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Inspiring Story of R.C.A.F. Growth And Achievement, Told at Rotary

Members and Guests at Club "Ladies' Night"

Approximately 150 persons enjoyed the Rotary Club "ladies' night" last Thursday evening at St. Onge's Hotel in Brownsburg. The speaker was Mr. A. Carveth, national advertising manager for The Montreal Standard, whose subject was "The R.C.A.F., Past and Present". Rotarian Fred Royal, in introducing the speaker, stated that Mr. Carveth was well qualified to speak on this subject as he had many years' experience in the Force and had served as an Adjutant throughout most of the last war.

The speaker traced the history of flying from the days of the First Great War, when such heroes as Bishop, Baker, McEwen, Barker and others led the way in their slow, cumbersome planes — to the 600 miles-an-hour jet aircraft of today, such as the one which recently crossed the Atlantic flying 2,000 miles in four hours 39 minutes. He told of how, in those early days, all Canadian airmen flew with the R.A.F. It was not until April 1, 1924, that the Royal Canadian Air Force was formed.

Enthusiasm for flying continued to increase through the 'twenties, but received a set-back in the early 'thirties when the Government drastically cut its budget for this service. By 1935 this policy was changed, and from then until 1939 considerable expansion took place. That year saw the formation of the Commonwealth Air Training Plan, when experienced pilots of all kinds were recruited to train the young enlisted men. The first group consisted of 534 trainees who, of course, all wanted to become pilots. There were no textbooks or definite plans to follow. The officers in charge had to depend on their judgment with regard to the course to be followed, and in making selections for pilots, air gunners, radio men and others. That this work was well done, was proven in the record achieved by these young men when they went overseas and took part in the Battle of Britain. By 1940 the Air Training Plan had greatly expanded. Aircrews were pouring into Canada from the other Dominions, and one squadron after another was being trained to a high point of efficiency.

During the year 1942 it was an open question whether the Allies were winning the Battle of the Atlantic or not. Despite the efficient work being done by the Coastal Command, too many ships were being sunk. Then, for the first time, this branch of the service began stripping their aircraft and installing extra gasoline tanks. This enabled them to fly all the way across the Atlantic, with the result that more and more submarines were sunk.

The speaker also mentioned the Bomber Command, which in two years and a few months flew 40,000 operations, dropped 126,000 tons of bombs, and lost 2 per cent of their aircraft. He told of the men who flew these planes, and of how they tried, despite the war, to lead normal lives. He mentioned a number whom he knew personally, who, after years in the service, returned to civilian life and became very valuable citizens.

Rotarian Syd Stilwell thanked the speaker on behalf of the members and guests.

The remainder of the evening was most enjoyablely spent in dancing and games.

Word-Picture of Communist China

At Meeting of Protestant Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met in regular session Monday at the Lachute Baptist Church, with the president, the Rev. S. J. Pike, in the chair.

The Association welcomed the Rev. H. Kane, a returned missionary from China, who brought a vivid word-picture of conditions at present under the Communistic Government in that war-torn country. Communism is the most dynamic challenge of our day. The speaker emphasized that China is not a satellite of Russia in the same sense as other members of the Communist block: China is the only country where Communism has come to power by its own strength without aid from outside.

The first thing the Government did on gaining power was to overcome inflation by buying up all grain and imposing staggering taxes. Universities, churches and hospitals were not exempted from this severe taxation. The speaker went on to give some examples of this — a first instalment tax on one University was $60,000 (American funds) — an Anglican church, $20,000 (American); one did not know when the next instalment would be called, or how much. The University in question had to fold up and was confiscated by the People's (?) Government. Everything is called "The People's", but it is the people's only in name. "The People's Bank", for instance; it is the people's money in the bank, but the money now belongs to the Government and not the people.

One innovation was to open new China Book Shops all over the country stocked with 95 million books on Communism. The people are only permitted to read news and literature which promotes their teaching. Chinese people are very fond of theatricals and this medium is used to make foreigners look foolish to the illiterate Chinese. Graft, another weakness in the national picture, was also overcome in short time.

The morale of the Communist soldier is high compared with other countries. Drunkenness and the use of prostitutes are not countenanced among them. During the comparatively short time of its regime, the Government has cleaned up the filth of Shanghai.

The People's Government has seemingly remedied some of the political and social evils of the former regime, but all at the point of a gun.

The speaker stated, that immediately upon the dropping of the "Bamboo Curtain", all news from outside was shut off. His opinion of the "Peace Movement" led by Dr. Endicott and others, was Communist propaganda. "The leaders of this so-called Peace Movement have swallowed Communist propaganda, hook, line and sinker".

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Special Features at High School for Education Week

The churches of Lachute will collaborate with the local school authorities for the observance of Education Week, March 4 to 10 — the Protestant congregations joining for a devotional service this Sunday evening in the High School auditorium.

A feature of this special week will be an invitation sent by the High School principal and staff, to parents or guardians of school pupils — to visit the school on Tuesday afternoon and view, during study session, the classrooms in which they and their children are immediately interested. While this is not intended as an "open house" occasion, the invitation will give parents an opportunity to acquaint themselves with the methods and the atmosphere of a typical classroom period.

The senior High School pupils will hear a practical talk on Friday, March 9, along the lines of Vocational Guidance — A. Ord Anderson, of Lachute, addressing them on the topic of "Education and Industry". Mr. Anderson, both in his present capacity as Personnel Superintendent at Brownsburg C-I-L, and as a former school teacher in Manitoba, is well qualified to speak from the dual viewpoints of this subject.

To the population hereabouts (already keenly conscious and enthusiastic for school progress), the local school authorities hope to further emphasize the importance of education, through these highlights in the coming week.

Installation in I.O.O.F. Lodge

Officers of the Laurentian Lodge No. 14, Independent Order of Odd-Fellows, were installed last Saturday by the District Deputy Grand Master, Lindsay Demerse, of Montreal.

The visiting official was accompanied by R. Thomas, D.D.G.M. of District No. 2; R. Morency, Grand Guardian; Chas. Videtto, G.P.C.; Sovereign Grand Messenger W. K. McArthur, of Lachute; also a number of Montreal brethren of the Order.

The officers installed in the local lodge were — Noble Grand, T. Izzard; V.G., J. Thompson; Secretary, C. Demerse; Treasurer, W. J. Deacon; Warden, J. Cunningham; Conductor, Perley Murdoch; R.S.S., R. A. Giles; L.S.S., P. Murdoch; R.S.N.G., W. K. McArthur; L.S.N.G., A. Campbell; R.S.V.G., S. Thompson; L.S.V.G., H. Zimmer; I.G., A. Cleland; Chaplain, K. Murdoch.

High School Group Visits Parliament

A group of 30-odd High School pupils were guests of Philippe Valois, M.P., in Ottawa yesterday, viewing the Parliament Buildings and witnessing the proceedings of the House of Commons in session. They also made a tour of other spots of interest in the Capital.

Escorted by Principal F. Royal and Assistant Principal Austin Thompson, the party included Grade XII pupils and the committee of this year's "L.H.S. Annual". They made the journey to Ottawa by school bus, and all reported a very instructive visit.

Expect Contingent of Italian Farm Labor

An item of possible interest to farmers in this county, is the anticipated arrival of several hundred Italian immigrants sometime in April, to work on Canadian farms. Information received by J. G. Lamontagne, National Employment Service manager here, is that these men have had previous experience as farm workers. Any farmer wishing to engage such help should see or telephone Mr. Lamontagne (phone 122) and ask for an application blank. Wage rate will be as last year, $45 a month plus board and lodging.

Legislature Approves Measure for Rent Control on Expiry of Fed'l Plan

"This Week at Quebec"

By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec, Feb. 27 (CP) — The Quebec Legislative Assembly has approved unanimously a government rental control plan to take effect when Federal controls expire. Premier Duplessis told the Assembly the plan will be the best the country has seen and that it will be perfected in the light of experience.

