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Heather Club Team Wins Invitation Bonspiel

Lachute Curling Club was a hub of activity last week, which was the occasion of the second annual Invitation Bonspiel. There were a total of 74 rinks taking part in this competition.

Ideally situated both locally and provincially, this club is well known and easy of access. Good ice is a main factor, and the members are proud of the clubhouse and the hospitality which is extended to players and visitors.

A friendly atmosphere prevailed all during the competition last week, and there was invariably a good audience taking interest in the games played each day. The ladies assisted greatly by serving meals in the clubhouse, and their splendid co-operation merits high praise.

Friday evening saw the finish of the 74-team competition, with the following four rinks in the lead — Caledonia, Montreal West, Heather and Lachute.

At two o'clock Saturday the semi-finals started, with G. McKeeman of Caledonia matched against L. Ireland of Montreal West, and B. Adair of Heather in competition with D. McTavish of Lachute. Results of this round were — Caledonia 11, Montreal West 8; Heather 14, Lachute 7. The two highest-scoring rinks were then in the run for the big prize, and the two lesser contenders in the consolation class for the finals. These were held at 8 p.m., resulting in a win by Heather, 17-4, for the main event, and for Montreal West in the consolation, 12-9.

Play was really more spectacular in the semi-finals than in the evening. With Lachute lying shot in the fourth end, Skip Adair, of Heather, with a perfectly directed stone took it out and counted 2.

In the seventh end a nice raise by McTavish gave him 3 points in his favor instead of one to his opponents.

The ninth end brought applause for Adair when in a difficult raise he took out Lachute's 2 counters to give him a further 3 points.

Play in the evening was somewhat one-sided — Heather team worked consistently as one man, and gave Caledonia little chance to win more than their 4 points.

Presentation of prizes was the next highlight of the events, and the club-room was crowded.

President R. Todd was assisted by Vice-President J. W. McGibbon and W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., who extended a welcome to all present.

A beautiful trophy donated by Mr. Quint Miller, of Caledonia Club, was handed to the winners by President R. Todd, and a pair of blankets from Ayers Ltd. was presented to each player by Mr. C. Tremblay. Runners-up (Caledonia) each received a nice travelling rug.

Consolation prizes, donated and presented by N. W. Boyd, were given to the winners individually — to members of the Montreal rink an electric sandwich toaster, and to the runners-up a silver water pitcher.

Speaking for the visitors, Mr. Doug Whitticker, president of Caledonia Curling Club, expressed appreciation of the splendid tournament and of the cordial reception always extended to the players visiting Lachute.

Expressions of thanks were voiced to Quint Miller for his most generous trophy gift, and in replying Mr. Miller reminisced briefly on a period of his early life which had been spent in this vicinity and which he had always held in happy remembrance.

Albert B. Ogilvie was complimented for his work in arranging and handling the entries, and the ladies received praise for the excellent meals they had provided.

So ends the Second Annual Bonspiel at Lachute, which has afforded pleasure to a great many and has been of real publicity value to the club and to this town.

Auto Mishap On Main Street

Turning into Main Street from Bethany last Saturday a motorist, A. Gagné, of Georges Street, Lachute Mills, stopped suddenly when his small son, seated beside him, fell out of the door onto the pavement. The father jumped out of the automobile, to find the youngster little the worse for his misadventure — but meanwhile, the driver having failed to apply his emergency brake, the car rolled forward across the sidewalk, crashing into the J. W. Lefebvre Ltd. store-front and breaking two panels of vitrolite beneath the show-window. . . The little boy suffered only a nose-bleed, and the material damage was rated small in consideration of the youngster's lucky escape.

Town and Industry Shown in Films To W. Inst. Group

The regular monthly meeting of Lachute Women's Institute was held Tuesday in the Legion Hall. The meeting was marked by a good attendance, and three new members were welcomed by the president.

Several important items of business were brought before the meeting, among them the question of serving suppers to school children from the County of Argenteuil and Two Mountains who will be attending the Music Festival in Lachute on May 6. A committee was appointed to meet with members of the school staff and plan for this event.

This branch of the Institute was asked by Mrs. Geo. Leggett, county president, to make articles for the Exhibition in Ottawa this fall.

The finance committee is hoping to secure a well known speaker to give a public address next October in the new auditorium of Lachute High School.

Mrs. S. Milnes reported that several new books had been purchased just lately for the library, and that three of the members had obtained information concerning equipment needed for the cafeteria of the new school.

Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon gave a brief reading expressing thoughts appropriate to Passion Week and Eastertide.

After adjournment of the business meeting an enjoyable hour was spent in viewing two films presented through the kindness of Mr. S. Milnes, representing Ayers Limited. These beautifully colored films showed the whole process of making Ayers blankets and woollen cloth, from the wool on the sheep's back to the finished motor rug or length of overcoating, as well as many scenes of community activities in different parts of the town. . . In conclusion of the meeting tea was served around the fireside.

Correction

In a reference last week to James A. Lalanne, C.B.E., M.C., who was elected president of the McGill Graduates' Society — The Watchman was misinformed on his relationship hereabouts. James Lalanne is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lalanne, and Mrs. Myrtle Boyd, his sister, is the only surviving member of the family in this community. Other relatives referred to were his aunt and cousin, respectively.

Says Montreal Losing "French Atmosphere"

Montreal (CP) — D. Leo Dolan, head of the Federal Government Travel Bureau, told a luncheon gathering this week that Montreal's famed "French atmosphere" is too watered down to suit him.

Mr. Dolan, speaking at a luncheon given by the Montreal Hotel Association, criticized Montrealers for not making more of the city's natural assets.

"This city ought to be the greatest tourist area on the North American Continent, if not in the world", he said. "It may be true that Montreal is the second or third largest French-speaking city in the world, but there is a constant lessening of the French atmosphere and the French approach."

Thousands of additional tourists would be attracted here if more stress was laid on French atmosphere and culture.

". . . You're sitting in the most historic site of this hemisphere and you've failed to develop it properly", he said.

Conclusion of Red Cross Campaign in Brownsburg

Brownsburg — The wind-up meeting of the committee which handled the Canadian Red Cross campaign for funds in Brownsburg, was held in the Social Club last Monday evening. H. M. Sherwood, the chairman, reported that approximately $1,200 had been raised, with a few final returns still to be made.

While the total was somewhat less than last year's, Mr. Sherwood felt that, compared with other parts of the country, it was fairly good, and thanked all who had assisted in any way to make the canvass a success.

The experts estimate Canada's coastline at 14,820 miles.

Closer Check on Vehicular Traffic

As Lachute emerges from the "slip" season and the "slush" season into a semblance of springtime — the local police took note this week of laxity prevailing among certain motorists and truck drivers in Lachute Town. Police Chief D. Villeneuve promises a more rigorous check on violations as the thoroughfares become busier with traffic. There will be special attention to the observance of stop-signs. Parking-lines will be remarked on Main Street as soon as conditions permit; but meanwhile, the co-operation of drivers, taxi and truck operators, in all details of the traffic by-law, is urged in the interests of public safety.

Jas. W. McGibbon Heads Curling Club

CONCLUDING ACTIVITIES OF SEASON

Semi-finals of the Match Committee Competition were played on Monday evening, the winners being Jas. MacKimmie and D. McTavish, who were matched against each other on Tuesday for the final honors. These were taken by McTavish and his team, comprising — G. Muir, G. Calder and Colin McOuat.

At 7 o'clock Tuesday the semi-annual meeting was held, starting with a dinner served by the refreshments committee.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and confirmed and a most satisfactory report of the year's activities was given, showing the Club to be in a very sound position.

President Robt. Todd was in the chair, and at the close of the meeting the various trophies were presented as follows: —

Doubles — G. Calder, H. Morrison.

Stackhouse — S. Blais (skip), F. Legault, S. Wilson, H. Graves.

Dunany — George Calder (skip), Bob Cairns, George McGibbon, Antonio Laurin.

Junior Mackie — Donald Hay (skip), Del Mitchell, J. Johnston, Herb. Graves.

Senior Mackie — George Calder (skip), D. McTavish, R. Giles, L. Cruise.

Junior and Senior Combination — R. Fraser (skip), L. Bedard, Harry Scott, C. Tremblay; J. A. Menard (skip), Stuart Wilson, Tom Martin, Alan Walker.

Match Committee — D. McTavish (skip), G. Muir, G. Calder, C. McOuat.

President's — E. Jones (skip), Art St. Onge, Geo. McGibbon, F. Stein.

A slate of officers was then presented to the meeting for approval, which was unanimously adopted. For the ensuing term the officers are:

President, James W. McGibbon; vice-president, E. M. Jones; hon. secretary, C. E. Richardson; hon. treasurer, F. A. Brennan.

Board — George A. Muir, A. B. Ogilvie, Leonard Bedard, W. M. Steeves.

House and Ice Committee — Harry Scott, John G. Hadley, Simon Wilson.

Auditors — Gaetan Valois, Ian Gordon.

Representative to Branch — G. F. Calder.

Representative to Centre — J. R. Charron.

Reception Committee — R. M. Cairns, J. R. Charron, Nat Boyd, Donald Hay.

Refreshment Committee — Walker K. McArthur, John G. Hadley, J. A. Menard, Stuart Wilson.

Before relinquishing his duties as president, Mr. Todd heartily thanked the members for the support that he had enjoyed and bespoke the same collaboration for his successor.

Mr. McGibbon, in assuming office, spoke briefly and asked for the co-operation of all.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the president and the many willing helpers through whose efforts the year had proved so successful. This included also the ladies, who had done so much in preparing and serving meals at the recent Invitation Bonspiel.

Old Landmark Will Become Funeral Home

The large residential building at the corner of Bethany and Main Street presently known as the Cloverleaf Inn, has been leased from the owners, Muir Bros., by J. P. MacKimmie Reg'd, and from May 1 will be adapted to the purposes of a funeral home. The spacious rooms in this building, and ample parking space, make it an admirable site for this use, according to the lessees, who hope thereby to provide better service to the public.

Known to old-time residents as the Meikle property, this establishment is rated among the landmarks of Lachute. It was purchased many years ago from the Meikle estate by Dr. W. Alexander (now of Montreal), then was bought by H. M. Gall, postmaster. Before the erection of Muir Bros'. service station, one recollects the high fence which enclosed the garden and circled the entire corner of Main and Bethany. The property was acquired by Muir Bros. about the time of its commercialization. The home was subsequently rented by Alex Bothwell, the late L. L. Legault, Ross and George Muir, and Notary J. Beaudoin, who lived there for varying periods of time, and has latterly been operated successfully as a tourist home by Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Murphy. . . Altogether, the property has had a checkered history.

Easter's Power

What mighty power shook the earth and rolled the stone away
And loosed the chain-reaction, which has lasted till this day!
The people in that troubled land knew little of the course
Of God's almighty purpose as He planned to launch this force.

And so they missed the Saviour and nailed Him to a cross
And went about their business, not knowing of their loss.
But when on Easter morning the few who'd followed Him
Went mournfully to offer prayer, their faith grown sad and dim,
Again the angels told these few the wondrous tale of how
The Lord had been set free from death
— they'd find Him living NOW.

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Today the force which shook the earth that bygone Easter day
Is working through the nations in God's appointed way.
The evil forces still deride and try to stamp it out;
They scorn Inspired Democracy and broadcast fear and doubt.

Though atom bombs may fall again and war destroy the earth,
God's power will remain to raise a new world to rebirth.
And every man who has His peace and learns to do His will,
Though heaven and earth should pass away, he will be living still.
For nothing can gainsay this power, no force on earth can sever
God's peace which always is the same — then, and now, and ever.

Parents Warned By Local Police

Town police officers are on the lookout to provide special protection to youngsters, following a well founded complaint that a seven-year-old boy was accosted by a stranger on Main Street one evening last week. The lad, of respectable family, was offered money by an unidentified man, who induced the boy to accompany him to an apartment building, allegedly with evil intent.

It is a known and unwholesome fact, that organized immorality exists in this town, and parents are advised to warn their young children accordingly — to distrust the confidence of strange adults, especially those offering money or other inducements.

PROVINCE SURVEY

St. John's, Nfld. (CP) — An economic survey of Newfoundland's industrial possibilities is being planned by a New York group — the International Basic Economy Corporation. The corporation acts as a guide for financial investors to develop various industries.

Financing of Works Contentious Issue Before Brownsburg Council; Pressing Requirements in Waterworks, Sewerage

Brownsburg — At the last monthly meeting of the Brownsburg Council there were several important matters under discussion, marked with a more than usual divergence of opinion and a snappy interchange of views. Taken all round, it was a lively meeting.

Fire Equipment

The new fire truck and equipment was discussed at some length, and a decision taken to fit attachments along the sides to accommodate the coats and handtools of the firemen. The fire chief expressed himself as very satisfied with the engine during its recent tests, and the secretary read the official report of the tests, which left nothing to be desired in the way of efficiency.

Councillor Ouellette and Councillor Lavoie sponsored a motion to pay the sum of $4,000 as required by contract to the Bickle-Seagrave Company, as first payment on the cost of $7,950. Councillor Somers was not in favor of simonizing the body as the present synthetic finishes required time to "age" before wax should be applied.

Home Manufacture Favored

An order was placed for rubber boots and helmets, without waiting further for samples from American firms. The samples submitted by Canadian firms were so favorably considered that further delay was out of the question, even though some of the U.S. prices were lower.

A New Broom

It was decided to make some alterations to the fire hall, erect cupboards and generally "doll" the place up — on motion of Councillor Wilson seconded by Councillor Denault.

Penalties of Civilization

Mr. W. J. Graham appeared before the council to report on the contamination of a creek by sewage, on Maple Avenue North. Mr. Graham explained that this creek which runs by his property (on which he has lots for sale) adds to the scenic beauty and utility of the lots offered. Recently he had a sale completed at a satisfactory offer, when he discovered that the buyer was counting on using the water for domestic and landscaping purposes. He had to refuse the sale because of the contamination which he knew existed. In other days the water from this creek had been extensively used for drinking purposes; now a sewer emptied its contents into it.

Councillor Somers observed that the pristine purity of meandering springs was violated and defiled by the onward march of our modern civilization; it was a moot point if any spring in the path of advancing habitation could be considered free of contamination under any set of circumstances. The crystal clearness of woodland water was too susceptible to the corrupting influences of surface drainage to ever again expect that water fit for human consumption could be obtained in this way. It was, however, the business of the council to see that sewage disposal was not arranged that way. Some other means would have to be found.

Mr. Graham wanted a definite and early end to this method, as he had patiently waited two years without result. The Health Unit had reported on the condition at that time. . . The Mayor promised immediate attention to this question.

Do We Save or Do We Borrow?

Councillor Somers reverted to the question of increasing the taxes to take care of situations such as Mr. Graham's demand now posed. If a fund had been created, these conditions could be attended to without much delay.

Mayor Donaldson was of the opinion that where such contingencies existed they should be paid for by the people who profited by the expenditure, and not at the cost of those who had already been taxed to meet the general expense of installing the waterworks system. The project was designed as a self-supporting project, but if added utilities were made available to late-comers at a cost proportionate to the whole, the first pioneers of the undertaking would be paying till the last straggler was served. It should not be expected that those who initiated the scheme should pay for those who have not yet paid a cent, and in addition maintain their original burden of costs.

Councillor Somers denied that the project was self-supporting and asked the secretary for the figures on the Chenierville project. (These were not forthcoming, up to the end of the meeting). The Mayor admitted that the project was not well conceived and much additional expense had resulted in consequence. The lines were above the frost line and had to be thawed out repeatedly.

Councillor Somers granted that it was a problem; he offered a solution by way of financing and it was not accepted. He now challenged the Mayor to tell Mr. Graham how he was going to solve the question. The Mayor suggested borrowing the money and making the extension pay for itself. Councillor Wilson inquired what it would cost. Councillor Somers estimated it would cost plenty; and the procedure to borrow would demand that conditions would show

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HATCHED ONLY AT EASTER TIME



Symbolic of the season is this Easter "hatch". Formula for the egg is a trade secret, but, as the picture suggests, almost anything can happen in Easter surprises.

Session Prorogues at Quebec After Numerous Public and Private Bills

"The Week at Quebec"
By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec (CP) — Second session of the 23rd Quebec Legislature prorogued this week after a short but busy six weeks' duration, during which a total of 200 private bills and more than 70 public bills were passed.

Among the bills passed was one calling for establishment of a provincial lottery to help education and public health. Establishment of the provincial lottery depended on an amendment of the criminal code which makes lotteries a criminal offence.

Another bill provided for the establishment of social welfare courts. A bill was also passed calling for improvement in reform and industrial schools.

The Union Nationale government also introduced bills making the Fleur-de-lis the official flag of the province, and renamed Spencerwood, the official residence of the Province's Lieutenant-Governor at Quebec.

The bill changing the name of Spencerwood to that of Bois de Coulogne will take effect after an order-in-council is passed to that effect. The bill was passed by the provincial legislature without opposition.

The legislature also approved bills calling for increased grants for farm loans, housing and land draining.

Another bill called for reorganization of the system of caring for the mentally ill.

At the end of the session, disagreement developed between the Union Nationale government, controlled legislative assembly and the Legislative Council with its Liberal majority.

The disagreement concerned the Montreal bill which called for establishment of a municipally owned public transportation system, and a five-man transportation committee to operate it.

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A Quebec superior court judge ruled last week that the Quebec Labor Relations Act does not conflict with the criminal code.

Judge Achille Pettigrew reached the decision in a case involving Miss Antoinette Couture, a teacher with 26 years experience who took action against the Levis Catholic School Commission charging that she was dismissed because of union activities.

The Judge rejected a motion by the commission which asked dismissal of the complaint by the teacher, who headed a Catholic teachers' syndicate at Levis.

In its motion asking dismissal of the case, the commission said the criminal code conflicted with the Quebec Labor Relations Act. Both forbid dismissal of employees for union activities.

The commission also said an action on an alleged criminal offence could not be instituted against it since it was a public body.

The judge ruled that school commissions may dismiss teachers without giving explanation under the education act, but that they fall under the labor laws which forbid dismissal of an employee for union activity.

Seretse Khama, dethroned African chief with the English wife, is an Oxford graduate.

Driver Killed, Runaway Truck

TRAGEDY OCCURS ON HILL AT BROWNSBURG

Russell D. Martin, 32, of Brownsburg, met instant death when his 3-ton truck ran out of control on the steep hill half a mile north of the Brownsburg crossroads on Wednesday afternoon.

Oval Gunn, who was accompanying the driver in the cab of the truck, informed Dr. A. R. Coté, joint district coroner, that both the foot brake and the emergency brake failed to function, and as the vehicle gained momentum down the hill, Martin told his companion to jump. Gunn escaped with only a bruised elbow, but the driver, who jumped or was hurled from the truck, sustained a fractured skull, a broken neck and his chest gashed by the fence cable. On arrival of Dr. Jacques Castagner from Brownsburg, only two minutes after the accident, the young man was lifeless on the pavement.

The truck meanwhile had crashed through a railing and careened 65 feet into a swamp at the left-hand side of the highway. It remained upright, but was smashed at the front end.

Traffic Officer Albert Legault investigated the accident, assisted by Officer Howard Jones, and the coroner gave a verdict of accidental death, attaching no blame to anyone concerned.

The tragedy occurred around four o'clock, as the two men were returning from Dalesville in the empty truck.

Russell Martin, the son of John Martin, was well known around Brownsburg. He is survived by his wife, the former May Keatlie, and a five-year-old daughter. . . Sincere sympathy is felt in the community for the bereaved relatives.

Forums Take Stand Against Parking Meters

Napanee, Ont. — Morven Farm Forum members voted to boycott Napanee as a trading centre if the town's plan to install parking meters on Dundas Street is carried through.

Morven is about seven miles east of Napanee.

The resolution followed a query put before forums in the district to get the farmers' opinion on the proposal.

Of the 18 forums polled, 16 opposed it, one was in favor and another was undecided.

Morven members said they would make purchases in other centres if the meters are installed in Napanee.

When the parking meter question came before Napanee Town Council, some councillors said the proposal would be strongly opposed by farmers. The measure passed by a narrow majority.

Gatineau LINES

Regulations

As everyone knows, regulations of one kind and another have been playing an increasingly important part in the lives of individuals all over Canada. It is not only individuals however who have regulations to guide their conduct. Business of all kinds is guided to a large degree by regulations.

Power companies in the Province of Quebec, for example, are all subject to regulation by the Provincial Electricity Board. This Board functions under the Provincial Government which is responsible to the people of the province. Here are a few of the ways in which such companies, including Gatineau Power Company, are subject to the authority of the Board:

The Company must obtain permission from the Board to distribute power.

The Company must have the authorization and approval of the Board to issue and sell securities.

The rate to be charged for electricity must be approved by the Board.

The Company must obtain permission of the Board if it wants to extend its service.

It has the power to order a company to permit other distributors to use its poles.

In general, a company must obtain permission from the Board to cease its service, to extend its service, to alter or change the nature of its service or its rates.

These are a few of the ways in which a Power Company is regulated in its operations by the people of the Province through the Provincial Electricity Board. In addition, another body, the Quebec Streams Commission, is vested with the power to make rules respecting the preservation and management of running waters in the Province. In effect, this means that the power companies must apply to the Streams Commission when they wish water to be released from the reservoirs for use at the generators.

Through such regulations, the people of the Province exercise a large degree of control over the operations of the power company. As far as Gatineau is concerned, of course, it respects and obeys these regulations — but in addition it is governed by an unwritten rule, which is to give the best possible service at the most reasonable cost to its customers.

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Farm Topics



Farmers Need Advertising

Belleville — The value of advertising as a means of assuring constant markets for farm producers was stressed at an urban-rural get-together sponsored by the Belleville Chamber of Commerce. Speaker was V. H. Milburn, secretary of the Ontario Federation.

Other industries usually counted on a layout of roughly three per cent of gross turnover for advertising, but at the moment the agricultural industry contributes little to an advertising policy.

Mr. Milburn insisted that agriculture must have a specific advertising program. Adequate markets were needed so that the farmer could maintain an even standard of living. He pictured farmers as the people who are the example of democracy and free enterprise.

Fertilization Boosts Grass Seed Yields

Given soil of average fertility, seed yields of most of the common grasses can be substantially increased by applications of nitrogen in the spring of the year. In an experiment conducted in 1949 at the Division of Forage Plants at Ottawa to show the effect of five different nitrogen carriers, applied at different rates, it was found that nitrogen applied at the rate of 80 lb. per acre (equivalent to 240 lb. ammonium nitrate) gave a 22 per cent increase in yield over the check. It was also found that nitrogen increased seed weight and that the number of flowering stalks per unit was increased. The results from this experiment are similar to those from experiments conducted with other grass species.

Nitrogen should be applied as early in the spring as possible, in order that it may be put rapidly into solution by the spring moisture. The form in which nitrogen is applied does not seem to be important since in the experiment reported here, there was no significant difference in the yields produced by the five kinds of nitrogen fertilizer used, providing the actual amount of nitrogen applied was the same.

— Experimental Farms News

Farmers Who Milk Cows by Guess

The dairy farmers who milk their cows by guess are not building toward a bigger or better future in the dairy farming business. There is no doubt about the fact that an owner of a dairy herd would handle his business with greater intelligence and interest and likewise greater profit if he knew what it was costing him in time, feed and barn room for each cow in his herd. Dairy farmers who keep score of the doings of each cow are the ones who get ahead in the dairy farming business.

— Ottawa Farm Journal

Floor Prices on Farm Products

Ottawa (CP) —

The government's power to establish long-sought floor prices for the products produced by Canada's farmers and fishermen has moved a step closer to permanency in the Commons.

Bills designed to strip the time limit from legislation providing for floor prices started through the first mill towards becoming federal statutes. Under present laws, the bills must be extended yearly. The bills before the Commons will provide for permanent floor prices.

There was an atmosphere of general agreement as the bills were introduced but opposition members said they felt that the government could do much more towards providing stability for Canadian farmers.

Opposition suggestions for greater stability ranged from requests that the floor prices be adjusted in relationship to what the farmers have to pay for goods they buy themselves, to a demand that prices be fixed from one to three years in advance.

While farmer-members were urging in the Commons that the government guarantee prices for their products, the retiring head of Canada's fishing industry warned fishermen that government handouts could mean loss of freedom.

F. Homer Zwicker, of Lunenburg, N.S., said in his presidential report before the Fisheries Council of Canada that government assistance to the fishing industry would be beneficial providing it does not encroach on the functions of management.

Pointing to the agricultural field, he told how the marketing of wheat now is completely in the hands of the government, which controls production and prices.

The council made no request for fish price-support, but promised that they would make a maximum effort to carry out the industry's share of the responsibility of attaining full and effective use of this country's fish resources.

A cluster of bananas is called a hand.

Late Snowfalls Improve Outlook for Crops

(CP) — With seeding operations due to start within a few weeks, snow still covers quite a portion of Canadian farmland and is expected to play a major role in 1950 crop prospects.

Soil conditions are generally good, a Canadian Press survey shows. Late snow gets much credit for this. In the west, the snow not only provided much-needed moisture, but also protected the soil.

Ontario and Quebec farmers feared that lack of snow during the early part of the winter would leave the soil too dry. But late heavy falls have changed the picture.

Film Program on Farm Tractors and Machinery

Many local farmers, largely from the French-speaking community hereabouts, witnessed a film program on Ferguson tractors and farm implements, arranged by the local distributors, Northland Automotive Equipment, at the Legion Memorial Hall last Friday evening. Ferguson experts discussed the films, which illustrated particularly the scientific principles underlying construction and operation of the Ferguson tractor.

Marcel Lanctôt and staff, of Northland Automotive Equipment, with company experts and demonstrators, provided an instructive program. Door prizes were awarded and refreshments were served.

Application for permits to prospect for petroleum and natural gas in two portions of the Cariboo adds another interesting facet to the future. It certainly all adds up to an interesting year ahead.

—Quesnel (B.C.) Cariboo Observer

Giant Tractor for Iraq



This new giant tractor built by Thorneycroft Ltd., of London, England, is designed to meet the requirements of the Iraq Petroleum Co., for use on the pipeline between Kirkuk and the Mediterranean Sea. It can carry a load of 32 tons and for a gross train weight with semi-trailer, of up to 100 tons. This picture shows the tractor undergoing tests recently on rough ground during a demonstration at Bagshot, Surrey.

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WORK'S AHEAD

The icy hump of winter is broken. Willows are showing their velvet paws. A brave robin chirps in a nearby thicket. This is the last chance to finish planning and preparing. From now on it is going to be mighty busy.

— Stanstead Journal

Pennant, Sask. (CP) — Recent severely cold weather has brought a serious cut in feed stocks for district livestock. One ranch was giving only 40 per cent of normal feed to its stock and many stockmen were importing feed from Alberta.

Mme Auriol, wife of the French President, did courageous intelligence work for the Resistance Movement in the war.

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Resurrection

THE OUTSTANDING day of the Christian year is Easter. All over this land, and to the farthest frontier of Christendom, churches will be crowded to capacity. There are some who feel that the reason for this is that a lot of people want to show off their fine clothes. But millions who have no fine clothes to show off will be in places of worship, their faces aglow with the brightness of the season. Deeper than the love of clothes is the love people have for Christ.

For life is one riddle and death is another. Indeed, life and death are indissoluble riddles unless we can postulate a future life. This earth's surface holds more graves than living homes. There are more persons dead than there are alive. Death is the oldest mystery and the greatest present grief. It touches us on every side. To multitudes the dead are a greater part of life than the living.

The only place where one encounters the least light on the mystery of death is in the Bible, and particularly in the New Testament. The philosophers have speculated on life after death, but speculation it is, and nothing more. In the New Testament, we learn that there was one time in human history when a Man actually demonstrated the existence of two worlds, the overwhelming glory of one over the other, the part which death plays in life, the power of God to break the bonds of death, and the eternal destiny which those who please God may have in another world. The Man, of course, was Jesus; the event by which He demonstrated these truths was His resurrection, which we celebrate at this season.

"Cancer Month"

THE PEOPLE of this province are urged to bend every effort to assure Quebec attaining its $250,000 objective in the Canadian Cancer Society campaign which, under vigorous and determined direction, is now underway throughout the Dominion.

The money is essential to the carrying out of the work to which the Society is dedicated. The Society is supporting nearly 100 separate projects at 13 Canadian Universities, methodically and tirelessly probing the causes and potential cures of cancer — via chemical, biological, radiological and other experiments — and has widespread welfare units which provide medical and sick-room supplies to cancer victims.

The 1950 financial requirement from all Canada is just over one million dollars. The drive will be pressed through April, which has been set aside as Cancer Month. Campaign officials point out that it is altogether likely — and highly desirable — that as research facilities expand, so will the need for funds, and, of course, the campaign's financial objective.

But the important thing at the moment is the personal participation of every man and woman in the program to fight cancer.

SAYS the Rosetown (Sask.) Eagle editor, in his paper: "Some of those inclined to think our children are perfect, and that only the neighbors are capable of raising ill-mannered brats, should share the experience we had this week. Our oldest had invited a little playmate to have supper with us . . and during the meal the little visitor asked us innocently, 'Didn't you teach your kids to say Please?' "

YOU HAVE heard towns derided by their own residents; it leaves you with an uncomfortable feeling that all is not well there. A person can always find some reason and opportunity for boosting his community.

— Corner Brook (Nfld.) Western Star

Easter -- Festival of Hope

A GOOD many people will be hoping for fine weather at Easter — the Festival of Hope. Sometimes we look down our noses at hope as a rather passive virtue, the last resort in a desperate situation. We have even seen a good idea dismissed with a wave of the hand as "only a pious hope". But hope can be the basis for a series of wise and vigorous actions to help make the hope come true. Thus the mariner of old, as he approached the Cape of Good Hope, took his bearings, then set his course and worked his ship steadily until he got safely around.

Easter holds out the inspiring hope of a final victory for spiritual values, but we must each one of us be true to these values on our own small portion of the front.

There is an old saying that "while there is life there is hope." Easter proclaims that while there is life in the Realm of the Spirit, there is a larger Hope for us all.

On the Open Road

APRIL SHOWERS are fast removing the remnants of snow from our highways, and the open road will soon be beckoning many trippers who have been content to store their autos in idleness this winter. . . In the pause of anticipation, it may be profitable to meditate upon those hazards of driving which catch us unawares.

There is one such danger seldom stressed — for the reason that it is least anticipated — that is, the possibility of falling asleep at the wheel while driving on long, tedious stretches.

Accidents caused in this manner are more likely than any other to result in fire, in death or in horrible injuries leaving the victim crippled for life. Such accidents often happen on a fine road, in fair weather, at a time when there is but one vehicle on the highway. Yet strangely enough, accidents of this kind are about the only ones which occur after the drivers have had repeated and unmistakable warnings of precisely what is about to happen. These accidents are very simple affairs — no tangle of traffic, no unexpected failure of the vehicle, no lurking death-trap on the road. There is no desperate dodging and no screeching of brakes to avoid or lessen the collision. . . The driver merely falls asleep at the wheel!

Almost nine-tenths of such accidents occur on the supposed-to-be-safer, straight, uninterrupted roads. . . And it's easy for a driver to kill himself if he goes to sleep, because there is no slowing up, no swerving from danger, no chance to prepare for the shock.

THE VETERAN weekly editor of the Huntsville Chronicle, Harmon Rice, looks at it this way: Our demands for government aid are increasing steadily. We want the state to build homes for us. We ask it to provide for our old age. We have government unemployment insurance; our farming and livestock industries are constantly calling for government subsidies, support floor prices, and for government purchase of their surplus products.

In short, we are asking the state to provide for us the things which, under the system of private enterprise, we should provide for ourselves; and in doing so, we are gradually surrendering the ordering of our own private affairs, to state control; and are building up a bureaucracy that leads to the very system we abhor in the so-called totalitarian countries.

THE RED-dominated Czechoslovakian army has banned the singing of Western songs, especially those "expressing the corrupt life of the capitalist world". . . "Home on the Range" displays a dreadful interest in ownership of private property.

Limitations of Greatness

By R. J. Deachman

In a recent radio broadcast a number of our leading citizens presented a list of our greatest Canadians, past and present. This is no easy task. Greatness is evanescent. One cannot measure it by achievements without considering the time in which the candidates for our roll-of-honor lived and worked, the strength of the forces marshalled against them.

In the wide range covered by those who suggested the list there were two western Canadians, strangely different in their outlook, both difficult to define. They were Henry Wise Wood of Calgary, a leader in the farm movement, and Bod Edwards, editor of the Calgary Eye-Opener, a famous publication, essentially different from any other. It was his, he wrote it, published it — and, with amazing audacity, explained that it was late this week, the editor had been on a binge.

* * *

I knew them both. Henry Wise Wood was a modest, kindly soul, a philosopher in his way. He presented his own views. He was never bitter. His power did not come from the strength of his presentation, there were holes in it, but the farmers accepted it without reservation. He was a natural stabilizer, the ballast of the farm movement in its earlier life.

One day I strolled into his office. His feet were on his desk, a little cotton cap was perched on his head. He leaned back in his chair, a happy twinkle in his eyes. I suggested to him that we should discuss the problem of grain marketing in the columns of the Calgary Albertan, then edited by W. M. Davidson. He accepted gladly. We were to write three articles each. I was to write the first. We exchanged copy and the articles appeared three days apart. Nothing could be more charming No touch of bitterness, no irritation crept into the discussion. tion crept into the discussion. We We were not interested in winning an argument, each sought a fair presentation of divergent points of view. I learned from that conflict the wisdom of Henry Wise Wood, his gentleness of mind and spirit.

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Bob Edwards was different. He was a smasher of idols. He detested humbug, farce and sham. He didn't object to wealth in itself, but he never attributed genius to the owners of it merely because they happened to be in possession. I recall an article of his dealing with Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He was on this occasion wrong in his history. I wrote a reply. One day I read my story to a few friends who happened to be in my office. They tried to guess the nature of the reply which Bob would give. No one came within miles of it. He published my letter in full. At the bottom of it appeared this editorial note: "Here is a fine line of Bull Durham".

Bob Edwards backed no great movements. He was not a national figure. We should not lightly list him among the names of our great Canadians. He was a charming and delightful human being. Calgary elected him to a seat in the provincial legislature. Sometimes I wonder what Calgary would do with him today. It is a city now, not a town. The impact of Bob Edwards upon the Calgary of today would be less than it was 40 or 50 years ago. Nevertheless he is not likely to be forgotten. His work will long remain a fragment of the folklore of the province.

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No great business man was mentioned in this discussion. Why? Here was the answer given by one man: "When I think of leading business men, it brings up a picture of those who have appropriated a large share of our natural resources — gave little in return". Why, in a meeting of this type, so largely patronized by left-wingers, should there be such strong antagonism to our nation builders? Once they were the heroes of our national life.

We hear now of the coming development of the iron ores of Labrador. It's a tremendous undertaking. A railway has to be built for 200 miles through a rugged wilderness. There are no other resources in that country so far as we know. It will require a tremendous investment of capital. It involves definite risks. The development of that ore, if accomplished, will increase the national wealth of the country. The nation will benefit from it. Could better results be attained if this were undertaken by a government, confronted at every turn with the complex problems of administration? The task of government is great enough — without piling upon its shoulders the things which private enterprise can do better. We do not enrich the nation by adding to the complexity of government. . . Let life be a sea, we know that it can be navigated. Who wants to live in a maelstrom, whirling around in a circle, conscious only of movement, void of all sense of direction.

The weeklies say...

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MARGIN FOR SAFETY

At the annual meeting of the Dauphin volunteer fire brigade, delegates asked that citizens wait just two minutes after a fire alarm is sounded before calling central to find the location. If citizens would stay off the line for that time, it would give all firemen an opportunity to learn the location and be on their way without delay.

— Dauphin (Man., Herald

A LARGE RESPONSIBILITY

The fact that salary increases may be deserved does not alter the need for teachers with proper qualifications. In their daily task of training young minds which will one day rule our land, only those teachers who are properly fitted should be permitted so great a responsibility.

— Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

FEED THE HUNGRY

A hunger for knowledge, implanted in the human mind by the Creator, should not be neglected. Public libraries stocked and maintained by co-operative community efforts can do much to provide good reading for all ages and aptitudes.

— Val d'Or (Que.) Star

FINANCING PROBLEM

We all know that this town is in need of many improvements. Nevertheless, each succeeding council has been faced with the same problem — no money. About the only means of overcoming the situation is construction of new homes. New industry of consequence would be about the only way a substantial new block of citizens might be added.

— Carleton Place Canadian

That's Worth Something!

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"Yep, sold him this morning."

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"Eight dollars."

"What did it cost you to raise him?"

"Paid three dollars for him, and five dollars for feed."

"Didn't make much, did you?"

"Nope, but I had his company all fall."

— Journal of Education

TO PERPETUATE NAME OF PRAIRIE DOCTOR

Regina (CP)—Part of a northern Saskatchewan lake is being named for a Saskatchewan country doctor who died five years ago.

The doctor was James Brown, who worked in the Oungre district of Southwestern Saskatchewan for 30 years. The bay to be named for him is about two miles long, at the east end of Nistowiak Lake, 45 miles northeast of Lac la Ronge.

At Oungre last fall, 400 residents unveiled a memorial bandstand in memory of Dr. Brown's public service. The memorial came to the attention of the provincial department of resources, which arranged the geographic tribute.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Harrington

Mrs. R. Swail visited in Lachute last Wednesday, and also at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Murdoch in Staynerville.

Mrs. Victor McVicar and daughter, Stella, are spending the Easter holidays with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. Clarence Smith is a patient in Dr. Kelly's Hospital, Hawkesbury, where he recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. G. Poulter returned home Sunday after spending two weeks in Ottawa.

The last meeting of the season for the Farm Forum was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie. There were 14 present.

Weir

Mrs. Russell Bowie, of Montreal, is at present the guest of her son, Russell and Mrs. Bowie.

Miss Betty McConnell was home from Montreal to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beaven.

Mrs. J. D. Williams, with her son Ronald, visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Dubeau, in Arundel on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Diver spent a few days in Montreal last week visiting friends.

Mrs. A. J. Kerr returned home on Thursday after spending a few days in Montreal.

Mrs. M. Watters paid a short visit to friends in Montreal last week.

On Saturday evening Mrs. E. M. Schippel entertained at a card party at Round Lake Inn, where around 30 guests were present. The evening was spent in playing "500" and canasta. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening by the hostess, Mrs. Schippel, assisted by Mrs. M. Watters and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

Mrs. E. J. Craig spent Tuesday in Montreal, where she visited her mother, Mrs. Robt. Williams, at the General Hospital.

Calumet

Recent guests of Miss Bunny Robinson were Misses Nancy and Bess Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Robinson and Mr. Milton Cochran, of Montreal.

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

Messrs. Donald and Garnet Bigelow left last week for Welland, Ont., to await the opening of shipping on the lake steamers, on which they will be employed throughout the summer months.

Miss Muriel Whinfield, of Montreal, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Whinfield, recently, enjoying also a visit with her sister, Miss Marjorie Whinfield, who is on vacation from her studies at the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

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

The many friends of Mrs. Wyman Arthurs are glad that she is now convalescing at her home, after her recent sojourn in hospital.

Miss Heather Anne Lessard, of Grenville, spent several days with her grandfather, Mr. W. E. Brigden, last week.

Mr. Frank McGibbon, of Montreal, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. McGibbon, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews and children, Barbara and Robin, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly.

Recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoare were their daughter, Mrs. R. Saunders and Mr. Saunders, of Montreal.

The landlocked salmon which never goes to the sea — though in many cases it could — has larger scales than the Atlantic salmon.

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Arundel

Mr. E. A. Bulley, president of the Association of Dental Technicians of the Province of Quebec, accompanied by the vice-president, secretary-treasurer and their legal adviser, spent the past week in Quebec to defend the interests of dental technicians of the province before the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Veit left this week to take up permanent residence in Rochester, N.Y. Before leaving, various farewell functions were held for the couple by their numerous friends in the district. All wish them godspeed and good luck in their new home.

Forums' Social Evening

On Monday evening, March 27, a successful "500" card party was held in the Maplewood Inn under the auspices of the five Farm Forum groups that meet every week in Arundel. Cards were played at 16 tables and refreshments were served at the close of the evening by the committee in charge. This social function brings to a close the meetings of the Forums till the fall.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Homer Cooke is in hospital for treatment; friends wish her a speedy return home.

Mr. Leslie May spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. May.

Mr. Lorne Bennett, who has been visiting his son, Mr. G. Bennett, of Maplewood Inn, has returned to Sudbury, Ont. He was accompanied by Mrs. G. Bennett, Mrs. S. Bennett and little son, Hugh.

The Maplewood Inn will run a complimentary Easter dance this coming Saturday evening. Everyone will be cordially welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Marshall, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Moss.

The roads around Arundel, which have been almost impassable owing to water, are now gradually improving.

(Correspondent for this column regrets to state she has been confined to the house for the past week, and in consequence was forced to pass up last week's news).

Grenville

Mrs. Wm. MacKan, who has spent the winter with her daughter in Toronto, is at present visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jas. MacKan, at St. Catharines, Ont.

Miss Della Lyon, of Ottawa, spent a week here with Mr. and Mrs. V. Gaudry. . Miss Winona Gaudry, of Ottawa, also spent a recent week-end here with her parents.

Former Missionary Dies

Friends in this vicinity are sorry to learn of the death of the Rev. W. K. Laflamme, returned missionary from India. Residing in New York, he and his wife had continued active religious work during the past several years. A native of Winchester, Ont., the Rev. Laflamme was approaching his 85th birthday. . . Sympathy is extended to his wife and daughters.

Brownsburg

Miss Alma Fletcher, of Ottawa, was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Fletcher.

Miss Eleanor Hanson is visiting friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birch spent the week-end with relatives in Montreal.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Russell Martin and other relatives in their bereavement. Russell was accidentally killed on Wednesday; he will be missed by a host of friends.

Bell Falls

Miss Frances Bennett, nurse-in-training at the Montreal General Hospital, spent the week-end here with her parents.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell were Mrs. Charles Kennedy, of Brownsburg, Mr. Walter Young, of Montreal, and Miss Ella Campbell, of Lachute.

Mrs. V. McVicar and Miss Stella McVicar are visiting friends in Toronto.

Miss Elsie McVicar is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. R. Todd, in Brownsburg.

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

Mr. Fraser McVicar spent a couple of days in Montreal recently.

Mr. Len Harbour was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McMahon last week-end.

Mr. Leslie Kerr spent the week-end at his cottage here.

Church Items

Service will be held on Easter Sunday at 11 a.m.; Mr. L. T. C. Harbour will officiate. The public are cordially invited to attend this service.

The Bell Falls Sunday School will hold an open session on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. McRae, commencing at 2 p.m.

The W.A. met at the home of Mrs. J. McRae on Wednesday; the afternoon was spent in quilting.

Northern Grenville

Mrs. Fred Rolfe returned home after spending a few days in Montreal, where she visited friends and relatives.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe and son, Stephen, also Mr. and Mrs. G. Massicotte, all of Lachute.

Mr. A. J. McGerrigle was in Montreal recently attending a camping association meeting.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bennett and family, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Younge were Miss Mable Younge, of Avoca, also Mr. and Mrs. Cross, of Vankleek Hill.

After the Great Lakes the largest lake in the Dominion is Great Bear in the North West Territories.

Contentious Issue Before B'burg Council

(Continued from page 1)

a return on the money, or permission might be difficult to obtain. "At the present time you haven't got sufficient water to meet the demand owing to the faulty system at the intake. This should be first call upon new work, or maintenance."

Pumper or Gravity?

The Mayor favored getting a pumper system to keep the reservoir supplied and avoid the cost of C-I-L pumping and charging the town for doing so. Councillor Somers thought the installation of a pumper silly. C-I-L had been very co-operative in helping and maintaining the supply of water, at a cost of a dollar an hour or so, and he asked the Mayor not to tie in C-I-L with any discussion on a private pumper. C-I-L had sufficient interest in the municipality to do all that is reasonably necessary to have the water supply maintained. The intake line should be repaired so that service could be extended, and it would not take a lot to do the work. . . Councillor Lavoie observed that the first thing to be done is to repair the line, and do so from the money now in reserve. Councillor Wilson again asked how it was going to be financed, and the Mayor replied, "The same as we did before — borrow the money". . . Councillor Somers: "All right, but remember the first thing is to get a consulting engineer, and any prospect you may have of doing the work yourself and borrowing the money has small hopes of success. When you borrow money you must be prepared to lay on the line what you intend to do with it."

The secretary intervened to say that on the St. George project there were 11 potential users, which would not be sufficient to pay the interest on any money borrowed to do the work. The Mayor was not in favor of using any of the present surplus for this work. Councillor Somers remarked he would be ashamed to sit on this council for another year and fail to install water where it was so necessary. This idea of waiting till the Health Unit came along and condemned the area, was abhorrent and not worthy of a council calling itself progressive or even businesslike.

