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Grenville North

Mr. H. H. MacKrith spent the past week-end in Ormstown as the guest of Mr. A. J. McGerrigle.

Mr. Fred MacIntyre has returned to Port Colborne after spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. MacIntyre.

Miss Dorothy MacIntyre spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. Fred Rolfe is spending a few days in Montreal visiting friends and relatives.

The Misses Gwen and Bernice Hoare spent the week-end at their home here.

The maple sugar season has started, and many farmers have already tapped their trees.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Younge and family spent Sunday in Ottawa.

Mr. John Richardson is spending a few days in Montreal.

Harrington

Mrs. Alvin Campbell and children, of North River, spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Dobbie. . . Mr. and Mrs. A. Bates, of Avoca, were also visitors at the Dobbie home over the week-end.

Master Brent Swail returned home Sunday, much improved in health, after spending one week in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marshall visited in Montreal on Sunday.

Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, is spending a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Harrington Farm Forum was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacRae, with 15 present.

Mrs. J. Bates, and her father, Mr. George Poulter, were in Ottawa on Sunday visiting Mr. Geo. Poulter, Jr., who is sick in hospital there.

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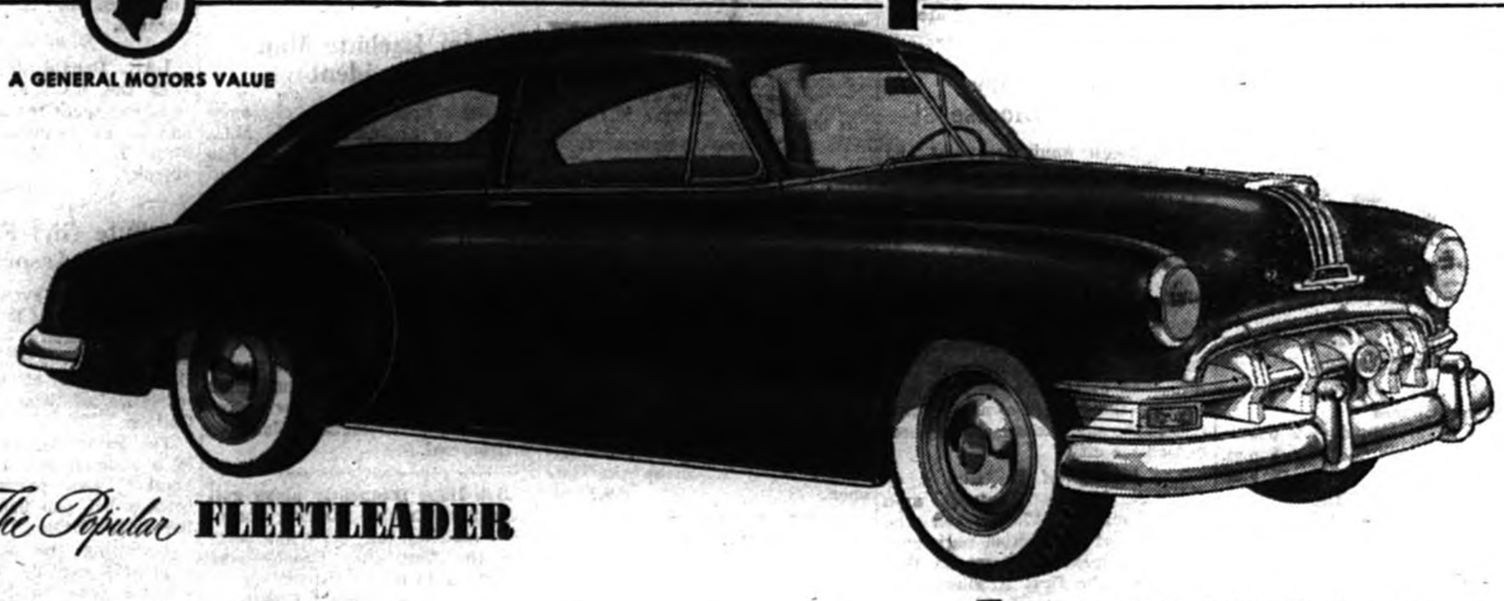

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Miss Audrey Heatlie, nurse-in-training at the Royal Victoria Hospital, spent the week-end and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaston and daughters spent Friday evening with Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fuller and son, Donald, spent Sunday with relatives in Hudson Heights.

Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon, was a guest at the home of Mrs. T. W. Weir on Friday night. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. Dobbie. Capt. J. D. Weir, of Senneville, was a guest on Sunday at the home of his brother.

Mrs. L. M. Gaston and her guest, Mrs. Humphrey, visited Mrs. John Little, of Little Rideau, Ont., on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McCaig, of Pointe Fortune, are residing at present with Mrs. McCaig's mother, Mrs. John Somerville, pending their moving into their new home, which is adjacent to the Somerville home and which Mr. McCaig purchased from Mr. Jas. Edwards in the past autumn.

Mrs. J. Harvey and son, Eddie, who have been residents in the home of Mr. Geo. Scott, have moved to Grece's Point for a time, where they will be guests of Mrs. Turner. Mr. Scott's farm, purchased on the Soldiers' Settlement plan, has been vacated and the understanding is that new hands will take it over.

Frontier W.I. meets on Tuesday afternoon, April 4, at the home of Mrs. W. Heatlie, Lachute. The program will be in the form of a panel discussion, under the leadership of Mrs. A. Graham, publicity convener. The roll-call is "A Joke".

Mrs. Roy Dobbie entertained the monthly meeting of St. Mungo's Ladies' Aid on Tuesday of this week, with Mrs. M. Wilson, the new president, presiding.