The bill, now before the Legislative Council (Upper House) for approval, will encourage tenants and landlords to agree on rents and leases. Where they cannot agree, their cases will be put before local rental administrators, to be appointed in localities with a population of 100,000 or more.

Appeals against the rulings by the local rent officers will be heard by a five-man rent control commission, which also will have the power to fix general rent scales for different parts of the province and for different categories of housing. The commission chairman will be appointed by Quebec's chief magistrate, while the four other members, representing tenants and landlords, will be appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council — the Quebec Cabinet.

All rents in the province will be frozen from the moment the provincial system takes effect, until August 1. The freezing period will give the government time to set up the machinery of its control system, which will last until May, 1953.

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The Quebec Government has announced the province is negotiating a $50,000,000 loan in the United States at 2 7/8 per cent interest. The loan will be used to re-finance earlier loans totalling $32,500,000 and bearing higher interest. The balance will be used as a sinking fund for repayment of borrowing in the United States and to finance road work.

The new loan was sanctioned by Order-in-Council passed at a cabinet meeting last week.

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The Canadian Catholic Confederation of Labor is seeking return of about $75,000 in bail bonds posted by 134 of its members arrested following disturbances during a 4½-months' strike of asbestos workers in the Eastern Townships in 1949.

Gerard Picard, C.C.C.L. president, said he and other high officials of the labor organization met with Premier Duplessis, who is the province's Attorney-General, and Labor Minister Barrette, to present their demands.

"The premier also made some proposals which will be studied and on which an answer will be delivered soon", Picard added.

Two officers of the Asbestos Workers Federation, Rodolphe Hamel and Armand Larivee, now are free on $2,000 bail pending trial on charges of conspiracy to incite to violence, arising from the disturbances. Ten others are awaiting preliminary hearing on similar charges and the rest are also awaiting preliminary hearing on charges of unlawful assembly. The C.C.C.L. asked that these men be freed on parole and that bail bonds be returned.

The labor organization said it was also seeking a "modification" of a six-month jail sentence on Rene Rocque, a high C.C.C.L. organizer, who was convicted of conspiracy to incite to violence.

Midnight Entry . . . Transport-Tractor Inside Store



Scene at the midnight mishap last week, when a Marcoux Transport van missed the turn at Bethany intersection and plowed across Main Street into the L. A. Pharand & Fils butcher shop. The trailer tore down a bean overhead, wrecking the entire storefront. The tractor is reposing inside the store. A canopy over the window is seen suspended at the left, while fruit is strewn across the sidewalk. . . The accident occurred at 3.30 a.m., but photographers and spectators turned out to view the wreckage.

— Photo by Bernard Jenkins

Note on Hockey Dispute, Letters to the Editor

Promoters of the High School hockey have heard unfavorable comments on the Lachute team, as the result of a letter which appeared in The Watchman last week. The heading on this letter was, "Sportsmanship and the Lachute Team (League Hockey)"; neither in the title nor the contents was there any reference to school hockey, and it should be plainly understood that this controversy refers strictly to the senior teams, of the district league.

— Editor

Ladies' Rink in Curling Triumph, Eight-End Play

Well deserved congratulations have been showered upon a foursome of lady curlers — Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip), Mrs. J. MacKimmie, Mrs. J. K. Campbell and Mrs. F. Stein — who last week, in the Sherbrooke Bonspiel, brought honor to Lachute by winning the G. M. Young Trophy and further distinguished themselves by making a perfect 8-end, the first time in the history of the local club that such a play had ever been registered in a ladies' match.

This was the sixth annual Sherbrooke Ladies' Curling Club Bonspiel, in which some 40 rinks were entered in competition for three trophies.

The perfect end was won against Mrs. A. Moore's Lennoxville squad, while in the finals against Mrs. B. Patterson's Victoria quartet the Lachute ladies, at the end of the sixth play, were out in front 10-2. The Quebecers, however, pulled a four-end in the seventh, and a singleton in the eighth and ninth, to make the score 10-8. In the last end Mrs. Paterson missed on a take-out shot leaving the Lachute rink happy and victorious, two-up in a final win 12-8.

(See picture on page 5.)

At least ten countries use the eagle as the symbol of supremacy.

Automobile License Expiry Extended To End of March

Quebec (CP) — The Quebec Government has announced one month's extension of the term of the province's 1950 automobile licenses and driving permits.

Licenses and permits normally are valid till the end of February. Last year's licenses and permits will be valid until March 31.

Reason for extension is the Government's abandonment of a mail order sytem of distributing licenses, tried experimentally this year.

The Government has decided to go back to distribution of the bulk of the licenses and permits from local motor vehicle bureaus.

G. H. Shink, Comptroller of Provincial Revenue, said last Monday: "Due to the fact the Motor Vehicle Bureau is reverting to the old system of issuing licenses and that new forms and certificates have to be prepared, the validity of the 1950 registration certificate and that of the 1950 drivers' permit is extended to March 31."

ANIMALS POOR PROPHETS

That Allumette Island snake that was sunning itself on a road in December, leading those who saw it to think we would have practically no winter, made a bad guess. The fact is, the animals of the wild are no more reliable as prophets than are human beings, whose batting average is pretty low. — Pembroke (Ont.) Bulletin

Sap's Running!

By way of enticing the spring season, Lester Thompson tapped a maple tree outside his home on Water Street. That was last Monday, in very "soft" weather. But not seriously expecting results, both Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were surprised that night to find the can full of sap. They boiled it down, and produced a small tumblerful of maple syrup — the first reported here this season.

Local Entrant in Oratory Contest

A Grade XII pupil of Lachute High School, Miss Evelyn Laurin (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Laurin) took part in a public speaking contest sponsored by the McGill Alumnae Association, at West Hill High School on Tuesday. Evelyn had been selected to represent the local school, but did not rank among the winners Tuesday in the Montreal contests. The auditions were held in the library at West Hill High, before three judges and parents or friends of the contestants. Miss Laurin spoke on the subject of "Racial Tolerance". She was accompanied by a classmate, Miss Mary Lou Hooper.

Twin Colts Born At Dalesville

A mare at the farm of Roy Dixon, Dalesville, gave birth to twin colts last week-end — and according to last reports, all three animals are surviving and thriving.

"This Is the National News Bulletin"

Summarizing in a few thousand words Canadian and world news that would run into hundreds of newspaper columns — and doing it in a simple style, using the phraseology of ordinary conversation — is the daily task of about fifty people across Canada who man the CBC newsrooms. Day after day they provide listeners with dependable news bulletins, at hours convenient to most working people.

The basic source for these bulletins is the service of The Canadian Press, supplemented by British United Press. The CP has bureaus in Ottawa, London and Washington, and brings international news from The Associated Press and Reuters News Agency; and the BUP brings foreign news from United Press. Teletype machines in all the newsrooms type out the news almost as quickly as it happens.

Since even a 15-minute bulletin uses only 2,200 words, radio news men must be selective. The news editor picks those stories which he feels are of the greatest interest for the average listener, leaving detailed coverage to the newspapers. And since most CBC news bulletins are network editions, they are a combination of international news and general Canadian news, with regional news added for regional broadcasts.

The policy guiding operation of the CBC News Service is officially put this way: "This service is in the nature of a public trust: to present all the significant news of the day's happenings in Canada and abroad factually, without bias or distortion, without tendentious comment, and in a clear and unambiguous style." Editors are expected to handle news stories — in particular, political and controversial news — without bias; and announcers are expected to read the bulletins without inflections of approval or disapproval.

The service began with five newsrooms—in Halifax, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver. Since then one in Newfoundland has been added. There were 25 on the original staff, which has doubled since then.

"At the beginning we all met in Toronto to set up a style guide, and we conducted what amounted to a week's school of radio newswriting", McArthur recalls. "All that week we took practice runs at turning out regular bulletins that would conform to our standards of responsibility, accuracy and impartiality. The first CBC news bulletin went on the air the morning of New Year's Day, 1941."

The Montreal newsroom provides a complete bulletin service in French for the French network. The CBC News Service is also responsible for CBC News Roundup, which follows the Trans-Canada national news bulletin Monday to Friday. All the service concerns itself with is news — programs of comment and opinion are the job of the CBC's Talks and Public Affairs Department.