Mayor Donaldson suggested getting some bands to stop the leaks on the main line; he had used some already and found them very satisfactory. At a small cost the whole line could be pretty well repaired. . . It was decided to order six on trial.

The secretary read the estimates on the new projects, as follows; St. George, total $6,657.85; St. Lawrence, $3,926.12; Maple Avenue North, $880 sewerage, $925.10 water; and Woodbine, $12,856.60.

It was decided to get new prices on all necessary materials for these projects and adjourn the question to a special meeting on April 17.

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FIRST AND LAST

Eelbrook, N.S. (CP) — Jerome Muise was the first to dig a grave in Eelbrook's cemetery many years ago. When he died recently at the age of 102, he was the last to be buried there. A new cemetery is being opened.

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MARTIN — At the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. Connelly, Brownsburg, on March 26, Thomas Martin, aged 90 years. Burial March 28 at Brownsburg burial ground, Lachute Cemetery.

MARTIN—Accidentally at Brownsburg, Wednesday, April 5. Russell D. Martin, aged 32, beloved husband of May Keatlie. Funeral Friday, 2.30 p.m. at the United Church, Brownsburg.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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

IN MEMORIAM

DIXON — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Annie Dixon, who passed away April 11, 1948.—Ever remembered by Roy, Dorothy and family.

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Who cherished our secrets, our sorrows, our strife.
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Till God alone saw what was best
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Donat Poulin $25, Arthur Racine $25, Gonzague Rochon $25, Sam E. Rose $25, Maurice St. Denis $12, Lorenzo Savaria $25, Mrs. Elsie Seary $25, Sydney A. Seary $25, Miss Monique Tessier $12, Donald G. Todd $50, Benjamin Villeneuve $25, Sarah Woods $25.

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A Schoolmaster Looks at Education

By ROBERT A. SPEIRS
Headmaster of Selwyn House School, Montreal

Many and varied have been the definitions of education down through the centuries — from that of Aristotle, that it is training in the art of living well, and Milton, that it is fitting a man to perform justly, skilfully and magnanimously all the offices of a good citizen, to that of the British Norwood Education Report, that it is helping each individual to realize the full powers of his or her personality — body, mind and spirit — in and through active membership of a society.

It has been described as the apprenticeship for life, and also as a life-long process (you remember Michaelangelo's classic phrase, "I carry my satchel still"). It has even been defined, with perhaps more than a grain of truth, as what you have left, when you have forgotten all that you have learned at school.

Perhaps one definition which would cover all the facets of education at its widest and highest, is that it is that expanding process which cherishes and unfolds the seed of immortality sown within us. I am reminded of Edwin Arlington Robinson's simple but profound words:

Look at a branch, a bird, a child, a tree,
At anything God ever made that grows,
Nor let the smallest vision of it slip,
Till you may read, as on Belshazzar's wall,
The glory of eternal partnership.

To Edwin Robinson education was more than the combined operations of parent, teacher and child, it was the glory of the eternal partnership of God and man in the working out of the purposes of Providence.

But whatever be our definition of education — and we would all subscribe in large degree, I feel, to those given above — and whatever phase of it be our primary concern, there are, I think, three fundamental questions which we must effectively answer, if we would make a success of it.

First, precisely what are we aiming at? What is our primary purpose? There are many teachers who feel that their responsibilities end with the putting across of factual information. Well, we must all admit that this is very important, and that we cannot do without it. But we would do well to remember how Charles Dickens in his *Hard Times* scores the unloving and unlovely Mr. Gradgrind for his emphasis upon the inflexible inculcation of mere dry-as-dust facts, as not leading anywhere beyond the four prison walls of a school.

Most of us would extend our aim in education far beyond the mere rote-learning of a catalogue of facts to a training in the understanding of processes — not so much being able to reel off the various crimes of Macbeth, for example, as seeing the application of the truth that conscience loses its edge with sin, that one crime leads to another and finally sounds the death-knell of all nobility of the spirit. Not so much knowing that Andrea del Sarto was the perfect painter, that he did what many other artists agonized to do all their lives but failed to accomplish — but the meaning of the paradox that in his success he was a greater failure than any of his rivals, because there burned in them a truer light of God —

A man's reach should exceed his grasp,
Or what's a Heaven for?

But if our aim stops there — at the bare imparting of factual information and cold training in the understanding of processes — it is still woefully inadequate. It must extend to the firing of the youthful mind with a lofty enthusiasm and a worthy aspiration. Youth should have the uplifted countenance, no matter what the immediate job he may be doing. You recall the well-known story of the three workers in the stone-quarry. A passer-by asked each in turn what he was doing. The first answered scornfully, "Can't you see? Just hewing stone". The second replied, "I'm waiting for my pay-cheque, and it's far too small". But the third said, "Believe it or not, I'm helping to build a Cathedral". And that is the spirit that must permeate all our work, if we would genuinely succeed in any field of education — either as teachers or as learners.

And only if, as a society, we achieve these three basic aims — truth as revealed in factual information; training in the understanding of life and its problems; and aspiration towards the highest that is within and without us — only so can the home and the school and the community at large properly be termed partners in education.

Now the second question which must be frankly faced and realistically answered is — precisely how do we set about it? What is going to be the method followed? There are two widely separated modes of approach. One is the policy of indoctrination, which lay behind a good deal of the education of my own childhood. When we were young, there was a marked tendency to regard education as a stern, disciplinary process of inculcating the various bodies of information and skills that had been worked out in the past, the attitude of the pupils being in the main one of docility and receptivity. The teacher's main job was to pour the knowledge into supposedly empty containers and enforce certain rules of conduct. Such a set-up had, of course, certain very obvious advantages, which in recent years totalitarian powers have been quick to seize upon, but it emphasized formation from without rather than development from within.

There is, however, another method steadily gaining sway and approval, which lays the emphasis not upon indocrination, but upon liberation. Instead of a tyrannical pressure, an attempt is made to move along the path of spontaneous interest and natural curiosity. Since youth is just bubbling over with energy, what is needed is not a dam but a channel — and the prime function of a teacher is one of guidance rather than one of domination. Worthily channel the energies of youth through worthwhile activities — in class projects, team sports, dramatics, debating, club activities, Boy Scouts and Girl

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COMMERCE GROUP FORMS

Big Valley, Alta. (CP) — This central Alberta town has formed a chamber of commerce, and a constitution will be presented for approval at a general meeting. First president is C. A. Palmer.

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It's A Lonely Life On Lighthouse Isle

Port Arthur, (CP) — With 42 years behind him as a lighthouse keeper, and seven more to go before retirement, Dan Alexander, 58-year-old keeper of the lighthouse on lonely Welcome Island in Lake Superior, has had nearly enough solitary life.

"Oh, I'll finish up", he says, "but I'm not as keen as I used to be".

With the close of the navigation season, he and several other lighthouse keepers have returned to Port Arthur for a four-month stay.

Alexander grew up in the lighthouse business, and has been with it nearly all his life. He took over when his father retired.

His wife shared his isolation until she died in 1935. Now, except for his assistant John McGee, 63, the only persons he sees during the summers are a few tourists and an occasional fisherman.

But he and McGee say they make a good bachelor team. Tending the light, keeping the fog horn in shape and doing housework keep them busy. A good radio and a batch of newspapers now and then keep them in touch with the world.

Surplus Butter Is U.S. Headache

Situation Aggravated by Repeal of Tax Levy on Colored Margarine

Washington (AP) — Repeal of the 10-cent-a-pound tax on colored margarine aggravates the problem of surplus butter — which may soon replace potatoes as the United States government's big farm surplus headache.

The agriculture department holds about 80,000,000 pounds of butter, bought last year to help bolster dairy prices. With a spring and summer of heavier milk output, the department expects to have to buy still more. It already has about $50,000,000 invested in surplus butter.

Lifting of the oleo tax probably will result in a corresponding drop in oleo prices. But butter's price is held up by the price support program. It's feared butter sales will fall off and the government will have to buy still more. The support price is about 60 cents a pound.

Incidentally, the oleo margarine industry got a lot of valuable free advertising out of last year's debate on the tax repeal, even though repeal failed then.

Oleo taxes brought the government over $23,000,000 in 1949 against some $14,000,000 in 1948.

Threat to Irish Car Bonnet Banned

Kilmallock, Ireland (CP)—Everybody ducked when Tom Quaine, the doctor, arrived in town. He drove an old jalopy with a big, loose metal hood that fluttered like a flag in a breeze.

But now Dr. Quaine no longer can drive into Kilmallock — not in his present auto anyway. The law has put a stop to it.

Giving evidence in the local court Constable MacNamara told the magistrate that when he heard the doctor come driving in with a bang, the hood cover "flew from one side of the street to the other", and narrowly missed some children.

"I told him that I had heard this had happened a number of times and that it was most dangerous", the constable said.

Summing up the case, Judge Conners said: "So any one of us might have his head cut off in Kilmallock by a flying bonnet."

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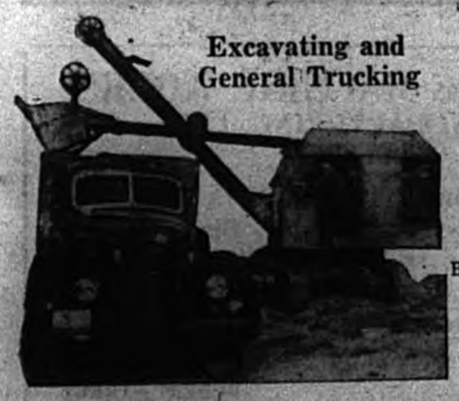
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Ste. Agathe des Monts.
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Guides, etc. — give liberation and direction to all wholesome desires in the youngsters for expression of their inner selves, and you will foster that internal unity, which the multiplicity of distractions in the world about us seems to be attempting so successfully to destroy.

This system would not ignore the supreme importance of sound instruction and the paramount significance of youth's thorough grasp of all basic skills, but it would lay an increasing stress upon the individual personality of each growing soul and its development without stunting or perversion. For there is an awesome solemnity about that old English proverb, "As the twig is bent, so is the tree inclined".

Having then examined in brief outline questions as to aim and method, and made our decisions accordingly, we next face the final query — just what, beyond mere information, are the prerequisite needs for success in the teacher?

In the sleepy little Border town in Scotland where I was cradled, there are the ruins of a famous old abbey, where early in the 14th Century was buried the heart of the great Scottish King, Robert the Bruce. Tradition has it that the fiery chieftain Douglas took the king's heart in a silver casket when he fought in Spain against the infidel Moors. When the battle was at its height and the Scots were sore bested, Douglas hurled the casket far into the ranks of the enemy, and with a ringing challenge shouted, "On to Bruce and Victory" — and they got both. To them the heart of their king was no mere bodily organ, but a symbol invested with personality. As they strove to reach the spot where the casket fell, they were seeing the unseen — the dauntless, irresistible victor of Bannockburn.

And I think that the outstanding pre-requisite of a great teacher is just this ability to see the unseen — to see beyond the merely prosaic elements of his immediate environment — to probe beneath the surface of things, to try to visualize the needs of the flowering personality and all its potentialities, and to release within youth what Browning has so suggestively called its imprisoned splendors. Often it seems hard — hard as the very desks of the class-room — but fugitive glimpses beyond the superficial reveal the depths below.

Some time ago my senior boys wrote a composition assignment entitled, "The Qualifications of a Good Teacher". You may be interested to learn what the younger generation regard as essential. Easily taking first place was the gift of imagination — often, it is true, merely to banish boredom and pep-up flagging interest, but frequently too to give genuine inspiration to their studies. Next came the priceless gift of a sense of humor. Then followed the virtue of patience, the need of the restraining powers of a disciplinarian, and the advisability of the teacher knowing everything about his own subject, and something about every other subject (which sounds a very tall order, indeed). But through all the assignments ran, like a silver thread, the recurring thought that only through firing the imagination of the student was real success to be achieved in teaching.

In other words, not only is it necessary for the teacher himself to see the unseen, it is necessary also for him to open the eyes of his students in unique degree to the unseen. Do you remember how Tennyson's Ulysses thought of all experience as being "an arch, wherethro' gleams that untravelled world, whose margin fades forever and forever as he moves". The teacher must stand in that archway; he must capitalize on his students' experience to date, and direct their gaze across the horizon's bound. He must not only have, but also be able to transmit, something of that abiding sense of the profound truth that the things that are seen are temporal, but the things that are unseen are eternal.

Only so can all true teachers — whether in the home or school or throughout the multitude of community organizations spread over the towns and villages of our land — be united in that greater partnership to which I earlier referred and be able to repeat that lovely prayer of John Oxenham's. May it indeed be truly ours:

For ears to hear the heavenly harmonies;
For eyes to see the unseen in the seen;
For vision of the worker in the work;
For hearts to apprehend Thee everywhere;
We thank, Thee, Lord.

For these and all thy gifts, we thank Thee, Lord,
But even more for Power and Grace to pass them on.

Inventor Prepares Hot Time for Flies

Vancouver (CP) — After six years of labor Alf Holte, a 60-year-old carpenter, believes he has devised the perfect insect eradicator.

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The trap is placed over bait — honey or sugar. The insects come to feed underneath the bottle but because of the natural tendency to wing upward they become trapped in the cone-shaped interior. Their only visible means of escape is through the electric grid at the top.

But they don't escape. Instead, they disappear. The strong current not only electrocutes them, but burns them entirely, claims the inventor.

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A Good Hobby For the Summer

During the war quite an army of city dwellers developed into wartime vegetable gardeners. Time, and many an aching back, has taken its toll, and many a space in the backyard garden is back in grass or is growing perennials — flowers which require the least attention. But some still find vegetable growing a healthy hobby and continue to supplement the dinner table with homegrown supplies.

It is surprising the quantity of vegetables that can be grown on the smallest of backyards, but where space is naturally limited, it is best to keep to those most easily grown. Beans, beets, lettuce, radish, carrots, onions, spinach and tomatoes make a good list.

The best place for the vegetable patch is where it will receive full sunlight. Digging in the fall is best, but it can be done in the spring just as soon as the ground is dry enough to work properly. A common mistake is to dig too deeply. The best part of the soil is generally the top-soil which the builder used when grading, and for this reason spading should not exceed eight to ten inches, so that the better soil still remains on the top. Well rotted manure is a great help in plant growth, but it is not always possible to obtain it for city gardens. Where this is so, ready-mixed commercial fertiliser may be used to advantage. Scatter the fertilizer over the surface of the garden after digging, at the rate of four pounds per 100 square feet, and work it into the top-soil with a rake. If it comes into direct contact with roots or tops, it will cause burning of the young plants.

Good seed can be obtained from the local seed store; it can be relied upon as it conforms to established Government standards. But it is a good plan to ask your supplier to give you the varieties best suited to your particular locality. Often a crop does not do well because a variety of seed was used not suited to the district.



THIS HAPPY TRIO is representative of the thirty-five outstanding Canadian singers who have been heard on the Sunday Startime broadcast since it first went on the CBC network, January 8. Left to right are Jimmy Shields, tenor, Betty McCaskill, soprano, and Bernard Johnson, baritone. In addition to featuring singing stars, Startime has billed seven well-known Canadian instrumentalists, and a guest conductor — Percy Faith. Paul Scherman, regularly conducts the thirty-piece orchestra. When Startime made its debut, E. L. Bushnell, Director General of Programs for the CBC, said "We are proud of the people who have made national reputations on our networks through the years, and Startime will be a salute to their accomplishments. We hope the program will mean even greater recognition of their talents by their fellow Canadians."

Plastic Surgery A Valuable Art

Toronto (CP) — Plastic surgery, a medical art which received particular impetus during the two world wars, is taking an increasingly important place in the treatment of children. Its advances often save an injured child from growing up with scars or other disfiguring marks.

Between the wars a nucleus of specialists in plastic surgery grew up in hospitals in most university centres, including Toronto's Hospital for Sick Children.

During and since the Second World War this nucleus expanded so that now the Toronto hospital has specially trained plastic surgeons to take care of patients suffering from harelip, birthmarks or injuries from burns or accidents. The hospital recently launched a $4,000,000 campaign for funds to complete a new building in which it can expand its facilities for treatment and research.

Tenders

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BROWNSBURG, QUE.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed: "Tender for the Alterations and Additions to School for the Protestant School Commissioners, Brownsburg, Que." will be received at the Architect's office, 1241 Guy Street, Montreal, at 12.00 noon on April 25, 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 Cuthcart Street, Montreal, and copies of same may be obtained by General Contractors only intending to submit bids on and after April 4, 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.

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Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"Jesus Lives."
7 p.m. Evening Worship.
"An Easter Meditation."
2.45 p.m. East Settlement.
Good Friday:
11 a.m. Public Worship.
Preacher. Rev. H. A. Carson, D.D.
Sunday, April 16
11 a.m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
47 Grace St. — Phone 462-J
10 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Easter Message in Sermon and Song.
Ordinance of Lord's Supper following morning service.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Rev. C. R. Lang, L.Th., Rector
ST. SIMEON'S, Lachute
Good Friday Service, 10.30 a.m.
Easter Sunday
Holy Communion, 7.45 a.m.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
Good Friday Service, 2 p.m.
Easter Sunday
9 a.m. Holy Communion.

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.
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REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
BROWNSBURG
10 a.m. Bible School
Easter Service 11 a.m.
Special music.
Happy Hour, Monday, 7 p.m.
Y.P. Fellowship, Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer Thursday 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
Easter Service 3 p.m.
Special music.
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
Good Friday
Morin Heights, 12 to 3 p.m.
Easter Day
Morin Heights, 7 and 11 a.m.
Shawbridge, 9 a.m.
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Mille Isles, 2.30 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
Good Friday, 11 a.m.
Rev. Wm. MacMillan.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Easter Services at 11 and 7 p.m.
Reception and Communion.
Special music.
Sunday, April 16, at 11 a.m.
Children's Day - Sacrament of Baptism.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
Good Friday
12 to 3 p.m.
Easter Sunday
7.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
Good Friday
7.30 p.m.
Easter Sunday
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
Kilmar
Easter Sunday
1.45 p.m. Holy Communion.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Easter Devotions at Lachute Baptist Church

Special messages in song and sermon will be presented Easter Sunday in Lachute Baptist Church, beginning with the Bible School at 10 a.m. when the Easter Story will be illustrated. Some of the children of the Bible School will sing during the morning service.

During the evening service beautifully colored slides portraying "The Trial, Death, Burial and Resurrection of Our Lord", will be shown.

News of Montreal Diocese, Church of England

The synod is called for April 25 and following days. The Rt. Rev. R. M. Waterman, D.D., Coadjutor Bishop of Nova Scotia—the oldest diocese in Canada, which last year celebrated its 200th anniversary — will preach at the Centenary Service at Christ Church Cathedral at 8.15 p.m. on April 25.

A "service of witness" is being arranged for May 28, in the Forum, Montreal.

A camp for girls will be held at North Hatley, Que., from August 5 to 19. Full information may be had from the clergy of the parishes, or from Miss Kerr, 6289 3rd Avenue, Rosemount, Montreal 36.

The Parish of Ste. Agathe, under rectorship of the Rev. E. G. May, has recently become self-supporting.

The Rev. R. Latimer, of London, Ont., a graduate of Wycliffe College, Toronto, becomes rector of St. James the Apostle, Montreal, at the end of April.

Bishop J. Dixon of Montreal extends Easter greetings to all in his diocese.

The Bishop expects to visit Lachute on April 30 at 11 a.m.

Plan Baptist Conference

The executive of the Montreal-Ottawa Association of the Union of Regular Baptist Churches (Ontario and Quebec) met at the home of the Rev. W. H. Britton, and plans were drawn up for their annual Spring Conference, which is to be held this year in the Lachute Baptist Church.

Those present were — the Moderator, the Rev. G. B. Hicks, of Dalesville; Secretary, the Rev. T. D. M. Carson, of Drummondville; and the Editor of the Association journal, the Rev. H. G. Hindry, of Ottawa.

WELL-TRAVELLED

Clandonald, Alta. (CP) — The United Church building is back from its travels after an absence of 15 years at Rusylvia. It is used to being moved. Built in 1908 near Clandonald, it had three different locations within this hamlet before leaving for Rusylvia.

The oleomargarine hullabaloo in the U.S.A. Congress has zoomed sales of the butter substitute.

"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.

The great loving creator of the Heavens and the Earth whose name alone is "Jehovah".—Psalms 83: 18. In His written word, the Bible, He has given us all information concerning the times in which we are now living. If we will only take time to search for that information, so it is now up to ourselves to AWAKE. . .

There is a magazine which has taken the scriptural name "Awake". It has no fetters, it recognizes facts, is free to publish facts. It is not bound by political ambitions or obligations. It is unprejudiced by traditional creeds. This journal keeps itself free, that it may speak freely to YOU. But it does not abuse its freedom. It maintains integrity to Truth.

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"Awake" pledges itself to righteous principles, to exposing hidden foes and subtle dangers, to champion freedom for all, to comforting mourners and strengthening those disheartened by the failures of a delinquent world. And reflecting sure hope for the establishment of a "righteous new world." (2 Peter: 3, 13).

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Pre-Easter Cantata by United Church Choir

A very fine rendition of Sir John Stainer's "Crucifixion" was presented by the choir of Lachute United Church last Sunday evening. Directed by Mr. Earl Morrison, choir master, with Mrs. Ken McOuat at the organ, and Mr. Norman Magnusson, tenor of Montreal, singing the leading part — the cantata earned high praise from a large congregation.

The compositions of Sir John Stainer, organist of St. Paul's Cathedral from 1872-1888, are not numerous, but his "Crucifixion" is renowned throughout the English-speaking world. The words, taken from the biblical story of Christ's crucifixion, portray his arrival at Gethsemane, and tragic events that follow.

In this pre-Easter cantata the main role is sung by the tenor, and Mr. Norman Magnusson, of St. James United Church, Montreal, gave an impressive interpretation of this solemn composition. The outstanding solo of the entire work is "The King Ever Glorious", and Mr. Magnusson excelled himself in this majestic rendition.

Bass soloist for the cantata was Mr. Owen Todd, of Brownsburg, who sang several beautiful and difficult solos. Mr. Chas. Duncan supported with the baritone part, and also sang with Mr. J. S. Giles in the lovely duet, "So Thou Liftest Thy Divine Petition".

The full choir handled the chorus work with feeling and contrast, under the able baton of Mr. Morrison, with "Fling Wide the Gates", and "God So Loved the World", among the several beautiful anthems.

Mrs. Ken McOuat, organist of the church, performed at the Casavant with commendable success, supporting the soloists sympathetically in the varied numbers and leading the choir in all their choruses with confidence.

At the close of the performance, the Rev. W. B. Rosborough expressed the feelings of those present when he thanked the director, organist and soloists for their splendid work.

COMING EVENTS

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

LEGION DANCE

Legion Anniversary Dance, Saturday, April 15, at Legion Hall, Foundry St. Modern and old-time dancing, 8.30 till 12. Door prize. Adm. 75c per person. A13.2c

FARM FORUM RALLY

Farm Forums' annual spring rally, to be held Monday, April 17, in the Anglican Church basement, at 8 p.m. — Music, films and refreshments. Everybody welcome. Adm. 25c. -1p

"TUNDRA TRAILS"
(Illustrated Lecture)

A story of the Canadian North, that will appeal to lovers of nature — by Mrs. R. M. Beckett, of Fort William, at Lachute United Church hall, Friday, April 21, at 8.15 p.m. Adm. 40c. A20.3c

RUMMAGE SALE

The Rummage Sale Committee of Lachute United Church will hold a rummage sale at Geo. Y. Deacon's store on Thursday, May 11, from 9.30 a.m. to 9.30 p.m. -1c

TAFFY SOCIAL

A taffy social, under auspices of Frontier W.I., will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Black, Mabel, on Wednesday, April 12. Adults 50c, children 35c. -1c

OPENING DANCE, GRENVILLE

Opening dance at MacIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Saturday, April 8. Modern and square dances, with the Golden Westerners (Réal Lemay and his violin, Jimmy Dorion and electric Hawaiian guitar, Basil Young, popular singer of modern and Western songs, and Wes Golden at the piano). Dancing every Saturday night from 8.30 to 1 o'clock. -1c

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Jas. Murdoch spent a few days visiting her daughters, Mrs. Mason Ferris, of Breckenridge, Que., and Mrs. Morris Davis, of Aylmer, Que.

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Mrs. Williamson returned last week by plane after spending a month at Shaw Park Hotel, Ocho Rios, Jamaica, B.W.I.

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Mr. Jos. Cooligan, of Laniel, Que., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Sol. Dallaire, and friends in Lachute during the Easter holidays.

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Teachers Leave on Vacation

High School closes today for the Easter recess (to reopen on Monday, April 17), and many members of the teaching staff are leaving to visit their homes in different parts.

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Mrs. Harold Young and her two sons are here from Quebec City to spend the Easter holiday season with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Armstrong, Lachute Road. Mr. Young is expected to join his family here today.

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Mrs. E. Lalanne is in the Montreal General Hospital undergoing an eye operation.

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Attend Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. S. Willard, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brownlee, Mr. and Mrs. J. Small and Mr. H. C. Montgomery came from Montreal to attend a meeting of the Lake Louisa Country Club, held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

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Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Langille, of Lachute, Que., announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Joyce, to Owen John Riddell, son of Mrs. H. E. Riddell and the late Mr. Riddell, of Lachute. The marriage will take place on Saturday, May 6, at 4 o'clock, in Lachute United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Tipping announce the engagement of their daughter, Verda Joyce, to Logan Carl Cruise, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cruise, all of Midland, Ont. The marriage will take place Saturday, April 29, at 3 o'clock in St. Mark's Anglican Church, Midland.

Mrs. S. Goldsworthy is spending a few weeks visiting her daughter and son-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Gibson Brown, at Stouffville, Ont.

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Miss Jenny Bates and Mrs. Florence Phillips were here from Montreal visiting the former's brother, Mr. D. J. Bates, last week-end.

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Mrs. Wilbur Walker is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, having undergone a serious operation.

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Mr. M. H. Brewer was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman this week while en route from Ottawa to his home in Fredericton, N.B.

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Mrs. Wilfred Morrison was hostess to her girls' class of the Baptist Sunday School last Friday, holding a "taffy party" at her home on Bethany Road.

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35 Years Married

Mr. and Mrs. Gawn Brown, of Dalesville Road, celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary last Friday, March 31.

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Her 86th Birthday

Congratulations to Mrs. Wm. Wilson (who resides with her son, Mr. Simon Wilson, Grace Street) on the celebration of her 86th birthday today, Thursday.

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Shower for Bride-Elect

Mrs. Howard Ward, Robert Street, was the hostess last Saturday evening to about 25 ladies of this town and district. The event was in the form of a linen shower given in honor of Miss Bernice MacCulloch. After the bride-elect had appropriately thanked those present for the many useful gifts, an enjoyable time was spent and tasty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Former Resident Bereaved

Friends of Mrs. J. M. Pitney (the former Annie McFaul) will be sorry to hear of the sudden death of her husband, James M. Pitney, which occurred at their home near Cleveland, Ohio, last Saturday morning, following a heart attack.

The funeral was held on Monday of this week — Mrs. A. Gordon, Mr. Geo. Gordon, Mr. Ira McFaul, and Miss Elsie McFaul attending from this community.

U.K. Health Scheme Needs More Nurses

London (CP) — Britain still needs 30,000 nurses, though the number of applicants increased substantially in 1949.

Student nurses and pupil midwives in training in 1949 numbered 57,800 compared with 43,300 in 1948, said the Ministry of Labor Gazette.

Last September 202 training schools had a full complement of students compared with 137 a year before.

There are more nurses and midwives in practice now than before the war. Main reason why supply has not yet caught up with demand is that "the last few years have seen a great expansion of health services, while modern methods of treatment call for the services of more nurses.

At the same time, efforts have been made to eliminate serious over-working of hospital nurses, in particular by reducing their hours to 96 a fortnight.

The public must be made conscious that Britain needs more nurses and midwives, the Gazette said, and that the fields "are worth entering and following as careers which everybody honors and esteems."

MOVING HAZARD

Sherridon, Man. (CP) — It's a dangerous job, moving houses in this north country. A caterpillar tractor hauling two houses from Flin Flon to Sherridon broke through the ice on Lobstock Lake into 15 feet of water. The driver was pulled out by friends and the houses did not go down.

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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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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Avoca

Mr. Hugh Bates returned here on Sunday, having spent the week-end at Lachute with his brother, James, who had returned home from the Royal Victoria Hospital.

School closed on Thursday and Miss Wright, the teacher, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents at Inverness, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bissett are on a visit to friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith spent last Sunday in Montreal.

Mr. Jos. Arthurs has returned to his home in Loverna, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Young, and Mr. Claude and Gloria, spent Saturday in Lachute.

Cushing

Mrs. W. Y. King left Friday morning for Montreal, where she attended meetings on Friday, Saturday and Monday in connection with three different organizations, returning home on Monday night.

Mr. Gerald Cushing, of Montreal, visited his summer home here on Saturday. He was accompanied here by Mr. Roy Coghill.

Mrs. F. Pitt and daughter, Edith, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott on Sunday, and also visited their summer cottage. Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Pitt in the death of her brother, Mr. Trigg, of Montreal, which occurred last week.

Miss Mildred Douglas, of Montreal and Cushing, is spending the Easter holiday in Bermuda. She is accompanied by Miss Betty Burton, granddaughter of the late Rev. A. Patterson, a former minister of St. Mungo's Church.

Mrs. N. Humphrey, who has been the guest of Mrs. L. M. Gaston for several weeks, returned to her home in Ottawa on Friday.

Miss Ruby Smith, of Brownsburg, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith. Her sister, Eileen, also of Brownsburg, was a week-end guest of her parents.

Mr. Ian Bradley, of Carillon, visited his mother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie on Sunday.

The Misses Marion and Doris Elliott spent Sunday afternoon with their grandmother, Mrs. A. Starnes.

A successful taffy party and dance was held in Elliott's Hall on Friday night, under auspices of the Community Club.

Mr. A. Lafleur motored Mr. and Mrs. L. St. Louis and children to Glen Norman, Ont., on Friday, where the St. Louis family remained for the week-end as guests of Mrs. St. Louis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Prieur.

DISTRIBUTION OF CANADIAN APPLES

London — 900 Boys of Harrow County School each received one pound of apples as a gift from the fruit growers of British Columbia recently. The Hon. Byron Johnson, Premier of British Columbia, was present to distribute some of the apples to the boys. This was part of the generous gift of 20,000 cases of apples from the fruit growers of British Columbia, which is being distributed through the Commonwealth Gift Centre.

NOT SO BREAKABLE

Victoria, B.C. (CP) — Vancouver Island turkeys have gained a world-wide reputation. Recently a turkey grower in Scotland ordered a number of the birds. They went by air and all arrived safely. Breeders say they find it better to ship poults than eggs.

Operatic Baritone



EDMUND HOCKRIDGE added another role to the many he has portrayed in CBC opera productions, when he appeared recently as Don Pizzaro in Beethoven's "Fidelio". His regular shows are Edmund Hockridge Sings (Mondays at 7.15 p.m.) and Comrades in Arms (Wednesdays at 9 p.m.). During the next few weeks he will make concert appearances in Ontario centres, including Ottawa. In May the famous baritone plans to motor to his native Vancouver for a vacation, and from there he will sail via the Panama Canal to Europe to do work for the BBC and study operatic techniques in Britain and on the Continent.

St. Andrews East

Miss Dilly Clattenburg is spending this week in Montreal, visiting Mrs. P. Clattenburg.

Mr. Keith Pitcairn visited his mother on Sunday.

Master Tony Hungerbuhler, who is attending Bishop's College at Lennoxville, Que., is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hungerbuhler.

Master David Heggie, of Lachute, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dorion.

The Women's Guild of the United Church met at the home of Mrs. David Morrison on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. de la Ronde were the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Thompson and two children, of Hudson, Que., spent the week-end with Mrs. Perks. Mr. Thompson returned to Hudson on Monday, while Mrs. Thompson is spending the week with her mother.

Easter Devotions

There will be a service in the United Church on Good Friday at 8 o'clock p.m., to which everyone is welcome.

On Sunday the service in the United Church will be at 10 a.m. Special Easter music will be furnished by the choir. This will be followed by the Communion service.

Commissioner of Oaths

Mr. W. R. Jeffrey has received notice of his appointment as a Commissioner of Oaths for the District of Terrebonne. Having occupied his summer home here for nearly 30 seasons past, he will be returning towards the end of this month to make his home permanently in St. Andrews.

Gradually the "little red school house" is disappearing and making way for larger, consolidated schools, to which children in the country ride by bus.

Morin Heights

Mrs. B. Harper and son, Gordon, of Campbellton, N.B., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Eric McCullough, while en route to Calgary, Alta.

Mrs. T. E. Seale spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Mrs. Robt. Goodfellow visited friends in Montreal last week.

Mrs. Melvin Dey went by plane to Lake Worth, Florida, last week to visit her father, Col. J. E. Seale, who is critically ill in hospital. . . Mr. Carl Seale and his sister, Mrs. L. Hollingsworth, also flew to Florida the previous week.

Master Ronald Dey spent the week-end with Billy Morrow at Mille Isles.

Miss Doris Watson, R.N., and Miss M. Farmer, R.N., of Ste. Anne de Bellevue military hospital, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forsythe.

Miss Barbara Watchorn spent a few days as the guest of Miss Mona Hyde at St. Sauveur des Monts.

Mr. Edgar Boyd has undergone an operation in the Montreal General Hospital; friends wish him a speedy recovery.

The W.I. held a "military whist" last Thursday evening — a good time being reported.

The Legion held an "open meeting" on Friday evening in the Red Cross room, at which a considerable number attended. After an interesting meeting, refreshments were served.

The United Church choir from Dixie is presenting an Easter pageant in the United Church here on Friday evening.

REMEMBERS BIRDS

Gretna, Man. (CP) — Hungarian partridges and prairie chickens, hard-hit by the severe winter conditions, haven't been forgotten by Earl Smith, who carries mail between Gretna, Rosenfeld and Altona. He got donations of wheat from elevator operators in those towns and spread it along his mail route.

Cushing West

Mr. Henry Villeneuve spent the week-end here with his wife and family at the home of Mrs. C. J. Cooke.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Moore spent a couple of days in Montreal last week and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawes.

Mrs. A. E. Usher arrived home on Saturday accompanied by her son, Mr. Franklyn Keatley, and Miss Beth Keatley, of Arnprior, and all were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson for the week-end. Mrs. Usher spent Monday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pryor, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their summer cottage.

The syrup-making season is in full swing now and "taffy parties" are the highlight of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Desforges entertained a party of friends at a party held at their sugar camp on Sunday afternoon.

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OBITUARY

Late Thos. Martin Was Old-Time B'burg Citizen

The death of Thomas Martin, an old and well-known resident of Brownsburg, occurred March 26 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Connelly. In his 91st year, he succumbed to a brief illness.

Born at St. Philippe in the year 1859, he had recollections of his early surroundings very different from the present-day scene in Chatham, Brownsburg and Lachute. He spent the greater part of his life in Brownsburg, and enjoyed a wide circle of friends in the community.

Left to mourn his loss are two daughters, Mrs. John Connelly, of Brownsburg, and Mrs. E. Donaldson, of Winnipeg, also two sons, John, of Winnipeg, and Albert, of Freehills, Alta.; he is survived also by 14 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

The funeral service was held from the home of Mrs. John Connelly, the Rev. C. H. Maclean officiating. Pall-bearers were his six nephews, Leonard, Lemuel and Oliver Wilson, and John, Colin and Percy Martin. Interment was made at the Brownsburg Cemetery in Lachute.

Sign of the times: The U.S. Army has 330 generals, only 327 horses.

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Canada's Food Rules emphasize the fact that children up to twelve years should drink at least a pint of milk a day. Adolescents require even more, their quota being one and one-half pints, while adults should have at least one-half pint. Many homemakers interpret this rule to mean milk served as a beverage but a goodly portion may be used in cooking.

Eggs, too, play an important part in the diet, not only because of their nutritive value but because of their palatability and versatility in cooking.

The following desserts are suggested by the home economists at Ottawa, with the children in mind but the adults will enjoy them as well.

Snow Cap

Snow Cap — 2 egg whites, ⅛ teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons sugar.

Custard — 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch, pinch of salt, 2 cups milk, 2 egg yolks, 6 canned peach halves.

Add salt to egg whites and beat until stiff. Gradually beat in the sugar. Pour boiling water, 3 to 4 inches deep, into a large, deep pan or bowl. Drop meringue by spoonfuls on the water, making 6 meringues. Cover and let stand 20 minutes.

Mix sugar, cornstarch and salt, add milk gradually and cook, stirring constantly, until thickened. Place over hot water and cook about 10 minutes. Add a little of the milk mixture to beaten egg yolks then add to remaining mixture and cook, stirring constantly, for 3 minutes. Pour into individual serving dishes. Cover with sliced peaches and top with cooked meringue. Chill before serving. Yield: six servings.

Children's Delight

4 Slices bread, 4 tablespoons peanut butter, 3 tablespoons butter, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 cups milk, 3 eggs, ½ cup brown sugar, ½ cup raisins.

Spread slices of bread with a blend of the butters. Cut into cubes and place in a buttered baking dish. Combine the salt, milk, beaten eggs and brown sugar. Stir until sugar is dissolved. Add the raisins and pour milk mixture over bread cubes. Set in a pan of water and oven-poach in a moderate oven, 350°F., for 1 hour. Yield: six servings.

Barley Pudding

½ Cup uncooked barley, 4 cups boiling water, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 egg yolks, ¼ cup sugar, 1½ cups milk, ½ teaspoon vanilla, 2 egg whites.

Cook barley in the rapidly boiling, salted water for 40 minutes or until tender and practically all the water has been absorbed. Mix beaten egg yolks, sugar and milk and add to the barley, blending well. Cook, stirring constantly, in a double boiler until mixture coats a spoon, about 8 to 10 minutes. Remove from heat, add vanilla and fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into serving dish and serve hot or cold. Yield: six servings.

Q.W.I. Short Course In Leadership

Plans were drafted for the annual short course in Leadership Training, sponsored by the Quebec Women's Institutes, at an executive meeting held this past week in Montreal.

The date, May 29 to June 2, was confirmed, and it will be held again this year at Macdonald College, with the teaching staff of the School of Home Economics and Adult Education Service giving active co-operation as instructors.

A class in rug-making will be a new feature of the course this year and will be conducted by Miss E. M. Birch, Handicraft Technician for the Q.W.I. Hooked rugs, made from wool, are a permanent section of the biennial Tweedsmuir Competitions. For that reason Institute members are much interested in this work and requests from the branches for instruction in the fine points of this craft have added greatly to Miss Birch's already overflowing schedule.

At present Miss Birch is spending a couple of weeks in the vicinity of Sherbrooke. A class in weaving was held at Beebe and this week members of the Cookshire W.I. are receiving instruction in leather work.

Consumer Association Protests Coffee Prices

The Canadian Association of Consumers, ever alert to consumer problems, is concerned about those steadily mounting coffee prices.

At a recent executive meeting held in Ottawa, the National officers of the Association forwarded a resolution to the Finance Minister, Hon. Mr. Douglas Abbott, asking that in view of steeply climbing prices of coffee on world markets, the Government take action towards the relief of the consumer by removing the eight per cent sales tax from this commodity. This would result in a reduction in price at the retail level which would be of benefit to the ultimate consumer.

Mrs. F. E. Wright of Toronto, National president of the Association, has just returned from a tour of Western Canada, and she finds that women in the West are concerned over the high prices of fish and meat too, particularly bacon. She also made the following statement: "Canadian women have a broader vision and a better realization of the economic problems of Canada as they affect the homemakers and the consumers".

Since the Canadian Association of Consumers was formed in 1947, Mrs. Wright said that it has played a major role in the campaign to ensure better standards of Canadian goods and to present the viewpoint of the consumer to trade, industry and Government.

FIVE YEARS IN BODY NEEDLE WORKED OUT

Durban, S. Africa (CP)—Doctors often wonder at the uncommon travels of objects lost in people's bodies, but a Durban doctor was amazed when a 40-year-old woman consulted him. She had a needle sticking out of her stomach.

The woman explained that she had the needle in her mouth when she read a telegram giving news of her first husband's death five years ago.

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Both glass and tin have their advantages in canning. Because women have used glass sealers for a long time they usually understand them better. For canning large quantities, tin may be more practical. For one thing, it doesn't break as glass does. You don't have to handle it with such great care and you don't have to worry about sudden changes in temperature. Tin is often easier to handle when canning under steam pressure. It heats through more quickly than glass and also a hot can may be plunged into cold water just as it is taken from the canner with no fear of breakage. This quick cooling stops the cooking, so saves flavor and texture of the food.

The plain tin can is not completely satisfactory for canning all kinds of food as the plain glass jar it. Canning in plain tin spoils the appearance of certain foods. Some years ago this was a serious problem to all canners. In fact, some of them gave up trying to put many of the garden foods in tin because of what happened to them during the process. Red fruits and vegetables such as berries, cherries, cranberries, rhubarb and beets lost their beautiful color when packed in plain tin cans. For example, raspberries that went into a can with their natural lovely red color came out a dull grey. This wasn't spoilage. Nothing was spoiled but their appearance. They tasted good but no one wanted to eat grey raspberries. Scientists who worked on this problem reported that the red color of certain fruits and vegetables always fades when heated in contact with tin.

Another difficulty occurred in canning pumpkin and squash. These vegetables caused discoloration in the plain tins and everybody was afraid to eat the harmless but dark, unappetizing contents of the can.

The color of corn also suffered — but in a different way. Corn and also the inside of the tin in which it was canned, turned almost black. The dark color formed when these foods were heated in contact with the metal is harmless but has an unpleasant appearance.

The cans on the market today, as a result of continued experimenting, are lined with special enamel. You may have success when canning in tin cans if you look carefully for the silver and gold linings . . . not in clouds but in cans.

There are three types of tin cans sold for home canning — Plain, R or Standard enamel, and C-enamel. Be sure to use the cans as recommended below:

1. "Plain" can — a general purpose can which may be used for all foods except those for which the R or Standard enamel can is recommended. Use only plain cans for tomatoes or tomato juice.

2. "R or Standard enamel" can — with bright reddish gold lining, should be used for red berries, red plums, rhubarb and beets. The special lining prevents the fading of the color which occurs when these foods are canned in Plain cans. Do not use R or Standard enamel cans for tomatoes or tomato juice.

3. "C-enamel" can — with a dull gold lining. This special lining prevents discoloration in corn. C-enamel cans may also be used for peas and pumpkin. Do not use C-enamel cans for fruits or tomatoes.

Can covers are also made in the three types to correspond with the three types of tin cans. The inside edge of the cover is lined with either a rubber compound or a paper gasket.

Tins cans for home canning are sold in two sizes:

20 oz.—capacity about 2½ cups.
28 oz.—capacity about 3½ cups.

C-enamel cans are sold in 20 oz. size only.

With the differences in cans firmly in her mind the homemaker should purchase the right types for her various purposes and avoid possible difficulties.

Instructions for canning in glass sealers and in tin cans are given in the bulletin "Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables" which may be obtained, free of charge, by writing to the Information Service, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, Ontario.

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Season Concludes for Church Bowling League

The Bowling League of Lachute United Church concluded its season last Monday evening, with the staging of the semi-finals and finals. In the semi-finals the W.M.S. Blues and the Young Women's Auxiliary played one of the finest games seen all season. The Auxiliary defeated the W.M.S., though the conclusion was in doubt until the last end; the scores were 2-8, 10-4 and 5-4. The other semi-final was played between the Y.P.U. and the Raps, the latter winning 7-2 and 5-4.

The finals of the league followed, and the match went two games, with the Raps defeating the Ladies' Auxiliary 7-0 and 6-0.

The refreshment committee had prepared amply for the 50-odd members of the league. The league president, Merlin Evans, thanked the ladies for their splendid refreshments, and expressed his appreciation to all who had helped to make the season such a success. He stated that a fine contribution had been made to the league by the Rummage Committee towards a new bowling set, and he hoped that in the near future, the carpet would be purchased. Appreciation to the prize committee; under chairmanship of Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne, was also voiced by the president.

The Bert Mitchell first prizes were awarded to the Raps, by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, and the runners-up, Young Ladies' Auxiliary, were presented with the second prizes. Appreciation was expressed by the two skips, L. M. Hammond and Mrs. E. Laurin, respectively, for the fine season just concluded.

Grenville Consolidated School News

By Martha Richardson

An interesting film was shown to the pupils on Tuesday afternoon. Its title was "Jungle Book", showing life in the jungles of India and the famous animals mentioned in the story. This book is part of the English course for Grade IX, and for that reason was closely followed by the members of that grade.

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There has been a series of "taffy parties" at school recently. Each grade has had its party, which in each case proved a highly popular event.