Mr. Douglas Hooper, and a party of friends from Montreal, visited the Hoopers' summer home, "Cedar Ridge", on Sunday.

Lake Keatley

Mr. A. Heffernan and Mr. Chas. Watson, of Montreal, spent a few days at the Heffernan cottage.

Mr. John White returned home after a week's visit with his wife and father-in-law at Sherbrooke, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford McVicar and daughter, Marylin, spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Barnes and Mr. Neild, at L'Orignal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. Pauline Young.

Mrs. Howard Jones and family, of Lachute, were week-end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave McVicar.

Congratulations to Mr. Bill Thomas, of Hawkesbury, and Miss Rena McLean, of Montreal, who were married on Saturday. They intend to reside in Hawkesbury.

The people of this community extend deepest sympathy to Mr. Grant Baker and family, in the sudden death of his wife.

The British single-seater glider record is 230 miles.

Avoca

Mrs. Alvin Campbell, of Lachute, visited her sister, Mrs. Hugh Bates and Mr. Bates, on Friday last.

Mr. Hugh Bates visited his brother, James, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

Miss Grace MacLeod spent a few days with Mrs. Karr last week.

Mrs. George Nixon has returned home after visiting friends in Montreal.

Miss Marjory Vaillancourt visited her cousins, Joyce and Gerry Andrews, on Saturday last.

Mrs. S. Tomachevsky is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie over the week-end.

Mr. Evan Bates, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents.

Kindly send in your Red Cross cards with donations, to the post-office.

Q.W.I. Contributions To "Cookery Book"

A "Cookery Book", compiled from suggestions submitted by members of their constituent societies, is a current project of the Associated Country Women of the World. This book is to be divided into three sections, Cookery Recipes, Preservation of Food, Cooking and Household Hints. Each society was asked for contributions to these three sections and for the first, twenty recipes were requested, with emphasis placed on those traditional or typical of the respective countries. The response made by the Q.W.I., for all sections, was most gratifying and it was no small task to select those felt to be most suitable. Mrs. R. Thompson, Q.W.I. President, assisted in this work and those chosen have now been forwarded to the A.C.W.W. General Secretary, Mrs. John Bell, London, England. In acknowledging the receipt of this material, Mrs. Bell states ways of publishing the book are being explored and the suggestion has been made that it might be less expensive to have the work done in Canada.

In her letter she also mentions the commercial press is showing interest in the essay competition which was conducted last year, as Q.W.I. members will recall. It has been agreed not to allow them to use any essays until after the international prize has been awarded, but official magazines of constituent societies are now free to use their own members' essays as long as acknowledgments are made to the A.C.W.W.

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At Curling Club

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Livestock, Poultry

FOR SALE — 4 working horses. — Apply 96 Bedard Blvd. -1p

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World Amateur Hockey Champions

SPORTS CAMERA
By Wally Izsak

They called it the World Amateur Hockey Championships, but strange as it seems, it probably attracted less interest and attention in Canada than the playoffs leading to the Allan and Memorial Cup championships. And this in the country of the championship team.

When the Edmonton Mercurys recently swept undefeated to the world amateur title in London, most Canadians showed little interest over the fact that a Canadian and not an English, Swedish or Swiss team was the winner.

Perhaps this was because Canadians expected it. After all, in the 16 world tournaments since 1924, this was Canada's 12th victory. Only three other countries — Czechoslavakia twice, and the United States and Britain once each—have won the world trophy.

Or perhaps it was the controversy and lobsided victories that drew out the interest and color of the spectacle.

For example, the Mercurys — a good intermediate club — piled up 42 goals in scoring and allowed only three into their own nets, while the last-place team in the six-country show, Norway, scored only 15 goals and let in 45.

Canada won all five games; third-place Switzerland won three and lost two; fourth-place Britain took two and dropped three, while fifth-place Sweden managed one win and four losses.

It wasn't just on this side of the Atlantic that interest seemed to lag. Right in London, where the event was held, spectator interest flagged and only when the Canadians played did the fans turn out in large numbers. For most other games there were plenty of seats. Compare this with Canada during Allan or Memorial Cup playoff time.

Just Speculation

Even at that, the difference between the teams could have been more. The Mercurys are a good intermediate team — the Western Canada intermediate champions — and deserve every credit for their feat.

But what would happen if an all-star squad of the best senior players in the Dominion were sent into the tournament? That's an old argument but an interesting one to mull over.

If Czechoslovakia had competed, the tourney might have been closer for it was the Czechs who last year knocked out our Sudbury Wolves and took the crown.

But the Czechs withdrew this year in a manner which instead of furthering international relationships, as the tournament is intended, disrupted them a bit more. This, too, added to the controversy over the event.

The Czechs, it was reported, were refused permission to go to England by their Communist-dominated government. It is thought the government feared some of the players might jump the team and become political refugees.

Church Bowling League Concludes Next Monday

The semi-finals and final of the Lachute United Church Bowling League will be held on Monday next, when the presentation of prizes to winning teams will also be made, and refreshments will be served.

On Monday last, the first playoff games were contested. Three out of four games went to the limit, so keenly were they played. The Young Women's Auxiliary defeated Mission Band 6-5, 8-6, and 3-8, while the Young People's Union came from behind to trim the league-leading Red Cross "B", 2-6, 9-4, and 10-2. The Raps defeated the Vikings in two straight games, 10-2, and 8-4, and W.M.S. Blues won against the S.S. Teachers 6-1, 2-6, and 9-1.

Semi-finals will start next Monday at 7.10 sharp, the line-up being — Y.W.A. vs. W.M.S. Blues, and Raps vs. Y.P.U. The finals will follow immediately afterwards.

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— Alex Bothwell,
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