Ever since the CBC News Service was inaugurated 10 years ago, D. C. McArthur has been chief editor. Outside radio, he has had 17 years' experience in the newspaper, magazine and publicity fields. Born in New York, the son of a journalist, he later lived in England and then in 1910 moved with his family to a farm in Middlesex County in Ontario. After graduating from the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph he went overseas with the 55th Field Battery in 1916. Following the war he worked on the old "Globe" in Toronto, and he was with the Maclean Publishing Company for five years.

Education Week — March 4-10

The Teacher's Place in the Community

Specially Contributed — by M. V. Trayers

Beside you straggling fence that skirts the way,
With blossomed furze unprofitably gay,
There, in his noisy mansion, skilled to rule,
The village master taught his little school:
A man severe he was, and stern to view,
I knew him well, and every truant knew:
Well had the boding tremblers learned to trace
The day's disasters in his morning face.

The central subject in Goldsmith's poem from "The Deserted Village" was the teacher. "A man severe he was . . and every truant knew".

Today the central figure is the little member of the coming generation whom we, of the present generation, regard as a fetish or instrument of salvation of the future. . . As Education Week is observed throughout the land, our public men will pay homage to the system which produces this phenomenon of our cherished ambitions, and the mansions in which we house him. No "straggling fence" for our inheritor of the future. We have discovered the pupil as a distinct personality. Since Goldsmith's day a great change has taken place in our educational thinking.

The traditional conception of education at that time was essentially intellectual discipline; education was considered more in terms of life than of purely intellectual equipment. The new philosophy is less selective, a little of everything — and, if the course is constricted, perhaps not enough of anything. The Youth Commission set up to study the problems of Canadian young people in a changing world prepared a questionnaire, and one of the questions was: "What is the most important reason for attending secondary school?" High up on the list of replies was the answer — "to enable us to get a better job". Clearly, young people have attained some perspective on the relationship between living and earning a living, but what of the ability to cope with the world of conflicting political, economic and social forces, and to take part in social living?

Ever since we have taken learning to read and write for granted, ever since the school has been an accepted part of everyone's experience, people have asked themselves about the aims and effects of public education. And rightly, for both the individual and the state have an immense stake in the product of the educational system. We spend the formative years in the classroom. Character develops, attitudes take shape, and we set the pattern for adult life. We build our future on the foundation laid in those years. What the school does to us, and for us, continues to matter for the rest of our lives. Education is, therefore, an attempt to stimulate the growth of the child through his experiences. The influence of the teacher is an important factor in pointing up the attitude we take towards our future conduct in dealing with the realities of life, and

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The tourist business has become an important source of foreign exchange for Canada. In 1949 it provided 7% of total current receipts from abroad; of commodity exports only wheat and newsprint exceeded it in exchange earnings.

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Seasonal Farm Topics



Buy Chicks by Grade, Poultrymen Advised

Under a system of grading and inspection, the Canadian consumer for years has been assured of getging the quality he has paid for. Canadian poultrymen can now do the same by selecting chicks graded and sold under the authority of the Livestock and Livestock Products Act.

Officials of the Poultry Production Service at Ottawa point out that there are special grades for chicks and poults produced under the regulations of the Act and consist of breeders' classifications and commercial classifications.

Under the breeders' classification, there are two grades available direct from R.O.P. breeders. The "Canadian R.O.P. Pedigreed Chicks" are wing-banded chicks produced from qualified R.O.P. parent stock and are particularly recommended to head hatchery supply flocks. "Canadian R.O.P. Female Chicks" are also wing banded and are intended as a source of female replacement for hatchery supply flocks.

Commercial classification offers a choice of three grades which are available from breeder or commercial hatcheries. These are produced either as purebreds or crossbreds and are intended primarily for the commercial production of eggs or meat. The highest grade of chicks available in commercial quantities are the "Canadian R.O.P. Bred Chicks", which have R.O.P. breeding on both sides of the family. Those possessing R.O.P. breeding on the sire side only go into the "Canadian R.O.P. Sired Chicks" grade. The last commercial classification or grade of chicks is termed "Canadian Approved Chicks" and is produced by healthy parent stock selected on physical basis only.

Birds cannot produce beyond their inherited ability and officials in the Department stress the fact that the breeding behind the chicks has an important bearing on financial returns.

Quebec Holstein Group Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Quebec Branch, Holstein-Friesian Association, is to be held in the Queen's Hotel, Montreal, Monday, March 5. Several important matters of interest to branch members will be brought up and a large attendance is expected. This branch numbers 1,558 members and is now the largest purebred cattle group in Quebec.

Disappointed in London Talks

Agriculture Minister Gardiner left London last week-end after a flying trip in which he failed to shake Britain's refusal to make any adjustment in prices paid during the last two years of the four-year Anglo-Canadian wheat agreement. Under a clause in the agreement the British promised to have regard in the last two years of the contract to the difference between Canadian and world wheat prices in the first two years. Mr. Gardiner was obviously disappointed at Britain's stand, while John Wesson, representing prairie wheat farmers, told London reporters that Canadian farmers consider Britain had not fulfilled her contract.

Liquid Fertilizer

Ottawa—Liquid fertilizer applied as a seed treatment on wheat, oats or barley at Federal Experimental Stations in Western Canada has failed to produce significant increases in yields, according to information compiled by Dr. P. O. Ripley, Chief of the Field Husbandry Division at Ottawa.

The tests were conducted, based on an idea which has been suggested recently, that very small amounts of plant food nutrients dissolved in water, and applied as a seed treatment, may result in substantially increased yields. The idea has not been confirmed by these experiments.

At 24 of the test areas the seed treatment either had no effect at all or reduced the yield in comparison with the untreated check. In five cases there was a very slight increase of one to one and a half bushels per acre, and in four of the tests there was an increase of from about 3 bushels to, in one case, 10 bushels per acre. In one test at Beaverlodge, wheat moistened with water gave a slightly higher yield than when treated with liquid fertilizer.

It was evident that fertilizer in sufficient amounts was beneficial since in 28 cases where 11-48-0 was applied, substantial increases were obtained. In only three of the test areas was there no increase in yield. It appears, therefore, that the minute amounts of plant food added in the seed treatment do not produce a signicantly increased yield. The use of liquid fertilizers in this way is therefore doubtful economy.

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The Teacher's Place in the Community

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the burden of responsibility which this places on the teacher's shoulders constitutes the most potent environmental factor in education.

Sound scholarship and high professional skill are demanded in teachers; to acquire these necessitates years of intensive preparation. Robust health of mind and body, maturity of judgment, integrity of character, sympathetic understanding of youth, enthusiastic devotion to duty, and a wholesome attitude toward life, are also required. In addition, personal magnetism and leadership are essential. In short, prospective teachers should be the most capable and most promising young people graduating from our colleges and our schools.

The teacher's best rewards, of course, lie in the delight of doing well a chosen task, in the satisfaction arising from the consciousness of having performed important public services, and in his contacts with developing personalities. These the teacher has in fair measure, but he frequently fails to secure many tangible evidences of public recognition either of the importance of his duties or of the quality of his performance of those duties.

In other days the teacher was "the Master". He was a force to be reckoned with in the community. He was feared as well as respected.

Yet he was kind, or if severe in aught,
The love he bore to learning was in fault;
The village all declared how much he knew;
'Twas certain he could write, and cipher too;
Lands he could measure, terms and tides presage,
And even the story ran that he could gauge.
In arguing, too, the parson owned his skill,
For, even though vanquished, he could argue still;
While words of learned length and thundering sound
Amazed the gazing rustics standing around;
And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew
That one small head could carry all he knew.