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The children are preparing for the coming Music Festival. Their parts and pieces have been arranged, and all that remains is practice. The idea of the Festival is popular with the pupils, and they are entering into it wholeheartedly.

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A committee has been named for the organizing of a Cub pack. This is the start of forming a Cub group, and eventually, a Scout troop in the school. The smaller lads are in high spirits over the idea.

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The raffle of cushions in aid of the First Aid room at school, has been very successful. The draw will be made on Thursday, April 6. When the raffle started there was to be one cushion, but a second cushion was donated later, thereby increasing the interest. Considerable equipment has already been purchased and installed in the First Aid room.

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On behalf of the staff and pupils, this correspondent extends to all readers sincere greetings for the Easter season.

"Sports Camera"

By Wally Izsak

It's a nice feeling when you're right but rather embarrassing when you're wrong—this business of predicting the positions in which certain teams will finish.

Along with thousands of other hockey fans, this reporter at the start of the National Hockey League season gazed into his crystal ball — and came out with a lemon. To be brutally frank, he picked only one position correctly — that of the last-place Chicago Black Hawks.

However, those feelings can be tempered somewhat by the fact that of the other five clubs, four ended up only one position out.

Last autumn Toronto's rugged young Maple Leafs appeared on paper as the team to end the season in top spot. They had, the previous spring, vaulted to their third straight Stanley Cup title and appeared to be just as powerful again. But look where they finished — in third place, even after a surge at the end of the season.

The powerful Detroit Red Wings, picked as runners-up, grabbed first position early in the campaign and stayed there until the final whistle. Much of their success must go to their trio of sharp-shooters — Ted Lindsay, Sid Abel and the recently injured Gord Howe — who finished out the scoring race as the top three.

Montreal appeared destined for third place, but took second instead. However, this did not come about until the third-last game of the season when they broke a second-place tie with the Leafs to shove Toronto down one rung. For the Habitants, the mainstayers were the starry Maurice (Rocket) Richard, who led the loop in goals scored, and goaltender Bill Durnan, who captured the Vezina Trophy.

New York's smooth-playing Rangers supplied a pleasant surprise. Almost annual doormats, the Blueshirts, expected to finish around second last again, climbed into the fourth and last playoff position, displacing Boston Bruins, who finished fifth.

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No Comeback Attempt

The man who for 11 years stalked through the boxing world with a pair of deadly fists, has said he will hang up his gloves for good and won't attempt a comeback. And we'd rather have it that way.

Joe Louis, the guy who dominated heavyweight boxing for 11 years, announced recently that he was finished with boxing after a South American tour. He will then join a circus tour of Canada, demonstrating ring tactics for $1,000 a day.

But before that announcement, controversy arose and continued for about a year as to whether he would challenge Ezzard Charles, his successor to the world heavyweight title, and thus perhaps become the only man in ring history to give up his crown and then win it back. The Brown Bomber retired undefeated March 1, 1948.

It would have been quite a feat at that if Louis had come back and retaken his title. But the big guy was bound to be beaten sooner or later — if not by Charles then by some other fighter stepping along the boxing trail.

Most fans would prefer to remember Louis as he was in his prime, one of the deadliest and most powerful fighters of all time and the only man to hold such a sure and long reign.

VANCOUVER FAMILY SHARPSHOOTERS ALL

Vancouver (CP) — The R. M. (Tike) Abernathys, one of the shootin'est families in British Columbia, soon may have a complete trap team of their own.

Tike, who spends a good deal of his spare time at trap and turkey shoots and in the duck marshes and pheasant country, says he's hoping so.

His wife Jo, who shoots with a 12-gauge over-and-under gun, has brought down a considerable number of ducks, pheasants and wild geese.

Their eldest son already is handling their dogs at field trials.

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Rental and Food Increases Boost Cost-of-Living Index to New Peak

Atom Warfare Predicted; "Within Lifetime Of Today's Children", Scientist Affirms

— By Norman Cribbens —

Otawa (CP) — Something Canadians have known from pressure on their pocket-books for some time — that the cost of living is higher than it has ever been — has been made official in Ottawa.

The Bureau of Statistics report an unparalleled increase in rents, which , combined with a sharp increase in food prices, pushed up February living costs by 2.1 points to an all-time high.

Cold, hard figures backed up the housewife's lament. The cost-of-living index touched 163.7 points, compared with 161.6 in January and the previous high of 162.8 in July 1949. The index was calculated on the basis that 1935-39 costs equal 100.

But rents made the biggest jump. The index rose 7.7 points from the previous peak of 125.0 in January to 132.7 in February.

Food prices — biggest single factor in the barometer's movements — climbed 2.7 points from 201.3 to 204.0, 5.2 points below the previous peak of 209.2 in July, 1949.

The combination of these two major advances told the story of a reversal of the index, which started to come down last September. It dropped 1.2 points in the September-December period and then, in two months, climbed 2.7 points from December's level of 161.0.

Rent advances, taken from the bureau's quarterly survey, reflected rises in the federal rent ceilings, allowing increases of 18 per cent on unheated and 22 per cent on heated accommodation.

There was a general stiffening of food prices for beef, lamb, eggs, coffee and fresh vegetables, but canned vegetables were actually a little cheaper.

Atom Warfare Predicted

One of Canada's top atomic scientists sent a shiver down the national spine by predicting that atom-bomb warfare would come within the lifetime of today's children.

In an unusual speech from a government employee, Dr. L. G. Cook, chemistry head at the Chalk River atomic project, told Ottawa's Rotary Club:

"You may be involved in a war in which atomic bombs are used. . your children almost certainly will be". For that reason, he said, the people must know the details of atomic development so they can assist the government to "make wise decisions in a precarious world."

He declared Canada is in danger of falling behind in the world's atomic race unless she pours more men and money into effort to keep it up front.

Dr. Cook also took an implied slap at the United States in declaring "there is no atomic secret". Secrecy is harmful, he said; it could be fatal.

Ironclad Divorce Laws

Yet another attempt to broaden the grounds for divorce in Canada has proved unsuccessful.

Just before the House of Commons adjourned for its Easter recess, David Croll (L—Toronto Spadina) proposed setting up a special committee of the House to consider enlarging grounds for divorce. . . The proposal met with even more concentrated resistance than in 1938, when this question was last debated in Parliament. Then a bill to broaden divorce grounds passed the Senate and gained some support in the Commons, but finally the Commons shelved it by a vote of 102 to 53.

On this new try by Mr. Croll there wasn't even a vote, and of the six M.P.'s who spoke on the resolution, only one backed up the Toronto member. In consequence Mr. Croll withdrew his resolution. He said he wanted to test the opinion of the House and had found it negative.

Earlier, he pleaded for widening of the grounds of divorce to include desertion of more than three years, gross cruelty, incurable mental disease after five years, and legal presumption of death.

He said Canada's present laws no longer adequately reflected the public need or the public mind. "Our divorce laws are among the most restricted in the western world. It is high time we fumigated the divorce courts of this country and do away with perjury, collusion, connivance and fraud. In my view the present law is unreal."

Mr. Croll emphasized that he was not trying to increase the rate of divorce. He was trying to put divorce on "an honest basis". Marriages did fail, and divorce was an admission of that fact. Divorce was not the cause of failure.

He said that the present stringency of the law made divorce "an unpleasant, hole-in-the-corner business, with hotel bedroom scenes and paid evidence of detectives."

Immediate opposition to Mr. Croll's argument came from three Roman Catholic M.P.'s. Only G. S. White (P.C. — for Hastings-Peterborough) supported his resolution as "reasonable and sensible". The question is not expected to be raised again this session.

Two New Classrooms Ready for H.S. Pupils

Lachute High School authorities state that, with the re-opening of school next Monday, two new classrooms in the school extension will be ready for occupancy. These two rooms, situated at the south-west corner of the new wing, top floor, will accommodate about 70 children of the junior grades (I and II), who have been attending school in the United Church basement while construction has been in progress.

At 53rd Anniversary

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, East Ward residents, who will attain their 53rd wedding anniversary tomorrow (Friday). The occasion will be marked by a family gathering at their home.

Household Hazard, Lady in Distress

Among strange predicaments which befall the housewife, was an incident reported this week when a young lady, busy defrosting an electric refrigerator, placed her wet hand on the freezing unit. Her fingers became quickly frozen to the metal. An apartment-dweller, she was alone at the time, and faced with the alternative of tearing the skin from her hand, she stamped on the floor and called vigorously for help. A downstairs occupant finally came to the rescue, and, applying warm water to the frost-box, released the young lady in distress.

Plethora of Building Permits Gives Promise of High Seasonal Activity

Council Purchases Pipe-Thawing Outfit, Aided by Substantial Government Grant

The April session of the City Fathers was held in the council chamber on Wednesday, 5th inst., with all members present, under chairmanship of Mayor Léopold Carrière.

Building permits were granted to numerous applicants, including — H. B. Kingsbury (house, Burroughs St.), Miles Copeland (house, Fraser Ave.), Albini Lamarche (restaurant, Main St.), Fraser C. Morrison (house, Frances St.), Camille Belanger (house, Hammond St.), Charles McFaul (store, Main St.), S. Laurin (house, Bedard Blvd.), Joseph Raymond (extension, Brownsburg Road), Léopold Carrière (nine houses on Sydney St.), J. P. MacKimmie & Sons (extension, Foundry St.).

It was moved and seconded that the mayor, Léopold Carrière and the secretary-treasurer, Antonio Laurin, be authorized to sign a deed with Léopold and Laurier Carrière for a donation of part of Fraser and Drew Streets.

The sum of $25 was voted to the Red Cross Society in connection with the national campaign for funds.

It was decided that tenders be called for supplying flowers and shrubs for the Memorial Park, as usual in the spring season.

Pool room permits were granted to Come Bélanger, Armand Sabourin and Lucien Desjardins, and renewal of permit for bowling alleys was also granted to the Bolodrome Reg'd.

The secretary-treasurer was authorized to engage one or two men in order to conduct the municipal census.

Accounts were approved to the amount of $13,973.64.

Mayor Carrière read a letter from the provincial member, W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., stating that the Department of Public Works was granting a sum of $1,500 towards purchase of a thawing machine. It was accordingly moved and seconded that a B. H. thawing machine be bought from the Municipal Signal & Supply Co. for the price of $2,895, for delivery November 1, 1950.

A formal vote of thanks was expressed to Mr. Cottingham and to the Honorable Mr. Lorrain, Minister of Works, for the said grant.

By-law No. 182 relating to Traffic and Parking Regulations was adopted in its second reading.

It was resolved that ratepayers on the north side of Robert Street from Main to Barron Avenue, and south side of Sydney Street from Elizabeth to Bethany, be notified to build their sidewalks within the prescribed 60 days notice.

The meeting was adjourned sine-die.

Two-Piano Team For "Community Concert" April 17

Booked for the Community Concert program here next Monday, April 17 — the fourth and final of this season's series — are two accomplished pianists, Alfred and Herbert Teltschik, "The Teltschiks from Texas" as they are often called.

Born respectively 30 and 31 years ago in Floresville, Texas, of Austrian parents, the two brothers began their musical training at an early age under the tutelage of their father, an old-world musician. After moving to Houston, they continued their studies under Aldrige Kidd — a musical education that continued for a decade. Later, they entered the Juilliard School of Music in New York, studying under such eminent personalities as Sascha Gorodnitzki and the late Mme Samaroff Stokowski. Upon graduation, they returned to Houston, married, and settled down to teach piano in the city's public schools and in their own studio.

To satisfy their own love of making music for audiences, they began giving two-piano recitals on the side. They soon encountered the usual occupational hazard in their field, the problem of finding two evenly matched pianos in out-of-the-way places. They solved this difficulty neatly with what their friends term "Operation Trailer". To their car, they have attached a trailer rigged for storing and transporting two pianos. They also know how to repair and tune their own pianos, thus achieving further independence in the matter of logistics.

Called to active duty at the beginning of the war, they were assigned to military orchestras, but their special talents were recognized and they gave numerous two-piano recitals for the armed forces, thus gaining rich experience for the career they were to pursue. The 1949-50 season found them with their second completely sold-out tour.

The Teltschiks and their "Operation Trailer" are a young, brilliant, American-trained, self-contained team, embodying in their playing and interpretations rich quality, vision, and unlimited wealth of expression that is native to Texans, yet tempered with the great musical traditions of an old Austria — the Austria of Mozart and Strauss.

Cloak Room Facilities

The concert, at Lachute Auditorium, commences sharp at 8.30 p.m., and members of the Community Concerts Association need no reminder to be in their seats well on time. It may be mentioned again, that the check-room downstairs will be in responsible hands, and all who make use of this facility will be contributing to the organization, since proceeds from this source are used to defray incidental expenses.

Prominent Montreal Couple Killed in Level Crossing Mishap Easter Sunday

SECOND TRAGEDY ON LACHUTE'S RAILWAY CROSSINGS IN LESS THAN THREE WEEKS

Swift tragedy claimed the lives of a prominent Montreal business man and his wife, at the Bethany Street railway crossing Sunday evening. The victims, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Trenholme, of Westmount, were struck by the westbound passenger train at 7.05 p.m. and hurled from their shattered automobile. Mr. Trenholme, 47, was pronounced dead a few minutes later by Dr. Jules Lafleur, who arrived from his home nearby. The victim's wife (the former Margaret Kerr Lundon, aged 29) was found some distance up the track, 125 feet west of the crossing. She was still breathing — according to Police Chief D. Villeneuve testifying at the inquest. On instructions of Dr. Lafleur, the officer despatched the woman in an ambulance to the Providence Hospital, where she was attended by Dr. F. W. FitzGerald, but died shortly afterwards, at 7.45 p.m.

Inquest Held

An inquest was held at Lachute Court House the following evening under Dr. J. Lafleur in his capacity of district coroner, and in the presence of the district attorney, legal counsel, provincial police, insurance company representatives and interpreters.

Evidence of witnesses who had seen the collision from the thoroughfare (Médard Héroux and his girl companion, Miss De Bellefeuille) and of the engineer in charge of the locomotive (Irving Cutler, Ottawa) showed that, while another car driven by Frank Pring slowed down to turn from Bethany into the station yard, the Trenholme car approached from the rear, passed Pring, then proceeded directly into the path of the train. The engineer stated his train was travelling around 10 miles an hour coming into Lachute station; he had sounded the whistle, and immediately following the crash he applied the emergency brakes. . . The engineer had been working on the North Shore line over the past 30 years; this was his first accident, he said.

Detective P. Therriault gave information on warning signs and devices at the several level-crossings in Lachute. There was no bell, gate or moving signal at the Bethany crossing.

George H. Trenholme (the coroner stated) had died of a skull fracture. Also his right arm had been almost completely severed. In the case of his wife, a fractured skull had also been the cause of death; besides this she sustained a compound fracture of the leg.

The jurors, under chairmanship of Albini Lamarche, brought in a verdict of accidental death, adding a rider—that, in view of the many accidents in Lachute, the Railway Commission at Ottawa be approached, through Philippe Valois, M.P., as intermediary — and the Board of Transport at Quebec, through W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A. — requesting an investigation and a report on provisions for public safety at the level crossings in this town. "And we insist", was the concluding clause of this rider.

Associated in This District

Mr. and Mrs. Trenholme were married just over a year ago. They were known in these parts, spending the week-ends at their country home at Lost River, from which they were returning to the city at the time of the accident. Mr. Trenholme was vice-president of the Guaranteed Pure Milk Co. Ltd. in Montreal and had been associated with the dairy business for 25 years.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Lundon, parents of Mrs. Trenholme, also have a residence at Lost River. While visiting friends near Lachute, Dr. Lundon was notified immediately after the tragedy. Mrs. Trenholme's brother, Major R. E. Lundon, is associated here with North American Supply, in affiliation with Lachute Lumber and Millwork Ltd.

The former Margaret Kerr Lundon was a McGill graduate and post-graduate. She served as an officer in the Cnadian Women's Army Corps from 1941 till 1944 overseas. Prior to her marriage she was with the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada.

Response Lagging In Easter Seals

After an encouraging response at the outset of the campaign, the Lions Club reports that contributions to the Easter Seals appeal are now slow in coming in.

This is the first year in which a local service club has collaborated in the Easter Seals drive — a provincial effort on behalf of crippled children and adults; and it is earnestly hoped that a worthwhile result will lay the groundwork for collaboration here in future yearly campaigns.

Incidental to the extensive mailing of letters and receiving of donations, the Lions Club committee has received suggestions concerning a number of worthy cases in the locality — of cripples who need treatment or orthopedic aids to assist them in a normal way of living. . . This information has been welcomed; it illustrates, still further, how the proceeds of Easter Seals can be practically applied, right in this community.

Donors are reminded that receipts in this drive are apportioned between the provincial organization and the district from which they are given. In both ways they accrue to the benefit of local cripples. Public generosity will be amply repaid in this humanitarian effort — and all who have not remitted $1 or more, in the envelope provided for this purpose, are urged to do so without delay.

Former Resident Dies

News is received of the sudden passing of Guy Fraser, an old Lachute boy who for some years past has resided in Montreal. Suffering from heart trouble, he succumbed early this morning. A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fraser, Sr., he is survived by an only sister, (Alma) Mrs. Cliff, of Kingston, Ont. His brother, Wilbur, predeceased him several years ago.

Funeral services are being held in Montreal on Saturday afternoon, and the remains will be brought to Lachute for interment at approximately 2.45 o'clock.

Killed by Automobile At Hawkesbury

Hawkesbury — Crushed beneath the wheels of a passing automobile, Barthelemy Rouiller was killed instantly in Hawkesbury Sunday night when he stepped from the curb to the street.

The 65-year-old retired resident was returning home from a walk when he apparently slipped on the icy sidewalk, or made a misstep from the curb into the path of a passenger automobile.

The driver, Fernand Proulx, 24, of Hawkesbury, told police Mr. Rouiller appeared immediately in his headlights, giving him no opportunity to stop or swerve.

Dr. C. E. Lafrance was called and pronounced the man dead.

Kingsbury, England (CP) — One busman's holiday is —collecting bus tickets.

It's the hobby of bus ticket inspector Albert McCall. He's been collecting them for 10 years and now has some 22,000 filed away in albums and boxes. They date from 1884 and are often the only clue to the early history of routes. But McCall doesn't like the ticket-issuing machines of the modern age — "they take all the romance out of collecting tickets".

Many at Funeral of B'burg Accident Victim, Veteran of R.C.N.V.R.

The Late Russell D. Martin

The funeral of the late Russell D. Martin—who met sudden death when his truck-brakes failed on the hill north of Brownsburg — was held last Friday from the Brownsburg United Church. The young citizen, 32 years of age, had many friends, and the large gathering at his funeral gave evidence of the favor which he enjoyed among his acquaintances. There were many floral tributes in further evidence of this esteem, and in sympathy with the bereaved family.

Russell Martin served at sea during World War II; enlisting in the R.C.N.V.R., he served two years as Ordinary Seaman.

He is survived by his wife, the former May Keatley, and a daughter, Karen, aged five; also by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, of Brownsburg, a brother, Irwin, of Brownsburg, and a sister (Cecilia) Mrs. Herbert Graves, of Lachute.

The Rev. S. J. Pike officiated at the funeral, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, of Lachute. The remains were borne to the Brownsburg burial ground at Lachute Cemetery. Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Ross Keatley, Arthur Keatley, Gilbt. Wilson, Thos. Hall, Ernest Castle and Wm. White.

Lachute District Hits $3,000 Quota, Red Cross Drive

The objective of $3,000 set for the Lachute district committee in the annual Red Cross appeal, has been attained, thanks to loyal efforts of the canvassers (many of whom have undertaken this collection for successive years), and also to the ready support of the public.

Joint chairmen of the local drive were Mrs. A. Taylor (president of the Lachute Red Cross branch) and Mrs. G. G. Mitchell. Mrs. F. E. Earle, the treasurer, states that the returns are not final. When completed, these will be published showing the individual canvassing divisions.

Through this medium, the local committee extend warm acknowledgment to all who assisted and supported the campaign.

Late Wm. H. Gordon Was Lifelong Resident of Lachute Community

We record with regret the passing of a life-long and respected member of this community, in the person of William H. Gordon, whose death occurred at the Reddy Memorial Hospital, Montreal, on March 20, in his 76th year.

He was born at East Settlement, the eldest son of the late John Gordon and his wife Hannah Shaw.

He was successfully engaged in farming during the greater part of his life, first on a farm in East Settlement, later moving to St. Jerusalem; from this farm he retired to the town of Lachute in 1926.

During his lifetime he took an active interest in the welfare of the surrounding community. He was a loyal and devoted member of the United Church, and served on the board of stewards for many years.

The late Mr. Gordon was twice married. His first wife was Alice Rodger, to whom he was married in March 1896, and who predeceased him in October 1943. In December 1945 he married Margaret MacConnachie, of Montreal and Scotland.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sons, J. Percy, of Arundel, and Lawrence (Dr. W. L. Gordon), of Winnipeg; two grandsons and one granddaughter; one sister, Mrs. Frank J. Black, of Notre Dame de Grace; and many nephews and nieces.

The funeral service, held in the Lachute United Church on Thursday afternoon, March 23, was conducted by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough.

Pall-bearers were his six nephews — Walter, Herbert, Leslie and Ernest Gordon, Erskine and Douglas Rodger.

Beautiful flowers bore testimony to the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Those attending the funeral from a distance were — Dr. W. L. Gordon, of Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Black, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Le Riche, Mrs. Clive Sproule, Mr. Gerald Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. MacConnachie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacConnachie, and Mr. Alex McPhee, of Montreal; Messrs. Hugh Cooke, Leonard Rathwell and Edward Graham, of Arundel.

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Red Cross Canvass In Arundel District

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — The Red Cross Campaign for Arundel district has been brought to a successful conclusion with total subscriptions amounting to $562.73. While this amount is a few dollars short of the 1949 total, this may be attributed to impassable roads, which in some cases made the work of the canvassers extremely difficult.

The campaign chairman, Mrs. P. Staniforth, wishes to thank the subscribers, the canvassers and their helpers, for their share in making the 1950 campaign a successful one.

Individual district totals were as follows:

Arundel	$193.15
Barkmere	8.38
Calumet	70.40
Gray Valley	8.25
Harrington	12.00
Harrington E.	7.50
Huberdeau	53.40
Kasil	5.00
Lakeview	4.50
Lost River	20.00
Rivington	23.00
Rockway Valley	16.25
Rouge Valley	7.40
Sixteen Island Lake	24.75
The Glen	3.00
Weir	80.75
Municipality Ponsonby	23.00
	$562.73

Winston Churchill at 40, fooling one morning with a child's paint box, took up painting.

Returns Home, Cured



Philbert Dubé, eight, is seen bidding goodbye to his nurse, Beverley Moore, as he prepared to return to his home in Montreal, once more able to swallow food. Some three years ago the boy swallowed a quantity of lye his mother had prepared for household use, and the resultant burns had closed his esophagus completely. Since then, until his treatment at the Children's Hospital in Chicago, Philbert has been fed through a gastrostomy tube inserted into an opening in his stomach. The child took his first food by mouth since the accident, just a few weeks ago.

Speaker and Writer To Portray Northwest

Mrs. R. M. Beckett, who is giving an illustrated lecture in the United Church hall on April 21, is well known in this district, being the former Eva Bradford, of Chatham Municipality. She was educated at Lachute Academy, later attending Macdonald College Normal School, and taught in several schools in Quebec and Western Canada.

Mrs. Beckett has spent a number of summers at Churchill, Manitoba, with her husband, whose occupation takes him to those parts every season. It was there she gathered the material for her audiences in Regina, Winnipeg and other centres. Two years ago the Manitoba Government, taking cognizance of Mrs. Beckett's studies of plant life in the northern part of the province, provided her with a colony of bees to take to Churchill for experimental purposes.

Mrs. Beckett has the happy faculty of interesting people in the things she sees, as well as persuading people to let her do unusual things — such as being taken aboard a whaling schooner on Hudson Bay, the only woman passenger, and a privilege never before accorded to a woman.

As well as the above activities, Mrs. Beckett has written articles and short stories for "The Family Herald", "Canadian Geographic", "Rod and Gun" and other periodicals.

Eritreans Welcome U.N. Commission



Members of the United Nations Commission for Eritrea are greeted by the local population upon their arrival at the town of Massawa. Established by the last session of the General Assembly, the Commission is in Eritrea to ascertain the wishes of the inhabitants of that former Italian colony and to make recommendations on its future.

Cow Taken from Barn

A resident of the farming community phoned The Watchman this week to state that a valuable cow had been removed from her cowshed during Monday night. Only a day or two previously she had refused $200 from a would-be buyer. The animal was an Ayrshire.

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Electric pumps use from 20 to 30 kilowatt hours a month on the average farm —and heavier, healthy livestock which result from plenty of fresh water, pay off much more than the cost of the power. An electric saw uses one to two kilowatt hours per cord of wood — and the time saved means many dollars in place of the few cents spent on electricity. Electricity in the brooder means better chicks, and electricity in the hen house means greater laying.

Electric milk coolers use about 25 kilowatt hours of power each month for every 10 gallons of milk per day — and they bring higher grades on milk and a tremendous saving of the time usually spent in cutting and drawing natural ice. One kilowatt hour churns 100 pounds of butter or separates 2,000 pounds of milk or cleans 100 bushels of grain. Fifteen kilowatt hours heats 100 gallons of water in the dairy; while three kilowatt hours sterilizes all the utensils used in a 10-cow dairy.

A couple of kilowatt hours will grind 100 pounds of feed, or spray 500 square feet of paint, help incubate half a dozen chicks, or milk a cow for a month.

It all adds up to tremendous savings of time and energy, to greatly increased efficiency of operation, and to substantial dollars-and-cents gain when electricity is put to good use on the modern farm.

That is why we can't help feeling that — of all the uses to which electricity is put — it probably pays off most of all on the farm.

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Piano Duo for Community Concert



The Teltschik Brothers, Alfred and Herbert, who will be heard in a brilliant two-piano recital at the season's concluding performance of Community Concerts, at Lachute Auditorium next Monday. (See story on page 1.)

Saturday Early - Closing Measure Has Rough Ride in B'burg Council Session

(Continued from last week's report)

Memorial Arch

Brownsburg —

Since first advanced by the Citizens' Forum three years ago the idea of erecting a memorial arch on the hill overlooking the village coming from the Lachute side, has had many supporters, but no real effort has been made to put the idea into concrete (or Brownsburg granite) form. Sooner or later a campaign will be started to have the "Gateway to the Laurentians" become a reality but with the present plethora of "collections" it would be a foolhardy person who would initiate it. Mr. J. Malacket came before the last council meeting to advocate erection of a "Welcome" sign on the Lachute road, but like the "western pipe line bill" at Ottawa, it was "discussed". Mr. Malacket also asked to have parking allowed on his side of the street during the summer months. This was granted.

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Four Against

Councillor Denault sought to introduce his now famous Closing By-law, before a crowded chamber, and immediately several stations with a background of heavy static crowded the dial.

The Mayor asked the secretary to read Article 124 of the Municipal Code, which says in part, "No member of the council may vote upon a question in which he has a personal interest . . etc". (A violation of this article makes the councillor liable to a fine of $100). The secretary said he had consulted the legal advisor, Mr. F. Legault, and he gave as his opinion that it applied to the present vote, unless the council agreed to overlook it. Mr. A. Parisien submitted a petition signed by 27 taxpayers objecting to the passage of the by-law. Councillor Denault had previously introduced a request from 26 of the 34 merchants to have the by-law passed. Mr. Pariseau called from the back of the hall that he was included in Mr. Parisien's petition but he had not signed it. Councillor Denault parried questions from all angles. Councillor Lavioe pointed out the incongruity of one man putting up a "Welcome" sign and another trying to black out the place.

The Mayor called for a vote "against", and four councillors raised their right hands, although there was no motion before the meeting at the time. . . When the secretary caught up on the rush of events he asked that someone propose an amendment to the main motion. Councillor Lafleur said he would propose it, and Councillor Wilson promptly seconded. The secretary then asked for someone to propose the main motion, which had not yet been before the meeting, and as Councillor Denault felt he was affected by the article read, he was hesitant to propose it. Eventually he proposed it, seconded by Councillor Ouellette. . . And so expired By-law 78.

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Store Hours

Councillor Denault observed: "Now the council will have to enforce the present by-law and see that it is observed; it contains some provisions which some people will not like". The present by-law requires that all stores and places of business close at 6 p.m. Monday to Thursday; at 9 p.m. on Friday; and 10 p.m. on Saturdays (all times Standard). The Police Chief was ordered to notify all stores of these times and enforce the law.

Councillor Denault's parting shot, "I got beaten but I'll be back", concluded the business.

A special meeting was called for April 17.

Remembers Indians On Winnipeg Street

Winnipeg (CP) — Indians sitting on board sidewalks along Winnipeg's Portage Avenue were once a familiar sight to Mrs. Sally Campbell, 80, who came here from Scotland 46 years ago.

She cited early impressions of this city, where life is now "soft in comparison with the old days".

To get here, she spent four weeks on boat and train. Hardships of Canadian life caused Mrs. Campbell some dismay at first.

"Temperatures of 40 to 50 below were general then", she reports. "Water was hauled from public pumps, and wood burners supplied heat. One day a bucket of water spilled on my doorway; the door was frozen closed and the family was imprisoned for two days."

Recollections of the low cost of living are among Mrs. Campbell's fondest. She remembers when an eight-room house rented for $20 a month, men's suits sold for $10 - $15 and a 10-pound bag of tea cost $1.

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Seasonal Farm Topics



Winter Feed Problem

"Grass silage will be the savior of Canada's winter feed problem", Melvin Shuh, Kitchener, Ontario, dairyman, told a meeting of 1,000 district farmers at the Waterloo County annual seed fair recently. He said that grass silage brought his herd of 75 Jerseys through the last few winters with no loss of production and in better condition than had been his experience with hay and corn feed.

"It takes courage to go into this program", he warned. "You have to keep after the land at all times, fertilize every year for greater yields and plow your fields under and re-seed every two years". In Shuh's opinion, the younger grass left lying for an hour after cutting made the best feed. It is much cheaper than corn and involves less trouble in growing and handling.

Pays to Clean and Treat Seed Grain

Ottawa — Year in and year out officials of the Canada Department of Agriculture have stressed the importance of using graded clean seed, properly treated to control disease.

A somewhat newer note in this regular warning was sounded recently by J. E. Langille of the Experimental Farm at Nappan, N.S. He states that "while many of the new cereal varieties possess resistance to some of the forms of smut this does not mean that seed treatment should be neglected".

Here again are the "musts" when it comes to handling and choosing your cereal seed: — Chose clean graded sound seed. Use organic mercury compounds to kill the disease organisms of the various types of smut. Treat the seed just before seeding unless cool dry storage is available.

Regular Routine At Milking Time

A not infrequent cause of trouble in the dairy herd is that of hard-milkers, or cows which fail to let their milk down. It can lead to a good deal of wasted time when it comes to milking time.

A lot of experimental work has been done and it has been found that the letdown of milk is due to the action of a hormone which begins to work as a result of certain things which may be done regularly at milking time.

Normally the letdown starts with the man or machine starting to milk. However, cows can be conditioned to let down their milk by a number of different things. If cows are fed immediately before milking, the feeding may become the stimulus for the letdown; on the other hand, cows may become accustomed to letting down their milk with the starting of the milking machine in the stable or noises from the rattling of milking utensils or the washing of the udder.

For fast, efficient milking, a regular milking routine should be established with as few changes as possible from day to day. Frequent changes upset the cows and it will take time to bring them back to normal, with no holding of their milk.

— Ottawa Farm Journal

Radioactive Wireworms

To make the soil a safer resting place for seeds, radioactive wireworms are now being used to study the life history and habits of the destructive wireworm. At the Dominion Entomological Laboratory in Saskatoon, scientists have successfully mapped the progress of one tagged wireworm, reports C-I-L's Agricultural News.

Radioactive cobalt was strapped to the "guinea pig" and its progress rated through a definitely defined area of soil. Geiger tube readings every 10 minutes revealed that the wireworm actually covered many times the confined area by means of its zig-zagging method of travel.

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AUCTION SALES

At the farm of
THEODORE RODRIGUE,
STE. SCHOLASTIQUE,
(Cote St. Louis), Monday, April 17, at 11 a.m.:

13 Milch cows, 3 2-yr.-old heifers, 2 work horses, driving horse, new Ford tractor and implements, new hay-loader, 13-disk drill seeder (new), 2 double wagons (new), 3-section finishing harrows (new), 2 sets double sleighs (new), new grain binder, mower, rake, cultivator, disk harrow, roller, 2 tumbril carts (one new), single and double-furrow plows, 2 sets double harness (new), 3 sets single harness, chains, 3 tons certified seed oats, and many other articles, including a good kitchen range and household goods.

All to be sold without reserve, as proprietor has sold farm.

Terms announced on day of sale.

— Armand Charbonneau,
lic. auctioneer.
St. Eustache; tel. 3537.

At the home of
WALTER DEWAR, GRENVILLE
(the River Road), April 22, at 1 p.m.:

Oak 9-piece dining room set, bureau, several chests of drawers, iron bed and spring with mattress, wash stand, steel single couch, sliding couch, several cupboards, small tables, several odd chairs, organ, Findlay wood and coal cookstove, box stove, washing machine and wringer, 2 chicken brooder houses, incubator, brooder stove, feeders and fountains, some coal, egg crates, small milk cart, large iron cooler, sprayer, corn sheller, 12-gauge shotgun, pipe fittings, whipple-trees, crowbars, picks, pulleys, cow ties, some building timber, window sashes and other articles.

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At the farm of
PHILIBERT LAUZON,
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(R.R. 4, Lachute), Wednesday, April 19, commencing at 12 noon, sharp:

11 Milch cows, 3 2-yr.-old heifers (to freshen in fall), 3 yearling heifers, 2-yr.-old Holstein bull, 2-yr.-old colt, 2 work horses, litter carrier and track, Massey-Harris disk seeder, grain binder, finishing, spring-tooth & disk harrows, mowing machine, rake, 2 double wagons, cultivator, 2 McCormick-Deering walking plows, double cultivator, buggy, express, rack-sleigh, 2,000-lb. scale, 2 sets double sleighs, double and single harness, new Cockshutt separator, vegetable chopper, milk cans, chains, household effects, and other articles.

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The Rail-Crossing Hazard

TWO tragedies within a short space of time have claimed three lives on railway grade crossings in Lachute. Over the years there has been a long fatality list at these danger spots, of which there are seven in Lachute and one beyond the western limits. This triple toll, almost within two weeks, is however enough to arouse the public ire, and it should likewise be sufficiently grim to stir the authorities concerned.

In the death at Hamford level crossing (March 22) the jury recommended to provincial engineers a study of the safety provisions at these sites. At the inquest on the death of a Montreal couple which occurred at the Bethany Street crossing last Sunday, the jury's rider was more emphatic, asking both the Railway Commission at Ottawa and the Board of Transport at Quebec (through our local deputies) to investigate and report their findings. — "And we insist", the jurymen added.

At the latter inquest, the provincial detective for this district gave a detailed survey of signs erected at these crossings — which apparently left much to be desired, even in this inadequate mode of protection. The locomotive engineer gave his opinion that the Bethany crossing was dangerous — though not particularizing; his reason stated was that "all public crossings are dangerous".

This is no longer a matter to be treated lightly. Public opinion has been formally conveyed to the federal M.P. and provincial M.L.A. for this constituency, and we are confident that they will press for action where it will prove most effective.

Spring -- With Variations

IT'S A caution the way some poets and highbrow intellectuals wax lyrical about spring on the farm.

Not that we blame them. It's a great time to live in the country. Then, as at no other season of the year, all nature appears to offer vivid proof of the Divine pledge of seed time and harvest.

You see that in the stirring of new life; in the brightening green that steals gradually over the pastures and the fields of fall wheat; even in the dull-looking plowed fields which take on a lighter, fresher look as the accumulated winter moisture seeps into the soil or is drawn up into the sky to fall again as warming rain.

Out in the woodlot, budding trees burst into leaf. In wet, shady nooks trilliums and delicate violets start their all-too-brief span of life.

The spirit of spring infects the animal world. Horses kick up their heels when they get out into the wide spaces of pasture after a winter of close confinement. Wily old sows use all the tricks they know — and the range is amazing — to slip through seemingly impregnable fences to root up the fields. Lambs perform prodigious athletic feats as they gambol about in the warming sun.

That's the sort of stuff the literary fellows like to write about. They ignore some other things about spring on the farm which are more apt to stir up far from joyful feelings.

For one thing, there's the mud. It's everywhere. The barnyard may turn into a quagmire — no matter how much fill you pour into it every year, you never seem to be able to lick it. The mud pulls off your boots at the most embarrassing times, often when you're chasing pell mell after that dratted calf that slipped through the gate and went high-tailing it away for a taste of freedom. It gets tracked into the house, which doesn't improve domestic tempers.

Then spring has a two-way effect on the spirit. It may stir nature to life but it's likely to make an easy-going human being lazier than ever. Life seems very comfortable and every movement requires effort. Work is a thing to put as completely away from the mind as possible. But how can you forget work, when you see all around inescapable evidence that before long you'll have to plow and disk and harrow and sow and — some day — harvest. All this is enough to bring tumult to the most placid mind.

But anyway, it's spring, and these disturbing thoughts can't stick around for long.

Woodlots Pay Off

FARMERS are taking a second look at the old woodlot, which they had regarded for years merely as a source of stovewood and fence posts. In many cases, they find that even a few acres of timber on the "back fifty" can be developed to produce a steady cash crop.

The development involves keeping cattle out of the woods and cutting timber selectively to improve the quality of the stand and encourage new growth.

Some farmers find it hard to break the habit of letting cattle roam from the pastureland into the bush. Grazing on forest greenstuff supplements the feed from the pasture and the shade protects the animals from the sun. A cow that eats a seedling kills a tree.

A farmer who protects his woodlot from cattle and from fire and who adopts a systematic cutting program can reap an annual harvest of lumber or pulpwood while watching the value of his timber increase year by year. All the time, the forest prevents the farm's good soil from being carried away by the spring run-off, holds soil moisture that is valuable in time of drought, and provides a home for wild animals and birds.

In some cases, abandoned farms can be used to grow trees. Some day, as a result of the reforestation and consequent improvement of the soil, it may again be possible to use part of their acreage for farm purposes.

The Canadian Forestry Association, which has done a great deal to encourage improvement of woodlots, estimates that farm woodlots and other small private forests supply 30 per cent of the millions of cords of pulpwood used by the Canadian paper industry. The association says the same woodlots not only provide their owners with more than $50,000,000 worth of fuel and other wood, but also bring them another $50,000,000 in cash income.

New Slant on the Fall of Rome

A SUGGESTION that it was not the fiddling emperor, Nero, who destroyed Rome, but a horde of insects — may startle the students of conventional history. But this is the claim of R. H. Painter, head of the livestock insect laboratory at Lethbridge, Alberta, in a recent talk before the Calgary Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada. . . The Pontine marshes surrounding the city were teeming with mosquitoes. Mercenary soldiers brought malaria to the marshes and the mosquitoes carried the disease to the citizens of Rome who had no resistance to the plague. The malaria-ridden populace became so lethargic that the Roman Empire was allowed to fall with little effort on anyone's part to prevent it, he contends. . . Mr. Painter also attributed the death of the Aztec and Inca civilizations of Central and South America to a smashing victory of the insect world against Man.

Commenting on these remarks, C-I-L's Agricultural News states that humanity's war against insects is by no means ended. But the battles won by man continue to increase as agricultural scientists forge new weapons in their chemical laboratories. And the more weapons they introduce the more they learn about the wily habits of insects.

While it is not expected that the conflict between man and insects will ever end, complete cooperation between the farmers, entomologists and chemists could certainly keep man a few steps ahead of insects and prevent them from inheriting the earth.

Canadian Scouts Invited To U.S. Jamboree

Canadian Contingent Invited to Represent All Provinces

Every Canadian province has been invited to send a representative group of Scouts and leaders to the American Jamoree. Major R. B. Oglesby, Scoutmaster of the 38th Ottawa Troop, has been chosen to lead the Canadian Boy Scout Contingent. A total of some 40,000 Scouts, from 45 countries in all, will attend, it is anticipated.

America's newest "city", the Jamboree Camp at Valley Forge, will be on ground made historic by the winter encampment of George Washington and his Continental Army from December 19, 1777, to June 19, 1778. About 10,000 men suffered that winter from cold, starvation and sickness. This army received little food and clothing and the men erected their own crude huts, replicas of which still stand.

Valley Forge Park of some 2,033 acres, is 24 miles northwest of Philadelphia, and seven miles west of Norristown, Pa. It is owned, maintained and preserved by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and managed by a Valley Forge Park Commission. Governor Jas. H. Duff invited the Boy Scouts to hold their Jamboree there.

The Jamboree Camp will occupy about 600 of the 2,033 acres in Valley Forge Park. This will provide 32 sectional camps for a maximum of 40,320 Scouts and adult leaders and a headquarters camp for 460 leaders.

Living by patrols and troops, the Jamboree campers will be equipped to carry on their own program as self-sufficient units. Each organized Patrol of eight Scouts will will bring its own equipment. The camp will furnish sanitation facilities. Food will be drawn from commissary depots and prepared by the Scouts. It will be democracy in action. Everyone will share in the camp duties and pleasures.

To be eligible Canadian Scouts must have attained First Class grade.

Canadian Scouts attending the Jamboree will travel in Provincial Troops, independently, and directly to Valley Forge. There will be no advance training camp at a central point for all Canadian Provincial Troops, but an advance party from Canada will be on hand to welcome the Canadian Troops as they arrive at Valley Forge.

The weeklies say...

BY THE CANADIAN PRESS

DUCK LAKE DISASTER

Those who shake their heads sadly at the avidity with which the Indians have seized upon some of the bad habits of the white man will become even more lugubrious over the latest news report from the sub-Arctic. Bubble gum has popped into Duck Lake!

— The Pas (Man.) Northern Mail

FESTIVAL'S VALUE

The Geraldton Music Festival is over for another year. The importance in a festival lies not so much in how well the competitors perform as in how much knowledge and inspiration they acquire.

— Geraldton (Ont.) Times Star

WANT SUGAR PROTECTION

Sugar-beet raising is steadily becoming more and more important in this diversified farming community. Government action in the matter of preventing excess dumping onto the Canadian market is of prime concern.

— Winkler (Man.) Progress

STILL ADVENTUROUS

When Henry Schulte, who turned 90 last December, decided he'd like to revisit his former home in Nebraska, he balked at suggestions that he should have a travelling companion. In the same spirit of adventure which brought him to this country many years ago, he boarded the train alone.

— Humboldt (Sask.) Journal

TIME STOOD STILL

Ever hear of a bird stopping a clock? On Monday afternoon many people wondered why the town clock in the post office continued to indicate 10 minutes of three o'clock. It was caused by a black bird sitting on the minute hand, preventing the clockworks from proper operation.

— Carleton Place (Ont.) Canadian

PLACE FOR PRUDENCE

Contagious diseases are nearly always very serious. Let us therefore acquire the habit of undergoing periodic medical examinations even if we are or think we are in good health. Let us be prudent at least in regard to the important things of life, and what is more important than our health?

— Arvida (Que.) Le Lingot

DOUGHNUTS DOUBLE AS CANDY NOVELTY

A broader market for doughnuts is being promoted by a producer who is turning out a miniature size to sell hot from the machine at 10c a dozen plain or 10 for 10c sugared. The small doughnuts are made on a special machine located in stores and turning out three dozen cakes a minute. Machines are being placed in supermarkets, department stores, variety stores, bakeries, theatres, etc. It is claimed for the newcomer that it is rich, tastes like a confection, and can be eaten hot in the hand, fresh from the bag. The batter is made at a central plant and delivered in 10-pound cartons.

— Marketing

CHILDREN ARE VALUABLE

St. John's, Nfld. (CP) — One Newfoundland family got $91 in a month's family allowance payments. Officials said a widow and a widower had married — the mother with six children of her own and the husband with seven. In January they added twins to their account — bringing the family to 15.

Radio and T.V. crime and "livery stable" humor programs are under growing audience disapproval.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Drew, of Verdun, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning for the week-end and Easter Monday. Other week-end guests at the Canning home were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Minshall, of Pointe Claire.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, is spending the school holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham.

Mr. Donald Fuller spent part of the Easter school holidays in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Beecher, accompanied by Miss Helen Maw, visited their summer home here on Saturday, and also spent a few hours with Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Dr. H. McGerrigle, Mrs. McGerrigle and family, of Quebec, were Easter holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Innes.

Miss Phyllis Bryerton, of Cornwall, Ont., is spending the school holidays the guest of her uncle, Mr. Earl Bryerton, and will also visit Mrs. I. H. Fuller.

Miss Mary Smith, of Montreal, and Mr. A. F. Huckle, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bryerton.

The Misses Ruby and Eileen Smith, of Brownsburg, were Easter holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. A. Lowe and family, of Lachute, in the passing of Mrs. Lowe (the former Margaret McCoy of Monalea Road). Mrs. Lowe had many warm friends in Cushing.

The flowers in St. Mungo's Church on Sunday were placed there in memory of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. Hartley by their family. Another large display of red tulips was the property of Mrs. M. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Innes Canning and little son, of Sudbury, also Mr. and Mrs. E. McMeekin, of Ottawa, were Easter holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Canning.

Miss Eleanor Owens, of Ottawa, is spending the Easter school holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

Miss Marie Tulk, Mr. Jas. Sampson and Mr. W. H. Godwin, of Montreal, visited at "Glenelen" last Friday.

Mr. Fred Kerr, of the Town of Mount Royal, spent several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson. Other guests at the Wilson home on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wilson and daughter, Elaine, of Bordeaux, also Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson, of Brownsburg.

Mr. Gerald Cushing and daughter, Sheril Lynne, also Mr. Roy Coghill, visited Mrs. W. Y. King here last Saturday.

Mabel

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wert and Mrs. Ross Townsend were in Avonmore last week, to attend the funeral of the late Miss Sarah Wert.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage in Ogdensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. MacCullough, of N.D.G., spent Easter with Mrs. Geo. D. Murdoch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black visited Mr. and Mrs. David Black at East Settlement last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wert were hosts to a party of young folks, accompanied by Mr. Cecil Wert, of Avonmore, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ashton, also Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Slade are taking up residence here this week after spending the winter months in St. Philippe.

Mr. Ronald Kennedy, of Brownsburg, is spending this week with John Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty entertained the local Farm Forum at a taffy party recently. This social evening brings to an end the activities of the Forum for this season.

Grenville

The Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote and family left by motor on Wednesday for his former parish at Charteris, Que.; the Rev. Mr. Stote will conduct the services there next Sunday, and the Rev. J. E. L. Joyce, retired rector, of Buckingham, will conduct services here in St. Matthew's Anglican Church.

Among out-of-town guests attending the Bartley-Farquar wedding at Huntingdon, Que., last Saturday, were — Mrs. Herbert Welden, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brazeau, the Misses Eunice and Eva Welden, Inez Dewar, Mildred Vernon, Messrs. Ronald Matthew, Victor Gauley and Gordon Moncrieff.

Easter holiday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. R. B. White's were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gray, of Lachine, Que., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan, of Montreal.

Easter holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Barron were — Mr. and Mrs. Carty Leduke, of St. Eugene, Ont., Misses Beatrice and Ramona Barron, Messrs. Myles Barron, James Timmins and Mrs. J. Leduke, all of Montreal.

Miss Esther Gauley is visiting with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigelow, in Montreal.

Mr. Douglas Scharf, of Ottawa, was here for the week-end. Mrs. Scharf and son, Bruce, were visiting here for two weeks with her mother, Mrs. G. C. Conway, and on their return to Ottawa were accompanied by Miss Barbara Dewar.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noble were Mrs. Geo. Holt and son, George, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Noble, Miss Laura Noble and Mr. R. Noble.

Miss Eleanor Owens, of Ottawa, and Miss M. Higginson, of Hawkesbury, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Symmons and Mr. D. Clark, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Clark.

Easter holiday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. John Canning's were Mr. and Mrs. E. McMeekin, of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Innes Canning and small son, of Sudbury, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwardson, of Montreal, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Prattley.

Mr. Garth Dawson and Miss Evelyn Bowen, of Montreal were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawson.

POWER BOOSTED

Prince Albert, Sask. (CP) — The $80,000 building alteration at the Saskatchewan Power Corporation plant here is expected to be finished this year. A new steam boiler will be added to increase the power reserve by 65 per cent.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hartley and son, Ken, spent the week-end at their summer cottage and had as their guest Miss Joan Orr. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Orr motored from Montreal and were guests at the Hartley home.

Mrs. Henry Villeneuve and family are spending this week in Montreal with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bissett and son, Tommy, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end at their summer home.

Mr. Jean-Louis Brooks, of Ste. Therese, and Mr. Hubert Brooks, who recently returned from Quebec City, spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. J. Brooks.

Dr. and Mrs. H. McGerrigle and family, Jean, John and Graeme, of Quebec City, spent the Easter holiday with Mrs. McGerrigle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Innes. On Sunday, Dr. McGerrigle and his son John, accompanied by Mr. J. Innes, motored to Ottawa and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meservey; John remained in Ottawa for the week.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir and grandson, Donald Stalker, spent the week-end in Montreal as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stalker.

Miss Eileen McKinnon, of Ottawa, spent a two weeks' vacation with her mother, Mrs. A. McKinnon.

Mr. Ulric Dupuis and Mrs. Lewis, of Pointe aux Trembles, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Allard for the week-end.

Friends who visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Desforges during the week-end included Mr. and Mrs. H. Desforges, of Hawkesbury, and Mrs. Ouellette, of Montebello.

Miss M. Whelehan, who has been away for the winter months, has returned to her home, and had as her guest for the week-end Mr. Eddie Whelehan, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ranger entertained at a family reunion last week-end—members of the family from a distance including Mr. and Mrs. Yvon Ranger, of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Ranger and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ranger, of Ste. Therese, also Mr. and Mrs. E. Maguire, of Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Larose and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Desforges during the week-end.

Friends of Mrs. Austin Lowe in this locality regret to hear of her passing and the sympathy of the community is tendered to her bereaved family. Mrs. Lowe is favorably remembered here; before her marriage she was Miss Margaret McCoy, and was very popular with the young people of this neighborhood.

Brownsburg

Miss Ruth Carpenter, of Ottawa, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carpenter.

Mrs. Sydney Fisher, who is a patient in Dr. Smith's Hospital at Hawkesbury, is doing well and expects to return home towards the end of this week.

Miss Marjorie Morrison, of Ottawa, is spending the Easter holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Morrison.

Mr. C. E. Prosser and Mr. Dean Prosser were in Longueuil last week.

Master Clifford Carpenter is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives in Ottawa.

Mrs. C. Ingram, of Ottawa, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Potter.

Mr. Thomas Kennedy and Mr. Donald Kennedy, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Petley.

Another series of motion pictures (in sound and color) will be shown in the United Church hall at the Y.P.U. meeting next Monday evening, April 17. Like the last series which was so well supported and attended, this will again be open to the general public. It may be the last presentation of the season, so it is hoped this special effort will again be appreciated.

Woman's Association

The Senior Woman's Association of the Brownsburg United Church held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. S. J. Pike on Monday evening. Plans were made to hold a food sale and fruit salad tea on May 13. (Further particulars will be given later in "Coming Events".)

Mission Circle

The annual meeting of the Maple Avenue Baptist Mission Circle was held in the church on Tuesday, April 11. Excellent reports were given of the year's work. The following were elected as officers for the coming year: Past-president, Mrs. C. E. Prosser; president, Mrs. F. Campbell; vice-presidents, Mrs. J. G. Duncan and Mrs. Perley Clark; secretary, Mrs. M. Crosby; treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Morrison.

Grenville

Miss Vivian Hoare, of Ottawa, spent Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Hoare.

Mr. Fred Gaudry left for New York State on Tuesday to resume his studies at the University, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gaudry.

Miss Winona Gaudry, of Ottawa, spent Easter here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gaudry.

Mr. Avarice Lavictoire was visited by relatives from Montreal over the holiday.

Mount Etna is located in Sicily.

Bell Falls

Miss Hilda Page and Miss Marjorie Bell, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page for the week-end.

Miss Josephine Page spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page.

Mr. L. Harbour was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Brown over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young spent the holiday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell.

The Misses Florence and Janet Provincal were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Provencal, last week-end.

The Misses Edyth and Isabel McCallum, of Gatineau, are spending the holidays here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. McCallum.

Miss Kathleen McMahon is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McMahon.

Church Service

Sunday service will be held at the usual hour, 11 a.m., in the Harrington United Church.

Passenger trains in Canada could make faster time than they do but schedules are "padded' to allow for unforeseen delays.

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MARTIN — The family and relatives of the late Russell D. Martin extend grateful acknowledgment for the kindnesses, flowers and expressions of sympathy tendered in their sudden bereavement.

TRENHOLME — Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Lundon and the family of the late George H. Trenholme desire to express their profound gratitude to all those unknown persons who so kindly rendered aid and assistance on the occasion of the recent tragic accident at Lachute.

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HOGS LOSE WEIGHT WHEN COAT HANGS

Sherburn-in-Elmet, England (CP) — A workman at a Yorkshire bacon factory who hung his coat on a screw on a weighing machine was inadvertently responsible for errors in weights which caused hog raisers to be underpaid.

The discrepancy was disclosed in a letter issued by the Yorkshire farmers bacon factory here.

"Comparison of weights for this killing show a difference equivalent to 18 or 19 pounds per pig", the letter said. "Tests we have carried out with a factory coat hanging on the screw confirm this difference."

"We have reported this matter to the ministry of food and have their permission to increase the weight of each pig concerned by one score and make all the price adjustments necessary with each producer."

CLAIMS FARMERS LIKE SPIRITUAL COCKTAILS

London (CP) — The Rev. G. Grieve, a Methodist minister from Arnside, Westmorland, criticized what he terms "sob-stuff religion" among farmers.

"Many farmers like spiritual cocktails", he told a church meeting in London recently. "They will go 10 or 12 miles to some great rally to the neglect of their local religious life.

"They are a dangerous element from the religious point of view. They lap up the sob-stuff kind of religion, perhaps to balance up their treatment of the fellow-farmers at the market."

Creations -- of the Past Present and Future

(Contributed)

Geological research reveals a succession of at least four distinct creations designated respectively as Protozoa, Mullusks, Fishes and Reptiles — all in turn destroyed by reasons unexplained in the divine record. In none of these eras were human remains found, but beautiful foliage, as fossilized in coal, and extraordinary mammal life, such as is only found now in underground deposits almost the world over, but notably in Siberia. We learn from biblical chronology that immediately before our present and fifth creation, "the earth became waste and empty and darkness was upon the face of the deep". The cause of this state of universal chaos has not been made known to mankind and the many theories advanced are therefore mere conjecture.

As to the creation in which it is our blessing or curse to reside, the Creator has given us its formation story in great detail.

Seven, to the bible student, stands for "divine perfection", suggesting the seventh creation to be the final one. Our present creation was brought forth in six days, ending with man "in the image of God . . male and female created he them" . . "And God saw everything that he had made, and, behold it was very good". God's work is always perfect, and if marred by man or any other unknown agency, will be destroyed to make way for a new creation. Man, who cannot create, must only endeavor to repair, a thing which God never does. From this it is reasonable to assume that Adam was the most noble man and Eve the most beautiful women ever created. But due to Adam's disobedience, all was lost and the death sentence descended upon every living organism. "Cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life", are the words of the divine edict. "Dust thou art and to dust thou shalt return." "Therefore the Lord God sent them forth from the garden of Eden . . lest they partook of the tree of life and live for ever" in their fallen sinful state. So here is announced the doom of Creation No. Five, which number signifies grace, proven out by God graciously bearing with sinful man for almost sixty centuries.

The greatest part of man's ingenuity has been directed to overcoming this divine curse, generally accepted as natural causes. As fast as one difficulty is overcome another appears, and so it will be until lifted by the applyer. Educational institutions throughout the world ignore these facts, and believe the world will eventually be put right by human effort, a vain hypothesis. The eras or dispensations of our creation are completed by seven; five are past; we live in the sixth and await the seventh. Briefly stated they are, Innocency, a very short period; Conscience, starting with the expulsion and ending with the flood, a period of sixteen and a half centuries. Man's next trial by Human Government, starting with Noah and ending with the confusion of tongues and consequent dispersal of Babel, a short period of two and a quarter centuries. The next is Promise, in the call of Abraham, "I will make of thee a great nation" — and continues for over six centuries, until the giving of the law by Moses at Sinai. Now begins the fifth period, Law, and extends to the Cross, some fifteen centuries. By this we learn that God allowed humanity four thousand years to re-establish itself in favor with its Maker, but Calvary was the awful climax. Our next, the sixth and present era in divine economy, is called Grace, "the kindness and love of God, our Savior, toward man". Law was connected with Moses and works; grace with Christ and faith. Coming back to our Creation theme we now enter higher and sacred ground undefiled bv forty centuries of sin. Recalling that unseen things are eternal, this creation is not transient as are the five past and present. "If any man is in Christ he is a new creation . . and all things are of God who hath reconciled us to himself by Jesus Christ." "For in Christ Jesus neither Jew availeth anything, nor Gentile, but a new creation." "We are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works." This new and very real creation began about A.D. 26 and continues until the first resurrection, the date of which no man knows. What a joy to attain heavenly, uncursed ground, described by St. Paul as "seated together in the heavenlies in Christ Jesus"; present truth for those whose faith allows its apprehension. Returning to our earthly sphere we await a great change and grand finale, the Millennial reign of Jesus Christ, in person, upon the throne of David, at Jerusalem. I suppose this great era is symbolized out of modern theology, as organized Christianity appears to ignore it. "As the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be." Nor again by the obscure birth of a tiny babe. "He shall be great and shall be called the son of the Highest; and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David; and he shall reign over the house of Jacob forever."

"And I (St. John) saw an angel come down from heaven . . and he laid hold on . . Satan, and bound him a thousand years . . that he should receive the nations no more, till the thousand years be fulfilled." To dispense with these passages as mythical, is frank infidelity. This ten-century reign ends up our present creation, which was once consumed by water and this time by fire. St. Peter describes the final earthly destruction. "The day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night: in the which the firmament (first heaven, just overhead) shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall be dissolved with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up . . nevertheless we (household of faith) look for new heavens and a new earth." Here is foretold sorrow to the many and joy to the few. Before leaving this new earthly reign, shall we seek its living conditions? The prophet Isaiah, about 760 B.C., was honored with great detailed knowledge as to this historic event. Jerusalem shall be the centre of wealth and activity to which "all nations shall flow" and "they shall learn war no more". This is not encouraging to our international peace efforts, for God will not sanction peace in Satan's world. Jesus' words of our present dispensation are, "The whole world lieth in the Wicked One", a statement accepted by few religionists. Satan assumes the form of "an angel of light . . and his ministers transform themselves into ministers of righteousness", thereby deceiving present apostate Christianity. In heathendom, which craft is still his stronghold. So we are taught to expect world peace only after the inauguration of the Davidic world kingdom. At that time women shall outnumber men seven to one (Isa. 4) for the men shall have perished by the sword. The seraphims over the throne cry, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of Hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory". No room for war — with few warriors, universal God-head glory and Satan bound. Literal, historic, future truth is so generally disregarded. Anticipating bad teaching, Isaiah writes, "the prophet which teacheth lies, he is the tail". Describing a more happy scene, we read, "With righteousness shall he judge the poor . . the wolf shall dwell with the lamb, the leopard shall lie down with the kid, the calf and the young lion, together, and a little child shall lead them . . they shall not destroy in all my holy mountain, for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord." "To it shall the Gentiles seek. With joy shall ye draw water out of the wells of salvation." So for one thousand years God will show humanity what quality of life Edenic bliss was to be his, apart from sin.

Present living and departed saints are to enjoy this period, for the prophet says, "they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years . . this is the first resurrection", known as that of the justified. "And when the thousand years are expired, Satan shall be loosed . . and go out to deceive the nations." The next truths are too awful for general publication, but should be considered individually in private (Rev. 20). The seven ages of our creation are herein exhausted and make way for seven more. They are the New Heaven, New Earth, New Peoples, New Jerusalem (the Church), New Temple, New Light and New Paradise.

"There shall be no more curse, they shall see His face, no light of the sun for the Lord God giveth them light and they shall reign for ever and ever." This is the return to Eternity, time began at Eden and ends with Armageddon; the last and greatest human slaughter, when by the space of a thousand six hundred furlongs (200 miles), blood runs up to the horses' bridles, indicating the magnitude of World War the Last. . . Of course the many will say, "Quite a fairy tale", and only the wise will understand and consider.

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Literature and the National Culture

By SOPHY L. ELLIOTT

With the deliberations of the Royal Commission on Arts and Sciences, Canadian "culture" has been the focal point of earnest attention. In this field there is one factor which merits candid appraisal — an aspect of which many are not, or do not want to be, conscious. This discordant note is the spirit of commercialism, the glitter of the almighty dollar, which comprises the sum-total of many an author's most cherished ideal. How much in cold cash an author, artist, or musician can garner into his wallet far outstrips the significance of the driving urge of genius, the triumphant zeal of God-given vision and the inspiration gleaned from spiritual sources utterly void of commercial aspirations. This latter is the thing beyond price; it is the urge to which mankind has attuned his highest ideals manifested in glowing words, in heavenly harmonies, and in pigments of rare and lovely expression, spiritual qualities not evidenced in the common market place.

Never in the history of mankind have so many ways and means been provided whereby the talents of men and women may be incubated and cradled into healthy growth. Yet, despite these advantages, the ugly mark of the dollar brands itself into the very soul of the author who is striving to reach a goal which materialists and money-grubbers fail to detect. The gross materialism of this age and the lack of appreciation of the finer aspects of life have brought about a certain dullness of consciousness utterly blind, deaf and dumb to the spiritual glory, the majesty of inspiration and the exultation to which genius is attuned. What an insult it is to the Giver of man's most lofty gifts when the work of His faithful servants, who answer the call to mirror the highest urge of creation, is destroyed by leaders in market places who spurn their fine work. Yes, cast aside excellent instances of artistry to make way for very much lower grades of culture.

A real writer, artist, or musician must be true to himself, because the inner voice of the creator is for him and him alone. The mystery of creative ability cannot be measured in the balance, or appraised in terms of monetary worth. In other words, to tamper with the expression of genius, in whatever form, is to blunt the temper of the tools genius utilizes to express the best that is in him.

It is impossible to imagine Handel working out the melodic glory and harmonic beauty of the "Messiah" under conditions manifested in this modern era. Could he have sensed the spiritual grandeur if, for example, he had visualized worldly wealth rather than the shining brilliance of the simple Cross of Christ when he gave birth to the "Messiah"? Picture that man of genius halting the flow of the harps of heaven in order to match his efforts with popular demands! Picture Handel drenched in the melodic magic of "I know my Redeemer liveth" and suddenly breaking away to total up in hard cash, page by page, the market value of his masterpiece. Impossible! Can you visualize Handel stemming the surge of his immortal work in an endeavor to please his publisher? Again, picture him saying, "Now, I must put such and such a musical phrase right here, because by publisher tells me that unless I do the public won't purchase my composition." So, with his senses keyed to the blasts of the worldly dollar, do you think he could have grasped with such mighty force the floodtide of harmony he registered in musical notes for the enlightenment of mankind? When the celestial portals opened and Handel heard the unearthly strains of heaven's angelic trumpetings, we of this materialistic realm cannot fathom in the slightest degree what a wealth of beauty it was his privilege to experience.

We may be sure, however, when Handel inscribed on the page his beautiful recitative, *"Alleluia, alleluiah"*, he heard nothing else. No, not even the voice of his faithful servant begging him to eat a morsel of food to keep body and soul together. On the other hand let us imagine the inspired musician interrupting his triumphant song with, "Good gracious, I must not put down so many *alleluias*, because my publisher says the public don't like and don't want so many *alleluias*. I must cut out some of these *alleluias*." Well, now, what would have happened? Obviously, the "Messiah" would have been scrapped in the waste-paper basket.

Instead, Handel wrote according to the driving force of his genius. Material things, food and sleep were forgotten. He lived in another world where neither publishers, financiers, nor the public dared intrude. His genius was unhampered, and his inspiration unshackled. He recorded freely the full symphony and the mystic beauty of one of the grandest masterpieces ever inscribed on this earthly sphere. He heard the choirs of the Hosts of Heaven and fulfilled his earthly mission superbly. He linked his celestial harmonies to earth in quavers and semi-quavers — in tones and semi-tones — in melodic beauty formerly unregistered by man of any era. Of such is the fruit of real genius in its unfettered, unrestricted bloom.

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The art of letters, of words and phrases, is wonderful, more especially when we realize the cost of man's almost superhuman strivings to grasp to the limit this great medium of thought transference. Countless centuries fled away while man penetrated the darkness of ignorance to conquer the symbols that gave birth to modern expressions of literature. Reading and writing, is the most cultural feat of man. Our heritage is a free gift, a precious legacy from the yesteryears of human endeavor. Without the skill of printed words finance would be a dead issue, progress in science and language would be nil, with the great co-operative stores of knowledge completely defeated. This gives a slight idea of the sacrilege of desecrating and cheapening this priceless vehicle of intellectual expression. To lower our standards of literature in order to cater to the base desires of the unread and the ignorant who wallow knee-deep in sex books of less than mediocre merit, comes under the category of criminology. Yes, in plain English, crime!

Fortunately, Ottawa has recently placed a ban on crime periodicals and comic strips instancing immoral and crime standards. With regard to the printed word, this is a ray of hope in a wilderness of ignorance and moral irresponsibility.

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Electric Blanket

Once an executive of the B.C. Power Commission sent an electric blanket to his 75-year-old mother. A few weeks later he received a card on which was printed the following:

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SHOCKING SURPRISE FOR BRITISH FISH

London, England (CP) — The Nene and Welland Fisheries Board is experimenting in the use of electric-shock treatment to catch fish.

Although using electricity to catch fish is illegal in Britain, the ministry of agriculture and fisheries has agreed to the experiments, providing strict security measures are taken.

The principle is to lay underwater cables and electrify stretches of water. The fish are shocked and stunned, but not killed. They rise to the surface, where they are easily netted. Then they are stored in special containers.

Practical use of the idea is to clear whole rivers of fish for transfer to other waters for study, breeding or fishing purposes.

MUSIC IN HOSPITALS RED CROSS SERVICE

Sydney, Australia (CP) — One of the most popular Australian Red Cross facilities is a musical library for hospitals in New South Wales.

The library has more than 3,000 musical recordings of all types and every two weeks an album of 12 or 25 records is sent to a hospital so that patients will hear different records.

The musical album service grew out of a music club at an army repatriation hospital here. The hospital now has a permanent library of 1,000 records and provides bi-weekly programs of classical and light classical music. Swing and jazz sessions did not prove popular.

A catalogue of the records is supplied by the Red Cross to all New South Wales hospitals and records are selected from it.

LUCK RETURNS PURSE DROPPED FROM LINER

Port Arthur, Ont. (CP) — Mrs. Helen May, 65, of Port Arthur, certainly doesn't need a rabbit's foot for luck.

She was Honolulu-bound from Los Angeles on the S.S. Lurline recently when she tossed a serpentine streamer from the ship's rail as she was waving good-byes. Her purse slipped into the water with the streamer.

It contained her Canadian border crossing card, $300 in cash, some travellers' cheques, all the keys to her luggage and her identification.

But as the huge vessel pulled away from the dock, the little black bag came sloshing to the surface in the wake of the giant propellers.

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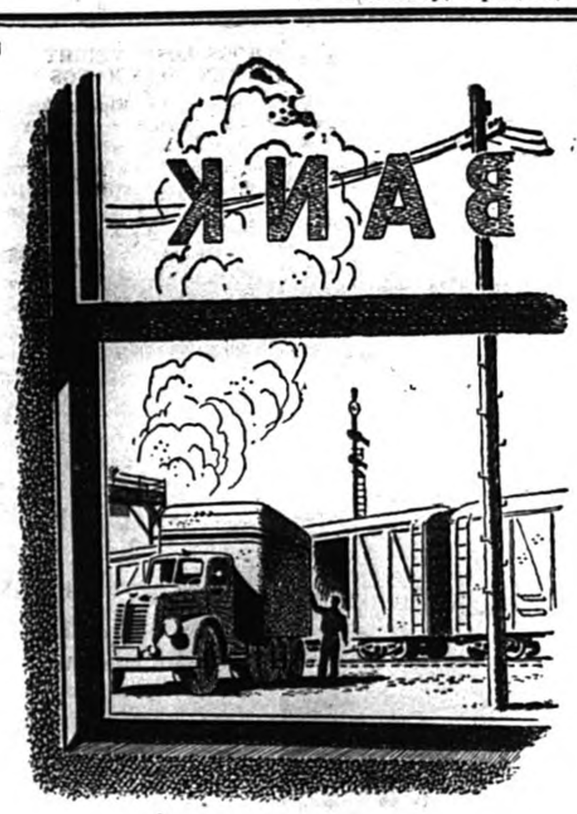
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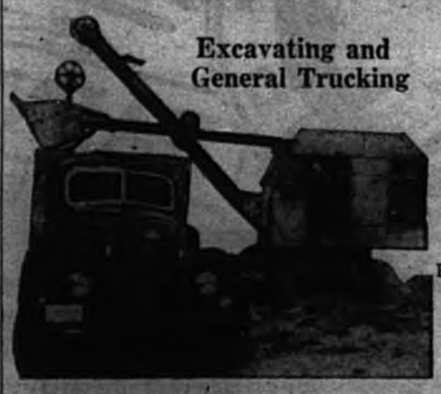
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Around the Home...



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Gardening Fever

I find this the hardest season to restrain one's impulse to get out in the garden. Just up the street today, I noticed a chap who was trying to beat the gun by planting a few seeds. Whatever they are, the plants will likely be frozen off but that man will go to sleep with a strong feeling of accomplishment! Give expression to your gardening urge by making seed flats, seed flat shades, plant dibbers and the like. Your labour will not be in vain and you will be all set to act quickly when the proper time comes.

One of the smartest ideas I have seen in a long time was picked up on a visit last week. The house where I stayed was being furnished by two newlyweds. They chose an attractive bedroom suite but felt they couldn't afford the price of a vanity seat. An old cheese box was picked up on the market for considerably less than a dollar; the lid was padded and covered with attractive chints that draped to the floor. I'll wager the seat they would like to have had was no more attractive than the one they made. The cheese box also served as a catch-all for out-of-season footwear.

Knick-Knack Shelves

To be displayed properly, small ornaments require a shelf. Nothing is more attractive or useful for this purpose than a wall bracket or corner shelf. I met a chap the other day who was turning out several types of knick knack holders on his basement workbench. Three of the types he found most attractive are illustrated.



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Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
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11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
3 p.m. Evening Prayer.

The Rev. J. E. L. Joyce, former Rural Dean of Clarendon, will be in charge of both services.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Special Speaker at Lachute Baptist

The Rev. E. C. Wood, L.Th., pastor of the First Baptist Church, Timmins, Ont., and president of the Union of Regular Baptist Churches of Ontario and Quebec, will address a special service in the Lachute Baptist Church on Tuesday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Wood was a chaplain to the Canadian Army overseas during the recent conflict. . . A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend this service.

Easter Highlights at Brownsburg United

Brfownsburg — With seating capacity overtaxed, and music of a high order, the Easter season has again left its significance and abiding worth with those who participated in its opportunity of worship. The devotions at Brownsburg United Church last Sunday were enhanced by the reception into church membership, when 21 persons were received into the congregation, and the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered. The minister, the Rev. S. J. Pike, conducted the service.

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The service on Good Friday morning was a fitting preparatory gathering. On that occasion, the Rev. Dr. William MacMillan, of St. Andrews East, was guest preacher, and delivered an appropriate and stirring message on "The Call, Challenge and Success of the Cross". Both on Good Friday and Easter Sunday, the choir seemed at its best in leading the singing, as well as rendering special features. The combined effort of the organist, Mrs. C. J. Wheeler and the director, Miss M. Cumbers, matched the response of the choir, whose Easter anthems included — "He Is Risen, Forever", from Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, and "God Is A Spirit", from Stainer's Crucifixion. The cut flowers which adorned the altar were placed by the Senior and Junior Woman's Associations. The decorations in the Sunday School were in charge of Mrs. R. B. Johnson and Mrs. H. Elliott.

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Next Sunday is Children's Day. The morning service will be graced by the sacrament of infant baptism, when a number of babies will be so received. A junior congregational service of song and story is being arranged for the evening hour, at 7 o'clock.

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At the monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary on Wednesday evening last, a special feature was a life-membership presented to Miss Winnifred White. Miss White was completely taken by surprise. The honor thus conferred was in recognition of faithful service, particularly in her capacity as "Home Helpers" secretary, in which the funds of the Auxiliary are considerably augmented from year to year. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Thompson, who served refreshments at the close.

A man is weighed by the company he thinks nobody knows he's keeping.

Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association will convene one week earlier than their usual date. The meeting is called for April 17, at 10 a.m., in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg. The Rev. C. H. Maclean is to give the devotional address. All ministers of the county are invited to attend.

Memorials Dedicated At Easter Services in Grenville and Calumet

(Our District Correspondent)

Grenville — At a well-attended Easter morning service in St. Matthew's Church, Grenville, a memorial, in the form of an antependium (pulpit hanging) was dedicated "to the glory of God, in loving memory of Billy Hawes, young son of the Rev. A. E. Hawes, former rector of the parish". This hanging, in white with a beautiful grape design, was presented to the Parish of Grenville by the Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Ellis and the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Hawes.

A burse and veil of the same design for the communion vessels, was dedicated at the nine o'clock service at Holy Trinity Church, Calumet.

Memorial flowers were presented in memory of Mrs. May Bates, Mr. Lorne Cooke, Mr. Wilfred Morrow, Miss Edna Morrow, Mr. W. M. Murray, by their respective families, at the Grenville church, while at Holy Trinity, Calumet, flowers were placed in memory of Mrs. Wm. Brigden and Mr. Arthur Robinson.

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 DANCE

Legion Anniversary Dance, Saturday, April 15, at Legion Hall, Foundry St. Modern and old-time dancing, 8.30 till 12. Door prize. Adm. 75c per person.
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"TUNDRA TRAILS"
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A story of the Canadian North, that will appeal to lovers of nature — by Mrs. R. M. Beckett, of Fort William, at Lachute United Church hall, Friday, April 21, at 8.15 p.m. Adm. 40c. A20.3c

FARM FORUM RALLY

Farm Forums' annual spring rally, to be held Monday, April 17, in the Anglican Church basement, at 8 p.m. — Music, films and refreshments. Everybody welcome. Adm. 25c. -1p

SUPPER

— At the Grenville Consolidated School, under auspices of the Grenville Ladies' Aid, on Saturday, April 15, from 6 till 9 p.m. Adults 75 cents, children 35 cents. -1c

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

Lachute High School Glee Club concert will be held on Friday, April 28, at 8.15 p.m., in the Auditorium. Guest artists will be featured on the program. Adm. 50c. A27.3c

TEA AND SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church are holding a salad tea and sale of home-cooking, in the church hall on Saturday, June 3, from 3 to 6 p.m. Please keep the date open. -1c

CHORAL CONCERT

— By Brownsburg Male Chorus, Tuesday, May 2, 8.30 p.m, at Brownsburg United Church auditorium; under direction of Warner Norman, choir director St. James United Church; with guest soloist and pianist. Adm. 75c. A27.3c

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Bates and family, of Toronto, spent the Easter week-end in Lachute, at the home of Mr. D. J. Bates.

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Miss Hazel Drysdale spent the Easter week-end in Lachute.

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Mrs. Harold McGuire and Mrs. Walter Littlejohn, of Detroit, Mich., spent Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Deslauriers.

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Miss Lois Morrison is home from St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac to spend the school holiday session with her parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Royal and infant daughter visited at the home of Mrs. Royal's parents in Rawdon, Que., over the Easter week-end.

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Mrs. Lena Smythe, with her daughters, Beatrice and Clara, of Pointe au Chene, spent Easter Sunday with her brother, Mr. A. Deslauriers.

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Mr. Norman Drysdale and little daughter, Judith, of Ottawa, spent Easter in town as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Staniforth and of Miss M. C. James.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Boa for the Easter holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grenton, also C. Spence, of Montreal, and Miss Ruby Smith, of Brownsburg.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Steeves with their sons, Jack and Bill (the former being home from Bishop's College for the holidays) motored to Niagara Falls for the Easter week-end to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Silverlock.

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Mrs. Burton Millar, Grace Street, spent the Easter week-end visiting at her home in Richmond, Que.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley and daughter, Doreen, of Montreal, and Mr. Keith Armstrong, were here during Easter week-end, at the home of Mrs. Geo. Armstrong. . . Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and sons, from Quebec City, have also been spending the Easter season at Mrs. Armstrong's.

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Constables Richard Muir and Eugene Westhaver, of the R.C.M.P. at Rockcliffe, Ont., spent the Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Muir.

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Mr. Victor Chapman, of N.D.G., spent the week-end here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison.

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Miss Claire FitzGerald, who is attending McGill, and Miss Isabel, of King's College, Compton, have spent the Easter holidays at the home of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riddell, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Lachute, the guests of Clayton's mother, Mrs. H. Riddell.

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Mrs. Earl Marshall and son, Stewart Stanley, of Pointe aux Trembles, and Miss Helen Stewart, of Toronto, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stewart.

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Mr. and Mrs. George MacNeill spent the Easter holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morrison. Miss Eileen Morrison returned home with them after spending a week in Hamilton.

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Miss Nora Jackson left on Monday for Peterborough, Ont., after spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Scott spent a few days last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Scott at Rouse's Point, N.Y.

It's not more plans we need, but more application of the plans we have.

Dr. and Mrs. Marc Papineau and son, Claude, spent the Easter week-end in Quebec City.

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Miss Anna May Knecht, R.N., of Montreal, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kingsbury, Clyde Street, on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miles and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Miles and son, were the Easter guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Miles, Lachute Mills.

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Mrs. Neil McCallum, of Avoca, is spending a few weeks in town.

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Miss R. E. McOuat, of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Roberts and sons, of Cookshire, spent the Easter week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McGibbon.

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Miss Florence Gadley, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pillage.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Collins and son, Paul, of London, Ont., visited among old acquaintances here last week-end, and were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Silverson.

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Miss Millie Davis, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Harry Cobon and son, from Toronto, have been visiting this week at the home of Mr. Wm. J. Deacon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones, of Lachine, Que., were guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Ralph FitzGerald and Mrs. FitzGerald, during the Easter week-end.

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Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Chas. Maclean, who recently was called to Oxford, N.S., on account of the illness and death of her father, Dr. J. R. Gilroy. Mrs. Maclean is remaining in Nova Scotia with her daughter, Heather, for two weeks. The Rev. Maclean and son, Charles, returned here Wednesday after attending the funeral.

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Engagement

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Morrison, of Arundel, Que., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jean Violet, to Mr. Kenneth Harold Hollomby, son of Mr. H. W. Hollomby and the late Mrs. Hollomby, of Belleville, Ont. The marriage will take place at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, May 6, in Grace Church, Arundel, with the Rev. G. R. Barnett officiating.

Miss Freda Parker is spending the Easter holidays with her mother in town.

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Messrs. Kenneth Kerr and Howard Chapman, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end at Kerr's Farm, Lakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy and family, of Montreal, were Easter guests of Mrs. K. Campbell.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson and daughter, Helen, of Kemptville, Ont., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson.



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The Resurrection

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Acts 24:15. — There shall be a resurrection of the dead, both the just and the unjust.

John 11:25. — Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: He that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.

1 Cor. 15:21-22. — Since by man came death, by man came also the ressurection of the dead. For as in Adam, all die, even as in Christ shall all be made alive.

John 5:28-29. — Marvel not at this; for the hour cometh in which all that are in the tombs shall hear his voice, and shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of Life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of judgment.

1 Cor., 15: verse 22. — For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

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Satan would have this misery continue and mislead the people to charge Jehovah with the responsibility. Actually, however, the loving Creator has provided for release from sorrow and death. And what will that mean? It means the day will come when there will be no more death and you may see your loved ones here upon the earth again. Can you picture in your mind the tranquility of an earth restored to the productive perfection of the garden of Eden and populated by perfect, healthy human creatures? Do you visualize yourself among them? You can be! Learn how by obtaining the 320-page book "Let God Be True", price 35 cents.

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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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Literature and the National Culture

(Continued from page 6)

Man's triumphs in giving birth to the printing press are epoch making. Prior to this, hand printing, a painfully slow process, brought little interest to ordinary people. Naturally, when the printing press spurred up the recording of man's thoughts, about the middle of the 15th century, the man on the street awoke to the fact that it was worth his while to learn to read and write. The two greatest events which took place during the middle ages were the invention of gunpowder and the invention of printing. Both the real authors and the dates are unknown.

Digging down into the relics of England's past we find that Westminster Abbey, that holy of holies of the great men of England, was the scene where England's first printing press came into action. William Caxton was the printer-proprietor. He plied his art in the basement of the Abbey about the year 1474. Thenceforth the printing craft continued to its perfection of today.

Although much controversy has taken place as to the real inventor of printing, suffice it to say that a German, Gutenberg, definitely did much to establish the press in Europe, about the year 1450. Now, the individuals who set up printing presses twelve years later were not mechanics, not ignorant craftsmen, but people of remarkable enterprise and learning. They were scholars, men who showed wisdom in their selection of manuscripts for printing. Printing presses then popped up all over Europe. Ancient classics, formerly an insurmountable hurdle for the average man, became public property, about the close of the fifteenth century. All known ancient authors' works passed through the printing press in form and price acceptable to public demand. Then closed doors of knowledge opened and starved minds became gluttonous for learning as never before.

Curious to relate, France at that time heard the clatter of the mechanical press and smelled the smell of printer's ink, with women playing the leading role as proprietors and chief operators. Charlotte Guillard is chronicled to have kept several presses functioning for half a century. It was no uncommon thing for widows to continue the printing business of their deceased husbands. In England, between the years 1530 and 1580, no fewer than six presses were kept humming with women proprietors controlling the business.

I have mentioned how Caxton set up his printing machine in the basement of Westminster Abbey. It is also worthy to relate that 354 years later the gentlemen of Roxburgh Club in England decided to erect a monument to Caxton in St. Margaret's Church at Westminster. Thus in 1820, was a tablet raised to that father of the English press, William Caxton, in recognition of his achievements in promoting literature for the English race, through the medium of the printing press.

With all these wonders and discoveries to the credit of our forebears it is painful to dwell on the shortcomings of this present era. Yes, it is so, especially with regard to the depraved standards of books in demand by popular request. Many literary circles seem to believe that the sign of merit for any writer is the sign of the dollar bill in the pocketbook. Today, if any author has published and been paid for even one short reader in a trade magazine apparently it puts him in a class first cousin to an author of distinction.

Wary, indeed, of pot-boilers are *bona fide* writers with a conscience. They consider that these pot-boilers have sufficient deleterious qualities to kill the last germ of genius a man possesses. Genius is a fragile gift, which, in order to remain sensitive to the spiritual urge, must be nurtured, guarded and well watered with the cleansing purity of untarnished idealism.

The writer's road is not an easy pathway. Pitfalls, disappointments, unjust criticism, and countless other hazards bristle like weeds along the serious writer's pathway to success. That so many of the great authors of the literary world's yesteryears are now blurred out in the consciousness of this generation does not signify that their usefulness was nil. Fame is a fickle companion; to live in the praise of men is certainly not the greatest thing, or the best. The pinnacle of greatness, of real satisfaction, is attained through the realization that one has been true to one's best impulses. To lower our standards for material gain is to shuffle aside the principles of right which our progenitors handed down to us to sustain and cherish, and to break down the bulwarks of our social welfare.

So we see what a heavy responsibility rests on the fruits of the scribes of every age. The shifting sands upon which the "best seller" is founded, soon change for another novelty. Even so, to leave the imprint of worth on the chronicles of literature, should be the ideal of every genuine, serious author. But to besmudge authorship with the slime of sex and destructive immoralities is utter degradation.

The ink of the scholar is more sacred than the blood of the martyr.

Gas Turbines for Admiralty



The British Admiralty have placed a contract with a firm in Bedford, England, for a 1,000 kilowatt gas turbine and generator for base load operation. It is expected that development running of the prototype, shown here, will be early in 1951.

Women Traffic Police

Asherville, a small city in North Carolina, employs eight women as traffic officers. These female traffic cops are married and their average age is 36. They were trained by an experienced traffic officer for two weeks before taking up their duties — five hours each day. The women have full police powers and the police department plans to use them anywhere that a man might go except to call cars and night cruisers. The city furnishes flaming red capes, red overseas caps, raincoats and rain helmets. Other clothing is supplied by the women themselves, and most have purchased olive-drab ski-suits.



DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Morin Heights

The Guild of Trinity Church met in the Red Cross room on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowland and son, Jimmy, of Montreal, spent the holiday here.

Miss Joan Gillingham and Mr. David Wells were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham.

Mr. Merlin McCullough spent part of last week at his home here.

Trinity Church was filled to capacity for the Easter service last Sunday.

Mrs. Eric McCullough and daughter, Heather, spent the Easter week-end in Montreal with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

Mrs. Wm. R. Bell and daughter, Beverley, are visiting with Mrs. R. B. Bell in Verdun.

St. Andrews East

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sack are spending the Easter holidays with his parents in Sudbury, Ont.

Mrs. W. J. Pitcairn left Friday to spend Easter in Como with Dr. and Mrs. Pitcairn.

Miss Evelyn Wales, R.N., of Verdun, Que., spent the week-end with her sisters, the Misses Wales.

Mrs. Roy DeWitt, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, joined her husband for the week-end.

Mr. Ernest Sneddon, of Lachute, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. Morrison.

Miss Agnes Sutherland spent Easter with Miss Lamb and Miss Fitcairn.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Nickerson, of Montreal, visited friends here on Monday.

Mrs. R. M. Davidson and children, Margaret, Alison, and Donald, of Lachine, Que., spent the Easter week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Percy Hall. Miss Helen Davidson, of Lachine, also spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

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The Easter holidays have seen a full quota of friends, sons and daughters, in every home this week. In spite of the bad roads, a few brave souls motored here from Montreal and other parts. The weather, though cold, has been bright, and Easter services in both churches were well attended.

Mr. Clarke Graham, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, and Mr. Earle Graham, of Lachute, were at their home for the Easter holidays.

Owen Rathwell spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rathwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacGrandel returned from a week's visit to Boston and Syracuse, where they were visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Dobby and son, Kevin, Miss Betty Morrison and Mr. A. L. Morrison, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooke, accompanied by Mrs. T. Sevigny and son, occupied their cottage over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Graham and Miss Muriel Graham were guests of their mother, Mrs. T. Graham, over the holiday.

Mr. Curll Staniforth spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Staniforth.

Miss Viola Moncrieff was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moncrieff.

Miss Mary MacArthur is spending the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. MacArthur.

Holiday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke's are Mrs. T. Sykes and family, and Mrs. Barrie and family.

Mr. Leslie May, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward, spent the week-end with Mrs. J. May.

Mrs. W. D. Graham is spending a few days in Arundel before returning to Montreal.

Mrs. J. Boyd, who underwent a severe operation, is now steadily improving.

Miss Jean Morrison is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrison, for the Easter holidays.

Miss Lois Gordon is home from Lachute to spend her Easter holidays with her parents.

Easter Dance

A successful Easter dance was held at the Maplewood Inn on Saturday evening. The seating capacity was filled, and the square dances were kept going, interspersed with round dancing for those who preferred it. Mr. Jack Smith called the sets, while Mrs. E. A. Bulley, Messrs. J. Williams and Leslie Harding provided the music.

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The partnership of Paul and Graham Reg'd, Lachute, recently attended the third school conducted in 1949 - 50 in Montreal and Ottawa, for the designing and installing of warm-air heating and air-conditioning systems. This school is sponsored by the National Warm-Air Heating and Air Conditioning Association, of which Messrs. Paul and Graham are associate members.

Victoria, B.C. (CP) — Commenting on a car-theft case recently, Judge H. H. Shandley endorsed police who draw guns before closing in on lawbreakers. "That's what I'd do myself", he said. "It's the proper thing to do."

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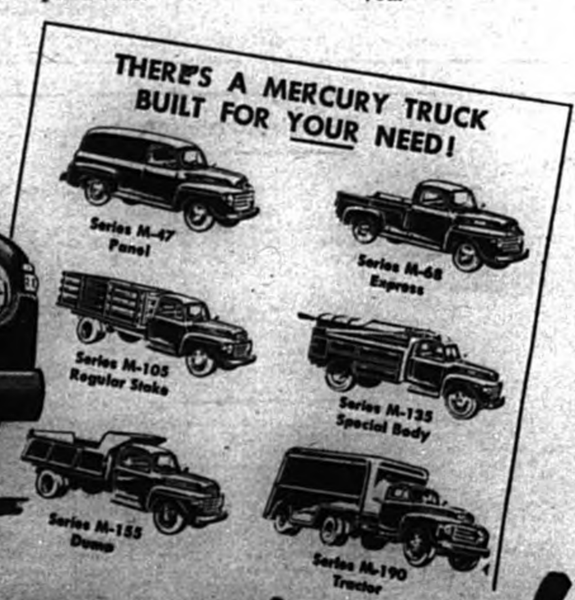


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To most people maple syrup is a favorite treat but still an old standby with pancakes, waffles or hot breads "smothered in butter and lots of maple syrup". There are, of course, many ways in which maple syrup may be used in making cookies, cakes, puddings, pies and icings but as just plain syrup on foods, it has no equal.