Teacher's Changed Status

The conception of education which has dominated all past centuries regarded the child as the object of a certain treatment by which he became the recipient of a fairly well-defined mass of knowledge. A foreshadowing of a changed attitude became evident in the teaching of Rousseau almost 200 years ago. Gradually the idea gained strength that the nature of the child was worthy of study as a very important factor in the educational process, and the centre of interest in education began to shift from the subject taught to the object of the teaching, the child. In the process, changing ideas led to a fresh definition of education, and the teacher became merged into the background of the equipment of education. From being "the Master" he became the Medium. His was not the inspired thought, he became a mere interpreter. Education became big business and the teacher got lost in the shuffle.

Inequality of Opportunity

The greatest single fault of Canadian education today is the inequality of opportunity inherent in the system. This is in great part due to the inequality of our teachers, their qualifications, salaries and local opportunities, as well as the expenditure per pupil, suitability of school equipment and property, and the scope of the curricula, which differs so much in different parts of the country.

Rural schools are at a great disadvantage when compared with those in towns and cities, due to the inequal taxpaying ability of the rural as compared with the more populous areas in towns and cities. This unequal tax burden is more glaringly reflected at the provincial level. Statistics show that the poorer provinces have more children in proportion to the adult population than their richer sisters; this is especially true when contrasting agricultural areas with their industrial neighbors. To illustrate this point we have only to consider; one out of every ten teachers in Canada holds but a temporary certificate — permit to teach; the average salary of rural teachers is $1,207, while urban teachers average $2,120; the median teacher's salary for 1947 (the last year I can find such figures) varies from $816 in P.E.I. to $2,042 in B.C.; at the end of that year also, there were 1,700 fewer teachers in Canada than eight years before, and yet there are over 22,000 pupils in two provinces receiving their education by correspondence because of lack of teachers. . . What's wrong?

Teacher Shortage

We have to come out of the clouds and face the fact, that teaching as a career must be made attractive and satisfying to those who enter upon it. High-sounding declarations of the noble purposes of public education do not conceal the difficulties in which the teaching profession is dying of effeteness. It is estimated that 350,000 teachers in the United States, about one-third of the total number, have turned in their diplomas for time-cards since 1939. The problem of finding replacements is becoming an national emergency. It is fast becoming one in Canada.

The tenure of a teacher in a community, at the present time, is of such short duration that the community fails to assimilate him and he becomes a stranger within its gates. He may be willing and eager to carry out his full part in community enterprises, but the circle of his acquaintanceship is so restricted that the assignments given him are simply an extension of his daily work. Normal adult relationships have not time to develop, society knows him not and so ignores him; in consequence the teaching profession which he personifies suffers in prestige. Shifting from position to position within the profession retards the cultural and professional growth of teachers. This continual changing prevents continuity of teaching methods which cannot but have a detrimental effect on the education of the pupil. This menace to the quality of education is more serious in rural than in city areas, because the average Canadian practice is for the typical teacher in a city school to hold his position for 10 years and three months, and in rural school one year and five months.

Centralized Schools

The movement for the larger unit of administration as recently adopted in our own County of Argenteuil, and now rapidly gaining ground, will eventually replace the one-room rural schoolhouse with the modern, well-organized, consolidated school or central school. Under this plan the resources of an entire district are pooled to develop one effectively functioning institution. Teaching conditions and standards in these schools will closely approximate those in town. School boards drawn from the wider area are expected to be of higher caliber and have a broader conception of their function, and the teacher will be in association with others of his own profession and not as one out of character, alone in the wilderness.

Morality and Religious Teaching

And now in concluding. . . The relationship between teaching and religion — the last outpost of democracy, is in a sorry state. The material values so carefully inculcated in the school are but wisps in the wind without the steadying influence of a living code based on religion. When the heavy hand of fate, with loss or misfortune, falls upon the individual, the shield of A-plus in Algebra or Science is of little use in protecting a distracted mind. When the trials of a world gone mad with godlessness, hate and materialism, lie heavy upon a tortured intellect — without the saving grace of religion to sustain and fortify there frequently remains but suicide and death, a blind plunge from the dangers and uncertainties secularism is unable to solve, into the dark unknown.

No education is complete which disregards the spiritual legacy of the ages. This consists of the great body of thought and aspiration which is comprised in morality and religion. The principles of moral living must be included in any adequate program of school instruction, both because of their intrinsic interest and because they are essential to that well-rounded character which is the final goal of the educational process. Now more than ever, the present titanic struggle, in its final analysis, is one between two opposing conceptions of human values. Two ways of life are set against each other in mortal combat. One must ultimately perish, for the world is not large enough to hold them both.

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Education -- A Shot in the Arm

"EDUCATION — Everybody's Business" is the slogan for Education Week (March 4-11), a week that has been celebrated annually in Canada since 1935.

While the week has Dominion-wide recognition, and is endorsed by national and provincial associations, its most important function is to focus attention on local schools.

The activities of the week are the result of local community effort, and fasten the attention of the general public on what is going on in schools within their area. Schools hold open house and displays of work and student activities demonstrate the tangible aspects of primary and secondary education. The impact, at community level, of the variety and complexity of modern education is probably one of the most important functions of the week.

In view of the present world situation the average citizen cannot be too concerned with the type of education that Canadian schools provide. The future of the democratic way of life is inevitably bound up with the training of our future citizens.

No school visitor should go away with the idea that when he has seen the local Education Week displays, his obligations have been filled for another year. Whether he looks at the work of local schools from the practical viewpoint of the taxpayer who foots the bills, or with an eye to the future of the whole Dominion, his concern with education should be sustained.

Education Week is actually a shot in the arm. Pupils, teachers and citizens feel the stimulus of concentrated effort. The warmth and interest engendered by all the activities of the week must carry over into the other 51, if its real objectives are to be realized to the full.

School Drop-Outs

THE CANADIAN Research Committee on Practical Education, whose studies are being financed by several national organizations headed by the Canadian Education Association, studied 12,124 school graduates and 14,219 drop-outs from Canadian schools in 1948. It was found that of 100 boys and 100 girls who reached Grade 7, 59 boys and 51 girls left school for reasons which it ought to be possible for school administration and curriculum planning to correct to a considerable extent. As the report itself remarks: In spite of provisions for secondary education throughout the nation, in spite of long-standing compulsory attendance legislation, and in spite of the more recent requirement of school attendance for receipt of Family Allowances, only about one-quarter of our school population completes secondary education. Many drop-outs are average, and some above average in learning capacity. True, some drop-outs have not the ability to complete secondary education as at present constituted. Surely, for these, we have a better answer than, "You have not been successful this year. Spend another year doing the same thing over again."

EDUCATION — "We won't get very far if we accept the philosophy of the toyshop clerk to a harrassed parent: 'Here is an educational toy designed to adjust a child to live in the world today — anyway he puts it together is wrong!" — Robert A. Speirs, Principal of Selwyn House School, Montreal.

Beware Mud Holes

THE VICIOUS mud-splasher may be beyond redemption. But with the slush-season at hand, we venture a word to those more considerate drivers, who may come unawares upon water-holes in the roads, sending a spray of filth on luckless passers-by. We have already found ourselves guilty of this abuse, through haste and momentary neglect to watch the road ahead. It happens to most drivers, good or bad; but the humiliation of mud-spattered pedestrians should keep all motorists alert from now on, to avoid this seasonal offence.

Pedestrian Crossing

IT HAPPENS that we are among noon-hour commuters who contribute to the rush each day on Main Street. We have many times watched the exodus of school children crossing the main thoroughfare at Harriet intersection, under police surveillance — and we feel impelled to offer this suggestion: The patrolman would be much assisted in his job if the youngsters were instructed to cross at right-angles, in the officer's line of duty, rather than diagonally or in any direction they may feel inclined. The fact should be impressed upon these children that the policeman is there solely for their protection, and they should co-operate by crossing the street at his signal and directly past the spot where he is stationed.

Shorter Hours -- More Pay

SHORTER hours with longer pay seems to be the ambition of a good many Canadians these days. The 40-hour week, while still not general, is becoming more so every year as increasingly large numbers of workers are demanding and obtaining the short work week.

We think that the 40-hour week is a good idea — but only as an idea. Canada became the great nation that it is today because the pioneers knew how to work and were satisfied to put in long hours of strenuous labor. Only thus could the country be developed.