The home economists at Ottawa suggest this recipe for Maple Marshmallow sauce which is delicious when served with blanc mange, baked custard, rice pudding or cottage pudding:

½ Cup maple syrup, few grains of salt, 6 marshmallows, 1 egg white.

Bring maple syrup to boiling point. Add salt and marshmallows, cut into pieces. Stir constantly until marshmallows are melted. Pour slowly over stiffly beaten egg white, beating constantly with a spoon. Continue beating until cool. Yield: six servings.

If hot muffins are a favorite family breakfast or tea time repast, this recipe is an excellent one.

Whole Wheat Muffins

1 Cup sifted all-purpose flour (or 1 cup plus 2 tablespoons sifted pastry flour), 4 teaspoons baking powder, 2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 cup whole wheat flour, 1 egg, 1 cup milk, 3 tablespoons melted shortening.

Mix and sift flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Add whole wheat flour, blending well. Combine beaten egg and milk and add with melted shortening to the dry ingredients. Stir only enough to combine. Fill muffin tins two-thirds full. Bake in a hot oven, 400°F., about 25 minutes. Yield: 12 medium muffins. When these muffins are served with plenty of butter and maple syrup the family will certainly come back for seconds.

From the old fashioned recipe for Johnny cake this recipe for Jenny cake has been evolved. It is similar to that old favorite but it uses farina instead of cornmeal. Of course Jenny cake isn't Jenny cake without maple syrup so when this dessert appears on the table, plenty of butter and maple syrup are "musts" as accompaniments.

Jenny Cake

¾ Cup sifted all-purpose flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, ¼ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 cup farina, 2 eggs, 1 cup milk, 3 tablespoons melted shortening.

Mix and sift flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Add farina and stir well. Combine beaten egg and milk and add with melted shortening to the dry ingredients. Stir only enough to combine. Pour into a well greased 8" x 8" pan or muffin tins. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375°F., allowing 25 to 30 minutes for cake and 20 minutes for muffins. Serve hot. Yield: eight servings.



REHEARSAL FOR "BRAVE VOYAGE", the day-time radio-drama serial, was in progress when this picture was taken at the CBC's Toronto studios This fast-moving story of Canadian life completes its first year on the air on Tuesday, April 18. Seen here are three of the principals in the cast: Beth Lockerbie, who plays the role of Helen Manning, young school teacher in a small Ontario city; John Scott (centre) who plays Gordon Marsh, her husband and a prominent fiction writer; and John Drainie, heard as Kit Wylie, a young painter. "Brave Voyage" is heard Monday to Friday at 2 p.m.

FASHION HINT



A nylon and rayon mixture is the fabric used for a pretty and useful little jacket dress. It is done in a gay rose and green hearts and flowers print, on a light grey ground. The little collar is on the dress, which has short cap sleeves. The jacket is collarless, and is buttoned snugly with jewelled buttons. The peplum is notched and the half sleeves are cuffed. The skirt has unpressed pleats all around.

MOOSE RANGE HOSPITAL

Carrot River, Sask. (CP) — A new 10-bed hospital for this northeast Saskatchewan district has been approved by the rural municipality of Moose Range. Construction will begin as soon as the weather permits.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre were Mr. Bert Dodd, of Lachute, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Mott and family, also Mr. Morris Roy, of Thurso, and Misses Beryl and Dorothy MacIntyre, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Gaboriault spent the Easter week-end in Montreal.

Sincere sympathy is extended to members of the Lowe family on the loss of their beloved mother.

Mrs. John Crooks spent last week-end in Lachute.

Mr. Joseph McCart, of Ottawa, is spending some time at his home here.

Mr. A. J. McGerrigle, principal of Grenville Consolidated School, is spending the holidays at his home in Ormstown.

Mr. H. H. MacKrith is spending the Easter holidays in Lachute.

Mr. Garth Dawson and Miss Evelyn Bowen were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cousins.

Miss Eileen MacIntyre is spending the holidays in Ottawa.

The opening dance was held last week at MacIntyre's Hall and a large group enjoyed the evening. These events are expected to continue through the summer months.

The Misses Gwen and Bernice Hoare spent the Easter holidays at their home here.

OBITUARY

Grenv'l Community Mourns Esteemed Lady Resident

Late Mrs. Austin Lowe

A well known and well loved figure in the Grenville community, Mrs. Austin Lowe, died Sunday in St. Mary's Hospital, Montreal. She had been confined to hospital two months and her death resulted from heart failure several days after undergoing an operation.

The former Margaret Ann McCoy, she was born in St. Philippe d'Argenteuil 62 years ago, and spent her entire lifetime in that section of the county. She was married to Austin Lowe, cheesemaker and storekeeper at Grenville, in 1913. They raised a large family, and through business and community affairs, have enjoyed the respect and friendship of the entire neighborhood. Latterly, since relinquishing active business to one of their sons, they have resided in Lachute with members of their family, in the home adjoining Lowe Bros' Dairy.

The late Mrs. Lowe is mourned by her husband and nine children — James, of Lachute; Martin, at the homestead in Grenville; Lydia, George, Hugh, Bernard, Emmett and Clifford, of Lachute; and (Mary) Mrs. Dan Hoysted, of Ottawa. . . She was predeceased by her parents and her only sister.

The funeral, held yesterday from the Grenville Parish Church, was attended by sympathizing friends and neighbors from the entire surrounding countryside. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The remains were borne to their last resting place at Grenville Catholic Cemetery, her sons acting as honorary pall-bearers.

The manufacture of one pound of rayon calls for use of 75 gallons of water.

Weir

Service in the Church of the Redeemer on Easter morning was well attended; the Rev. G. R. Barnett delivered a very inspiring sermon.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Owen and Mrs. McCoyd, of Hull, Miss Joyce Hicks, Messrs. Ralph Lawrence and Jas. Eraux, all of Montreal.

Mrs. Ken Cowan, also Miss Mildred Cowan, of Montreal, and Mr. Everett Larose, of Hamilton, spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Larose.

Mr. Lionel Labrosse, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his mother and brothers here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Dubeau returned to their home last week-end after spending a few weeks in Montreal.

Quite a number of people from Montreal occupied their cottages over the week-end.

Mr. Harland Schnauffer, of Montreal, spent the holiday week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sobey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hale, with their daughter Beverley and son Ronald, spent the week-end with Mrs. Hale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Marion — the children remaining for the holiday week.

A "500" card party will be held in the church hall on Saturday evening.

At Brownsburg Institute

Brownsburg—At the W.I. meeting held at the Social Club last Thursday, Mr. J. S. Giles was guest speaker on the program theme of Publicity. Introduced by the convener of this department, Mrs. Lemuel Wilson, Mr. Giles said we should have a hobby, as a means of personal happiness. We need not be reminded that Canada is our country. But we have got to recognize and accept a responsibility to each other. — Our problem today is a united Europe; that is our dream, we are living today in a turbulent age, and we cannot isolate ourselves. A great many changes have taken place in this last 50 years, and today our children are living in the luxuries we did not have in earlier years. Mr. Giles recited two poems, which were very much enjoyed.

Mrs. N. E. Smillie thanked the speaker for his inspiring address.

Mrs. Gordon Duncan played two piano selections, and Mrs. Crosby sang the Easter hymn, "The Stranger from Galilee".

Two life-membership pins were presented, to Mrs. Bertha Enlow and Mrs. Paul Martin. The meeting closed with the national anthem and the serving of refreshments.

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Maybe we locate the hoe
Underneath the melting snow.
Or when furrows all defrost,
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NEWS OF THE DAY

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Odette Joyeux et Alerme dans
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Dim., lun., mar., 16-17-18 avril
Randolph Scott, Barbara Britton
LA VALEE MAUDITE
Madeleine Soulogne, Raymond Rouleau
Une Grande Fille Toute Simple

Capitol Brownsburg

Thurs., Fri., Sat., April 13-14-15
Bing Crosby, Rhonda Fleming
Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court
in Technicolor
Rhys Williams, Ron Randall in
TYRANT of the SEA
Also PAINT-POT SYMPHONY

Sun., Mon., April 16-17
Tyrone Power, Linda Darnell
BLOOD AND SAND
Johnny Weissmuller, Suzanna Dalbert in
Mark of the Gorilla
Also HOP, LOOK and LISTEN

Tues., Wed., Thurs., April 18-19-20
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SORROWFUL JONES
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1947	OLDSMOBILE 4-DOOR SEDAN
1937	FORD 4-DOOR SEDAN
1948	PLYMOUTH 4-DOOR SEDAN
1935	DODGE 4-DOOR SEDAN
1934	DODGE 4-DOOR SEDAN
1935	DODGE 4-DOOR SEDAN
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Annual Rally of Farm Forums Successful Event in Lachute

Farmers Vigorously Protest Removal of Agronomist's Office from Downtown Centre

Forum Groups Report on Year's Activities

The annual spring rally of Farm Forums in this county proved a successful event last Monday night, when a large number of folk met at St. Simeon's Church hall for a good time.

Following a program of films, President Clifford Oswald called on the different Farm Forums for their reports on last year's activities. The Brownsburg Road group might well be proud of the school fair and calf club show which they organized at the exhibition grounds last year; the members intend to improve on the event, and it was felt that every Forum and every farmer would wish to have a hand in its successful outcome. All groups represented had something to say, and all are taking part in the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, now getting under way, which was an action project planned by the farmers last year.

The chairman then called upon the Rev. C. R. Lang, who welcomed this opportunity of expressing his interest in the activities of the farmer; he was pleased to see such a movement for the advancement of agriculture, and he hoped that prices and conditions would soon find their level and be more to the farmers' liking.

During the open meeting, the question of the moving of the agromonist's office out of the shopping district was brought up, and everyone present thought that the farmers were being "pushed around". A motion was made accordingly to the effect that the office of the Department of Agriculture remain in the shopping centre on Main Street, and that the Forums are not in favor of the idea of moving it to the Court House. This motion is to be sent to the Department of Agriculture and to Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., asking him to use all the power at his disposal to support the farmers in this request.

Mr. Floyd Greisbach made a few remarks and then introduced the new provincial secretary-treasurer, Mr. Jim Davis. The introduction was flowery, with a few spices thrown in.

Following this, Mr. Earl Morrison presented a group from his school band, which gave several selections. Mr. Morrison then led a singsong, which was very much enjoyed by the gathering — and the Forums express, through the medium of this report, their sincere thanks to Mr. Morrison for his willing help in the past, and they wish Mr. and Mrs. Morrison every success in the future. There were songs by the Gaston Twins and a dance number by Carol Parker; these numbers were also enjoyed.

Following the program a social hour was spent and refreshments were served. The evening terminated with the national anthem, and the farm folk went home feeling that it had been a evening well spent.

Tragedy on Route 8 Near Montebello

TWO DEAD AS AUTO PLOWS INTO GROUP OF MOVIE-GOERS

Tragedy struck a homeward-bound theatre party of eight young people Monday night on Highway 8 a mile east of Montebello, when a Montreal-bound car plowed into their midst, killing one youth, fatally injuring another, and also causing injuries to a girl in the party.

Dead are — Marcel Ipperciel, 17, and Hector Blais 17. The latter died in Ottawa General Hospital the morning following the crash. The injured girl is Marthe Ipperciel, 18, sister of Marcel.

Also in the party and taken to their homes suffering from shock after the car grazed them in passing are: Madeleine Ipperciel, 18, twin sister of Marthe, Maurice Ipperciel, 19, a brother; Raymond Blais, 18, and Jean Guy Blais, 19, brothers of Hector; and Claude Lavictoire, 22.

Driver of the car was William C. O'Malley, of Montreal, who told Quebec Provincial Police he had been blinded by the headlights of an approaching car and failed to see the group. He stopped immediately. Police are seeking to identify the driver of the car which O'Malley said blinded him.

The party had attended a movie at Montebello, and were returning to their homes a mile east of the town when the car hurtled towards them.

Marcel Ipperciel died almost instantly when he was hurled 130 feet through the air as the auto knifed through the group. His sister, Marthe, was catapulted 115 feet. Both were hurled into a ditch.

Hector Blais was found in the ditch 80 feet from the point of impact. He and the girl were removed to hospital in Ottawa, where Blais succumbed next morning.

DANGEROUS HABIT

Chatham, Ont. (CP) — A farmer pleading guilty to a charge of drunkenness said in court, "It's my only sin". The magistrate replied: "Is it a sin? I've seen a lot of good men drink up good farms".

Fine Program by Pianoforte Duo at Community Concert

Members of Lachute Community Concerts Association attended their last concert of the season at the Auditorium here Monday evening, when the Teltschik brothers, Alfred and Herbert, gave a brilliant two-piano performance before a large audience.

To do justice to these piano duettists in terms of their craft, would require a music critic of high order—one whose appraisal might analyze their mastery, spotlight their weaknesses (if any), and magnify the immortals who have left their legacy of the world's classics. But such a commentary might miss something of the lay impression, the reaction of an untutored listener to these very human, amazingly capable performers.

Suffice to say that, as listeners at this recital, we take off our hats unreservedly to the Teltschik brothers. Born of Austrian parents, steeped in the love of music, these Texans are very much alive. In a classical and semi-classical program, they interpret every mood, every atmosphere and habitat conceived in the composer's brain. Their unperturbed composure as trained artists may betray little of human emotion — until they enter into the spirit of their work. Then, to their very fingertips, they personify the laughter of the festival, the sighing of the wind, the lilt of Old and New World dances and — when Herbert lets down his front hair to more strenuous keyboard calisthenics — the thunder of fire and sabre, or what have you.

Human? . . These Teltschik boys drive a war-service vehicle accompanying their car, to transport two grand pianos, perfectly attuned (and they do their own tuning). Aged respectively 30 and 31, one of them is accompanied on this tour by his wife and two children. Last evening they played at the Palace Theatre in Granby, Que. . . We could gladly have listened again with the same keen enjoyment. And, though others may not agree, we make no apology for our enthusiasm. We count this one of the finest presentations yet, in the Community Concerts featured at Lachute.

So ends the 1949-50 season. Next year may bring something bigger, but not conceivably better.

Quebec Egg Shortage Predicted in Autumn

Quebec (CP) — Quebec Agriculture Department has said officially that reduced operation this spring by the province's chicken hatcheries may result in an egg shortage next autumn.

The department reported that only 2,900,000 chicks have been produced by co-operative hatcheries since the start of the year, compared with 4,000,000 up to April 1 last year.

Officials said the decline is due to drop in egg prices which caused many chicken farmers to reduce their flocks.

At the present rate of hatchery production, Quebec Province won't produce enough eggs next fall to meet demand, the officials said.

So extreme is northern Ontario's cold that locomotives freeze to the rails, can't be moved without help from another engine.

Badminton Clubs In Annual Tourney For Tip-Top Trophy

Five Badminton clubs from this district met last week in Lachute to compete in the annual badminton tournament for the Tip-Top Trophy, which was taken by the Lachute Club last year.

After 110 hard-fought games and some eight hours of steady playing, Brownsburg came out on top with an aggregate score of 37 games to claim the trophy for 1950. Lachute took second place with a score of 27, Kilmar third with 23, Calumet with 14, and Grenville with 9 games.

Starting at 2 p.m. on Sunday afternoon, the games continued until 10 o'clock, when the cup was presented to Russ Summers, president of the Brownsburg Club.

The tournament was well organized by Raymond Underhill, of Lachute, and his match committee, who did a big job very successfully. Appreciation is also due to the ladies of the Lachute Club, for their efficient handling of refreshments during the day.

Infant Found in River at Paper Mill

Discovery of an infant in the North River, at the mouth of the J. C. Wilson Company flume, was made at 8.45 o'clock Tuesday morning by Louis Proulx, an employee of the paper mill, while cleaning out the grating at the intake. The body, that of a female infant of premature birth, was wrapped in newspaper — a copy of a Montreal daily. Showing no signs of decomposition, it was presumed the body had only recently been thrown in the river.

Police Chief D. Villeneuve, who was immediately called to the scene, notified District Coroner Dr. Jules Lafleur and the provincial police officer for this district, Det. Philippe Therriault. Det. Auguste Longpré, of the homicide squad, took the body to Montreal for an autopsy by medico-legal officers.

A BIG TIME

Pine River, Man. (CP) — It was a big event when this town got its first hydro-electric power recently. Local officials said excitement hasn't run so high since the railway was built through town.

World's First Gas-Turbine Car



The world's first gas-turbine car whistled round Silverstone track near Towcester, when it was recently demonstrated by the Rover Motor Company of Solihull, Birmingham. Many of Britain's leading motor experts were present to witness the test run of the car which may revolutionize the whole of the world's motor industry. The fuel used during the test run was kerosene, and fuel consumption was very high, but it is hoped that this will be improved by 100 per cent before the car goes into production in three to four years time. The car is controlled by two pedals, the accelerator and the brake. Mrs. Catherine Wilks, wife of the managing director of the Rover Company, said that she had driven the car and it was more docile and more easy to drive than anything else she had known.

RELAX WHILE GARDENING

Let us cultivate more flowers. Tourists will take away with them a souvenir of our town and we ourselves will find that it is a much more pleasant place in which to live. — Arvida (Que.) Le Lingot

WORK TO BE DONE

Plentiful employment of Canadian workers is possible as soon as we remove the trade restrictions among ourselves and between ourselves and our foreign customers. — Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

Sea-Warfare Potentials Discussed at Ottawa by Britain's First Sea Lord

"WEEK AT OTTAWA"
By Norman Cribbens

Ottawa, April 17 (CP)—Britain's First Sea Lord had some frank words to say about Russia's fighting strength during a recent three-day visit to Ottawa.

White-haired, 62-year-old Lord Fraser of North Cape told a press conference that in another five years Russia may develop a powerful pack of submarines, speedier than the underwater craft the Russians have at present.

For that reason, he said, the democracies must keep working out new anti-submarine defences, such as radar and the development of speedy vessels capable of seeking out and destroying subs.

"We've got to keep up the work", Lord Fraser said. "The danger is not so much now as in the future."

Lord Fraser estimated that Russia now has about 200 submarines, but said he did not believe they exceeded a speed of 15 knots an hour. However, he was of the opinion that in another five years the maximum speeds might be advanced to 25 knots.

On other aspects of naval activity, the First Sea Lord said:

1. Britain, Canada and the United States are standardizing their naval equipment as much as possible.

2. Britain has new aircraft under manufacture for use on carriers. "Canada likely will follow us".

3. The battleship still has a secure place in future warfare. It will not be discarded.

Compliments Canadians

Lord Fraser complimented Canada on a "fine navy" which had always given Britain "good service, especially in wartime".

"Your country is good at improvising", he said, recalling that during the war Canadian government officials had said to the United Kingdom:

"Don't worry about the dollars. Tell us what you want and we will do it."

He remarked that Britons had been "rather frightened" when they heard of Canadian bakers and grocers turning their hand to building corvettes. But Canada proved that when it set its mind to a project, the project is carried through successfully.

$3,162 Collection For Red Cross

Following last week's announcement that the Red Cross appeal in this district had reached its $3,000 objective, final returns now show the collection completed at a total of $3,162.90.

Mrs. A. Taylor, Red Cross president and chairman of the drive — with Mrs. G. G. Mitchell, co-chairman — again expresses the thanks of the organization to all who assisted. The treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Earle, submits the following list reporting the various canvassing divisions:

Mrs. R. M. McGibbon & Mrs. J. Simon	$74.25
Mrs. J. E. Charlebois & Mrs. Girling	$47.75
Mrs. J. McIndoe & Mrs. O. Anderson	$105.00
Mrs. Geo. Tattersfield	$58.00
Mrs. Jack MacKimmie	$46.85
Mrs. E. Dion & Mrs. R. Brown	$48.30
Mrs. Laframboise	$17.15
Mrs. A. Gauthier	$18.35
Mrs. Leonard Ayers	$86.25
Mrs. Alfred Williams	$12.40
Miss Josephine Perrault	$27.00
Mrs. R. FitzGerald	$18.50
Mrs. P. Chartrand	$11.80
Mrs. D. Ogilvie & Mrs. M. Evans	$36.50
Miss Bessie McOuat	$9.50
Mrs. Stanley Church	$29.25
Miss F. A. Carriere & Miss J. D. Lamarche	$65.35
Mrs. Bazinet & Mrs. R. Menard	$208.65
Mrs. Jamison & Mrs. Barbour	$128.75
Mrs. L. Cruise	$3.25
Mrs. Geo. Calder & Mrs. N. Rogers	$143.00
Mrs. D. Schwartz & Mrs. H. Morrison	$62.80
Mrs. E. Laurin & Mrs. Dion	$41.50
Mrs. Howard Morrison	$53.50
Mrs. Turcotte	$38.30
Mrs. Clarke, Mabel	$10.00
Mrs. Geo. Brown, St. Canut	$3.00
Mrs. R. Morrison, Upper Lachute	$14.00
Mrs. Jas. Berry, Thos. Gore	$1.25
Mrs. Clarence Neill, Louisa	$31.00
Mrs. Randolph Rogers	$9.50
Mrs. W. D. Hume, Hillhead	$14.00
Miss Thelma Clarke, Upper Lachute	$25.00
Mrs. Nelson Morrison, Dunany	$88.00
Mrs. H. McDonald, Lakefield	$67.00
Walter Gauley, Chatboro	$30.00
Mrs. Chas. Pollock, Hillfoot	$24.50
Miss Margaret Walker, St. Jerusalem	
Mrs. D. Rodger $20.00	
Mrs. E. W. Smith 26.00	
Miss E. Strong 37.50	
Miss H. Hume 37.15	
Mrs. L. Boa 12.00	
	$132.65
Mrs. D. Bradford	$31.50
Mrs. A. McPhee, Avoca	$35.00
H. G. Brannar, Calumet	75.00
Mrs. C. E. Richardson (Special Names)	$1,153.25
Total	$3,162.90

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Grass Fires Are Seasonal Hazard

A grass fire extending over five or six acres of land, was extinguished with shovels and other tools, when Lachute fire brigade received a call yesterday afternoon to the Tessier subdivision, on the former Barron farm. The blaze had spread to the Cruise farm and was travelling towards the rear of houses along Lachute Road near the town line.

While encouraging the spring clean-up movement, Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon draws attention to the danger of burning rubbish in places where dry grass may ignite and burn rapidly if neglected. Grass fires quickly spread beyond control and endanger buildings in their path.

Ministerial Ass'n Protests Incident At Shawinigan

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met on Monday at the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg, with the Rev. J. G. Duncan presiding.

The Rev. C. H. Maclean gave an interesting address dealing with the early life of Christ. Various details of the country about Nazareth, its history and position, the home life and training, all are reflected in the words and teaching of Jesus Christ. If Christians are to have an influence in the world, our homes and family life must be modeled along similar lines, the speaker said.

Many matters of importance were dealt with, among which may be mentioned — a proposed joint meeting of the Association with the Eastern Ontario Ministerial Association at some future date; church parades of Boy Scouts; and the accompanying protest, which has been forwarded to the Attorney General of the Province concerning the shameful occurrence at Shawinigan Falls.

The next meeting will be on May 29 at the manse in Cushing, when the Rev. A. G. Moore will lead the devotions.

Resolution

Following is the resolution submitted to the Attorney General:

Be it resolved —

That whereas in the Province of Quebec there is an Act (Chapter 307, Revised Statutes 1941) . . . providing free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship to His Majesty's subjects living within the same;

And whereas on Wednesday, April 12, the Christian Brethren of Shawinigan Falls, being engaged in worship in their regular place of meeting in that city, were set upon, stoned and mistreated for a period of hours, and their entire property destroyed;

And whereas neither the Mayor of Shawinigan Falls, nor the Police of that city, made any effort to enforce the above named Act, nor provide adequate protection to the said worshipers;

And whereas, since this shameful event of molestation, no offer has been made for redress, nor the guilty person or persons arrested or punished;

And whereas this persecution is not an isolated incident but has been perpetrated over a period of months;

We, members of the Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association . . . do hereby register our strong protest with the Attorney General of the Province of Quebec;

And request that action be immediately taken to reimburse the Christian Brethren of Shawinigan Falls.

And that the person or persons responsible for the act of breaking the law of Freedom of Worship . . on the occasion recorded, receive due punishment for the act;

And we wish to be assured that such persecution and molestation will not be repeated in any part of our province.

— Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association.

Bank Manager's Trial Postponed to June 2nd

St. Jerome, April 14. — Trial of Romeo Monty, Grenville bank manager charged with embezzling $120,000 from his bank during the past 21 years, was postponed here today until June 2.

Mr. Justice Barrette postponed the trial following agreement between defence lawyer Gaston Pouliot and prosecutor Lucien Gendron, K.C.

Pouliot told the court he was to be married shortly and asked that the case be postponed.

Hamilton River in Labrador is 600 miles long.

Parking Meters for Brownsburg; Council Sanctions Bus Service

Damage by Surface Water Sets Problem Of Drainage, Sidewalks, Property Lines

At Special Meeting of Village Corporation

Brownsburg — A special meeting of Brownsburg Council was held Monday evening, chiefly for the purpose of discussing the waterworks repairs and extensions.

Councillor Ouellette observed that the amendment to the parking laws adopted at last meeting, allowing a half-hour parking on the east side of Bank Street, was a farce. It would be just as well to make it three hours, for all the attention that is paid to any time limit, he contended — adding that on Saturday night a car could hardly get through, the place was so congested.

Councillor Somers: "What was on?"

Mayor: "Nothing extra; just parking for shows." The Mayor added a suggestion to install parking meters, because if a time limit is to be enforced, extra police must be hired.

Councillor Lafleur: "How are we to pay for parking meters?"

Mayor: "We don't. The company supplying the meters will install them, at no initial cost. They take 75% of the receipts and after one year, if the council decides not to continue with them, they are taken out without cost to us."

Councillor Lavoie: "Why not put them in then?" . . Councillor Somers supported the idea.

Councillor Lafleur: "All over, or on certain streets?"

The Mayor suggested getting 50 installed for a start.

Councillor Somers thought that Bank Street and Main Street should be the first tried. Finally, on the proposition of Councillor Ouellette, seconded by Councillor Somers, it was decided to have 50 meters erected along these two thoroughfares. No action was taken on the congested traffic on Bank Street, pending installation of the meters.

Local Bus Service

The application of M. Cabana for permit to operate a bus service within the municipality, which question had been held over from previous meetings, was again before the council. All the necessary conditions having been fulfilled, Mr. Cabana now asked for a decision.

Councillor Somers proposed that permission be granted on condition that such permit be not transferable, or be sold without permission of the council then in office, so that the council may pass on the acceptability of the purchaser or revoke the permit.

Mr. Cabana demurred on these conditions, contending that he may build up a good business, and if he is not financially capable of extending the service, he could not dispose of his holding, even though it be to the advantage of the public.

The Mayor suggested that a time limit of five years be applied

Mr. Cabana: "Lachute's bus service has been sold six or seven times."

Councillor Somers: "Our desire is to protect the public from the service getting into wrong ownership. We don't want to prevent the sale, so much as to have some control over the service."

The Mayor did not like one route, from Rosedale to Main. "It is very narrow at Mrs. Kettyle's", he argued.

Mr. Cabana: "The bus is a transit coach, not much wider than a truck and with less than 150-inch wheel base."

Councillor Lavoie seconded the motion, which was passed unanimously. Mr. Cabana thanked the council.

Surface-Water Complaints

Several complaints of damage to property by water from roads, or melting snow, were before the meeting — in the form of delegations from St. Joseph Street, letters from home-owners claiming several hundred dollars' damage, and verbal messages to councillors. A delegation headed by Harry Fletcher called attention to extensive damage on St. Joseph to several properties along the street, and asked to have sidewalks built to safeguard against the road water.

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Work Commenced On New St. Viateur Catholic College

During the past week, work has commenced on the new St. Viateur College to replace the present school at the corner of Mary and Grace Streets.

The plans provide for an L-shaped structure of steel and concrete, brick-faced, fronting on Mary Street and Bedard Blvd. There will be no extensive excavation, as the sub-strata in this section is largely rock, and the building will contain 26 classrooms, an assembly hall - gymnasium, besides the necessary service quarters all comprised in the two-storey elevation.

The $473,500 contract is in the hands of Raymond Matte Ltée, while Maurice Champagne, of Lachute, is the architect.

On Monday of this week only 16 men were engaged on the project, pending the arrival of the contractor's heavy equipment.

Classes are continuing in the old school, which will not be demolished until the new building is completed; this will be for the fall term of 1951. Meanwhile it is hoped the work will progress sufficiently to permit the opening of several new classrooms next September, 1950.

The contract provides for landscaping of the surroundings. The boys' playground will be accommodated in the L of the building.

With the facilities available in this new institution, the Catholic School Board aim to give a complete high school course up to Grade XII, besides manual training and the nucleus of a technical school which will equip pupils to enter any industry in this community.

The School Board will issue a loan of $580,000, to meet the costs of this big project. They have invited tenders from financial firms, and the bids on these bonds will be considered at a meeting next Monday.

Opening Rallies for Fish-Game Ass'n

SPORTSMEN'S PROGRAMS IN LACHUTE AND B'BURG

The Fish and Game Protective Association of Argenteuil is starting its 1950 season with sportsmen's rallies at Brownsburg and Lachute on April 25 and 26. A program of outdoor films will be shown, including Mr. W. White's movies of his 1948 hunting trip to Northern British Columbia, which are well worth seeing. The rallies will be held in Longtin's Grill, Brownsburg, and the Legion Hall, Lachute. All interested persons are invited to attend.

A "Big Fish Contest", with prizes for the largest Lake Trout, Speckled Trout, Black Bass and Doré caught in Argenteuil County during the 1950 fishing season by a member of the Association, will be held again this year, as well as the rifle competition for junior members. Futher details of these competitions will be given in the next issue of the Association's Newsletter, to be published shortly.

Officers for 1950 are — K. G. Dalrymple, president; L. P. Carriere, vice-president; A. R. Todd, secretary; T. E. Dwyer, treasurer. Chairmen of the Membership, Entertainment, Educational and Publicity Committees, are—T. E. Dwyer, Ed Cribb, J. Duchastel and R. W. Davidson, respectively.

EARLY BLOSSOMS

Penticton, B.C. (CP) — Blossom time came early in Lynnwood Coates' store. Using a pear tree limb, and pumping chemicals and oxygen into water about the limb, he had pear blossoms a full month ahead of orchard trees.

Canadians Purchasing Three Times as Many Automobiles This Year

Ottawa (CP) — Canadians are buying three times as many new automobiles as they did a year ago, and they are paying for more than one-quarter of them on the instalment plan.

The Bureau of Statistics reported that 23,310 new passenger cars were sold in Canada during February compared with 8,036 in the same month a year ago. Value was $46,176,023 as against $17,466,515.

Of these 6,197 cars were financed to the amount of $8,219,171 as compared with 2,067 financed for $2,918,886 in February, 1949.

Financing of used cars was also up during the month, 9,867 being bought for $6,449,204, as compared with 5,544 units financed for $3,671,506 in February, 1949.

Gatineau LINES

Spring Work

Spring is a busy time for everybody. The passing of winter always seems to leave behind it a pile-up of things that need to be done, whether on the farm or in the city. Spring is traditionally the time for cleaning up and putting things in shape for the summer ahead.

For the power company, spring is usually looked upon as the time when work is resumed on new construction, new developments, new improvements. Actually, work on Gatineau Power's expansion program never completely stopped during the past winter, but naturally the coming of spring is leading to a speed-up in activity.

Slated for completion within the next week or so, for instance, is the change-over of two important sub-stations for 1,000 kilowatt to 2,500 kilowatt. One is the station at Shawbridge, to take care of the steadily-rising demand in Shawbridge, Lesage, St. Hippolyte, Lac Marois, Lac L'Achigan and surronding areas. The other is at Val Morin, to provide additional power at Val Morin, Val David, Lac Raymond, Lac Alvernat and a number of nearby centres.

These changes provide an interesting illustration of the rapid growth in demand for electricity in these areas. It was less than two years ago that these two sub-stations were boosted to 1,000 kilowatts from much lower power. Ordinarily, a change like that could be expected to take care of increasing demand for many years to come — but in this case the change was adequate for less than two years.

It might be noted in passing, too, that many parts of the system benefit when changes like this are made. The transformer banks in the 1,000 kilowatt stations will be moved elsewhere, to boost power there, and the transformers they replace will in turn be moved to some other spot. In effect, it is a "chain reaction" which improves service over an ever-expanding area.

Another job which is expected to be completed within the next week or so will provide improved service throughout the Papineauville area. This is the moving of a 1,500 kilowatt sub-station from Montebello to Papineauville because of the westward extension of a 26,000-volt network out of Montebello. Before the summer ends, this 26,000-volt circuit will probably extend right through to Thurso, replacing the 11,000-volt line now serving the Thurso area.

Similar work is going on in many areas served by Gatineau these days. In total, they mean that we have been fortunate enough to get away to a fast start on this year's program of expansion and improvements in service for Gatineau's 56,000 customers.

Gatineau Power Company

Seasonal Farm Topics



Dual Purpose Meadow

Ottawa — Livestock farmers are asking for a suitable grass-legume meadow which is able to produce a good first cutting of hay and thereafter supply abundant aftermath recovery for mid-summer and early fall grazing. Such a crop may be termed a dual purpose meadow.

Experiments have definitely established that if alfalfa is adapted it can admirably meet the above requirements. However, a pure stand of alfalfa is seldom used for pasture, but this legume is precious when compounding hay-pasture mixtures.

A good dual purpose meadow in a short rotation may be obtained by sowing the following mixture: Timothy 8, red clover 4, alfalfa 6, alsike 2, pounds per acre. For well-drained clay-loams or clay soils that will be used for hay one year only and then pastured for two or more years the following mixture is highly recommended: timothy 4, brome 5, orchard grass 3, red clover 4, alfalfa 4, ladino 1, alsike 1 or 2 pounds per acre.

Many other mixtures may be sown under different conditions and for certain specific purposes. The two given above are worth while trying for a dual purpose meadow. For further information, write the Division of Forage Plants, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ont.

Choice of Wheat Feed In Eastern Canada

Ottawa — Feed grain prices are relatively high and a small acreage of good spring wheat usually saves considerably on the money spent for chicken feed in Eastern Canada. Cascade, the semi-hard white spring wheat, is the variety to grow for feed purposes in this part of the country. During the past two years, it has exceeded all others in yield. While both seasons were unusual, most farmers report that their Cascade has not been given a good chance to show what it can really do. The extreme heat of the 1949 summer prematurely ripened the crops and prevented the kernels from filling properly. In spite of this, Cascade for the last two years generally outyielded all the named varieties by from two to four bushels per acre. At Normandin, in Northern Quebec, the yields of Cascade were as low as 19.1 bushels in comparison to 20.3 for Huron and 19.8 for Coronation II. On the other hand, Cascade at Fredericton in 1949 has yielded 49.7 bushels compared to 38.0 for Huron and 40.7 for Coronation II. On a five year average at Eastern Branch Farms, Cascade yielded 31 bushels compared to 29.4 for Huron and 28.4 for Coronation II.

The fact that Cascade is resistant to stem rust and to most of the forms of mildew generally found in Eastern Canada, along with an excellent yield, has increased the interest in growing spring wheat in many areas, says J. G. C. Fraser of the Cereal Division of the Central Experimental Farm. Seed supplies should be ample for the spring's requirements.

Quality in Oats

Ottawa — Chemistry is stepping into the picture more and more as the decisive agent in establishing the real nutrition values in farm products and their effects on animals, man included.

This fact has been demonstrated recently in the Canadian Department of Agriculture where tests have been made on oats grown in widely separated areas and of different varieties. The results show promise of better guidance for the future in establishing balanced diets for farm animals — and porridge lovers.

Popular conception of a good variety of oat is usually one with good yields, high weight per bushel and thin hulls. Such a variety may have a good feeding value, but not necessarily. Chemical analysis gives a much better idea of protein and fat content, for instance. Results of such analyses at the Chemistry Division of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, are very striking.

Oat varieties varied from 14 to 17 per cent in protein — Victory gave 15.45 and Cartier 17.15 per cent. This means that 111 pounds of Victory would be required to equal the protein of 100 pounds of Cartier. Some varieties contained twice as much fat as others — Roxton, 5.48 and Exter, 2.70 per cent, that is the same amount of fat in 100 pounds of Roxton as in 203 pounds of Exeter.

The varieties used for these tests were grown at Agassiz, B.C.; Scott, Sask.; Winnipeg, Man., and Ottawa. The average protein content of all varieties tested was lowest at Agassiz and highest at Winnipeg and Scott. The fat content was higher in the Scott test than at any other three points.

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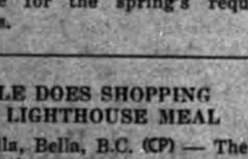
Bella, Bella, B.C. (CP) — There's more than one way to get a free meal. For instance — a bass caught by an eagle graced the dinner table of Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, lighthouse keepers at nearby Printer Island.

Mrs. MacDonald was looking across the water at sunset when she saw a big eagle suddenly dive into the water. He struggled for a few minutes and then rested for a while.

Then, she related, the eagle started "rowing" himself toward shore, using his wings for oars.

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Local Color

A COUPLE of weeks can make a lot of difference.

As long as there was a lot of tired-looking snow around, piled in grey, dingy blobs on the brown countryside, nobody cared how the town looked.

It was just like a man waking up after a long night's sleep, unshaven, unkempt and disreputable-looking, but safe in the knowledge that he wouldn't be exposed to public scrutiny until he had a chance to tidy up a little. . . But with the appearance of the fresh green shoots on the trees and the shoots of grass on the front lawn, the town suddenly looks simply awful.

The buildings, weathered by a tough winter, badly need a lick of paint. The landscape shows the scars of the spring run-offs. Some of the side-roads are badly rutted and there are pot-holes in the pavements. It looks as if the same sleeper had forgotten that he was expecting company for lunch!

Actually, we are expecting company. There's a flock of tourists and summer residents due this way. The crowd is ready to hit the trail from one part of Canada to another. And they're bound to remember the first impression they get of the town as they look out of a train window or get out of their car for a snack.

So this is the time of year when civic-minded people are worrying about the appearance of the neighborhood. It's the time when wives enlist the help of husbands in painting the front porch, and husbands pester the town council to do something about those weather-beaten roads.

Every traveller keeps his own mental list of the places where he'd like to stop, and the ones where he won't even buy five gallons of gas unless he has to. He notices little things like a well-planted flower-bed, or a welcoming smile at the service station — or a litter of rubbish next to a grocery store.

And if the traveller decides to keep going through a town, it's more than a blow to that town's civic pride. It means a loss in dollars and cents to the hotel-keepers, restaurant owners and other merchants who need the traveller's good will.

That's why everyone in town has a stake in sprucing things up for the summer. Whether he lives in a drab patch of countryside or a scenic river valley, his diligence with a paint-brush can help make the difference between a ghost-town and a thriving community.

Sound Advice

THE OTTAWA Journal offers sound advice on the matter of extravagance at Ottawa. Referring to the submission of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce which is urging Parliament to curb its spending and reduce taxes. The Journal suggests that results of the Chamber's representations would probably be more fruitful if expenditures were challenged in specific instances, rather than in broad general terms.

No doubt the Canadian Chamber of Commerce is aware of the need for fully documenting its representations. The submission already made by the Chamber may no doubt be regarded as but the first step in a campaign designed to bring home not only to Ottawa, but to the taxpayers of Canada, the dangers inherent in public extravagance and overlapping of service.

With the talent and resources which it possesses, the Chamber of Commerce could render invaluable service to the people of Canada, were it to undertake a survey of public services and spending which would provide the same sort of data and evidence as that made available to the people of the United States through the Hoover Report.

On the Farming Population

COMPLAINT about young Canadians leaving the farms for the cities seems to be perennial, remarks "The Printed Word". . . From the time Canada's larger cities were founded they have recruited their population from the towns, villages and farms. That process, with some help from immigration, is what has made the cities large, for it is unlikely that urban birth-rates are ever high enough to do more than offset deaths and removals.

Urban growth does not necessarily connote rural depopulation, although during wartime booms, the number of young men and women who forsake the family farms may be unduly large. Sociologists have had some cause for worry in recent years over the increasing age level of the farmers who have remained on the land. If the farming population became too old for effective farming there would be a serious condition for Canada.

Almost unnoticed is the reverse movement of population now that the wartime boom is over. The love of the land seems to be hereditary even in Canadians two or three generations removed from the farm. Some city dwellers, and not only those of the "gentleman-farmer" class, begin their return by buying a country place for week-ends, introducing their children gradually to the work and the satisfactions of the farm. Before long, they find they are spending more and more of their time in rural surroundings, and eventually they desert the city.

It may be that families like these will solve the problem of rural depopulation. The city children, knowing that they have improved their lives by going to the country, should not be so keen on taking a factory or office job as the farm boy or girl whose lives have been ruled by the needs of the land and the farm animals.

Migration from farm to city may be expected to continue, since the younger generation must discover for themselves, without help or advice from their elders, where the good life is to be found. But there is hope that some of the younger generation from the farms, seeing their contemporaries gladly forsaking the city, may decide that happiness is still to be found on the farm — concludes "The Printed Word".

MEN'S FAITH in themselves, as well as in their beliefs, receives a great lift at this time of the year. Some will be satisfied to say that it is the reawakening of nature in the Spring. Others will say it's the reawakening of their souls to the eternal verities of their religion.

— Stanstead Journal

Brownsburg Council

(Continued from page 1)

The Mayor said he had tried to strike a line for a sidewalk along this street, and it was so irregular and uncertain to find property lines along by the road, that he was forced to desist.

Councillor Ouellette: "It is so washed out now that something must be done. Jos. Lacasse dug a trench to carry the water, and it washed away tons of gravel."

H. Fletcher: "My lines are in proper measurement with C-I-L fence, so it should be easy to get the road width of 36 feet and make the line."

The Mayor: "Yes, and at one corner of Mr. Cooley's lot, 36 feet goes in about four feet on his lawn.

Councillor Somers: "We have all summer to do this street after we get legal advice, so we can do something about it. The C-I-L line is the most permanent marker along that street. It is most likely in the right place."

After some further discussion, Councillor Lafleur proposed, and Councillor Somers seconded, that a survey be made of St. Joseph Street to determine the road boundaries, from the Convent on Main to the rail crossing.

A letter was read from Mr. Tomlinson claiming considerable damage from silt and slime consequent upon construction by the council of a sidewalk without adequate provision for taking excess surface-water. . . The secretary had also received a telephone call from Mr. Clement that the water came through Mr. Tomlinson's and did a lot of damage to his property too. The council should find out the road width at this point as some of the properties may be on the roadway.

The Mayor: "If we can get a piece of the land it might be better than looking up the registry."

Councillor Lavoie offered to interview Mrs. Kettyle with a view to having the road widened at this point in some amicable arrangement, and have the matter decided at next meeting.

Councillor Lavoie asked for some information on the financing of the sidewalk account. The secretary reported the 1948 account was paid in full, in 1949 some bad accounts were run into, and about $1,900 was outstanding; there is an interest charge of 5% however.

The Mayor: "We haven't got that street of Mr. Tomlinson's in our sidewalk by-law, so we can't enforce the building of a sidewalk. Mr. Gagnon also claims $100 damage for water flowing onto his property."

Councillor Somers: "We cannot be responsible for all surface-water and we should have a legal opinion to find out our position in this matter. In the Tomlinson case, as he says, we directed the water onto his property when we put in the sidewalk on the other street; we are perhaps responsible, but in other cases we can't be held for damage from the natural flow of water. We will await a legal opinion and see how we stand at next meeting."

Various Items

A light at Woodland was changed from C-I-L power to Gatineau, r charge of $15 per year to be made to C-I-L.

A leter was read from a committee interested in presenting above-average pupils at the English school with prizes. The letter was marked "read".

The Mayor read a copy of a letter sent to Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., asking for a grant of $15,000 toward road work promised by His Honor Judge Héon and Mr. Cottingham last year. Mr. Cottingham acknowledged by stating he had referred the matter to the Minister of Roads for immediate attention.

Mr. Cottingham wrote the council advising that an order has been passed in council to pay the corporation the sum of $3,599 as a statutory grant towards the purchase of the new fire truck.

The Council passed a vote of sincere thanks to Mr. Cottingham for his efforts in obtaining this grant; the vote was proposed by Councillor Somers and seconded by Councillor Lafleur.

The secretary of the hockey club R. Hebert, asked permission to hold a dance after the legal hour of midnight. The council granted permission.

Lachute Motor Sales Reg. (Jas. Duncan) wrote thanking the Council for obtaining the order, under tender, for a new truck. The cost is $3,629; after deduction for trade-in of two trucks, the council pays cash $1,814. The new truck is awaiting delivery.

It was decided to impose a fine of $50 on any person using a tractor with cleats on the municipal streets — proposed by Councillor Lavoie and seconded by Councillor Ouellette.

Woman (in stalled car to impatient motorist behind her): "If you'll come see if you can start my car, I'll go back there and blow your horn for you."

Foreman: "How is it that you carry only one plank and all the other men carry two?"

Worker: "They're just too lazy to make two trips like I do."

With a worried look, the hotel guest went to the reception desk.

— My room's Number 47, he said.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murphy during Easter week were the Rev. and Mrs. A. E. Hawes and children, Elizabeth and Bobby, of Valois.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. Irving, of St. Lambert, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. T. H. Foreman and Mr. Foreman.

Holiday visitors of Mr. W. E. Brigden included Mr. Woodrow Brigden and small son, Gordon, of Perth, Ont., Mr. Ronald Brigden and son, Malcolm, of Lennoxville, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Matthew and son, Brian, of Kilmar.

The many friends of Mr. L. G. Martin are glad to know he is home again after an illness of several weeks in hospital at Hawkesbury.

Miss Heather Anne Lessard was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. Racine and Mr. Racine, for several days last week.

Mr. C. G. Foreman spent several days in hospital in Montreal this week; he is now back at home, and his friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Doreen Lighthall, of Montreal, was the little guest of Miss Penny Foreman for a few days last week.

Mrs. Couillard and small daughters, Geraldine and Anne, of Hawkesbury, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. Dumoulin last week.

Northern Grenville

Mrs. Enid Stone and family spent a few days in Kilmar recently, visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Scott MacLean.

Miss Dorothy MacIntyre, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Asa Younge and grandson, Willis, spent the week-end in Avoca.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart's were Miss Celia Coté, Mr. Leo Fitzgerald and Joseph McCart, all of Ottawa; Mrs. Eric Cahill and daughter, Linda, of Calumet Island; Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe and son, Stephen, of Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Mott and family were recent guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Mott.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCart and infant daughter, Dianne, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lobb in L'Orignal.

Miss Mary Johnstone, of Montreal, also Mr. Stewart, of Ottawa, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Page.

Miss Shirley Costello was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Crooks.

Victoria, B.C. (CP) — British Columbia's legislature is going to have its own picture gallery. Portraits of all B.C. premiers will hang on one side of the legislature chamber lobby and lieutenant-governors will be shown on the other side.

Grenville

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. James Noble in the loss of their 10-months-old son, who succumbed to pneumonia last Sunday evening at Dr. E. P. Kelly's Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Dewar and family are leaving this week to take up residence in Brownsburg. They will be missed by their many friends and neighbors here. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Faubert and family have taken up residence in Hawkesbury.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Villeneuve and son, Ronnie, of Kilmar, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Villeneuve.

Mr. Geo. Clerihue, of Ville St. Laurent, was the guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. R. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Canning accompanied their son, Innes, back to Sudbury, Ont., and will spend some time there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigelow and children were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Alexander, of Belleville, Ont. were guests of Mrs. Wm. Usher on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Myrtle Densmore and Mr. W. Hogbin, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dewar for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brisebois, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their respective summer homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Allard and family spent Sunday in Montreal as guests of Mr. U. Dupuis.

Mrs. Wm. Usher spent Monday in Montreal. The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held at her home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fitchett and daughter, Susan, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir.

Mr. Summers Dawson and Mr. Vernon Dawson, of Belleville, Ont., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Sunday.

Mr. E. Whelehan returned to Montreal after spending a short holiday with his aunt, Miss M. Whelehan, who also had as her guests on Sunday Miss Joan Orr and Mr. Ken Hartley.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Moore spent a couple of days in Montreal as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Dawes.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzear Dupuis and family, of St. Jerome, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Donat Dupuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Pinkerton, of Montreal, visited with many friends in Cushing West last Sunday.

Mr. C. J. Hartley has returned to his home after spending some time in the Smith Hospital at Hawkesbury. On Easter week-end Mr. Hartley was the guest of his niece and nephew in Ottawa.

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

The Rev. Father Montour, of St. Philippe d'Argenteuil, held a service in the schoolhouse at Grece's Point on Sunday morning, which was well attended. Father Montour intends to hold this service regularly throughout the summer months.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gauley and family, in the loss of Mrs. Gauley's mother, Mrs. Geo. Perks, who passed away at her home in St. Andrews East.

Lake Keatley

Mrs. John White returned to Sherbrooke after spending the Easter holidays with her husband and Mr. and Mrs. H. White.

Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. John McRae returned home after a brief call on their brother, Kenneth Campbell, who is seriously ill in hospital in Montreal.

Miss Gertrude Hoyle and Miss Nellie Helm, of Montreal, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Herb Bennett, called on Mr. and Mrs. Dave McVicar.

Mr. Fred Parent, Mr. Ken Ford, Mr. Ford, Sr., and little grandson, Brian, spent the week-end at "Oak Bend Cabin".

Mrs. Howard Jones and family, of Lachute, spent the Easter holidays here at "Hedgerow Cottage".

Mrs. Sanford McVicar and daughter, Marylin, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. Utman in Ottawa.

Mrs. D. Barnes and family, of Hawkesbury, returned home after spending the Easter holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Sanford MacVicar.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Berry and daughter, Anne, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Watchorn.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watchorn during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. W. Shaw, also Mr. and Mrs. E. Sloman, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCullough, also Mr. and Mrs. E. Hughes, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. J. McCullough.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Campbell and family, also Miss Hannah Campbell, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mrs. S. Campbell.

Mrs. Carl Seale and children spent the week in Toronto as guests of Mrs. Seale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michie.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Cameron and daughter, Penny, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. MacKimmie at Lachute on Sunday.

Mr. Allan Kirkpatrick, also Mr. Wesley Morrow, spent the week-end in Boston, Mass.

Mr. Leslie Davis, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Doherty.

Mrs. C. S. Jamieson spent a few days in Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wesley, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mrs. S. Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Urquhart and son, Glen, of Montreal, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Urquhart.

Mrs. Wertz spent a few days in Montreal recently.

Mrs. McKyes, of Montreal, is guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt this week.

Mr. Melvin Dey and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Forsythe, spent Sunday in Montreal as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Dey.

Mr. Huntley Seale spent last week in Montreal as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Lorne Crawford and Mr. Crawford.

Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt is spending a few days in Montreal this week.

The Women's Association met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt on Monday afternoon.

Avoca

Guests of Mrs. Ed. C. Young over the Easter holidays were — Mr. and Mrs. John Fox and daughters, Mabel, of Harrington, and Susan, of Three Rivers, also their son, Billy, Mr. Raymond Madden, of Kilmar, Mr. Clarence Gunn and son, Colbert, of Mattawa, Ont., and Mr. Emmett Nixon.

Mr. Colbert Gunn spent Monday with his cousin, Billy Fox, in Harrington.

BRITISH RIFLE TEAM WILL VISIT CANADA

London (CP) — A 19-man British rifle team, led by Rear Admiral FitzRoy Hutton and Major J. A. Crawford, will visit Canada this summer.

The team, first from Britain to compete in Canada since 1931, will take part in matches at Toronto and Quebec before going to Ottawa for the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association meet.

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The following rates will be in force from April 19, 1950:

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(When a lot or half-lot is purchased, endowment must be made at time of purchase).

Burial charges must be paid at the office of the Secretary before a grave is opened.

— H. M. Gall, President
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St. Eustache Student Wins Beaverbrook Overseas Scholarship

U.N.B. Students Win Award

Two students from this province attending the University of New Brunswick have been named winners of 1950 Beaverbrook Overseas Scholarships. They are Harry Kalapkis, Montreal, and David Etheridge, St. Eustache sur-le-Lac.

Mr. Kalpakis served in the Second World War as a pilot in the R.C.A.F. He is a member of the senior class of the University of New Brunswick, studying electrical engineering.

David Etheridge is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Etheridge, St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac. From 1939-45, he saw service with the Canadian Army in Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. On demoblization, he studied forestry at the University of New Brunswick, from 1946. For high standing in his class he was awarded a Price Brothers scholarship last year. He is particularly interested in forest pathology and will specialize in that field at the University of London.

Brownsburg

Mrs. D. Wanamaker and infant son, Mark, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser.

Mrs. P. MacAdam spent Monday in Hull visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor.

Mrs. Hector Mason spent the week-end with relatives in Montreal.

The Rev. J. G. Duncan, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. F. Campbell, Miss May Petley and Mrs. N. E. Smillie attended the Mission Circle Thank-Offering meeting of the Thurso Baptist Church last Friday evening. The Rev. Harmer, pastor of McPhail Baptist Church, Ottawa, was guest speaker, taking as his subject, "Educational Work in India".

The April meeting of the local Association for Girl Guides and Brownies was held in the school on Wednesday evening. Plans were made to attend the annual divisional meeting which will be held in St. Eustache next Saturday.

Interesting Films

The films shown at the Y.P.U. open meeting in the United Church hall on Monday evening included "London Night", a film introduced by the late Wendell Wilkie, showing the activities of a volunteer tea car during a typical night of the London blitz. Other subjects were "Production of Wax", "The Mining of Nickel" and "Radiant Rockies", portraying the awe-inspiring beauties of the Rockies as seen on a trip from Calgary to the Pacific Coast. A large number attended.

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BIRTHS

SHEPHERD — At the Catherine Booth Hospital, on April 16, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Shepherd, a son. Both well.

DRENNAN — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on April 12, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Drennan, a son (brother to Jackie).

DEATH

BOYD — On Wednesday, April 19, 1950, at the Montreal Western Hospital, Edgar David Boyd, beloved husband of Sarah Jane Dawson, in his 63rd year. Funeral at Morin Heights United Church on Friday, April 21; interment at Morin Heights.

Awareness of Life Better Than Hairdo

Montreal (CP) — Cornelia Otis Skinner, famed actress and master of the stage monologue, says an interest in life and an awareness of it are better than "facials, nourishing creams and dyed hair" to keep you young.

Miss Skinner, interviewed while in Montreal for a recital, said too many women grow old in a violent attempt to act and look young.

The modern actress is very serious off-stage, she remarked; one can't tell her from an art student or a college undergraduate. "But in the old days, an actress on the street used to look like an actress."

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Even Selling Bibles Is Risky Business

Salesman for Scriptures Recalls 20 Years of Odd Adventures

Toronto (CP) — Even travelling salesmen for the Bible have their adventures in farming communities.

William Forsythe, who travels for the Upper Canada Bible Society, has been chased by women waving frying pans and set upon by vicious dogs, but possibly his oddest experience was the time o cow bought a $10 Bible.

An English immigrant, living north of Timmins, Ont., wanted a Bible, but was too proud to buy a 15-cent edition and too poor for a more expensive copy. But, eager to get one, he supplied Mr. Forsythe's landlady with milk for two months from his only possession—a Jersey cow. The landlady, in turn, paid the salesman for the zippered King James version.

Mr. Forsythe has sold the Bible from door to door across central and northern Ontario for the last 20 years. Despite the fact the Bible is still the world's "best seller" he said there is a great "famine of scriptures", even in Ontario.

At the headquarters store in Toronto 500 types of Bibles are available. Since the end of the Second World War, a growing number of displaced persons from war-shattered Europe have come into the store seeking the Bible in their own language.

District secretary Rev. H. E. Young said the Bible Society's chief purpose is the wider circulation of the Holy Scriptures, without note or comment, in the mother tongue of all people.

A new project, to translate and print the New Testament in the Bassa dialect for the tribe of 178,000 natives who inhabit the Cameroun country of French Equatorial Africa, has been undertaken recently.

"Plough in the Desert" Series



LLOYD BOCHNER, seen on the verandah of the Israeli Government's Press and Information Office in Tel Aviv. His impressions of life in the new state are being broadcast in a weekly documentary series called "Plough in the Desert", heard every Tuesday, 8.30 p.m. In the background is the beach of the Mediterranean and the burned-out hull of a landing-craft. Bochner and his wife went to Israel last summer, and during ten weeks there used more than 15 miles of recording tape to preserve their impressions. Lloyd Bochner is known widely for his roles in CBC drama productions. The series will continue for 13 weeks.

Salted-Fish Trade Sought by Britain

Hull, England (CP) — Britain will try to get back a share of the salted-fish business.

Before the war the Hull fleet supplied South America, Portugal, Spain, Italy, Greece and Russia with fish salted at sea. Hostilities interrupted the trade.

The trawler Howard has left for the fishing grounds off the Norwegian coast with the specific purpose of bringing back salted cod, haddock and other fish regarded as delicacies in Latin countries.

Before long several other vessels are expected to enter the salted-fish trade. This would relieve the domestic fish market, where in recent months frequent gluts have been experienced.

Because Hull fishermen have not been accustomed to salting, which requires a technique of its own, the work will be done by expert Faroe Islanders.

ARMENIANS HELP

Galt, Ont. (CP) — A group of Armenians — New Canadians, many unable to speak English yet — have done their part in helping the building fund of Huron Theological College at London, Ont. In appreciation for facilities at Trinity Anglican Church here, they gave $500 for the college, which trains Church of England ministers.

Hunger, Rough Bush Routine to Woodsman

Plane Brings Emergency Food for Saskatchewan Trail Blazers

Prince Albert, Sask. (CP) — Charlie Otterbein ran out of food, had to have some dropped by plane, tramped miles through one of northern Saskatchewan's most rugged regions — and said it was "all in a day's work".

"Just routine", the veteran woodsman told reporters. "Heck, there's no news to that".

The forestry branch employee, who lives at Nipawin, Sask., was assigned to a 10-day excursion into the wilderness to scout a route for a caterpillar train into the tough terrain around Big Sandy Lake, 100 miles northeast of here.

Charlie and Larry Horne, a youth from Smeaton, Sask., worked from a base camp on Big Sandy where they were left by plane. Six miles a day was about all they could travel by snowshoe in the windfall-blocked bushlands.

To speed the job Charlie hired a dog team from an Indian.

Cut Their Way

"We had only aerial maps to work from", he told newspaper men, reluctantly. "And the terrain was so tough that we had to cut trails for the dogs. But finally we got through".

Food was the next problem. "Our grub was getting low", said Charlie, as if it were an everyday occurrence. He radioed to Lac la Ronge. A plane from Prince Albert was diverted from a regular northern route to drop a bundle near Big Sandy Lake.

"We got food all right", said Charlie. "Delicious hardtack!"

Charlie and Larry continued their work, by what Charlie called the trial-and-error method. By exploring all possible routes and eliminating those with heavy windfalls or natural obstacles, they mapped a winding trial skirting all the "cat traps."

"That job's done", said Charlie, just before returning to Nipawin. "I'll probably get some more routine work".

MAY SURVEY BY AIR

Dartmouth, N.S. (CP) — A town council committee is investigating the possibility of having an aerial survey made of Dartmouth. The council was told an accurate survey of the streets and boundaries could be made within a matter of hours.

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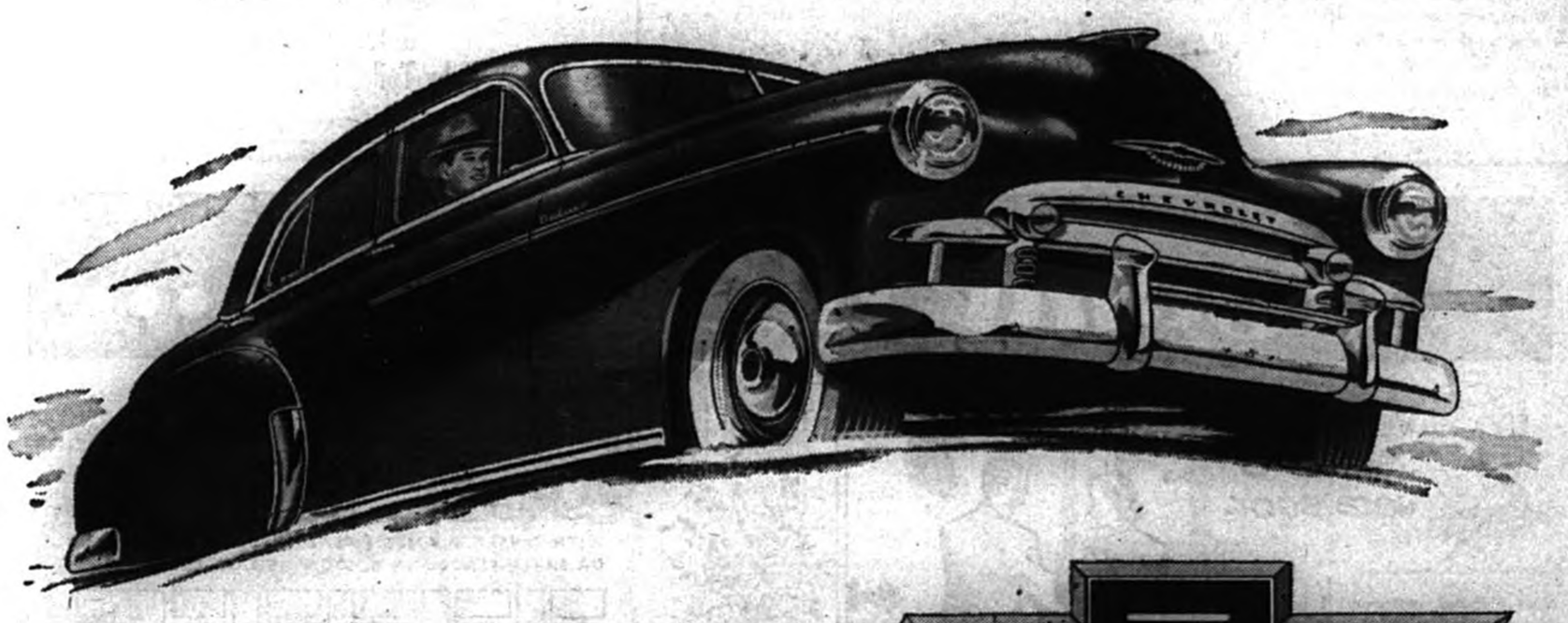
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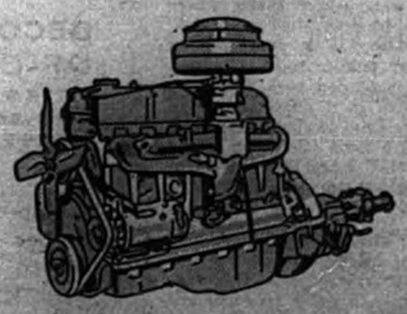
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Mozambique Develops Cashew Nut Industry

Lourenco Marques, Portuguese E. Africa (CP) — A big industry to husk cashew nuts and to extract varnish and natural oils from the shells and kernels will start soon in the colony of Mozambique, if the necessary permission is forthcoming.

Announcement of the formation of a company to conduct this industry was published just recently.

Large overseas commercial concerns dealing in the by-products derived from the shells and the fruit itself are said to have shown great interest in the proposed venture.

The estimated yearly harvest of cashew nuts in the colony is between 70,000 and 80,000 tons — which is at present exported almost exclusively to India for husking.

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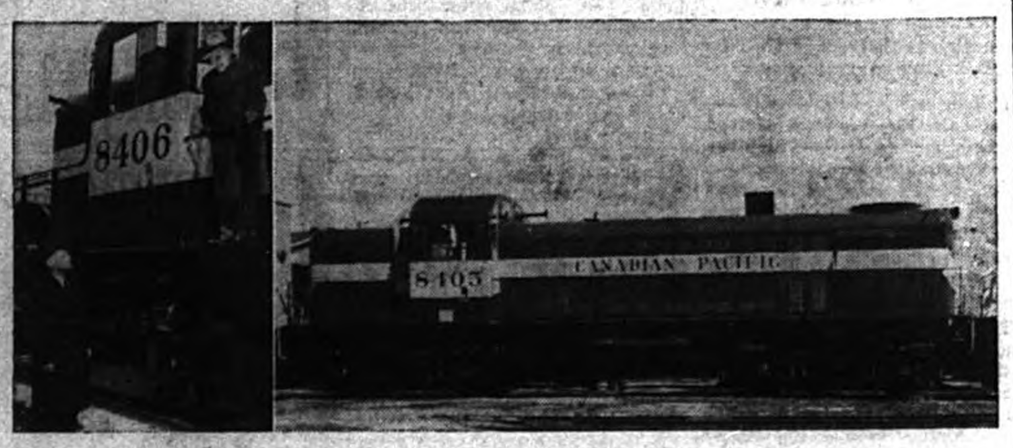
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About Gardening

With the arrival of spring many weary city folk throw off the white collar typifying the office worker and are transformed overnight into bright-faced carefree men of the soil.

If the garden is to be a success, a diagramed lay-out showing what to grow and where, should be prepared. While ground is still too wet, other useful data such as the amount of seed required, space between rows and average yields could be determined. High yielding and proven varieties of nutritious vegetables should be selected and obtained from the local seed dealer. For the small garden these may include tomatoes, beans, beets, lettuce, radish, carrots, onions and spinach. In larger gardens, additional crops such as cabbage, cucumber, squash, corn, peas and potatoes may be added.

The spot chosen for the garden should be close to home so that "garden fresh" vegetaables can be gathered at any time, advise gardening authorities of C-I-L's agricultural chemicals division. Sun is a prerequisite of a good crop and at least six hours of uninterrupted sunlight per day is required.

The soil is of prime interest to the gardener. It is a source from which plants draw most of their nutrients. A good loam containing silt, sand, clay and organic material is the ideal type. If loam is not available, heavy clay soils may be conditioned by addition of manure, peat moss or other organic substances. To supply nutrients in readily available form, free-flowing garden fertilizer such as 4-10-8 can be utilized to advantage. This should be applied when the seed bed is being prepared at the rate of two to three pounds per 100 square feet. Where garden soils are already high in fertility, plant food should be added by "banding" beside seed rows at planting time. Either method of fertilizer application can often double the vegetable yield.

NOSE FOR ALCOHOL

Yorkton, Sask. (CP) — An R.C.M.P. police dog named Don went along on a raid on a farmhouse near Saltcoats. His keen nose was given credit for finding a still in the farmhouse attic. As a result, the owner pleaded guilty to a charge of possessing the still and was sentenced to a $100 fine or three months in jail.

YOUNGEST ON CONTINENT

Waterloo, Que. (CP) — Albert B. Norris, at 26, is North America's youngest mayor. He was a town councillor at 22 and has contested and won three elections.

Piano Teaching by Television



British television viewers can now learn to play the piano from the best tutor, by placing their piano and television set conveniently close and watching the screen. Sidney Harrison, well-known music teacher and lecturer, has chosen Yvonne Riddington, 12-year-old London schoolgirl (above), as his pupil, guiding her through her first six lessons for the benefit of viewers. Each lesson lasts half-an-hour, and it is aimed to combine appreciation of music with the purely technical side right from the beginning.

Package Distributes Seed

A horticultural firm specializing in lawn seeds has experienced increased sales since putting the product up in a container that gives an even distribution of the seed. Three types of seed, as used by professional lawn growers, are blended in the package. Distribution of the seed is done by an easy pump action of the container lid, ensuring proper and more economical seeding. Each container holds sufficient seed for 125 sq. ft. and it can be refilled from bulk stock.

— Marketing

WIVES TAKING OVER IN YORKSHIRE TOWN

Skipton, England (CP) — Skipton husbands may one day see their town run by wives.

If you travel on local buses, a "clippie" takes your fare. At the railway station a woman porter looks after your bags. And if you want to register a birth or death registrar Dorothy Harrison is on the job.

If you go to hospital the doctor who examines you probably will be Dr. Mary Hunter. And if you have a beer too many, you are liable to be arrested by policewoman A. Mayor.

After Half-Century Doctor Still Going

Serves Farm Community, Despite Snow and Mud

Schomberg, Ont. (CP) — A half-century of being a "country doctor" is behind Dr. M. L. Dellane who in the winter of 1900 hung his shingle to an elm tree in front of the house he still occupies.

Many of those who offered their congratulations and best wishes in this village 30 miles north of Toronto were among the hundreds of babies he has delivered in the 50 years he has ministered to this farming community.

He recalls many a race with the stork through snow drifts where he had to abandon even a cutter, throw a blanket over the horse, flounder on horseback as far as it would go, tie it to a fence and finish the journey on snow-shoes.

With the coming of automobiles, nearby hospitals, new drugs and techniques, the veteran doctor's way of life has changed considerably, but even today when snow or mud block back roads he can be seen riding a farm wagon or sleigh to a sick bed.

When his prize-winning horses went with the coming of automobiles, Dr. Dellane turned to growing roses for a hobby. His rose garden is famous in the district and his plants have won many prizes.

Born in Tottenham, nine miles north of here, he graduated from Toronto University in 1899. Two years later he married Annie Catherine Henderson. They have four children, two of whom are doctors.

AUSSIE BLOOD PLAN INTERESTS CANADA

Perth, Australia (CP) — A railway coach used to collect blood donations for the Red Cross across the sparsely-settled areas of Western Australia has proved so successful that Canadian and Indian health authorities have asked for detailed information about it.

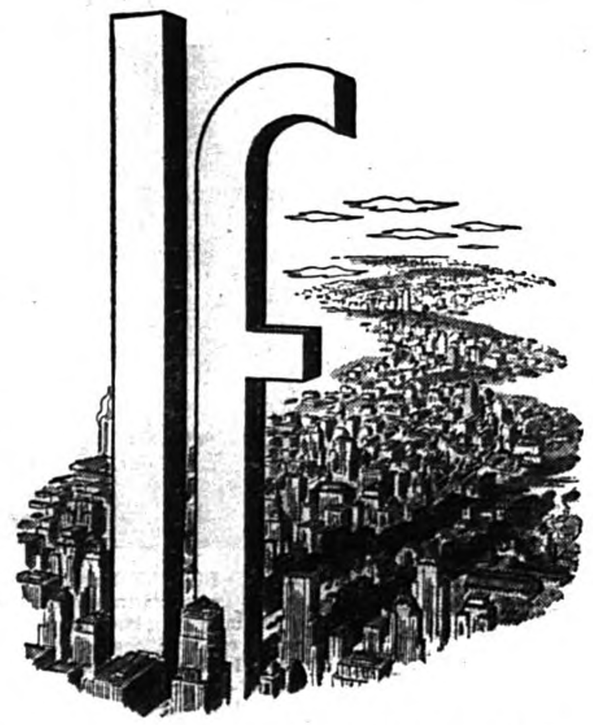
The special coach, carrying a trained nursing sister and three Red Cross aides, is coupled to regular trains and left at sidings anywhere in the wide area served by Western Australia's 3,438 miles of railway. It has been in operation since 1948.

It has an operating compartment, a blood processing section, a rest room and living quarters for the staff of four.

Whenever it arrives at a town, there is always a stream of donors organized through the local Red Cross branch.

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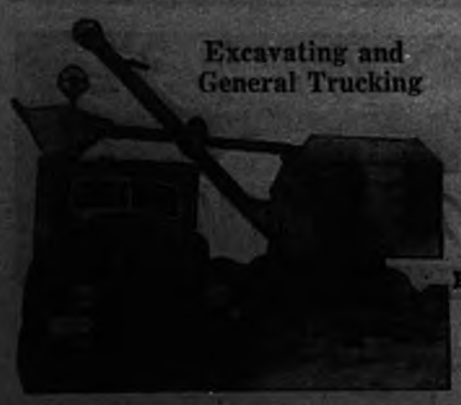
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Around the Home...


TOM GARD'S NOTE BOOK

Was I fooled yesterday! I had been travelling in the country and dropped in on an old friend who had just purchased a fairly large summer hotel. As we relaxed before a comforting blaze in the fireplace I began to rave about the large artistic wrought-iron hinges on all the doors of the huge common room. My host chuckled and said "Come on over and examine them more closely". Imagine my amazement when I found my "artistic wrought-iron hinges" were made of cardboard! There's no denying the fact they were attractive.

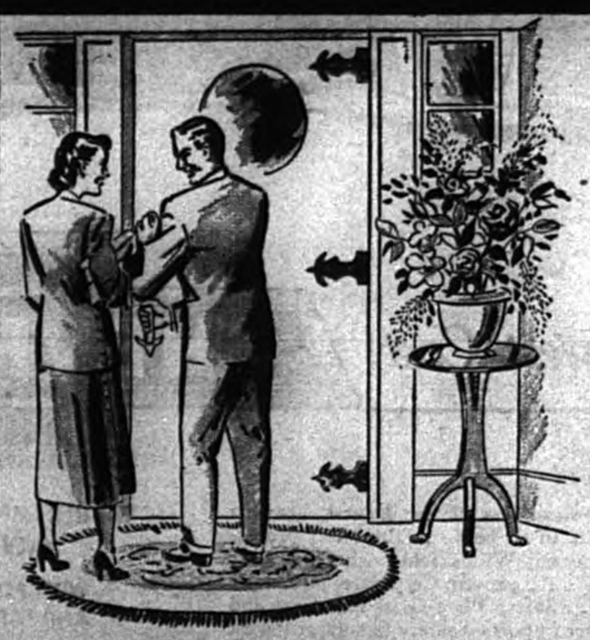
Step Easy

With these April showers I find it difficult to walk across lawns where there is no sidewalk. Just yesterday, right in my own back yard, I sunk almost to my rubber tops on a dirt path that I intended to surface last fall. I am still in a quandary as to which to use—solid paving or stepping stones. In case some others are in the same dilemma, I've had illustrated two or three of the best methods I have seen used.

There's still plenty of usefulness left in an old bureau drawer. The chap across the street has put some to good use about his home. Two of his ideas are shown and both are practical. Junior's toys are stored in the one that is covered and painted a gay color. The other one, made into strong shelves, is in the basement to hold his partially used paint cans.

Make Your Old Linoleum Smile

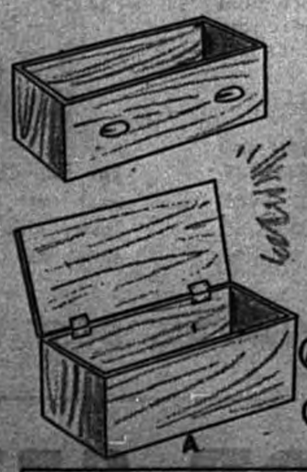
When I moved my family into our present house the agent remarked, "Of course, you'll have to lay a new linoleum in the kitchen". Would he be surprised to see the same linoleum five years and several coats of paint later! It is extremely easy to stipple a painted floor and what is even more important at this time of the year—it won't show the dirt!



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7.30 Evening Worship, Lachute.

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Lakefield, 7 p.m.

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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.
Prayer Thursday 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
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.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
9 a.m. Holy Communion.

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"The Singing Church"
9.45 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
Rev. J. Gordon Duncan, Pastor

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.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector.
St. Matthew's, Grenville
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Holy Trinity, Calumet
9 a.m. Holy Communion.
Kilmar
7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

The Resurrection

Let God be true. — Romans 3:3-4.

Acts 24:15. — There shall be a resurrection of the dead, both the just and the unjust.

John 11:25. — Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: He that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.

1 Cor. 15:21-22. — Since by man came death, by man came also the ressurection of the dead. For as in Adam, all die, even as in Christ shall all be made alive.

John 5:28-29. — Marvel not at this: for the hour cometh in which all that are in the tombs shall hear his voice, and shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of Life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of judgment.

1 Cor., 15: verse 22. — For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.

Is there a person who has not lost a dear relative or friend to the grim reaper death? As millions continue to die the sorrow of those remaining mounts ever higher and many are moved to doubt whether there is a loving God. But before you do this, consider for a moment. Jehovah, the Creator, did not make man to die. Man was placed in a perfect garden home with the right to continue living forever if obedient to his Maker. This happy condition was forfeited through the willful disobedience of Adam who followed the rebel, Satan.

Satan would have this misery continue and mislead the people to charge Jehovah with the responsibility. Actually, however, the loving Creator has provided for release from sorrow and death. And what will that mean? It means the day will come when there will be no more death and you may see your loved ones here upon the earth again. Can you picture in your mind the tranquility of an earth restored to the productive perfection of the garden of Eden and populated by perfect, healthy human creatures? Do you visualize yourself among them? You can be! Learn how by obtaining the 320-page book "Let God Be True", price 35 cents.

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Five Baptisms at Brownsburg Service

Brownsburg — The sacrament of infant baptism was administered last Sunday morning in the Brownsburg United Church, when five babies were so received and named — Caroline Jean, Linda Elizabeth, Margaret Jessie, Perley Wayne and Kenneth James — children, respectively, of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrie, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dixon-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. MacArthur and Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith.

Grenville Consolidated School News

By Martha Richardson

School reopened after the Easter vacation, on Monday, April 17. Most of the pupils appear to have spent a good deal of the holiday outdoors, as there are many tanned faces.

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The pupils attended service at the Anglican Church on Thursday, April 6. The Rev. P. R. Stote, who conducted the service, was assisted by several of the senior pupils.

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Winners of the cushions in the recent drawing were Mrs. Percy Farrara and Mr. Arthur Beauchamp. The raffle was a huge success, and the hopes of the staff and pupils will be realized when the First-Aid room is completely fitted out. Proceeds from the raffle are being spent on this project.

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Two highly interesting films for the smaller children, were shown recently. They are new releases from the Department of Education film library. One, entitled, "Mother Goose Presents", was a colored "puppet show" picture, portraying characters in many of the famous children's stories. The other film, also a puppet show, was "Goolibah Tree" — which depicted many of the little mistakes that children often make in their relationship with each other.

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The pupils are "hard at it" preparing for the coming Music Festival. Interest is running high. Your reporter, and her associates, consider this function one of the highlights of the school year.

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The warm weather has attracted most of the school folk out to the playing field. Many kinds of games are now to be seen in progress. It is hoped that the playground equipment will soon be ready for use.

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The canteen is now located in its new quarters in the basement; it reopened with a very satisfactory rush of business.

Hauling Job Ended In Northern Woods

Yield Is Estimated at 1,000,000 Cords

Port Arthur, Ont. (CP) — An estimated 1,000,000 cords of Northern Ontario's winter timber yield will be delivered this summer to mills in Thunder Bay and neighboring districts.

Hauling operations in bush camps scattered across the northern timberlands near a close with the approach of the spring thaw.

Throughout the winter approximately 7,000 to 8,000 men have been engaged in hauling to rail points and water outlets the wood garnered in the 1949 season, which for most companies ended at

It is expected a large quantity of the wood will be used for newsprint. The total cordage of many companies was not enough to meet the requested quota of the mills. Additional amounts were bought from small operators and farmers.

Some of the estimates are based on the reports of the Thunder Bay Timber Operators' Association. The association has on its rolls 19 leading pulpwood companies, whose operations are connected in a large part with the timber industry at the Lakehead.

Progress of the haul was reported good in most cases. Lengthy cold weather spells caused temporary setbacks but were not considered serious. Shortage of coal also resulted in a decrease of rail transportation service.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. John Falconer spent the early part of this week visiting in Cornwall, Ont.

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Mrs. Norman Holland and Mr. J. R. Carpenter, of Montreal, spent Sunday here visiting their mother, Mrs. Jas. Carpenter.

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Mrs. John R. Stewart, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Robert Leishman.

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Mr. L. J. King, accompanied by Mr. C. E. Ployart, inspector of Quebec High Schools, and Mr. Geo. Y. Deacon, attended a meeting of the Papineau County Central School Board at Buckingham on Monday evening.

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The Rev. E. C. Wood, L.Th., pastor of First Baptist Church, Timmins, Ont., and president of the Union of Regular Baptist Churches of Ontario and Quebec, was a guest at the home of Pastor and Mrs. W. H. Britton on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. John McGibbon, of North Bay, visited with his sister here, Miss May McGibbon, for a few days.

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Mr. Stanley Goldsworthy spent the week-end in Toronto and Stouffville, Ont., where Mrs. Goldsworthy has been visiting latterly with her daughter and son-in-law.

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Mrs. Percy Martin, of Brownsburg, left Wednesday to spend some time in Boston, Mass. She was accompanied by her husband and daughter, Beverley.

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Mrs. R. A. Giles spent a few days visiting in Springfield, Mass.

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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COUNTY W.I.

A board meeting of the Argenteuil County Women's Institutes will be held in the Victoria Hall on Friday, April 28, at 2 p.m. -1c

"TUNDRA TRAILS" (Illustrated Lecture)

A story of the Canadian North, that will appeal to lovers of nature — by Mrs. R. M. Beckett, of Fort William, at Lachute United Church hall, Friday, April 21, at 8.15 p.m. Adm. 40c. A20.3c

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

Lachute High School Glee Club concert will be held on Friday, April 28, at 8.15 p.m., in the Auditorium. Guest artists will be featured on the program. Adm. 50c. A27.3c

CHORAL CONCERT

— By Brownsburg Male Chorus, Tuesday, May 2, 8.30 p.m, at Brownsburg United Church auditorium; under direction of Warner Norman, choir director St. James United Church; with guest soloist and pianist. Adm. 75c. A27.3c

MOTHER'S DAY TEA

The Senior W.A. of St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute, are holding a Mother's Day tea and sale of work, also home-cooking table, on Thursday, May 11, in the church basement. Afternoon tea will be served from 3 to 6 o'clock. M4.2c

TEA AND SALE

The Young Women's Auxiliary of Lachute United Church are holding an afternoon tea and sale of home-cooking and candy on Saturday, April 22, from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. -1c

SPECIAL MEETING

The St. Jerusalem Mutual Fire Insurance Company are holding a general meeting in the Victoria Hall on Monday, April 24, at 8.15 p.m. Applications are ready to be filled in for those requesting insurance, and a large gathering is hoped for.

— Stuart Armstrong, pres.
-1c Sid Patterson, sec.

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Walk in the Advancing Light

The light of understanding of God's Word does not stand still. God is continually causing the prophecies to come to pass, and then He reveals the meaning to His servants. Today this light is increasing at unprecedented speed. The invitation, "Come ye, and let us walk in the light of Jehovah", has therefore never presented a stronger appeal at any previous time. — Isaiah 2:5 (Am. Stan. Ver.).

To whom is this invitation to walk in the light extended? "Light is sown for the righteous, and gladness for the upright in heart." (Psalm 97:11) Surely you are among those whose hearts seek after righteousness and who want the gladness that comes only with knowing the truth. Being one of these you should read

THE WATCHTOWER

"The Watchtower" is a semi-monthly magazine devoted exclusively to the consideration of God's Word. It is the channel used to convey to truth-hungry people the comparisons between the events of our day and what the prophecies foretold would occur. Its pages reflect the advancing light, making it readily accessible.

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Attends Convention of Metropolitan Life Leading Salesmen

Lucien Savard, local representative for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., has again qualified for the Leaders' Club in the company, and is at present attending a convention of this group, held at Niagara Falls from April 18 to 23.

Halifax (CP) — Fourteen months ago a campaign began to raise $1,175,00 for a new Y.M.C.A. community centre in Halifax. The first sod for the new building was turned recently by Lieutenant-Governor J. A. D. McCurdy.

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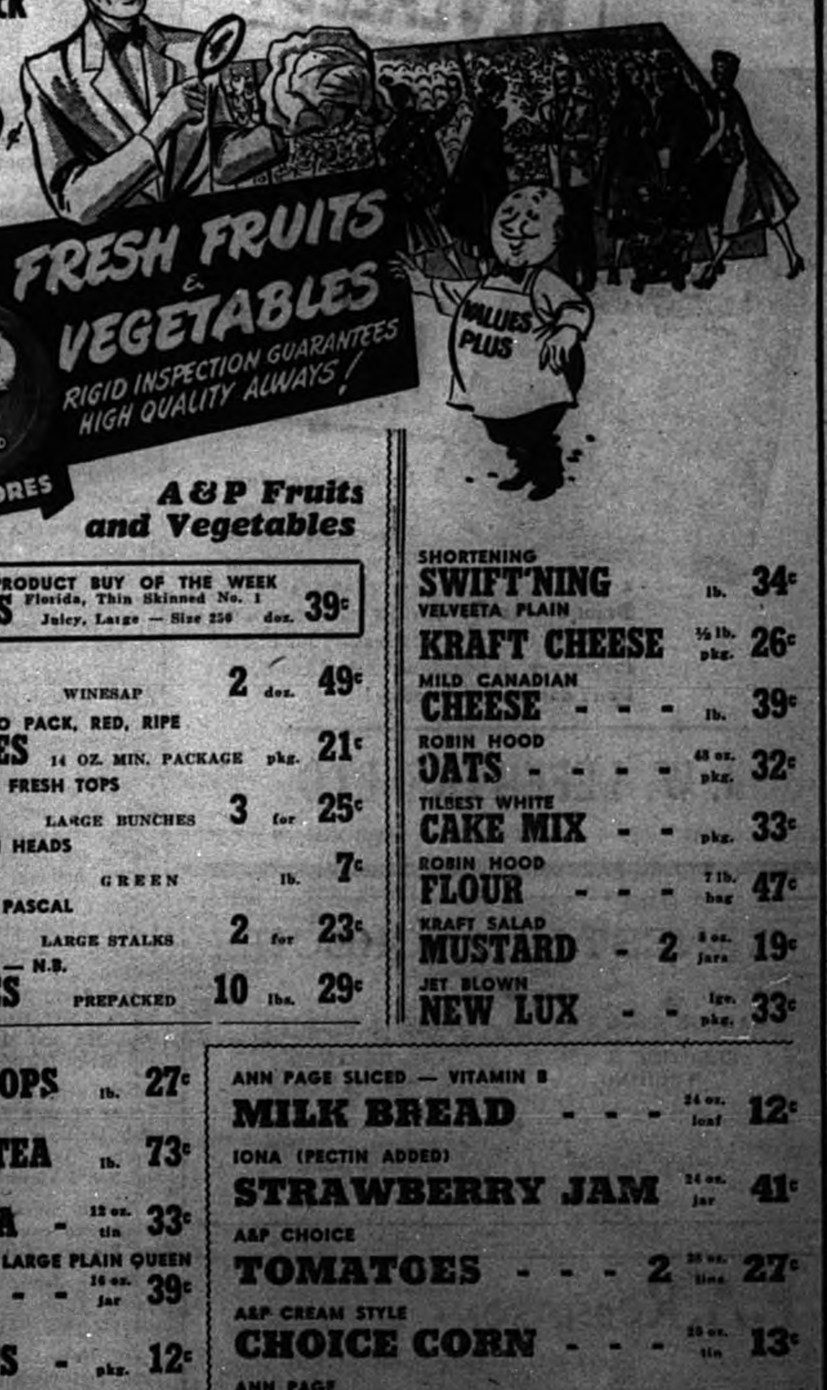
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Mrs. W. J. Pitcairn returned from Como on Tuesday.

Miss F. Findlay has returned from Granby, Que., where she spent the Easter holidays.

Miss E. J. Bartlett spent the holidays at Montreal and Cowansville.

Mr. Vernon Rayson left Monday to resume his duties aboard ship.

Mr. Gaston Charbonneau is demolishing an old business establishment, to replace it by a new modern restaurant, with living quarters contained in the building. During the construction the business is to be carried on in the old section, which is to be moved to the adjoining lot.

The Thank-Offering of the United Church W.M.S. was held in the church on Wednesday evening. The address was given by the Rev. Dr. W. MacMillan.

Miss A. L. Wales and Miss Janet Wallace were in Montreal on Saturday to attend the marriage of Miss Nancy Smith to Mr. Gordon Harvey, which took place in Chalmers United Church, Verdun, and was followed by a reception in Victoria Hall, Westmount.

Miss Wales remained in Montreal until Tuesday to attend the opening of the exhibition of pictures sponsored by the Montreal Amateur Art Club.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder and Mr. Billy Calder were in Montreal Saturday to attend the marriage of Mr. Geo. DeWitt, formerly of St. Andrews East, to Miss Ann Anderson, which took place in the Erskine American United Church. The reception was held in the Ritz-Carleton Hotel. Later the happy couple left by plane to spend their honeymoon in Washington, D.C.

Mrs. Geo. Perks passed away very suddenly Monday afternoon. To the bereaved family we extend our sincere sympathy.

Miss Shirley O'Brien, who is attending Lachute High School, spent the Easter holidays at her home in Carillon. Miss Eileen O'Brien was also a recent guest at her home.

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A successful "500" card party was held in the church hall Saturday evening. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Geo. Clifton, the gentlemen's prize by Mr. Richard Weldon, and the consolation prizes by Mrs. T. H. Greenbank and Mr. Henry Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig with their son, John, of Lakeside Heights, spent the week-end at the home of Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Masters Wendell and Donald MacLean, of Montreal, returned home Friday after spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. Geo. Clifton.

The many friends of Mrs. Robt. Williams were pleased to see her return home on Friday after spending some time in hospital in Montreal.

Miss Joyce McConnell, who is attending school in Montreal, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beaven.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Courte, of Rouge Valley, are spending the present week visiting friends here.

Miss Shirley Williams spent the holidays as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Laurin at Huberdeau.