Our nation is still a pioneer country with vast stretches of undeveloped territory, with untapped resources, with opportunities that few nations in the world today can offer.

Can we continue to develop Canada on a basis of a 40-hour week? Today we face one of the most serious world crises in history. Canadians must take their place with the other members of the United Nations and through preparedness avert, if possible, the global war that threatens. Can we go all out for defence on the basis of a 40-hour week?

Inflation is with us; prices continue to spiral. The demand for some consumer goods is greater than the supply, and with defence preparations increasing, the supply of many items will become shorter. We need to produce more and consume less for a time at least, if we are to hold the price line. Can we fight inflation on the basis of a 40-hour week?

We would point out that the short work week is not common — far from it — in the small towns of the nation, except in the case of those workers who are employed by certain national firms. It is utterly out of the question on the farms of Canada.

It may be that Canadians — all Canadians — will be forced through the pressure of the international situation to work tremendously long hours to protect themselves from aggression. Let us not wait for that.

Let us forget about demands for a 40-hour week and get on with the job of developing this nation.

Can't Win

SELF-gratification finds no place on the editor's curriculum — but last Friday we did pause to scan the week's Watchman, and to concede that it was a fair-to-good issue. This rare indulgence, however, was rudely rebuffed.

Meeting one of our good collaborators on the street that day, we were told it was "the worst Watchman yet"! . . "Ninety-five percent advertising — no local pictures — a very poor show", said our friend.

Somewhat nonplussed, but having the week's figures at our fingertips, we replied, "Fifty-four per cent — two local pictures". And he was gone before we could summarize the contents more fully: three letters to the editor, three home-brewed editorials, three locally contributed articles, a good quota of town news and sports, a minimum of syndicated material — 10 pages, pretty well balanced for an average week in the quiet season. But you never can tell; our friend saw things differently.

The total value of minerals produced in the Northwest Territories to the end of 1949 was $31,721,499.

Criticism on Proposed By-law to Regulate Distribution of Pamphlets

TO THE EDITOR

Editor, The Watchman

Dear Sir: In your report f the February Council meeting, I read with some misgiving the notice of motion to require anyone peddling pamphlets in the town to obtain a permit to do so from the local Police Department. If such a motion is passed, I trust that in the interest of religious freedom it will specially exclude from its provisions anyone distributing religious pamphlets, and I hope that the enlightened aldermen on our Council will insist on this provision, even to the point of naming specific religious groups, if necessary.

As one of my right-thinking French Roman Catholic friends said to me over the back fence last summer, regarding the Witnesses of Jehovah: "Let 'em talk. I don't have to stand and listen. And I can always light my fire with their papers, without reading them." I personally disagree with the Witnesses at almost every point of their doctrine, and I wouldn't hesitate to argue their beliefs with them, but I am also ready to fight for their right to propagate those beliefs.

Quebec has received a pretty bad name in the outside world because of what happened recently to the Witnesses in Montreal, the Baptists in Val d'Or, and the Brethren in Shawinigan Falls. Surely Lachute doesn't want to add its good name to the black list.

Yours in the name of religious freedom — "Tolerance"

GET READY TO DIG DOWN

Get ready for a boost in income taxes, warns Thé Financial Post. Certainly, it says, Canada's 1951-52 tax policy is going to be tough. It's going to be as tough as the government thinks the public will bear — plus something extra as well because nothing is so effective as taxation in hitting inflation. Canada will follow a rigid "pay-as-you-go" policy for 1951-52. This is one place where we differ sharply from the U.S., where there is certain to be a considerable deficit next year.

The day shall not be up so soon as I,
To try the fair adventure of tomorrow. — Shakespeare

Sportsmanship -- Lachute And Brownsburg in League Hockey Games

TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir: The letter of February 16 in your last issue of Lachute Watchman, brought many smiles to those who have been interested in hockey over the past years.

Many times, in the heat of a game, old friends may become worst "enemies", and a few hours later, all will be forgotten. This situation occurs not only between Lachute and Brownsburg, but in any hockey league or team. We have had, in the Town of Lachute, leagues made up solely of Lachute clubs, and the same rivalry was in evidence.

I do not know the author of the letter, but it sounds as if it had been written by a timid soul who should stay at home and not attend the hockey games. The incident mentioned is one of those hockey accidents that happen so often. If the "blow" had been deliberate, as the writer suggests, I feel sure that the referee would have given a more severe penalty than one of five minutes' duration.

I would like also to mention that the same player that got hurt, in a previous game had assaulted the referee — who has no defence against a player with a hockey stick. This is hockey; it is a rough game, and with ten men on skates going at full speed with hockey sticks in their hands, there is a possibility of accidents; these players play at their own risk, and those who are afraid of it, had better stay at home and play "yoyo" or knit.

Lachute team is no rougher than any other team. Lachute has been in hockey for years and years; they have played into the provincial league. Some of the Brownsburg players have also played with Lachute, and it is regrettable that an accident should occasion such a letter, aimed to bring ill-feeling between Brownsburg and Lachute.

If the spectator who wrote this letter, is of the opinion that the assault was deliberate, why does he not sign a complaint against the player involved? I am wondering if the writer would not hesitate before stating, under oath, that the assault was deliberate and not an accident.

People go to hockey games to see hockey and not a parlor game.

This letter is not written to activate any animosity between Brownsburg and Lachute — rather to explain an incident that was unduly amplified without reason, by either a timid soul or a prejudiced partisan of the Brownsburg club — or by someone who likes to read his own writing. I feel sure that the hockey fans of Brownsburg do not share his views.

As manager of the Lachute hockey team, I might say that I am in the dressing room before every game, and that there was never any incentive given to our players to assault other players; on the contrary.

If the writer should need more information, he only needs to contact me, and I will gladly give him any information concerning the activities of the Lachute team.

I thank the editor for the opportunity to rectify a statement made without foundation.

Yours truly,

— Antonio Laurin, Manager.

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OBITUARY

Old B'burg Resident Dies in Hospital

The Late Wm. James Tomalty

Another of Brownsburg's aged residents, Mr. Wm. James Tomalty, passed away on Sunday morning, February 25, at the Montreal General Hospital, where he had been a patient for the past three weeks following an accident in which he fractured his hip.

Mr. Tomalty was a son of the late Thomas Tomalty and his wife Elizabeth Burns. He was born at Pine Hill, and was in his 82nd year. On July 31, 1943, he and Mrs. Tomalty (formerly Margaret Graham) had celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

Mr. Tomalty leaves to mourn his loss his loving wife; four sons, John, Lawrence, Leslie, Urbane; and one daughter, (Bertha) Mrs. Austin Morrow; also 13 grandchildren and five great grandchildren, and two brothers, Arthur, of Mount Maple, and George, of Staynerville.

The funeral service was held at his late residence on Maple Avenue, on Tuesday. The Rev. G. B. Hicks, pastor of Dalesville Baptist Church, conducted the service, using for his text Psalm 27: 1 — "The Lord is my light and my salvation". Interment was at the Dalesville Cemetery.

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Charles Tomalty, Willie Tomalty, Russell Warwick, Geo. Graham, Archie Robinson and Gerald Kennedy.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were—Messrs. John Walsh, Percy Roberts, Joshua Maher and Mrs. Ruby Watts, of Montreal, Messrs. George Warwick, Thos. Tomalty, Guy Tomalty and Mrs. Robert Gibson, of Ottawa, and a number of relatives from Arundel, Que. Many beautiful floral offerings and messages of sympathy were received, showing the high esteem in which the deceased was held in this community.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1. How long is Lake Superior?
2. In 1939 income taxes totalled $142 million. What was the 1950 total?
3. What were Canada's first industries?
4. What is the annual cost of collecting radio license fees from Canadians?
5. What provinces entered Confederation in 1905?

ANSWERS: 4. $637,381.27 in 1950. 3. Fishing and fur trading. 1. 383 miles. 2. $1,272 million. 5. Alberta and Saskatchewan.

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Harrington

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Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail and family, of Lachute, were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie's.