Mrs. A. Larose spent Sunday visiting friends in Arundel.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth and family, accompanied by Miss Barbara Thou, of Arundel, and Miss Esther Gelinas, of Montreal, visited with Mrs. Robt. Williams on Sunday.

Avoca

Mr. James Bates, of Lachute, visited his brother, Hugh, for a few days last week. His friends are pleased to know he is improveing slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Bates and Mr. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacPhee spent the Easter holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly and Kathleen Carolyn, in Aylmer, Que. Mrs. MacPhee and Mrs. Kelly spent Thursday last in Lachute, the guests of Miss Marian Slater.

Miss M. Wright, of Inverness, has resumed her duties at School No. 3 after spending the holidays with her parents.

Mr. Douglas Kelly visited friends in Port Colborne, Ont., for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates, of Lachute, Mr. Evan Bates, and Miss Flora MacLeod, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates, Sr., at Easter.

Mrs. Thos. J. Young visited Mrs. Karr on Easter Sunday.

Miss Voilet Tomachevsky spent a few days last week in Montreal, visiting her mother, who is a patient in the General Hospital.

Mrs. Charles Bates visited her father, Mr. W. MacRae, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brown, of Lachute, and Mrs. Bowers, of Toronto, visited their farm on Sunday last.

The Misses Ethel and Evelyn Arthurs and friends, of Ottawa, spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Young visited friends in Sheffield, Mass., and New York, during the Easter holiday.

Mr. Colbert Gunn, of Mattawa, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Edward C. Young, during the holidays.

Mr. Alvin Young, of Port Colborne, spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Young, and other friends.

Miss Lorna Kelly and Mr. Gordon Young spent a few days in Montreal visiting the former's little brother, Harry, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Messrs. Gerald and Tom Kelly spent two weeks with friends in the Welland district.

Master Jerry Andrews and his sister, Joyce, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews.

Mr. Garnet MacLeod, of Montreal, and Miss Maureen Ball, of Verdun, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod during the holidays.

The Rev. S. J. Pike will conduct service in the Church of St. Andrew on April 30, at the usual hour.

Mrs. A. MacPhee wishes to thank all who were kind enough to send in their Red Cross cards with subscriptions, also Miss Beatrice Smythe, of Pte. au Chene, who assisted in the good work. The total collection for Avoca and Pte. au Chene was $55.

Mr. James Arthurs, of Hoyt, N.B., who has spent the winter with his mother and brother, William, has now returned to his home.

Harrington

Mr. and Mrs. A. McRae and family, of Renfrew, visited here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail and family, also Mr. and Mrs. Denis Swail and son, Terry, visited in Arundel on Sunday.

Proceeds of the recent Red Cross campaign for Harrington amounted to $105.15.

Miss Wilma Davidson has returned after spending the Easter holidays at her home in Kinnear's Mills.

Mr. Murray McCullough, of Renfrew, visited with his mother over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Poulter, of Ottawa, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Poulter, Sr., at Rivington.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Provencal and daughter, Nancy, returned home Sunday after spending a week in Montreal.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Provencal were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Provencal and daughter, Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Young and family, of Kilmar.

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(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCullough, of Montreal, and Mrs. R. McCullough, visited relatives in Renfrew, Ont., over the week-end.

Miss Pearl McRae has been spending the Easter holidays with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen McRae, in Renfrew.

Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, has spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Mrs. D. Millar, of St. Lambert, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. Marshall.

The Harrington Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. C. McMahon.

Miss Gertie Hoyle and Miss N. Helm, of Montreal, have been spending the Easter holidays as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

Mrs. V. McVicar returned home after spending a week with relatives in Toronto.

Miss Edith McCullough, of Renfrew, visited with her mother over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dent and son, of Thurso, spent Easter with Mrs. Dent's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meyer, Rivington.

Mrs. L. M. Marshall is a patient in the Herbert Reddy Memorial Hospital. The people of the community wish her a speedy recovery.

Cushing

Mrs. T. C. Hawkins, of Verdun, spent the week-end with Mrs. L. M. Gaston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cushing, of Montreal, and little daughter, Sheril Lynne, also Mr. Roy Coghill, occupied their "Mill-side Cottage" on Sunday and were guests for a short time of Mrs. W. Y. King.

Mrs. I. H. Fuller spent Thursday with friends in Montreal and Verdun.

Mrs. J. A. Bradley, of Carillon, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

Mr. S. Pinkerton, of Montreal, visited at the Dobbie home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dougall and little son, Graham, of Verdun, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham. Miss Elsie Graham returned to Verdun with them.

Mr. M. Wilson spent the week-end at his Cushing home.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham's on Sunday were Mrs. J. A. Scott and Mr. Thomas Pollock, of Lachute.

Mrs. W. Y. King entertained the Thank-Offering meeting of St. Mungo's W.M.S. on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Prieur, of Glen Norman, and daughter, Therese, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. St. Louis on Sunday. Little Aline, who had been spending the week with her grandparents, returned to Cushing with them.

Mrs. S. H. Beecher, of Montreal and Cushing, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. L. Maw, is sailing on the Empress of Canada on April 21, for a trip abroad. They will visit London, Dieppe, Paris, Rome, Milan, Lucerne, Belgium and Luxembourg. While in Rome they will go to Ravenna to visit the grave of Mrs. Beecher's son, who gave his life for his country in World War II.

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Mrs. Jessie Margaret Crack Stewart, widow of Robert Andrew Stewart, and for many years a teacher in this province, died Saturday at her home in Montreal. Burial took place at Danville, Que., on Tuesday.

The late Mrs. Stewart was 78 years of age. Although going back to the early part of this century, there are still many in this community who will remember her as a teacher in Lachute High School.

Born and educated at Danville, she taught in Protestant schools at New Rockland, Chelsea, Lachute and Montreal, where she was principal of the Delorimier school for 14 years before her retirement in 1928.

Her husband, clerk of the Circuit Court of Montreal, died in 1945.

She is survived by two sons, Gordon Grant, clerk in Magistrate's Court, and Hugh Miller, teacher at Baron Byng School for the last 20 years, and a sister, Mrs. B. F. Olney, of Danville.



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Here are a few of the cooking hints included: —

Milk: In heating milk, use very low heat, do not boil. . . use a double boiler, if possible. If a scum forms when scalding milk, do not discard it since it conains valuable milk solids. To prevent milk from sticking during heating, rinse pan with cold water or lightly grease the bottom of the pan.

Cheese: Cook cheese at a low temperature. High temperature toughens proteins and therefore makes cheese less easily digested. When making cheese sauce, add cheese at the last and cook only until melted.

Any uncooked mixture of cheese, eggs and milk to be cooked in the oven, should be oven-poached, that is, placed in a pan of hot water, in a moderate oven. Scalloped or other cheese dishes made with cooked foods should be baked for only sufficient time to thoroughly heat the mixture.

Fruit: Fruit should be cooked slowly, either simmered, steamed or baked in a small quantity of water. Less sugar will be required, the fruit will be more tender and the flavor better if the sugar is added after the fruit is cooked. Dried fruits should be washed thoroughly before cooking.

Cereals and Flours: Cereals should be well cooked to develop flavor and make them easily digested. To avoid lumping, sprinkle the cereal gradually into boiling, salted water, stirring constantly, until thickened. Cook over direct heat a few minutes then finish over hot water.

To use all-purpose flour in place of pastry flour, allow two tablespoons less per cup.

The following amounts of starches and flours have the same thickening power: 1 tablespoon cornstarch; 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour; 1 tablespoon plus ½ teaspoon potato or rice flour or wheat starch.

Meat and Poultry: Meat and poultry are more tender and juicy and shrink less if cooked at low temperature. Roast meat and poultry in a slow to moderate oven, uncovered, without the addition of water. Less tender cuts need long, slow cooking in moist heat (pot roasting, braising, stewing) to make them tender.

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Cream Gravy: Pour off all but ⅓ cup salad oil used for frying. Add ¼ cup of the seasoned flour left from coating chicken. Blend well. Gradually add 3 cups milk, stirring constantly with wooden spoon. Bring to a boil and boil 2 minutes. Add additional salt and pepper to taste. Makes 4 to 5 servings.

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"Sports Camera"

By Wally Izsak

Most people don't have much trouble counting to one. Most people, that is, with the exception of baseball players.

A previous column following a mid-winter meeting of baseball's rule-makers outlined the most drastic rule change made — the balk rule. The rule is simple enough. All it says is that with a man on base the pitcher now must come to a full stop for one second before pitching the ball.

Previously the rule only said the pitcher must stop before throwing — nothing was said about periods of time.

But that "one-second" designation has caused a great deal of bewilderment and disruption to date in 1950.

It appears that most pitchers can't count to one.

Take, for example, the Pacific Coast League which opened long ahead of the other circuits. In the first week alone 44 balks were called. And when a balk is called the runner automatically advances one base. So that's 44 free bases handed out by pitchers in that one week.

To most fans the problem seems easy enough to solve. Why doesn't the pitcher just recite to himself something like, "one, one thousand", or "one, two" and fire away safely.

Hard In Tight Spots

It's easy to say. But the major leagues are loaded with rookies — and a lot of veterans — who panic easily when the pressure of men on bases faces them.

Imagine the score tied 1-1 in the last half of the ninth. Two men are out and the count is 3-2 on the batter with a runner on third. The pitcher, knowing his next toss may decide the fate of the game, watches the runner, watches for his pitching sign from the catcher, wraps his fingers for the pitch and starts is stretch as fans and opposing players alike ride him.

At this point he must remember to stop for one full second before delivering. It can't be easy.

Then there's the factor of the umpire. The man in blue may not agree at the point with the pitcher on just how long a second is and call a balk. Or he may miss a balk by one team right after he called one against the other club. That would bring a long and loud yelp from the balking team.

The new rule affected the major leagues so much in spring training that one manager — Leo Durocher of the New York Giants — said he would slap a $10 fine on each hurler committing the offence.

It now appears as though the same men who instituted the rule must get together again and clarify it or a lot of teams will suffer greatly once the leagues get well into the schedule grind.

There's another bad thing that may result from the pitchers not being able to distinguish that one second. With so many players getting extra bases through balks we might be seeing a lot fewer stolen bases and sacrifices for the simple reason that it would not be worth chancing the plays.

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Interests Among W. Inst. Branches Extend to Many Constructive Aims

APRIL SESSIONS REPORTED BY COUNTY GROUPS

Brownsburg W.I. branch had an attendance of 28 members and five guests at their April meeting, when Mr. J. S. Giles of Lachute was guest speaker. The sum of $5 was donated to the Boy Scouts and the same amount to the Girl Guides. Flannelette blankets and kitchen utensils to the value of $10 were given to fire sufferers. A food parcel was sent to a W.I. branch in England for their Jubilee anniversary, and another food parcel was sent overseas. Two life membership pins were presented, to Mrs. Paul Martin and Mrs. Bertha Enlow. A course in rug-making was planned for later in the month. A musical program at the end of the meeting was enjoyed by all present.

Frontier branch sent a donation towards Mrs. Thompson's overseas trip. A panel discussion was held on items from the press dealing with the different departments of W.I. work. A word-making contest was held, winners being Mrs. P. Clark, Mrs. A. Murdoch and Mrs. L. M. Gaston. Twenty-one members and three visitors attended this meeting.

Lachute had three new members. Mrs. Geo. Leggett, county president, asked this branch to make articles for the exhibition in Ottawa this fall. Thirteen new books were bought for the library and six more were donated. Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon gave a reading expressing thoughts on Eastertide. Mr. S. Milnes kindly showed two beautifully colored films representing Ayers Limited and many other scenes in the community. At the close of the meeting tea was served around the fireside.

Owing to inclement weather, attendance at the Morin Heights meeting was smaller than usual. The roll-call was answered with a spring salad recipe. An overseas parcel is to be packed by two members this month. Mrs. F. Muncey, convener of Home Economics, gave each member a list of articles to be made for the Lachute Fair in June and asked that as many articles as possible be made. Miss Birch visited this branch and gave a course in rug-making. During the evening, members made paper roses to be sold by the Boy Scouts for St. George's Day, April 23. Blue Cross fees were paid. A collection of used clothing is being made to be sent to the Salvation Army before May 2.

Home Economics was the theme of Pioneer branch meeting, when a pressure cooker demonstration was given and a discussion on rug-making was held. The Ottawa Fair exhibit list was also discussed. Plans were made to attend the county convention in Arundel in May. Articles in the form of a kitchen shower were given to a fire sufferer.

Upper Lachute - East End branch heard a talk and demonstration on the transplanting of young plants, by Mr. Albt. Ogilvie, of Lachute. Mr. Ogilvie also answered questions regarding the destruction of garden pests, plant diseases, etc. The roll-call was, "What I plant first in my garden".

Arundel Council and Wives Entertained

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel—The municipal council of Arundel have moved into their new quarters in the Arundel School, where all future meetings will be held. Following the adjournment of the last council meeting, the secretary, councillors and their wives were entertained by Mayor R. B. Henry and Mrs. Henry.

Organizing Blood Donor Clinic, May 17, For Red Cross Free Transfusion Service

Lachute branch of the Red Cross is martialling its organization to co-operate again in the Red Cross Free Blood Transfusion Service — for which purpose a blood donor clinic will be held here May 17 next, from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m., in Lachute Auditorium.

The list of hospitals giving benefit of this service to their patients, now reaches an imposing number, with a total of 25 in Montreal, 11 in neighboring centres (including the Providence Hospital, Lachute) and six others pending.

Organizers for the mobile clinic, visiting in Lachute this week, state that in the past 14 months blood donations received, and given, have reached a total of 30,000 — representing a saving of $750,000 to hospital patients, to whom transfusions are given free of charge. These figures illustrate the high humanitarian value of the service. The organizers stress, however, that this work is made possible only to the extent to which volunteers respond at the blood donor clinics. And to justify the organization and expense entailed, there should be an enrolment of 300 - 400 donors at each clinic.

As donors are not asked to contribute blood more than three times a year, no prospective volunteer need have any fear of possible ill-effects from the giving of blood. The process has no noticeable effect on a healthy person.

As the date approaches, local residents are urged to seriously consider their capabilities in promoting this fine enterprise, and to hand in their names as voluntary donors.

Convener of the project here, on behalf of the Red Cross, is Mrs. Geo. McGibbon, while Mrs. H. Rigg will again have charge of secretarial work and enrolment (telephone 337-W).

Lecturer Portrays Canadian North

There was an encouraging response on Friday last, when the Y.P.U. of Lachute United Church sponsored an illustrated lecture by Mrs. R. M. Beckett, of Fort William; the attendance surpassed all expectations of the executive.

For those fortunate enough to attend, the evening proved thoroughly interesting and well spent. Mrs. Beckett, who has been in Fort William for over 20 years, and has been in the Canadian northland on many annual visits, gave as her subject "Tundra Trails", a lecture that was full of interest to both young and old. Colored films, which had been photographed by the speaker personally, gave a fine portrayal and presented the colorful contrast of this robust, growing land in the Canadian north.

For her introduction, Mrs. Beckett described the great possibilities of the port of Churchill, the already important role that is being played there in the meteorological and radio field, and the many openings that will be afforded in the near future for the youth of Canada. That this heritage of ours covers an expanse from south to north, as from east to west, a distance of three thousand miles, is an important fact that we lose sight of, was one of the speaker's major points. She told of the many construction projects now under way in this vast north, and explained that, though the shipping season is short, Churchill port can mean millions of dollars saved to the western farmers, if the facilities are developed. The problem of return cargoes still faces the shipping industry there, as many of the ships return with very small cargoes.

Many fine films were shown of the Canadian Arctic, these having been taken on a trip by Mrs. Beckett, and her description proved of intense historical interest, as stories of the far north were told, and history retold. Pictures of Fort Prince of Wales were of particular appeal, and one gleaned a closer understanding of that great fort's capitulation, when shown the geographical region around, and the massive construction of the fort.

Beautiful studies of floral grandeur and wild-life were also shown and described. Though the smaller plants grow very rapidly in the short season, it was interesting to note that the few trees that dot the landscape were minute in stature. To illustrate this point, the lecturer remarked that a tree nine inches in diameter would possibly be about three hundred and fifty years old.

The speaker was ably introduced by Mrs. Perry on behalf of the Y.P.U., and a vote of thanks was expressed by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough.

Regulation of Potato Wagons

An impression that chip-potato wagons were banned on the streets of Lachute through a council ruling last fall — has given rise to public questioning as these mobile cookshops appear once again with the arrival of spring.

Information from the police authorities throws light on this matter, as dealt with in the town's newly-revised traffic by-law. The by-law, as it now stands, provides that no potato wagons may operate in the central section of town — that is, north of the C.P.R. from east ward as far west as the river at Barron's Bridge. Beyond these limits — west on Main Street, in Lachute Mills and in other sections — there is no restriction against these conveyances on the thoroughfare (except that the police may order their removal where causing congestion or a public nuisance).

The Watchman questioned Police Chief Villeneuve as to the operation of these businesses on private property. Under these conditions, it seems, they come under the provincial regulations concerning restaurants and eating places, which are required to have running water and wash-room facilities. Therefore chip-potato wagons, which have neither of these conveniences, cannot operate on private property anywhere in town.

It is understood that there will be no civic licenses issued whatever for this type of business in 1951.

Restrictions Lifted On Fox Hunting

Quebec, April 24 (CP) — Fox hunting now will be permitted all year round, by Order-in-Council adopted by the Provincial Cabinet and published in the Quebec Official Gazette.

By another Order-in-Council, the cabinet renewed a three-year-old order banning the sale of moose, deer and caribou meat. The order is effective for another three years.

The Order-in-Council allowing year-round fox hunting says that fox fur brings a "derisive" price and is not worth trapping for the time being. The fox also destroys partridges, hares and hens.

ALL TOES AMPUTATED WON'T STOP TRAPPER

Edmonton (CP) — Although all his toes have been amputated, 70-year-old Tom Evans of Fort Chipewyan, Alta., is determined to return to the rugged trapper's life he has followed for the last 28 years.

Doctors here have decided that Tom's feet are healed sufficiently to allow him to leave hospital.

"Just in time, too", said Tom. "I've got to get back north for the muskrat season. It'll be opening soon."

The grizzled northerner says he wouldn't trade his trapline for even a new pair of feet.

Tom froze both feet on the coldest day of the winter in 1948 when he fell through the lake ice up to his waist. He walked four miles to shore and four days later was flown to a hospital.

The life-span of the average family auto has doubled in the past 25 years, reports SKF Industries, Inc. Today's car can be expected to have 12 years of service and 103,000 miles behind it before reaching the junk heap.

Entries Coming in For Lachute Fair

Space at the Lachute Spring Fair in June has been requested for the Vernon Cardy light horse entries, which are considered as among the highest-class stables in America. Enquiries from other leading horse fanciers have also been received by Alex Bothwell, secretary-manager, indicating keen competition in the horse show, which gains in prestige with every annual exhibition at Lachute.

With over $15,000 in prizes, Lachute Fair ranks as the largest spring exhibition in Eastern Canada. Substantial purses again give assurance of good competition in the horse-racing. Delbert McTavish, who was in the news this week buying top-priced pacers and trotters at the Saratoga annual auction, will have entries on the track making a bid for the honors — and the rewards. Full publicity will be given on the various attractions as the four-day program rounds into shape. Meanwhile the various committeemen are overlooking no detail to ensure the success of this big event.

Chatham waterworks installation will permit the addition of better water and drainage facilities at the grounds this year. A new pipeline has already been laid for watering of livestock in the horse and cattle stables. The grounds committee also reports repairs completed on the grandstand.

Scout 'Rover Crew' For Brownsburg

Brownsburg — Rover Scouts, the senior group of the Scout family, have become almost a reality in Brownsburg with the formation of a Yeoman Crew, which takes in the older boys of the Troop and their leaders. When they complete their initial training the members will form the nucleus of the first Rover Crew to be operated in Brownsburg in many years.

The boys who are moving up from the Scout ranks are — Billy Cribb, Troop Leader; George Gordon, Troop Leader; Robert Johnston, Patrol Leader; Greg Mason, Patrol Leader; Ronald Kennedy, Patrol Second; and Lorne Brewer.

Rovering is an outdoor brotherhood with a motto of "Service". It is in Rovering that the older boy learns to apply his Scouting knowledge to serving the community and to continue his own training to become a better citizen. The outdoor spirit was shown last weekend when five of the newly-formed crew bicycled to Thurso, about 50 miles up the Ottawa River, camped overnight and returned the next day.

Two new Patrol Leaders were recently appointed to take over the leadership duties in the Bulldog and Eagle Patrols. They are George Pasco and Bernard Golphin, respectively; both were previously Patrol Seconds. New Patrol Seconds chosen are Charles Duncan of the Otter Patrol, and Francois Robert of the Bulldog Patrol.

The patrol competition finished at Easter, with Bulldog Patrol the winners for the second successive time. The members at that time were Patrol Leader Bobby Warwick; 2nd George Pasco; and Scouts Charles Duncan, Francois Robert, Lorne Brewer, Keith Hazel, Ralph Nelson and Vincent Trayers.

MINISTER NOT "VITAL",

Stowmarket, England (CP) — A building license for a house for the Congregational minister here was refused because he was not "a key worker in an industry vital for national recovery and the export drive."

Clocks Advance at Midnight Saturday

Advanced time will be adopted here at midnight Saturday. Clocks should be set ahead one hour accordingly, and readers are reminded to take note of changes in church services and rail schedules in effect the following day, Sunday.

Parish Vicar Leaves for Rome

The vicar of Ste. Anastasie, the Rev. Father Jean Paul Savage, leaves this Saturday to join the Holy Year pilgrimage to Rome — sailing by the Queen Elizabeth from Halifax.

After 14 years of faithful service to the parish, during which he has won the affection and esteem of all local Catholics, Father Savage is being delegated to represent the people of Ste. Anastasie on this pilgrimage abroad. It was the parishioners who subscribed, in generous amounts, to finance his trip. At three masses held on a recent Sunday, a collection of $1,500 was handed in for this purpose. Various parish groups and individuals have since made contributions, totalling altogether $2,500. . Last Sunday, the Rev. Savage publicly thanked the people for their great generosity and bade them Au Revoir. With the intention of visiting the principal centres of interest in Italy, Europe and the British Isles, he will be absent betweent two and three months from his parochial duties.

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In a Circle

A mother and her young daughter were walking up Maple Avenue on opposite sides of the road last week. A young man trying out his new Ford was driving along the street in the opposite direction. He was closely followed by another car, of doubtful vintage. Thus they proceeded along the road. When the mother saw the Ford approaching she called to her little girl, who immediately rushed across the street. The young man in the new car slammed on his brakes to avoid hitting the little girl. He stopped suddenly, the girl escaping unhurt. The owner of the doubtful model sailed merrily into the rear of the Ford. Well — you know what happens in such cases; this was no exception.

Freedom of the Press

A newsagent's stand has been erected beside the post-office building, not without some misgiving of the detrimental effect on the value of some of the surrounding buildings. Dressed up in a new covering of log siding it is, however, quite nice, and its utility outweighs considerations of its landscaping effect. Its first appearance on the scene aroused many to inquire of the corporation's building laws. Property-owners are fearful of the effect the erection of a disreputable building might have on the valuation of a residence. The council is expected to consider this matter in the near future.

Notices and Barricades

The guard-railings erected by the Roads authorities at three of the bridges in the vicinity are in poor condition. Perhaps it is early to expect the road workers to have the ravages of winter repaired. Nevertheless, it is imperative that due attention be paid to such open invitations to accident as these guard-rails provide. The signs along the highway also suffered considerably during the winter, and an early replacement would be appreciated. The signs at the village approaches should also denote the 30-mile limit on automobiles, of which there was some doubt last summer.

Up!

Towering high above the surrounding buildings is the 40-foot cross atop the church of St. Louis de France on the hill. This new tri-steeple is nearing completion and is several feet higher than the one it replaces. Great improvements have been made to this beautiful church during the last year. The Rev. Father Vitalis Bouchard, energetic parish priest, deserves high tribute for his work in making this possible. In the evening of a full life, when most others would be content to rest upon the laurels and achievements of a busy mission, Fr. Bouchard is hard at work enriching, beautifying and creating. . . "Abeunt studia in mores, aere perennius".

Good-bye and Howdy-do

I think it was James Whitcomb Riley who wrote in a poem that the two salutations above should be said close together. We are coupling them pretty close now in wishing our popular school principal, Dennis Staniforth, and his equally popular wife, farewell on their departure from Brownsburg, after more years than perhaps they would care to remember in the teaching service of its people. We hope to say Howdy-do before much time has passed and welcome them back again.

Principal Staniforth has seen little girls come shyly to school on their first term and pass through the various grades on their way to school-leaving — then settle down and send their offspring for his care and guidance, till they in turn obtained their leaving certificate. He became almost an institution in himself.

I never went to school to Dennis; perhaps that is why I never advanced along the plane of progressive education. Some of his pupils who went far in those fields and who met success at the hands of great teachers and great institutions of learning — who experienced the methods of expert teachers and availed themselves of the most modern, scientific educational clinics — have returned to say that the foundation they were shown how to build by Dennis Staniforth, was the basis upon which their intellectual advancement was cultivated and nurtured with facile accomplishment.

Mr. and Mrs. Staniforth have seen fit to make a change. They are taking up residence at St. Eustache, where Dennis has been appointed principal of the St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac school. We are sorry to see them go but we wish them every success and a hearty Bon Voyage to their new environment.

Police Juvenile Club

It is but three years since Det. Capt. Pelletier, of Montreal, conceived the idea of organizing clubs among the boys to assist the police

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Maple Syrup Export 1950 Season Is "Big Business" in These Parts

LARGE QUANTITIES CONSIGNED FOR U.S. MARKET

Responding to a rumor that a certain establishment here was all gummed up with maple syrup, The Watchman launched enquiries and discovered, at D. G. Simon's feed store on Foundry Street, an accumulation of the season's syrup which is an eye-opener to the extent of production and the value of the crop in this community.

Doug Simon is shipping in a big way — to Confederated Foods of Canada, at Delta, Ont., and the supplies will ultimately be directed to the U.S. market. At the moment he has a quantity of syrup probably the largest assembled for shipment at any Eastern Canadian point this season. His warehouse presents a scene packed with cans, drums and sealed containers, containing a total of between 12,000 and 13,000 gallons, and valued wholesale at approximately $35,000. Mr. Simon has purchased supplies from around the countryside at prices ranging from 17 cents to 25 cents a pound, and farmers having a surplus have been glad to take advantage of this ready market. The syrup has been purchased from producers in Argenteuil and Two Mountains; and this appreciable income of $35,000 is welcome money coming into the community from an outside source. . . The consignment will be shipped from Lachute in three, perhaps four, C.P.R. freight cars.

This large export is indication of a prolific maple crop in this vicinity, as contrasting with reports of a disappointing output in the Eastern Townships, a major centre of syrup production in the province.

Visualizing the scenes behind this big harvest, one may speculate on the man-hours expended in the wood-lots of this vicinity during the past month — the immense amount of sap gathered in cans and tanks from thousands of maples (it takes 25-40 gallons of sap to produce a gallon of syrup); the innumerable cords of wood burned beneath evaporators in the steaming shanties; the careful straining, canning and transporting of the amber crop. . . . The D. G. Simon enterprise deserves credit for tuning in on a big export market to reward these strenuous labors.

In England there have been demonstrations of a new auto horn that "whispers" at close range but at the same time is audible at a considerable distance.

Montreal Musicians Will Adjudicate at School Music Festival Here on May 6

Preparations for the School Music Festival to be held here on May 6 are now being completed. There will be over 800 pupils participating at different times during the day, in choral, vocal, piano, instrumental, rhythm bands, choral speaking and band classes. The pupils are coming from Arundel, Grenville, St. Andrews, Morin Heights, St. Eustache, Lakefield, Kilmar, Brownsburg and Lachute.

Because of the large number of entries, the festival will be held in two places: the choral and vocal classes in the Lachute Auditorium, and the piano and other instrumental contests in the new music room at the High School. The morning session will last from 9.30 to 12.30 and the afternoon session from 1.30 to 4.30. The evening concert will feature the best participants from each of the schools taking part in the festival.

The organizers are fortunate in obtaining the services of two very capable musicians to adjudicate at the festival. Mr. Harry Norris is well known as a director of Gilbert and Sullivan operettas. He has been director of the d'Oyly Carte Opera Company in London, England, and is now director of the Montreal West Operatic Society, who only a few weeks ago gave a splendid performance of "The Mikado". Mr. Norris is music specialist at Montreal West High School. Last year he adjudicated at the N.D.G. Festival in Montreal. Mr. Norris is going to preside over the piano and instrumental classes at the festival here.

Mr. S. McKyes is music specialist in Westmount and is well known for his training of young people in choral work. Mr. McKyes will look after the adjudication of the choral groups and vocal solos.

A highlight of the festival will be the performance of the Inter-School Symphony Orchestra of Montreal, who are coming to Lachute that day to present a concert for all the participants of the festival, between 4.30 and 5 p.m. In the evening concert, the last 45 minutes will be devoted to selections by this orchestra. The Inter-School Orchestra is composed of over 50 pupils, directed by Mr. Elvin, who is a very capable music specialist in Montreal and also director of Montreal Junior Symphony Orchestra.

The "Plus" Factor in Citizenship

• By SARA LESLIE BELL,

What makes a good citizen? . . Most of us, I imagine, think we know the answer to that one. But, usually, the picture that develops from a definition of good citizenship is a colorless mixture: civic loyalty in terms of obeying traffic regulations, co-operating with the police force, swatting the fly, garbage cans, and buying tickets for the Firemen's Benefit Dance! It seems to be a matter of not breaking the law, rather than of going all out for creative citizenship — citizenship - *plus*.

Here's an illustration of what I mean by *plus*.

Last week, a friend of mine passed a group of small boys. Glancing down the street one of them said. "Perhaps he's dead". Farther on, my friend came upon another little boy lying very still in the snow. "Are you hurt?" she inquired.

"Yes", he told her — the boys had thrown him off the sidewalk and he had struck his head on the ice as he fell. "I know where those boys live", he told my friend as she helped him to his feet, "and if I tell my big brother he'll go and kick the pants off them".

"Have they big brothers too?"

"Sure", came the reply. As they discussed the question of reprisals, my friend tried to show this child that passing up the fight from junior boys to big brothers wouldn't settle a thing.

"With your older brothers fighting in your places aren't we just about where we were when we started?" she asked the small boy. Finally she got the name of the boy's class teacher and suggested getting in touch with him herself. The boy assented, rather dubiously, and they parted. Later, over the telephone, the teacher thanked my friend heartily, surprised at this bit of public service from a stranger. He explained that his school encouraged inter-racial comradeship by every means; actually they had succeeded pretty well. But now and then with the advent of new boys, partisan spirit flared up again in the sort of incident she had seen. They agreed that we can't reasonably expect to have International understanding and lasting peace until we are able to keep racial and religious antagonism out of our schools. Peace and International brotherhood begin in our homes and amongst our school-children. You may be thinking this was definitely something for the boy's parents to take up with the school authorities; that my friend had no business to interfere. I don't agree. Her action was good citizenship - *plus*. I'm not a parent, but I do know how difficult it is for parents to remain objective in situations which concern their children. A stranger would have more weight with the teacher than the boy's parents.

Here's another illustration of good citizenship. . . A man I know in another province (we'll call him Jim because that isn't his name) was made foreman of a jury, called to sift evidence and decide whether certain cases should come up for trial or be thrown out.

There were only a few cases that day; a decision was soon reached and the jury brought in a true bill. The judge complimented the jurymen on their speed and then told them it was customary for the jury to visit the jail and bring in a report of conditions there. Jim was for

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Gatineau LINES

Sources of Power

Because Gatineau Power Company grew out of the amalgamation of some 25 small isolated power companies, it has a large number of comparatively small power stations scattered along streams and rivers in the area it serves. To many people, these local power plants may appear to be the places from which all or most of their electricity comes.

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From time to time in the weeks ahead, Gatineau Lines will take each one of these vaguely known places and give our readers a word-picture of what each place is, why it is there, and what it does. Each dam or power plant is vital in its contribution to the electric system and yet each one would be comparatively useless without the others. It is the network of power lines connecting each one with all the others and with the wiring of our customers which ties together all these different parts into an efficient and economical whole.

In the first of the "get acquainted" columns in the weeks ahead, we would like to tell you about Mercier Dam — the No. 1 control point of all the power-producers on the Gatineau River.

Gatineau Power Company

OBITUARY

Many Attend Funeral Of Morin Hts. Citizen

The Late Edgar D. Boyd

The death of Edgar David Boyd occurred at the Montreal Western Hospital on Wednesday, April 19. Mr. Boyd was born in Britonville, Que., where he spent his early years, residing there until 1921 and operating a cheese factory.

In 1915 he was married to Miss Sarah Jane Dawson, in the Church of England at Mille Isles, Que.

Taking up residence in Morin Heights, Mr. Boyd built a restaurant, operated a butter factory, and later a trucking business. He was also an auctioneer for some 35 years, and widely known throughout the district. He had served as secretary of the Protestant School Board and was a member of Laurentian Lodge, A.F. & A.M., Arundel, Que.

The funeral service was held in the United Church, Morin Heights, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Wood assisted by the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, of Lakefield, and attended by many sympathizing friends and relatives.

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Colin Cameron, Carl Seale, Albert Basler, Allan Buxton, Wesley Morrow and Melvin Dey. Interment was made at the Morin Heights Cemetery.

Left to mourn his passing are his wife, Sarah Jane; two sons, Gerald, of St. Eustache, and Ronald, of Morin Heights; two daughters, Mrs. E. Kneeland, of Morin Heights, and Mrs. Jack MacKimmie, of Lachute; two brothers, Walter, of Maple Creek, Sask., and Harry, of St. Jovite; one sister, Mrs. Walter Sadler, of Flaxcombe, Sask.; and eight grandchildren.

FIRST SHIP HOME

St. John's, Nfld. (CP) — The motor vessel Algerine arrived in port recently loaded with 27,000 seals after one of the fastest trips in Newfoundland's sealing history. The Algerine was the first of this year's small sealing fleet to return to St. John's.

TIME TABLE CHANGES

Effective Sunday April 30, 1950



Kilmar Family Bereaved

The Late Dwight Noble

The death of Dwight Lawrence Noble, aged 10 months, the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. James Noble, of Kilmar, occurred in Dr. E. P. Kelly's Hospital at Hawkesbury on Sunday evening, April 16, from an attack of pneumonia.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, April 18, from the Desforges funeral parlor to St. Matthew's Anglican Church. The Rev. P. R. Stote conducted the service. Hymns selected were, 'What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "Jesus Bids Us Shine".

Dwight leaves to mourn his loss, his parents, three sisters and one brother, Linda, Myrna, Laura and Leslie; also his grandparents.

Pall-bearers were the four uncles of the deceased child — Eddie, Richard and Ernest Noble, and Drummond Densmore. There was a profusion of flowers, showing the esteem in which the family are held. Interment took place in the Calumet Cemetery.

St. Andrews Resident Highly Esteemed and Widely Mourned

Late Mrs. Geo. Perks

On Monday, April 17, there passed away a resident highly esteemed in St. Andrews East, in the person of Mrs. Geo. Perks.

Formerly Mary Ellen Beattie, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Francis Beattie, of Ormstown, Que., she was married 51 years ago to the late Geo. Perks, who predeceased her one year ago. She had lived her entire married life in this community, and was in her 77th year.

Mrs. Perks was a member of the United Church and a friend of young and old alike. During her illness this friendship was very evident by the cards, letters and flowers she received.

The funeral took place on Thursday, April 20, at 2 p.m. in St. Andrews United Church, attended by a large gathering of sorrowing relatives and friends. The service was conducted by her pastor, the Rev. A. G. Moore, assisted by the Rev. Andrew Mowatt, of Hudson Heights, Que., a former pastor.

Pall-bearers were her six grandsons — Reg Bennett, Geo. Taylor, Gerald and Billy Perks, Donald and Ralph Matthews. She was laid to rest beside her husband and daughter, Beatrice, in the family plot at St. Andrews Cemetery. Beautiful floral tributes bore silent testimony of love and esteem.

Those attending from a distance were — the Rev. Andrew Mowatt, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hodgson, Mrs. Isaac Simpson and Mr. Walter Wilson, all of Hudson Heights; Miss Lucy Perks, Mrs. S. Jackson, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Mr. Lovall Fraser and Mrs. Thos. Grey, all of Montreal; Mrs. Lawrence Gauley, Mrs. Carl Paige, Mrs. Fred Cousins, Messrs. Walter and Fred Murray, of Grenville; Mr. Austin Lowe, of Lachute.

Those left to mourn her passing are — her sister, Miss M. J. Beattie, who had made her home with Mrs. Perks for the past year; (Grace) Mrs. Wm. Barr, Vermilion, Alberta; (Doris) Mrs. Walter Gauley, Chatboro; (Victoria) Mrs. P. W. Matthews, Fulford, Que.; her only son, J. W. Perks, Montreal; (Helen) Mrs. Lawson Taylor, St. Andrews East; (Lois) Mrs. Edgar Thompson, Hudson Heights; also 19 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Planning Welcome

The United Kingdom is planning to welcome well over half-a-million visitors from overseas this year. A record number of tourists are expected from North America.

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NEW ARK ROYAL

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The Admiralty has issued a special fleet order inviting all officers and men who served in the original carrier to be present at this ceremony. A similar invitation is being issued to members of the Royal Marines who helped man the Ark Royal.

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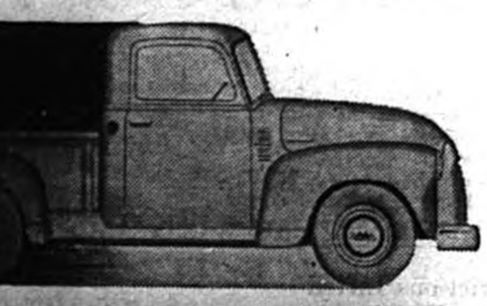


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"Plus" Citizenship

IT'S A LONG stride in imagination — from the deliberations of the United Nations to home-talk around the meal table. Yet they can both be potential peace-builders; and in the final analysis, the individual state of mind is probably more important — for that is where all national movements begin.

It is a normal tendency to measure citizenship in negative terms. We judge ourselves by our conduct in the eyes of the law, in our observance of the "don'ts" in traffic regulations and civic by-laws. This is all very commendable, but it counts for little as "positive" citizenship — it gets us nowhere in shaping the destinies of our community and in promoting national ideals.

We direct the attention of our readers to a worthwhile article in this issue by Sara Leslie Bell. The opening paragraphs command special interest, and we have accorded them front-page distinction. They describe a situation which applies to this town, and to every town in this province — a key to the accord which is essential to a united Canada and, indeed, to international understanding. Truly — "The individual way of thinking, and daily contacts, make up the atmosphere of the whole country".

Importance of the Tourist Industry

GREAT PLANS are being made for National Tourist Service Week, May 1st to May 8th, to impress upon Canadians the importance of the tourist industry and to urge each citizen to do his and her part to extend a cordial welcome to the tourists and see that they receive good values and courteous treatment.

Canada's tourist "take" in 1949 is officially estimated at $288,000,000, $270,000,000 of which was in United States dollars.

Many benefits from the Tourist Industry come locally . . to employment, through profits and taxes, and as a definite market for the farmer. It has been too often said that tourist business is not the agriculturist's concern at all but one realizes how short-sighted, how incorrect, that statement is when one ponders the fact that a single resort hotel, of moderate rates and average guest capacity of 200, bought $18,000 worth of Canadian produce during its 80-day operation of last summer. Let's carry these benefits further afield, into our tourist services, and we find that the aforementioned $270,000,000 overall expenditure of American visitors was distributed as follows: in retail and department stores, $67.5 million; in restaurants and food stores, $59.4 million; in hotels, restaurants and camps, $45.9 million; in service stations and garages, $32.4 million; for movies, entertainment and recreation, $24.3 million; for train, steamship, motor coach and plane fares, $18.9 million; for refreshments and roadside purchases, $13.5 million; and for novelties, souvenirs, and a host of other things, $8.1 million.

So let's support the tourist business in this countryside of ours, in every way

Those New Drugs

ARE WE all going to live to be 100?

It would seem so from the rate scientists are discovering new drugs and new ways to use the old ones. Scarcely a week goes by without announcement of some promising development in medicine.

This is all to the good, of course. The more our medical scientists can discover, the better our chances of collecting on that pension policy some day.

We sometimes wonder, however, whether the benefit of all these discoveries will ever reach down to the average patient, the person who depends on his family doctor to keep him in shape. Attention is concentrated on research. Getting word of new drugs and techniques to the physician is another problem.

The general practitioner is snowed under with new drugs these days as manufacturers bombard him with samples of their latest products. He must try to find time to assess their worth, sometimes doesn't get around to it and depends on the old, tried remedies.

He also tries to keep in touch with new discoveries reported in his medical journals. He reads of drugs of the penicillin family such as terramicin which is said to cure 19 different diseases ranging from lobar pneumonia to shingles.

He is told ACTH and cortisone will relieve countless conditions, including the widespread arthritis, and that khellin will help angina pectoris, the painful heart condition.

By and large, however, they are still just names to the average family physician. Some day they may come into use and we'll all be stepping around like spring chickens.

Meanwhile, if anyone knows a cure for an old-fashioned aching back. . .

THE GENERAL support of the dairy farmers should be given to the campaign to be launched shortly in expanding the market for dairy products. . . The cost will be financed by the levy of one cent per pound of butter fat or its market equivalent on all milk and cream produced in June each year, and no farmer who is honest with himself and the industry should object—observes the Hagersville (Ont.) Press.

WE CANNOT be too frequently reminded that, if the demand for farm products falls off, and prices drop, the economy of the entire country will be affected, for there cannot be general prosperity if farm prices are allowed to drop.

— Humboldt (Sask.) Journal

THE HEIGHT of abuse which today can be levelled against any man in public life is "he's just a politician". Yet politics is, and always has been, the art of government, and should rate as one of the highest callings any man could seek. We should feel that the time has come for a political renaissance.

— Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

TO THE EDITOR

O! CANADA

Land of the brave and free? . . In song and story, yes; in fact, well let's see. . . Perhaps Quebec is a land apart, formerly a colony of France, graciously allowed to continue French law by England's magnanimity and still almost dominated politically by the descendants of said respected nation. For just about one hundred years a few devout Christians separated from organized, sectarian Christianity and endeavored to hold public worship strictly as taught by Jesus and his apostles. Instead of adopting a secular name they were content to be known merely as Brethren, a biblical designation. As it happened one of the first gatherings originated at Plymouth, England, since then the world tacked on as a prefix "Plymouth", consequently the generally accepted name of Plymouth Brethren.

With meeting places throughout the world, these people have always commanded the greatest respect and admiration for their holy manner of life and profound knowledge of Sacred Scripture. Their written ministry is unexcelled in theological lore and they generally depend upon their own Bible translation as being more accurate than the popular versions.

Now, in our so-called enlightened age, right here in Quebec province and in a community supposed to be highly civilized, these exemplary people are subjected to mob violence such as is seldom experienced in, let us say, Africa. About a thousand ignorant hoodlums, not of English extraction, are permitted, without legal hindrance, to pull off a pogrom such as we read of in parts of Russia. Even now the world press and radio have broadcast this shameful episode to the ends of the earth, and one great Canadian province suffers reproach by its spineless system of law non-enforcement.

Such things as this have happened before and will continue to direct our best immigration away from Quebec as well as inducing many a staunch Canadian Britisher to move west. Increasing material wealth, paralleled by decreasing spiritual life, does not augur well for the future.

At present many parts of Quebec are about on a moral level with some parts of Latin America, which we ignorantly regard with pity, if not contempt.

Dunany. —H. J. H.

INSEPARABLE INSTITUTIONS

Education in the home and education in the school cannot be separated. The life of each child is moulded by the two institutions. And since the child's welfare is important first to the parent, it seems logical that parents should be the first to suggest a link between the two institutions.

— Carrot River (Sask.) Observer

TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM

Railway unions in Canada made 17 claims, mostly for higher wages and shorter hours, and the prediction is Canadian railways may have a strike. There are 90,000 members of international brotherhoods involved. It may be possible to find out how important trucks and railways are in relation to one another if a general strike did come about.

— Elmira (Ont. Signet

Fresh water in Canada covers 228,307 square miles of the country's 3,690,410 square-mile area.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Harrington

Mr. and Mrs. John Fox spent last Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Young in Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett visited in Ottawa over the week-end.

Mr. Sylvio Larouche, of Three Rivers, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fox recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trineer and daughter, Bonnie, returned home from Havre St. Pierre last week.

Miss Ramona Farrara, of Calumet, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fox over the week-end.

The Harrington Women's Missionary Society met on Saturday at the home of Mrs. I. Brown, Bell Falls, with a good number present.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Provencal were — Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oswick, with Donald, Fay and Alvin; Mr. and Mrs. Philip Oswick and son, Rickey, all of Grenville; also Mrs. Chas. Downing, of Rouge Valley.

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy, Sr., of Brownsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, also of Brownsburg, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Campbell's on Sunday.

Miss Elaine Dickson was a recent guest of Miss Janet McNeil at her home here.

The Misses Janet and Florence Provencal spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Provencal.

Miss Joan Bloice, of Ste. Rose, was a recent visitor at Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett's.

Mr. A. J. Geegan spent some time recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCallum.

Mr. Leslie Kerr spent the week-end at his cottage here.

Mr. Robert McMahon, of Lachute, was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McMahon.

Mr. Thomas Bennett returned home from hospital on Monday last.

Church Items

Mr. Len Harbour will preach his farewell service to the congregation of the Harrington United Church on Sunday, at 11 a.m. D.S.T. Mr. Harbour has been student pastor of this church for the past six months.

Sunday School will be held at 10.15 a.m. D.S.T. in the Harrington United Church.

Northern Grenville

Mr. Ernest McGill has returned to his work at Port Colborne, Ont.

Normand Fiset spent the past week-end at his home in Ste. Anne de la Perade.

Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. O. MacIntyre's were Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Campbell, of Lachute, Mr. Charles Hemsley, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cavanagh, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysse Beauchamp, Gerty Donaldson and Mr. J. Donaldson.

Mrs. Wesley Dodd is in the Notre Dame Hospital; residents here extend wishes for her speedy recovery.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Maclean and family, and Dorothy MacIntyre, of Ottawa.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart's were Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe and son, Stephen, of Lachute, also Miss Teresa McCart.

Mrs. Gladys Mott is spending a few days in Montreal.

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

Another successful dance was held at MacIntyre's Hall last week-end, and a large crowd attended.

Mabel

Mrs. Alma Nason, of Fredericton, N.B., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Perley Clark and Mr. Clark, at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murdoch and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Townsend were in Morrisburg on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Wallace Cunning, of Vankleek Hill, spent a few days with relatives here recently.

Late Mrs. Arthur L. Slade

The death occurred in Montreal last week of Mrs. Arthur L. Slade, following two years of ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Slade, who had no chidren, were formerly of Montreal and have spent the past several years at their cottage here in Ogdensburg, where they won the respect of all who came to know them.

The funeral was held on Monday from Wray's funeral parlors; those attending from here were — Mrs. Walter Wert, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Townsend and Mrs. Lawrence Plummer, also Mrs. Jas. Derouin, of St. Philippe.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Slade in his bereavement.

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Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pride and infant daughter, Paula, of Montreal, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Birch.

Mr. C. L. Stephens has returned from Toronto, where he was attending a C-I-L Safety conference.

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

Sudden Death

The many friends of the late Mrs. S. Wilson (Beatrice Gilroy) were shocked to hear of her sudden death on Sunday last. Sympathy is extended to Mr. Wilson and other relatives. Mrs. Wilson was a C-I-L employee and was well known in this community.

Women's Institute

A demonstration of rug-making was held under auspices of Brownsburg W.I. at the Social Club last Tuesday evening, and was largely attended. This demonstration was given by Mrs. Joseph Louis Gagné, who is a member of the "Secours des Femmes". The feature was sponsored by the Home Economics conveners, Mrs. Hector Mason and Mrs. Gordon Todd. Mrs. Geo. Leggett, county president, and Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne, from Lachute, were guests. Refreshments were served.

Attend Guides and Brownies Divisional Meeting

Four "Guiders" and six members of the local Association for Girl Guides and Brownies attended the divisional meeting held at Cedar View Lodge, St. Eustache, on Saturday last. Mrs. A. Pattison, the Commissioner, presided. Mrs. Pieler, Commissioner for Lakeshore division, was the guest speaker. Plans for the rally which is to be held in Lachute on May 20 were discussed. The members of the Local Association for St. Eustache provided supper at the close of the meeting.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fraser Watson spent Tuesday in Cornwall.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir spent Tuesday last in Montreal — Mrs. Weir remaining in the city for a couple of weeks with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stalker.

Miss Annie McDowall and Mr. John McDowall, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Dowd and daughter, Patricia, of Ottawa, en route from Montreal last week, were guests of Mrs. A. E. Usher.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Vowles, of Brownsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Vowles. Mr. and Mrs Eric King, of Howick, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, of Brownsburg, and Mr. Colin King, of Montreal, also visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Vowles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pitt and family spent Sunday at their summer cottage.

Guests of Sgt. and Mrs. M. Akeson on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. Akeson, Messrs. Ed and Norman Akeson, of Ottawa.

Miss Katie Whelehan and Mrs. Charles Kelly, of Montreal, were guests of their aunt, Miss Margaret Whelehan, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hartley and son, Kenneth, spent the week-end at their country home and had as their guests the Misses Joan Orr and Olive Hartley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Danford, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Robert for the week-end.

Dr. and Mrs. Prevost, of Ottawa, pent the week-end at their summer home on the river-shore at Grece's Point.

Mr. Hubert Brooks, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. Brooks.

A successful and pleasant meeting of the Cushing Community Club was held in the club-room on Friday evening. Following the business period all present enjoyed playing "500", and refreshments were served in conclusion.

In China the first course at dinner is the dessert.

OBITUARY

Mrs John Cruise, Sr., Resident for 58 Years, Dies in Local Hospital

The death of a lady resident well known in this community, Mrs. John Cruise, occurred Monday evening after a brief illness, at the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills. She was the widow of the late John Cruise, Lachute Mills, who predeceased her in 1938.

Mrs. Cruise was the former Janet Ellen Bennett. Born at Morin Heights 78 years ago (March 7, 1872), she was married in that settlement in 1893, and had lived here altogether a period of 58 years, in which she had witnessed strides of progress in this town and surrounding district. She was the devoted mother of a large family — five daughters and seven sons — her sphere of interest being her home and the Lachute Baptist Church, of which she was a loyal member.

She is survived by three daughters—(Jessie), Mrs. Robt. Carpenter, of Buffalo, N.Y.; (Mary) Mrs. Allen A. Muir, of Lynchburg, Virginia; (Gladys) Mrs. Wm. Hodge, of Niagara Falls, Ont.; and five sons — Robert, of Toronto; Rolland, of Sherbrooke; Gordon, Lawrence and Edgar, of Lachute. Other children who pre-deceased her were two daughters, May and (Lila) Mrs. Donald Beers, Willis, who was killed in action in World War I, and Lloyd, who gave his life in action in World War II. Both the sons are buried in France. There remain also 18 grandchildren, and four sisters — Mrs. M. Morrow, Pilot Mound, Man., Mrs. F. Hay, Mrs. Charles Sanderson, Mrs. F. Watson, and one brother, Mr. William Bennett, all of Montreal.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the Lachute Baptist Church, conducted by her pastor, the Rev. W. H. Britton. The church was filled to capacity, many friends attending from Harrington, Morin Heights and elsewhere in this county, besides relatives from Montreal and distant parts. All the immediate members of the family were here to attend the funeral. A solo, "In the Beautiful Garden of Prayer", was sung by Mr. J. S. Giles.

Pall-bearers were the five sons of the deceased, and a grandson, Robert Cruise, of Toronto. The remains were laid to rest in Lachute Cemetery.

W. Inst. Wins Recognition

Honor for outstanding community work has come to the Ormstown branch of the Quebec Women's Institutes. This group was selected by Ogilvie Flour Mills in one of their recent "Town of the Week" series for the award of $100, which is presented on the basis of outstanding community achievement.

Ormstown W.I., with a membership of 38, has the following impressive record: $350 was donated to the Barrie Memorial Hospital, $225 contributed towards furnishing the reception room, and a shower of jam, jellies and pickles collected for the patients' meals. The Huntingdon County Hospital was also assisted financially and a wheel chair furnished for public use. Cash and canned goods are given the school cafeteria and prizes donated for public speaking up to Grade VII. Red Cross work is carried on and assistance to the Canadian Cancer Society. A variety of social events are sponsored to raise the necessary funds and in addition, members give personal donations.

Grenville

Miss Winona Gaudry, of Ottawa, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor D. Gaudry.

Miss Vera Gauley, of Montreal, returned recently to resume her teaching duties after spending the holidays here with her father, Mr. John Gauley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Gauley have moved from this community; they will be missed by their old neighbors.

Last Tribute to Sterling Character in Lakefield Community Life

The Late Thomas McCambly

At Holy Trinity Church, Lakefield, on Tuesday, April 25, practically the entire community gathered to pay their last tribute of affection and respect to one who for many years had lived in this district. The late Thos. McCambly was an outstanding example of what one man may be and do in a rural community — for he combined a modest, unobtrusive personality with an alert sense of duty and a determination to do his part in every way.

As steward of the important Fleetwood Estate, his faithful discharge of his duties for almost 40 years won the warm regard of the family whom he served so well.

As councillor for the municipality for years, he could always be depended upon to do his best for the highest interests of the place.

As people's warden of Holy Trinity Church, his zeal and devotion was shown by his constant attendance and in many other ways; while his duties as treasurer of the Churchyard Improvement Committee were a valuable help to that important work. . . . As a kind and generous neighbor, and a loyal and dependable friend, he will be sorely missed by many here.

His widow, who shared his many responsibilities with such wholehearted interest, has the sympathy of all who know the family; while his children have the cherished memory of a loving, helpful father.

He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his loving wife, two daughters, Mrs. P. B. Williamson, of Lachute, and Mrs. W. Biggs, of Sudbury; also two stepdaughters, Mrs. L. Elder and Mrs. M. Copeland, of Lachute; and two stepsons, W. S. Andrews and R. C. Andrews, of Montreal; one foster-son, Harold Williams, of Sudbury, besides a sister, Mrs. McCollough, and a brother, Alex McCambly, both of Morin Heights, Que.

The unusual number of floral offerings bore silent witness of affection for the departed and sympathy with the bereaved.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Leonard McCambly, C. Andrews, Miles Copeland, Leonard Elder, Leonard Legg and Andrew Brown.

A large number attended the funeral from Lachute, and among those from a distance were — Mrs. Robertson Fleet, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Robertson Fleet, Miss Jane Fleet, from Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Alex McCambly and son, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCollough, from Morin Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams, from London, Ont.; and Mrs. W. Biggs from Sudbury, Ont.

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DEATHS

CRUISE — Suddenly, on Monday, April 24, at the Providence Hospital, Mrs. John Cruise (the former Ellen Bennett), wife of the late John Cruise and mother of Jessie, Mary, Gladys, Robert, Gordon, Lawrence, Edgar and Rolland, in her 79th year. Funeral held Wednesday, Lachute Baptist Church; interment Lachute Cemetery.

McCAMBLY — Suddenly, at his home in Lakefield, on Sunday, April 22, 1950, Thomas W. McCambly, in his 75th year — son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCambly, of Mille Isles, and beloved husband of Charlotte Moore.

PERKS — At St. Andrews East, on Monday, April 17, 1950, Mary Ellen Beattie, beloved wife of the late George Perks, in her 77th year.

WILSON — Suddenly on April 23, at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, in her 32nd year — Beatrice Eleanor, beloved wife of Sidney Wilson, of Lachute, Que., and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gilroy, of Springhills, N.S. Funeral held from her late residence to the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church at 2.30 p.m. Wednesday, April 26, thence to Lachute Cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

PERKS — The family of the late Mrs. Geo. Perks wish to thank all who visited their mother during her illness, expressed messages of sympathy, and helped in any way at the time of her passing.

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Varied Views on Brownsburg Questions; Drainage, Sidewalks, Potato Vendors

Brownsburg — The water line from the intake at the dam is leaking. It leaks a considerable amount of water, and has been doing so ever since the first year it was put in. A new line might be the best answer, but a pretty good repair job could be done for a few hundred dollars. To augment the supply and compensate for the leaks, the council asks C-I-L to pump water into the lines from the river. This water does not go through the filter beds, nor is it chlorinated, but it is a necessary and useful service to keep the water supply adequate. C-I-L makes a charge of $1 per hour for pumping this water. It is a transfusion into the life stream of the municipal water system, and last month a sum of $278 was paid for this service.

At the last council meeting, a report was before the councillors that an accumulation of weeds and leaves had blocked the screen in front of the intake valve. It was decided to build a weir some distance out from the intake so that this will not occur again.

Sidewalks

Putting sidewalks along the undulating streets of Brownsburg has been a problem ever since this improvement was first mooted. Some taxpayers want them built to improve their frontage; some want them to hold back surface water; some want them and are slow to pay for them; and some who have them, don't want them anyway.

To please everyone, the council would be like the old man and his ass in Aesop's fable; "he tried to please everyone, but pleased no one, and lost his ass in the bargain". Some properties which in the early days were built below road level, and with each subsequent addition to the road surface sank lower and lower, become submerged in a hole with the addition of a six-inch concrete sidewalk along the front. The owner is considerably annoyed when the council builds a sidewalk which may be a continuation of one running the whole length of a street and encompassing several properties. The fact that other properties adjacent or at an angle to this roadway suffer damage from surface water, cuts no ice with the man whose property seems lowered by the erection of a sidewalk. Any consideration by the council of "the greater benefit to the greater number" is not taken into account by the individual who finds himself so aggrieved. A further source of worry to the council is the absence, or uncertainty, of surveyor's marks or property lines. Lawns have, over the years, encroached on the roadways; fences have been erected a few feet out — or in, as the case may be — and when the council's representative is called to strike a line for the proposed sidewalk, he is "all at sea" in his efforts to arbitrate justly.

At the last meeting representations were considered from Wm. King, who complains his new sidewalk raises his entrance, and is in the wrong place — too far out from his line; from Thos. Anderson and Mrs. Fletcher, who feel that sidewalks would solve a surface water problem; from Thos. Tomlinson, who finds that a sidewalk on another street, at right angles to his property, directs a river of surface water into his driveway. . . So many complaints were received that it makes one wonder why so many candidates seek office as councillors at each yearly election! Or is it that aspirants are not at that time aware of the thankless task in store for them? We prefer to believe it is a democratic call to duty, and an unswerving desire to act justly, without favor but seeking the satisfaction of a duty well done according each to his ability. — From our somewhat detached point of vantage, we believe this is so.

Secretary Emile Hebert was asked to compile a list of works necessary for execution, and he suggested that tenders be called for next meeting. Councillor Lavoie would not agree that tenders should be called, preferring to go along with the old contractor.

Both Councillor Somers and Mayor Donaldson reserved the right of considering the price submitted by the old contractor, Mr. Brisson.

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Danish natural scientists will explore the world's ocean beds for possible sea monsters.

Spring Concert by High School Glee Club

SIXTH ANNUAL PROGRAM TOMORROW NIGHT

The sixth annual spring concert of the Lachute High School Glee Club will be heard tomorrow night (Friday) at the Auditorium. During the past season, the young singers have been preparing an interesting program, composed of such songs as "Old Ark's A'Moverin", "Set Down Servant, Hear Dem Bells" and a Fred Waring choral arrangement, "Down the Wind", based on well known sea chanties.

A guest soloist will be featured, in the person of Dr. Art Perlin, who sang in Lachute a few years ago. Since then, Dr. Perlin has continued his vocal studies at McGill Conservatory of Music and later in Ottawa. He is in great demand with Ottawa audiences, having presented recently a recital in the Chateau Laurier. He was tenor soloist a few weeks ago in one of Bach's Easter cantatas in the same city. The organizers of the Glee Club concert are looking forward to two groups of songs by Dr. Perlin.

A new undertaking will also be featured on this occasion—Lachute string orchestra, under direction of Mr. Angelo Fassio, will accompany the Glee Club in three well-known selections — "Soldiers' Chorus" (Gounod), "Goin' Home" (Dvorjak) and "Gloria" (Mozart).

The Lachute string orchestra and the High School band each will also play a group of numbers to round out the evening's program.

OLD HAND AT IT

Edmonton (CP) — Lawrence Kallal, 16, of Tofield, Alta., won the junior calf feeding competition at the recent Edmonton Livestock Show, but it was nothing new for him. Four times before he has won the junior section championship and twice has taken top honors for the best beef in the whole show.

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The "Plus" Factor in Citizenship

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doing it then and there, completing their jury service that same afternoon. The others insisted on postponing the visit to the jail until the following morning in order to get another day's pay (four dollars), in addition to the cost of their transportation home and back. Jim had to give in, but as foreman of the jury he had power to set the hour of the visit, which he did, for eleven a.m.

"In order", Jim told me with a grin, "to wreck the day for any business of their own". (Jim knew the jurymen wanted to meet at nine in the morning, hurry through the inspection of the jail and get away in time to catch up with the day's business in their offices.) The jail was spotlessly clean. The warden announced with evident pride that he had been able, through certain economies, to reduce the cost of feeding prisoners, from thirteen to eleven cents per day, per man. (This was some years ago.) In their report, the jury wanted to commend the warden for saving the Government's money by this economy. On the contrary, Jim insisted, he ought to be severely censured for half-starving the men in his care. Jim was overruled, but as foreman of the jury he insisted that, if the warden were commended in the report, a rider should be added stating that, by postponing the visit to the jail for several hours, the jurymen had cost the Government enough money to feed a prisoner for more than a year. That settled it. For the first time on record in that city, a warden was censured for not properly feeding his prisoners. The newspapers got hold of the story and a leading article started a drive for improving conditions in the jail.

So much for that aspect of citizenship. Now let's consider a different angle of the question — a more subtle angle.

What kind of atmosphere are you — and I — creating at this moment? Are we creating an atmosphere of peace and good citizenship? Or are we like the patient who comes to a New York psychiatrist for treatment. In the course of the interview he found out that she was not on speaking terms with her own family, although her major interest was in working for world peace. Here's another true story illustrating what I mean. A mischief-maker succeeded in disrupting the friendly relations between two people (whom we will call Mary and Jane). Nothing Jane could do would persuade Mary to clear up the incident. Mary preferred to cherish her resentment, tossing away all further comradeship with Jane. And yet Mary is news correspondent for a paper which works whole-heartedly for International understanding and world peace!

Another woman conceived the idea of building world peace in a neighborhood where petty, irritating strife prevailed. Her nearest neighbor had picked a quarrel about the location of the garbage cans, although they were in a legally correct place. The peace-maker began by making a shield for these containers. Next time she saw her quarrelsome neighbor she called out, "Oh, Mrs. *Blank*, I had not realized what an eyesore these things must have been to you. I hope you'll forgive me, and I'm trying to fix them so they will not annoy you". This woman was building friendly relations in her neighborhood.

Citizens of Canada — do we realize the immense importance of what you and I do as individuals? Or do we feel that we're just helpless straws in the swirling current sucking us into the maelstrom of atomic destruction? A friend told me recently that she never reads certain things in the newspaper because she feels there is "nothing she can do about it". Another man told me that after listening to Mr. de Courcey on the subject of the atom bomb, he crawled home and spent the rest of the night under the bed.

A Canadian delegate, returning from the San Francisco Conference, stressed the individual responsibility of all citizens in these words: "The individual way of thinking, and daily contacts, make up the atmosphere of the whole country".

Let us admit, in conclusion, that when anyone attempts something dynamic and creative in the way of citizenship, up pops the old favorite, "It's none of your business".

Then whose business is it? . . Not long ago the newspapers carried a gripping story, with International repercussions, when a woman leaped from the window of the Russian Consulate in New York. The ship that would take her away forever from the land she had learned to love, was sailing in a few hours. Waiting in despairing solitude, this woman heard, over the radio, that some people had decided it was their business to save her from this brutal repatriation. If people cared that much, she would do her share and jump from the window, risking her life in a last bid for freedom. The previous Sunday, out on a Connecticut farm, a young wife had read the story of this Russian teacher who wanted to stay in America and become an American citizen. What could be done about it, she asked her husband. "Well — it's not our business", the husband answered promptly. "Then whose business *is* it?" persisted the wife. Her brother had a lawyer friend who knew someone high up in the Government. One step led to another till the whole affair became radio news. By some miracle there happened to be a radio in the room where the Russian woman waited. . As you know, the story ended happily; the woman was picked up by the New York police, rescued and taken to hospital, and will soon become an American citizen. She owes her life and her freedom to a farmer's wife who asked, "Whose business is it?" — *and decided it was hers.*

What gives this *plus* quality to citizenship? How do you get that way? Perhaps each of us can figure that out for himself. But I'll intimate this much: each of the three citizens whose stories I have cited, is an *active Christian*. And I believe that the thing which gives a *plus* quality to citizenship is simply this: "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them. For this is the Law and the Prophets."

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Brownsburg Council

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Catch-Basins

A complaint by Wm. Birch of a catch-basin too high to trap running water, and another one closed by the council, initiated a lengthy discussion on the necessity of catching surface water at various points along the streets. At Woodbine (Frank Reid's), at Oak, at Maple and St. Joseph's, catch-basins were required to take the surface water so harmful to low-lying properties at this time of year.

The secretary was instructed to order a number of metal covers, and the question of pouring cement for the basins was to be considered for next meeting.

The secretary was also instructed to again notify the telephone and power companies to remove some standards, in order to facilitate street maintenance.

Chip-Wagons

This perennial subject was up again for discussion, and was very much a repetition of former discussions. "Unsanitary, infected with germs and dirt", to quote Coun. Somers — and "quite good and clean", to quote Coun. Lavoie. When dust, or paper bags (whichever was flying about) settled, it was found the council had put chip-wagons off the street completely. In future their stands must be elsewhere than on the public streets.

Waterworks Extensions

For next meeting, May 1, Councillor Somers and the secretary are to have all necessary details of the new waterworks.

Corner Brook, Nfld. (CP) — Construction is going ahead on two hospitals here. A new sanatorium is expected to be completed this year and plastering is almost finished at the new Western Memorial Hospital.

She: "I wish I had enough money to buy an elephant."
He: "Why do you want an elephant?"
She: "I don't, I just want the money."

Wheelbarrow-Pusher To Tour the World

South African Expects To Walk 12-15 Years

Capetown (CP) — South Africa's wheelbarrow man arrived at Capetown recently. He is 24-year-old W. A. Diedericks, who is on the first leg of a wheelbarrow trip around the world.

His wheelbarrow, which carries a load of 300 pounds, is rubber-tired. Emblazoned on its side is the legend "Diedericks on World Tour". Diedericks left Durban, South Africa, on October 20 last year.

His wheelbarrow load contains a small camp bed, a tent, pots and pans, a change of clothing, a lantern and a gramophone with a collection of Afrikaans and English records — among them the fitting title "Lonely Footsteps".

Diedericks intends writing a book about his experiences, and he estimates that the world trip will take him from 12 to 15 years. He maintains that nobody has ever completed a world wheelbarrow trip though many have tried.

He will take ship from Capetown to South America, and then he will push his barrow through the Americas to northern Canada.

He will next travel through Australia and the East, and then through Asia to Europe.

Diedericks will pause awhile in Baltimore, Maryland, where his fiancee, Sylvia Jenkins, is waiting for him to marry her. She will then join him on his world tour.

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It's catching, too! Just since she moved there three years ago others have been paying more attention to the beauty of their property. Soon the whole district will reflect a brighter, more cheerful appearance.

Double Its Worth

Are you an auction sale fan? I could be after the fun I had when I recently stopped to see why all the cars were parked around a farm house. I found myself caught in a surging crowd and evidently nodded my head at the wrong time only to find myself the owner of a small square table! Thank goodness the auctioneer didn't have a lumber wagon under his gavel! However, it gave me an opportunity to try out an idea seen in a magazine. Now there are two half tables, each performing valiant service, one in the upper and one in the lower hallway. It worked so well I'm passing the idea along to you.

Gay Bottles

Nothing can add color to a window ledge or shelf like gayly decorated bottles. I have often admired their odd shapes and sizes in other people's homes, but never thought of making them. Just last week I saw a large collection displayed in the window of a small village store and learned from the proprietor that he made his own. After one easy lesson I'm right in the business myself!

For more details about window boxes, decorated bottles or any other items mentioned by Tom Gard—write him c/o Dept. A., MOLSONS BREWERY LTD., Post Office Box No. 1600, Place d'Armes, Montreal, Quebec, for the illustrated booklet "AROUND THE HOME".

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ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
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Fireside Hour and Presentation Held at Lachute United Church

A pleasant affair was held in the hall of Lachute United Church last Sunday when, following the evening service, the congregation adjourned to the hall for a period of fellowship.

After a brief introduction by the minister, the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, the gathering were led in a sing-song by Mr. Earl Morrison, with the assistance of a group of instrumentalists, who played for the hymns and rendered several numbers on the program. A reading on the hymn, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross", was given by Mrs. Earl Morrison, and a male quintet sang this well-known hymn.

The Fireside reached its happy climax when the minister tendered a presentation to Mrs. H. MacNeil and to Mrs. M. Blair, who are departing shortly to reside in Pointe Claire. A brief tribute to the fine work achieved by Mrs. MacNeill in the Mission Band and Sunday School over many years, was given by Mr. Rosborough, who made reference also to the help rendered on many occasions by Mrs. Blair.

The group again sang many favorite hymns, after which refreshments were served by members of the Rummage Sale committee.

"In Brownsburg"

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in keeping down juvenile delinquency, and to provide the boys with simple little duties to boost their ego and make them better fitted to become absorbed in the civic life of the country. Clubs have sprung up all over the towns of Canada and the United States, till today the organization has a strength of 56,000 boys.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Wm. Fowler returned to Buckingham on Sunday after an extended visit with Mrs. Geo. Armstrong, Lachute Road.

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Bruce Hewitt, of the R.C.N.V.R., is home for a month's leave, accompanied by Kieth McDowell, of Sudbury, who will be his guest for several days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ord Anderson spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Perodeau in Westmount.

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Mr. Theron Carpenter and son, of Three Rivers, and Mr. J. R. Carpenter, of Montreal, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Jas. Carpenter.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Campbell, of Montreal, were here last week-end, staying at their cottage on the North River.

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Mrs. Geo. Hunter, of Montreal, is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Archie McArthur, at Upper Lachute.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Salvas returned home last Friday from their tour in France and Spain.

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His 87th Birthday

Congratulations to Mr. Arthur Tomalty, of Mount Maple, who celebrated his 87th birthday on Monday of this week.

Mrs. W. Frisby, of Ottawa, is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott.

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Miss Marilyn Mitchell spent the week-end in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, of Rouses Point, N.Y., spent a few days last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Scott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison and daughters, Lois and Audrey, spent the week-end visiting in Montreal.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cleland this week are the latter's mother and sister, Mrs. John K. Burns and Miss Margaret Burns, from Renfrew, Scotland. The visitors are proceeding to Calgary, and will return here again in June to spend a month before concluding their tour.

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Mrs. Wilbur Walker and daughter, Miss Joyce Walker, who were both recently in the Royal Victoria Hospital for surgical treatment, returned home last Friday.

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Attended Conference of Boy Scout Officials

District Commissioner Chas. L. Duncan and Mr. C. E. Richardson, president of the Laurentian District Council of the Boy Scouts, attended the conference of Scout commissioners and officials held at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in Montreal last Saturday. . .

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and son, Ian, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bradford in Montreal West during the week-end. Mrs. Richardson, who also accompanied her husband, proceeded to Richelieu, Que., where she visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Haldimand.

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LACHUTE W. INST.

Annual meeting of the Women's Institute, Lachute branch, will be held on Tuesday afternoon, May 2, in the Legion Hall. Program. Film: "This Is Nylon". -1c

DANCE HALL RE-OPENING

Re-opening of the Silver Leaf dance hall, Hill Head, on Saturday, May 6. M4.2p

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

Lachute High School Glee Club concert will be held on Friday, April 28, at 8.15 p.m., in the Auditorium. Guest artists will be featured on the program. Adm. 50c. A27.3c

CHORAL CONCERT

— By Brownsburg Male Chorus, Tuesday, May 2, 8.30 p.m, at Brownsburg United Church auditorium; under direction of Warner Norman, choir director St. James United Church; with guest soloist and pianist. Adm. 75c. A27.3c

MOTHER'S DAY TEA

The Senior W.A. of St. Simeon's Anglican Church, Lachute, are holding a Mother's Day tea and sale of work, also home-cooking table, on Thursday, May 11, in the church basement. Afternoon tea will be served from 3 to 6 o'clock. M4.2c

Mr. and Mrs. Georges Beaulieu and daughter spent Sunday in Montreal.

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Miss Antoinette Lefebvre and Miss Françoise Lavigne left by the liner Queen Mary from New York last week-end to join the Holy Year pilgrimage to Rome, also visiting Britain and continental Europe.

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Mrs. L. Campbell from Gaspé, who has been spending the winter with her daughter at St. Eustache, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hocquard last Sunday.

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Mrs. Edgar Hooker and daughter left by the S.S. Samaria from Quebec last Friday, to spend the summer in England, visiting her parents at Fleet, Hants.

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Miss Marie-Jeanne Dallaire, who has been spending the winter with relatives at St. Hippolyte de Kilkenny, returned home this week.

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Brian Hewitt left on Tuesday for Winnipeg, where he expects to stay for the summer.

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Miss Marian Cleary visited friends in Billing's Bridge last week-end.

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Mr. Arthur Tomalty, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pollock and Mrs. J. Warwick were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson in Ottawa.

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Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Hadley, of Lachute, Que., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel Helen, to Elvine Homer Prophet, son of Mrs. Victor Prophet and the late Victor Prophet, of Calumet, Que. The marriage will take place on Saturday, May 27, at four o'clock, in the Lachute United Church.

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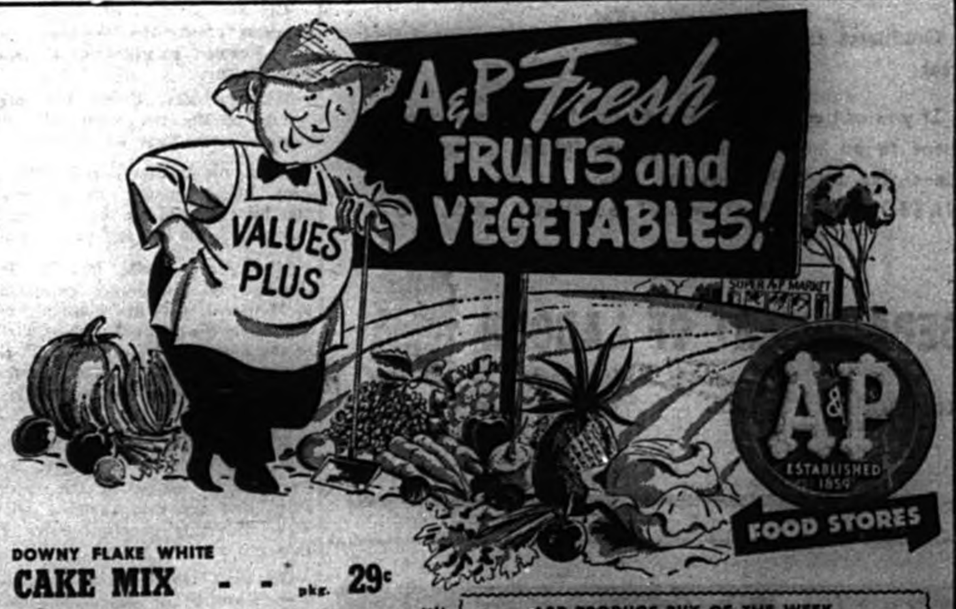
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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Prattley, accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Clark, motored to Montreal on Monday — Mr. Prattley attending the annual Synod as a delegate from St. Matthew's Anglican Church.

The Rev. P. R. Stote is also attending the Synod this week. On Tuesday the Rev. and Mrs. Stote were present at the funeral of the latter's grandfather, the late Mr. A. Amsden, who passed away Saturday evening at his home in Rosemount.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Barron are in Montreal today (Thursday) to be present at the graduating exercises of the School of Nursing of St. Mary's Hospital, to be held in the evening at Loyola College. Miss Beatrice Barron is among the graduating nurses who will receive their diplomas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shute, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shute and two children, Norman and Lynda, of Ottawa, were Sunday visitors, and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar.

Mrs. J. Oakman was hostess Tuesday evening to the members of St. Matthew's Guild.

Mrs. Mina Cloutier, of Hawkesbury, was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Lund.

Arundel

Mr. George Henvis spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Henvis.

The Rev. G. Barnett has returned to Arundel after a two weeks' vacation in the United States.

Mr. Herbert Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon and Mr. Homer Cooke, were in Montreal over the week-end to attend the Gilfillan-Brocklehurst wedding, which took place Saturday afternoon.

Clarke Graham, R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward spent the week-end as guests of Mrs. J. May.

Quite a few of the residents of Arundel motored to Morin Heights on Friday to attend the funeral of the late Edgar Boyd.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Grace Church (Anglican) met at the home of Mrs. Margaret Smillie for their monthly meeting. After the business portion of the meeting the members worked on a quilt for the remainder of the afternoon.

A "Japanese Tea" is being held Saturday afternoon, April 29, in the United Church hall, under auspices of the Ladies' Union. During the tea there will be a short program.

Mr. James Fergus was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bulley last week-end.

Mr. Leslie Hardy spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. A. Heron spent a few days in Montreal during last week.

Owing to the fact that the ice is not yet out of the lake, nor is it safe to travel on, the cottage owners visiting Barkmere have been few in number to date. However, it was noted that Mr. Gordon Tarlton and Mr. Henry Gelinas occupied their respective cottages over the week-end.

The Girls' Glee Club of the Arundel School are rehearsing steadily on the selections which they will render at the Musical Festival in Lachute early next month. Mrs. Edward Craig's class are also rehearsing; they will be entrants in the festival, as well as a number of soloists selected from the pupils.

Cushing

Miss Maud Candlish, of Point St. Charles, spent a week recently with her niece, Mrs. K. McCaig.

Mrs. Archie Graham was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Scott, at Lachute last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Stanley McKiddie, of Vide Sac, was a guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

Master David Wright, of Montreal, was the guest of Mrs. W. Y. King on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Cushing and little daughter, of Montreal, were at their cottage on Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coghill and a party of other city folk.

Mr. and Mrs. L. St. Louis and children spent the week-end at Glen Norman, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Prieur.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitt and family, of Montreal, occupied their summer home here on Sunday.

Miss Annie McDowell and brother, Jack, spent Sunday in Cushing, and have opened up their cottage, "Glenifer", for the summer season.

Miss Marie Tulk, Mr. W. H. Godwin and Mr. James Sampson, of Montreal, were at "Glenelen" on Sunday and also paid a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning. Week-end guests at the Canning home were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Drew, of Verdun.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edwards, who sold their farm to Mr. McCaig, have moved to the riverfront and are now residing with Mrs. Edwards' brother, Mr. F. Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Richardson and son, Howard, of Montreal, were guests of the Misses Cleland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McGain and daughter, Mona, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hollingsworth and baby Montreal, spent Saturday at the Bobbie, also Mrs. J. Brown, of McGains' summer home.

St. Andrews East

Miss Audrey Entwistle spent the week-end in Brownsburg.

Miss V. Ashley, of Montreal, was the guest of Mrs. W. Entwistle.

The Rev. J. A. Mowatt, of Hudson, Que., was in St. Andrews last Thursday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Geo. Perks.

Miss J. G. Wales and Miss A. L. Wales are spending this week in Montreal.

The Misses Walsh have returned to their home here after spending the winter in Montreal.

The regular Sunday service in the United Church will be held at 10 a.m. (Advanced Time) beginning Sunday morning, April 30, and will continue at that time throughout the summer.

Mr. Fred Webster, of Battle Creek, Mich., was the guest of his mother, Mrs. T. Webster, for a few days last week.

Tribute to An Old and Esteemed Resident

The passing of Mrs. George Perks is deeply regretted by a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Mrs. Perks was one of the oldest residents of St. Andrews. She had long been active in church work, and was a valued member of the Women's Guild and the W.M.S. of the United Church. Mrs. Perks was first stricken in February and made a partial recovery. Between this time and her sudden passing on Monday of last week, she received visits from children and grandchildren, which she was able to enjoy.

A large funeral in the United Church on Thursday, and beautiful floral tributes, testified to the general esteem in which she was held. Tributes were voiced by the Rev. A. G. Moore, and the Rev. J. A. Mowatt, of Hudson.

Less than two years ago Mr. and Mrs. Perks celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Perks, for many years senior elder of the United Church, predeceased his wife in January, 1949.

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and
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The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, April 20, 1950.

— J. C. Marchand
Prothonotary of the Superior Court.

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Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Donna Currie and family, of Verdun, visited the latter's parents over the week-end.

The Misses Arthurs and friends, from Ottawa, spent the week-end at their home.

Mr. Edward Smith, of Brownsburg, spent Sunday at the home of his parents.

Friends visiting the Misses Margaret and Frances Provencal on Sunday were the Misses Marian and Katherine Nixon and the Misses Marilyn and Jean Crawford.

Mr. Tom Young has spent the past week confined to bed, due to an accident to his leg; he is improving slowly.

Miss Joan Vaillancourt visited her cousin, Miss Joyce Andrews, on Monday.

Mrs. Cloutier and little son, of Arnprior, are spending two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Young.

Mr. Evan Bates, Jr., spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. Douglas Kelly left on Tuesday last to take up work in the Welland district; his wife and family will follow later. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith have moved onto the farm of Mr. Kelly during his absence.

The Rev. Harewood-Jones, rector of Montebello, will conduct service at the home of Mrs. Karr on Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock.



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Luke, author of a book in the New Testament, was a physician.

Rhubarb Again!

Each year as spring begins to show signs of appearing, our thought of strawberries and cream, fruits soon to appear on the market and mouths water at the thought of strowberries and cream, raspberry tarts or rhubarb shortcake.

Rhubarb is a versatile fruit . . a fact too frequently forgotten by many housewives. A variety of interesting desserts may be made from those ruby red stalks grown in the family garden or purchased at the grocery store. At the beginning of the season stewed rhubarb, "as is", is a treat that leaves little to be desired and it makes an excellent topping for custard, blanc mange or cottage pudding. When combined with custard sauce it makes a delightful filling for cream puffs. Actually the ways in which rhubarb may be used are legion.

The home economists of the Consumer Section suggest several interesting recipes which will be sure to come in handy as the rhubarb supply increases and housewives are looking for new and different ways of using this inexpensive fruit. Butterscotch Rhubarb Pie is a variation which will surely become a favorite family dessert.

Butterscotch Rhubarb Pie

4 Cups rhubarb (cut in 1-inch pieces), pastry for crust, ½ cup white sugar, ¼ cup flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons shortening, ⅓ cup brown sugar, ⅛ teaspoon salt, ½ cup flour.

Pour boiling water over rhubarb. Let stand for five minutes, then drain. Line a deep 9-inch pie plate with pastry. Combine white sugar and the ¼ cup flour, mix with rhubarb and arrange in pie shell. Cream together the butter, shortening, brown sugar, salt and the ½ cup flour. Sprinkle this mixture over the rhubarb. Bake in a very hot oven, 425°F., for 10 minutes, then reduce the temperature to 375°F., and bake 20 minutes longer. Yield: one 9-inch pie.

Rhubarb Long Cake is another excellent dessert using fresh rhubarb which lends color and eye appeal to any menu.

Rhubarb Long Cake

½ Cup sugar, 3 cups raw sliced rhubarb, 1½ cups sifted all-purpose flour (or 1⅔ cups sifted pastry flour), 3 teaspoons baking powder, ¼ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ cup shortening, 1 egg, ½ cup milk.

Topping: 3 Tablespoons butter, 3 tablespoons sugar, 2 tablespoons flour.

Sprinkle the ½ cup sugar over prepared rhubarb, let stand. Mix and sift flour, baking powder, sugar and salt. Cut in shortening using pastry blender or two knives until the mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Beat egg, add milk and stir into flour mixture, blending well. Spread dough in a greased 8" x 8" cake pan. Cover with sweetened fruit.

Topping

Cream together butter, sugar and flour and sprinkle over fruit. Bake in a hot oven, 400°F., about 45 minutes. Yield: six to eight servings.

If the fruit cupboard begins to have that bare look and there are no longer any spicy sauces left to serve with meat dishes, Rhubarb Onion Chutney will help along until a new supply of other pickles is prepared.

Rhubarb Onion Chutney

10 Cups rhubarb cut in 1-inch pieces, 10 cups minced onion, 3¾ cups white vinegar, 10 cups brown sugar, 1 tablespoon salt, 1 tablespoon cinnamon, ½ tablespoon ground cloves, 1 small piece ginger root, ¼ teaspoon mustard seed, 1 tablespoon allspice, 1 teaspoon pepper.

Combine rhubarb, onion and vinegar. Bring to boil and boil, uncovered, for 20 minutes. Add remaining ingredients and cook, stirring frequently, until quite thick, about 40 minutes. Remove ginger root. Pour into hot, sterilized sealers or jars and seal. Yield: approximately 8 pint sealers.

Women's Interests

Exile from Sunnyacres
— XVI —

By Margaret Cook

"Oh, to be in England
Now that April's here"

—wrote Browning, just over a hundred years ago from the humid, smelly warmth of an Italian spring. We, too, could bear to wander through drifts of daffodils in the Lake Country or marvel at a pear tree veiled in its blossoms. . But things are not so bleak right here in Quebec. The first crocus showed its purple head in our garden on March 28th; since then, they have ranged themselves valiantly along the warm brick wall, holding their purple, orange and white line against the onslaughts of wind and snow. Today they are joined by one daffodil. It conjures up visions of the clumps of daffodils awaiting us at Sunnyacres, and I think exultantly, "For, lo, the winter is past. The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come". (Song of Solomon, Ch. II).

"There she goes being poetic", moans a critic, so we shall revert to our proper level, that of a housewife, and remind our female readers that the time of spring cleaning is also come. We have had two men and one woman for a day and a half washing walls and windows, while the housewife washed blankets and curtains. As a result, the house is odiously clean and the children have no fun at all for fear of leaving marks on shining walls and floors. This blitz-cleaning is not in the tradition; we have never seen the necessity for these orgies, especially in an urban house equipped with a vacuum cleaner. We have always suspected that some primordial urge drives on the female of the species — the same force that decrees that she have a new hat at Easter. The male believes that vanity prompts both manifestations, but we prefer to think that some obscure affinity with the changing season makes us want to greet the Spring with fresh clothes and habitations.

Easter Day was quite favorable to the new raiment and the churches were crowded. Notice that we did not say "so" they were crowded, for we are not cynical enough to think that a desire to show one's new things accounts for the crowds on Easter. That festival has an appeal all its own. Death is one thing that we all have in common and the truth of the Easter story is our only hope of circumventing its indignities. Strangely enough, the story of the Resurrection is the one that most staggers the critics. They can accept anything but that, yet its story is told over and over in Nature each Spring, in the patient hope that Man will at length recognize and accept the truth. No wonder Saint Paul explained in exasperation, "Thou fool, that which thou sowest is not quickened, except it die". . .

We had to interrupt the flow of thought there to teach Latin to a reluctant adolescent. As we watched him struggle with case endings, we amused ourselves by picturing the boys who, through the ages, have done their first real thinking when confronted with Latin verbs and nouns. How modern was the setting and how ancient the situation! How many other tutors have had their ears offended by such barbarisms as "castras"! And how many boys have groaned through the ages, "Oh, no; not that tonight!" The best answer is always, "When it is perfect, you may go." Tonight was momentarily brightened by Russel's belief that the opposite of "woman" in Latin is "virus". We explained that women have called men worms, but never to our knowledge "germs", and that "vir" was the most acceptable form.

We have just had a month of teaching our own child at the Grade III level, and suffered much. It is so long since we learned things so elementary that we have quite forgotten how it was done, and we sit silently gritting the teeth while Betty considers whether to say 72 or 63 as the answer of 8 x 9. After some doubts, she plumps for 63, and so we start over again. My husband tells me that this is deplorable teaching, and that the Multiplication Table should never be taught as such, but only incidentally as the need arises. But I remain unconvinced. It still seems handy to me to know that three dozen eggs are 36. Finally, I appealed to Betty's lowest instincts and intimated that if, on Easter Day, she could repeat her tables correctly, 72 cents would be hers. Accordingly, Easter Sunday afternoon she answered one hundred questions on the Tables and emerged somewhat richer. I recommend this method to harassed parents who wish results and are not easily cowed by the pronouncements of remote experts on education. Another good stunt is to require the unfortunate pupil to say the Multiplication Table in French, thus examining two subjects at once.

In spite of her harsh upbringing, our daughter contrives to be merry, and to make us so, by such bits of news as, "Mummy, Ian has had his independix out!" And at dinner time tonight, "The detour in front of the school was all clogged up". It took us some time to get that one — "sewer" to you, dear reader.

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A team from Brownsburg has joined the League, but has not as yet chosen a name. On May 14 at the picnic grounds, Boyd's Lachute Express will meet the Brownsburg team in the opening game, and it is hoped there will be a good turnout for these two teams. All games are being played according to the 1950 Rule Book, and all umpires are being assigned before the start of the season. Indications point to plenty of good softball here this summer.

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