Mrs. George Bennett spent a few days last week with her daughter in Montreal; Mr. Bennett spent Sunday in the city.

Miss Jean Davidson and Miss Bunty Mitchell, of Montreal, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie.

The Harrington Farm Forum was held on Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett.

Bell Falls

Mrs. N. MacCallum, of Avoca, spent a few days last week with Mrs. A. I. Brown.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. MacCallum for the week-end were — Mr. Len Harbour, Miss Isabel MacCallum and Miss Edythe MacCallum.

Mr. James Knowles, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. Leslie Kerr.

The W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. J. McMahon on Saturday last.

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

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DEATH

PAIGE — At Grenville, on Feb. 28, 1951, Sarah Mellissa, wife of Carl H. Paige, in her 45th year. Prayers at Lessard Funeral Home, Grenville, at 2.30 p.m. Service will be held at the Anglican Church; interment at Calumet Cemetery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

TOMALTY — Mrs. Wm. James Tomalty and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral offerings received during their bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

BOYD — In loving memory of our dear son and brother, F./O. Walter D. C. Boyd, "missing, presumed dead", March 2, 1944. — Ever remembered, Father, Mother, Viola, Dorila, Gilbert, Lovey and family.

"You left a beautiful memory,
Often silent tears,
But you will always be with us
As we journey through the years."

HYDE — In loving memory of a dear father and husband, Leonard, who died six years ago, March 1, 1945. — Ever remembered by his loving wife, Eileen, and the boys.

"Quickly and quietly came the call,
His sudden death surprised us all;
And all of those who have lost
can tell
The pain of parting without farewell."

OWEN — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Richard B. Owen, who passed away March 3, 1950. — Ever remembered by his wife and family.

"So many things have happened
Since you were called away,
Things that you would have enjoyed
Had you been left to stay,
So many things to share with you
In just the usual way,
Things that would be so much nicer
If you were here with us today.
We cannot bring the old days back,
Your hands we cannot touch,
But God has given us sweet memories
Of the one we loved so much."

OWEN — In loving memory of a dear father, Richard B. Owen, who passed away March 3, 1950. — Always remembered by Annie, Ronald, Edna and David.

"Too dearly loved, to be forgotten"

PROVENCAL — In loving memory of a dear mother, Mrs. Frank Provencal, entered into rest March 1, 1950. — Ever remembered by Bill, Pearl and family.

"Sweet is her memory, dear is her name
Fond in our hearts, she will always remain."

PROVENCAL — In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away March 1, 1950. — Always remembered by her son, Joseph, her daughter-in-law, Kate, and wee Jimmy.

"Sweet is her memory, dear is her name
Fond in our hearts, she will always remain."

Mabel

Mr. Walter Wert is visiting with friends in Ottawa.

Miss Laura Pearson, of Morin Heights, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer.

Mr. Irvine Warwick, of Rivington, spent the week-end at his home here. Miss Donna Derouin is also a guest at the Warwick home at present.

Miss Jean Tomalty, of Montreal, spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon, of Calumet, visited Mrs. Robert Black on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. MacCullough, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mrs. George Murdoch.

Mr. Henry Beauchamp was in Montreal on Sunday visiting Mrs. Beauchamp, who is undergoing medical treatment there.

Grenville

Mrs. R. Dumouchel spent Sunday and Monday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Mimee, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote at the rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Prattley were in Montreal over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Dawson, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson for several days last week.

Mrs. Stanley Dewar visited with friends in Kilmar for a few days recently.

Master Georgie McLeod, of Kilmar, spent the week-end with Hartland Dewar.

Mr. Victor Gauley and Miss Eva Welden motored to Dorval, and were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brazeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigelow and children, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canning entertained a few friends at a card party on Saturday evening.

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Mrs. V. D. Gaudry is spending a few days in Ottawa.

Former Resident Bereaved

Sympathy of old acquaintances is extended to Mr. Lorne McMillan in the death of his wife, the former Miss Hall, of Knowlton — news of her passing having been received here by Mr. McMillan's niece, Mrs. L. Carriere. . . Since his retirement as a bank manager, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan had resided in Gore Bay, Manitoulin Island. Lorne McMillan, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McMillan, of Grenville, counted many good friends in his earlier school and church associations around this community; he revisited his relatives here a few years ago.

Morin Heights

Miss Phyllis Jowett, of Lachine, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. Buxton.

Mrs. J. H. Davis and daughter, Margaret, returned last week after spending the past two months in Victoria, B.C., and other parts, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Willis Seale entertained 10 little guests last Saturday, on the eighth birthday of her daughter, Helen.

Mr. Matt Dey returned last week after spending a couple of months in Kentville, N.S., with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Walters.

Misses Sylvia and Gloria Nicholls have been spending the past two weeks as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robson.

Miss Dorothy Gibson and Miss M. Daley, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Bellevue Hotel.

Mrs. Wm. Latham, of Montreal, returned home Sunday after spending 10 days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt. Mr. Latham was here for both week-ends.

Miss Corinne Watchorn returned home Sunday after spending a week at St. Jovite as the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watchorn.

Mr. Ernie Dey spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. M. Dey and Mrs. Dey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Seale entertained as week-end guests Mr. Wm. Nort, of Montreal, and Bryan Hollingworth, of Dixie.

Mrs. N. Chapcott and sons, Gordon and Murray, Messrs. Wm. Doherty, Carl Seale and Melvin Dey, were in Ormstown on Friday attending the funeral of the late Marvin Dudley.

Wayne and Rodney Boyd, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, accompanied by "Pepper" Nicholls, of Plage Laval, spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Syvret.

Mrs. S. Campbell and Mayor C. D. Campbell were in Montreal on Friday for the wedding of Mrs. Campbell's daughter, Jean, to Mr. Clarence O. Stinson, of Montreal.

Miss Margaret Kennedy spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy. Mr. Gordon Allen was also their guest for the week-end.

The annual Ski Weeks sponsored by the Morin Heights Ski Club ended Saturday with a dance and drawings at "The Commons". On each evening a dance, sleigh drive, bingo, or similar event, was greatly enjoyed and well patronized.

Ladies' Skiing

At Mont Tremblant over the week-end, Jean Elder placed 6th in the Senior Ladies' downhill and slalom.

In the Junior Ladies, Corinne Watchorn was 4th and Beverley Bell 5th in the downhill.

Doreen Elder was unable to participate in these events as she had the misfortune to sprain her knee while practicing there on Friday.

Three New Members of U.N. Security Council



Since 1 January, Brazil, the Netherlands and Turkey, elected by the General Assembly for two-year terms, have been represented on the Security Council, in place of Cuba, Egypt and Norway, whose terms expired. The new representatives, all of whom are Ambassadors, are (left to right): Daniel J. von Balluseck of the Netherlands, Joao Carlos Muniz of Brazil, and Selim Sarper of Turkey.

AGENT DIES

Vernon, B.C. (CP) — A veteran government employee at British Columbia centres, Martin S. Morrill, died recently at the age of 66. He held posts in Rossland, Victoria, Vernon, Lillooet, Prince George and Pouce Coupe where he retired as government agent and magistrate in 1949.

VICTIM OF FATE

Trenton, Ont. (CP) — Trouble comes in bunches for Clarence Vanclief of Ameliasburg. Some months ago he lost an eye in an accident; later, his house burned to the ground, and then his motorcar skidded into the ditch. While it was there, it was struck and damaged by another skidding car.

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Stinson - Campbell

At the First Presbyterian Church, Montreal, in a quiet ceremony at 2.30 o'clock last Friday, the marriage took place of Florence Jean, youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary Campbell and the late Samuel Campbell, of Morin Heights, to Mr. Clarence O. Stinson, elder son of Mrs. Stinson and the late Kennedy Stinson, of Montreal, the Very Rev. Malcolm A. Campbell officiating.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Chas. D. Campbell. She was dressed in navy blue, her gown being of lace over taffeta, and her hat of straw. An orchid corsage completed her costume.

Miss Lyla Mary Ings, her only attendant, wore a print frock in tones of green, with a natural-colored straw hat and a corsage of white carnations.

Both the bride and her bridesmaid are graduates of the Montreal General Hospital.

Mr. Wm. J. Sharpe was best man for the groom.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Stinson left for a wedding trip to Toronto and Cleveland, Ohio. For travelling the bride wore her wedding costume and a seal coat. On their return they will reside in Ville St. Laurent, Que.

Great-West Life Places Quarter Billion Of New Business

Assets Exceed $385 Millions at End of 1950

During 1950, the Great-West Life Assurance Company placed over $259 millions of new insurance and annuities. Its field representatives arranged new protection on the lives of 57,000 people and now serve more than 470,000 policyholders in Canada and the United States. Total business in force reached $1,671,000,000 at the end of the year.

H. W. Manning, vice-president and managing director of the Company, reported to the 59th annual meeting in Winnipeg that every phase of the Company's operations during the year was "extremely satisfactory". He referred to the continued favorable mortality experieince, increased interest earnings, and the Company's success in restraining operating expenses in the face of rising costs, as major factors contributing to the Company's successful operations.

The assets of the Great-West Life have increased steadily over the past five years. Now totalling $385 millions, the report shows that they have increased by $27 millions in a year. "A feature of the Company's investment policy", Mr. Manning said, "has been to increase our holdings of city mortgages and corporate bonds. This has been accomplished by the investment of new funds and a transfer of funds which had been formerly invested in government bonds. This movement to higher yielding securities has been characteristic of our investment policy for the past five years."

This investment of funds in higher yielding securities has brought about a moderate increase in the gross rate of interest, which reached 3.66% at the end of the year.

"To the extent that money is taken out of the spending stream and diverted to the expansion of our protective resources, life insurance is combating the destructive influence of inflation. It is also providing a measure of protection and a means of accumulating funds for our people in these difficult days", Mr. Manning concluded.

The Great-West Life is represented in this district by Maurice Bougie and G. Kilgour Hardie.

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'Quebec Command Revue' Visits Lachute March 30

A new type of entertainment will be witnessed here this month when the "Quebec Command Revue" appears Friday, March 30, in the Lachute High School auditorium. This wartime troop show has been started by the Legion's Quebec Command through the efforts of Mrs. George Layton, of Montreal, who was the successful co-producer of the Legion All-Star Revue during the last war.

Including in its cast many popular performers with the All-Star Revue and other wartime shows, the Legion's latest venture in entertainment is believed to be the only volunteer stage show performing for troops and for sick and disabled veterans at the present time.

Though only a few months old, "Canadian Legion Command Revue" (as it is called officially) has had some outstanding successes and its creators have been commended by Prime Minister St. Laurent himself for the excellent work the troupe is doing for men in military camps and veterans' hospitals.

The proceeds of this show, brought to Lachute by Legion Branch 70, will help to finance the tour of this concert troupe, and will also aid the local veterans.

MUSICAL TREAT . . next Tuesday !
THE BROWNSBURG MALE CHORUS
under direction of Warner Norman
with DORIS KILLAM, organist,
and MAUREEN FORRESTER, contralto.
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Eight-End Play -- Rare Feat by Lady Curlers



The Young Trophy winners in the Ladies' Sherbrooke Curling Club sixth annual bonspiel — (left to right) Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip), Mrs. Jas. MacKimmie, Mrs. J. K. Campbell and Mrs. F. Stein — picture showing the perfect eight-end, a rare achievement which contributed to the Lachute team's 14-3 victory. . . Onlooker at extreme left is Albt. Foy, ice superintendent at the Sherbrooke club. (Story on page 1.)

Big School-Building Program in Quebec

A report issued recently by the Protestant Department of Education shows that a big program of school building and extension is well under way, and that progress is being made in school broadcasting, the use of the film library and audio-visual aids generally, in the school lunch program, in teacher-training, and in the engagement of school nurses.

In the past two years, 24 new schools or extensions to existing buildings were opened in Protestant Quebec. In addition to these, eight large schools are being constructed or have been recently completed in the Montreal area, with additions or extensions planned to three other schools. With respect to classroom accommodation, the current building program is much the greatest in the history of Protestant education.

MORE IMMIGRANTS ARRIVE IN CANADA

Montreal — More than 700 Europeans, seeking new homes in Canada, arrived here recently aboard two Canadian National Railways boat trains from Halifax, where they disembarked from the S.S. Goya.

The first special carried 321 passengers destined for points in Ontario. Aboard the second special were 400 immigrants who are close relatives and dependents of Europeans who have recently settled in Canada. They boarded regular trains at Montreal to complete their journeys to Ontario and Western Canada.



GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"For His Sake."
7.30 p.m. Union Service in the Auditorium of the Lachute High School, to mark the beginning of "Education Week". The service of praise will be led by the School Choir.

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

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
47 Grace St. — Phone 462-J
10 a.m. Bible School.
11 a.m. Morning Service.
No evening service.
Thurs., at 8 p.m. Mission Circle at the home of Mrs. Jas. Murdoch.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 3.30 p.m.
Dunany, 7 p.m.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
BROWNSBURG
Bible School, 10 a.m.
Church, 11 a.m.
Prayer, Thurs., 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. J. S. McBride,
Interim Minister.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Rev. Alexander McLean, B.D.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
Evening service cancelled due to Educational Week joint service in Lachute High School, 7.30 p.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m. Education Week service. Speaker: Mr. Linton Armstrong.
Monday, 7 p.m. Y.P.U.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
No evening service. Joint service at Brownsburg United Church.
Prayer meeting, Wed. at 7.30 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
9 a.m. H.C. Kilmar.
11 a.m. M.P. St. Matthew's.
7 p.m. E.P. Holy Trinity.
Lenten Services:
8.30 p.m. Wed. St. Matthew's.
7.30 p.m. Thurs. Holy Trinity.
7 p.m. Friday, Kilmar.

The Search for Peace

"Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
Doth its successive journeys run,
His kingdom spread from shore to shore,
Till moons shall wax and wane no more."

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"Peace is as sure as tomorrow's sunrise, and just as independent of men.

Read Isaiah 9:6-7; Daniel 2: 44; and Luke 11: 1-4.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Brownsburg

Mrs. T. Zimmer was in Montreal on Wednesday attending the graduation of her daughter, Miss Beth Zimmer.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Wm. J. Tomalty in her bereavement; Mr. Tomalty passed away on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Brosseau, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smillie.

Education Week Service

The service in the United Church next Sunday evening, March 4, will be in observance of Education Week, when Mr. Linton W. Armstrong, secretary of the Central Board, will be the guest speaker. A group from the high school will make up the choir. This service will commence at 7.30 o'clock.

Couple Feted on their 40th Anniversary

The Rev. and Mrs. N. H. Brock were pleasantly surprised last Thursday evening when a number of the church members and friends gathered at the parsonage in honor of their 40th wedding anniversary. On behalf of the Baptist church Mrs. Alan Kennedy presented Mrs. Brock with a beautiful bouquet of red roses, and Mrs. J. A. Campbell presented "the happy couple" with a gift of money. The Rev. and Mrs. S. J. Pike were among the guests and brought good wishes from the United congregation. A very happy social hour was enjoyed, especially in the singing of old familiar songs; a quartet consisting of the Rev. and Mrs. Pike and the Rev. and Mrs. Brock sang "Silver threads among the gold", and Mrs. F. Barker sang "O Perfect Love". Dainty refreshments were then served and the singing of "Blest Be the Tie that Binds" brought this happy event to a close.

Furore in Britain

"BRITANNIA RULES THE WAVES?"

By Harry Eccles,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Winston Churchill touched off a wave of headlines in the British press last week with his protest against an American admiral being named to command the sea forces under the Atlantic Pact. General Dwight Eisenhower of the U.S. had already been named to command land forces in the integrated Western Europe defence system.

The wartime prime minister and old sea dog aroused the House of Commons at London by charging Britain had been brushed out of the way in the nomination of Admiral William Fechteler of the United States as supreme commander of the Atlantic forces navies. He snorted that Britannia still rules the waves, and asked Prime Minister Attlee in indignant terms: "Was there not a British admiral capable of discharging these functions?"

Churchill stormed that the Labor government was letting Britain be treated as a stepchild. He asked: "How is it that when our experience is longer and wider than that of any other country . . and when we have all agreed with so much pleasure that General Eisenhower should command the army forces on land, we should resign any claim we might be thought to have to command of the sea on the Atlantic?"

He noted "it was possible not very long ago for one country to sink 525 German U-boats, compared to 174 by the U.S."

Attlee promised that Britain's endorsement of the nomination would be reconsidered, but at last week-end high sources said Attlee had decided not to ask Washington to reconsider the appointment of Admiral Fechteler.

It was understood that while Fechteler would rank equal with Eisenhower, he would not be responsible for the western approaches to Britain, the North Sea or the Mediterranean. A British admiral was expected to get at least one of these commands. A reliable London source said there was a substantial weight of British expert opinion in favor of an American appointment for the Atlantic naval command because the strategic base of this command would have to be in the U.S. on the western shores of the ocean, and not the eastern shores.

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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Deadline — Wednesday, 5 p.m.

LIONS BINGO — FINAL ($200 TOP PRIZE)

The fourth and final of the Lions Club "repeater bingo" series, takes place this Friday — 8 p.m., at the Lachute Auditorium. Top prize on this occasion is $200. . . It must be won! . . It might be you! . . Plan to be there! (Ticket 50c.)

BROWNSBURG MALE CHORUS NEXT TUESDAY

Don't miss this treat by local talent and notable guest artists. Male chorus under direction of Warner Norman. Doris Killam, accompanist and soloist; Maureen Forrester, contralto. At Lachute United Church, March 6, 8 p.m. — under auspices of the Young Women's Auxiliary. Adm. 50c. -1c

OLD TIME DANCE

—By Edgar Jackson's Silver String Trio, at Legion Memorial Hall on Saturday, March 3. Dancing from 9 to 12 o'clock. Adm. 75c. M1.2c

LACHUTE W.I.

The Lachute Women's Institute annual meeting will be held in the Legion Memorial Hall, Tuesday, March 6, at 2.30 p.m. Election of officers. -1c

SCHOOL FAIR MEETING

A public meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, March 6, at 8 o'clock in Mr. Alex Bothwell's office at the Court House, to elect officers for the coming year, and other business.

— N. MacGeorge, Chairman. -1p

VARIETY SHOW

An all-star variety show, with a cast of 35 — brings to Lachute a new form of entertainment, with music, comedy, dancing and thrills. Friday, March 30, at 8.15 p.m., Lachute High School auditorium. Sponsored by Lachute Branch of the Canadian Legion. Proceeds to help this show visit Military Hospitals, and to aid local veterans. Tickets available from Lachute Legionnaires.

Word-Picture Portrays China Under Communism

(Continued from page 1)

He went on to say that the only reason Russia is sending delegates to the United Nations Assembly, is that they might use it (the U.N.A.) as a sounding board for Russian propaganda. The people of China only read and hear the Communist side of the story.

Most foreigners have been arrested on trumped-up charges and many have received cruel treatment at the hands of the Communists. One friend of the speaker's was strung up by the thumbs in an effort to get him to recant from his views. The speaker "could go on for hours" relating privations and cruelties experienced by many with whom he was acquainted.

Though there is nominal freedom of religion, Christianity is suppressed as a hindrance to production, and the day will soon come when the Church can only survive "underground", said this speaker.

He strongly supported the stand of the United States in Korea and affirmed that they ought to have all the military help possible. Failure there meant a threat to our way of life here.

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Considerable business was dealt with, such as the proposed Sunday School Teacher Training Course. It was felt that the present season was inopportune and so the matter was tabled until next autumn. Plans are going forward for a joint meeting with the Eastern Ontario Ministerial Association sometime in May. Arrangements have been made for a Temperance Rally, on April 3 at the Lachute Baptist Church, and April 4 at the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg. The Rev. J. Linton will be guest speaker.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morrison are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Nairn in Toronto.

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Miss Lorraine St. Louis and Mr. Marc Gignac, of Ste. Agathe, Que., spent a few days in Lachute as guests of Mr. and Mrs. René Hebert.

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Mr. Lewis J. King and Mr. Linton Armstrong visited Ste. Agathe last Friday to attend the opening ceremonies of the new Intermediate School in that town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riddell, and daughter Susan, were week-end visitors in Lachute.

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Miss Jennie Bates and Mrs. F. Phillips were here from Montreal last week-end visiting Mrs. H. Sutton and Mr. David John Bates.

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Mrs. D. D. Mitchell was a week-end visitor in Montreal.

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Mrs. Stanley Goldsworthy is at present visiting her daughter and son-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. Gibson Brown, at Stouffville, Ont.

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Master Douglas Boyd spent the week-end in Buckingham as the guest of Miss Lena McLaren.

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Miss Mary Scott and Mr. E. B. MacDonald were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gorman.

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Mr. R. Steven and Mr. R. Coté, who have been active here for the past nine months representing Kirby Vacuum Cleaners, are leaving for a new sales field in Granby, this week-end. Messrs. Steven and Coté express keen pleasure in the many contacts they have made, and the cordial reception extended to them, in the homes of Lachute and Brownsburg.

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Greeted on 74th Birthday

Mr. Jas. Murdoch received cards and greetings on his 74th birthday yesterday. In the evening, the mid-week prayer meeting of the Baptist Church was held at Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch's home on Bellingham Street, and a few relatives and friends also called in to join the gathering.

What's gone and what's past help,
Should be past grief.
— Shakespeare

Mrs. M. L. Aubert, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of the Misses Bernadette and M.-J. Dallaire.

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Messrs. Edgar Pollock, Herb Graves, Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon and Mr. Ross Muir left Monday by automobile for a vacation in Florida.

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Messrs. Edward and Stewart Jones are at present in Ottawa attending a gathering of Imperial Life agency representatives.

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The Rev. W. H. Britton, representing the Ministerial Association, attended an executive meeting of the Quebec Temperance League last Thursday in the Laurentien Hotel, Montreal.

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Mr. Roy deCoucey Harding, of Saskatoon, paid a brief visit to the Rev. and Mrs. Geo. T. Spriggs this week.

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Mr. Henry ("Hank") Murray, of Montreal, visited among his friends here last week-end, being the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Murray.

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Pre-Nuptial Shower

Twenty-two guests were entertained recently by Miss Emma Kingsbury at the home of Mr. H. M. Gall, East Ward, in honor of Miss Eliane Cusson, whose marriage to Mr. Allen Sabourin, of Cornwall, will take place early in April. The event took the form of a "towel shower". Refreshments were served, and the evening was happily spent in card-playing and singing. . . Miss Cusson has been with the family of Notary and Mrs. Gaetan Valois for the past 32 years.

Riches have wings, and grandeur is a dream.
— William Cowper



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Grenville — A wedding reception was held in McIntyre's Hall last Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Donaldson. Over 200 guests were present and a very enjoyable evening was spent. The Misses Myrtle and Miriam Gaston, and Stan Cavanagh favored with song selections, after which there was dancing, to the music of Wes Golden's band. Refreshments were served at midnight and a toast was given by Mayor Cavanagh, to which the groom responded. Dancing continued until the small hours. Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson received many beautiful and useful gifts. They are taking up residence in Grenville Bay, where their many friends wish them happiness.

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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Miss Anne Richardson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home in Rawcliffe.

Miss Dorothy MacIntyre spent the week-end in Ottawa.

Mr. Tommy Arthurs, of Calumet, visited Willis Young recently.

Miss Minerva Young, from Sherbrooke, Que., is spending a few weeks among friends and relatives in this district.

Mrs. Alex Smith, of Lansdowne, Ont., is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Wyman Arthurs.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Cousins visited Mrs. John Cousins in Lachute on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCart and little daughter spent the week-end at the latter's home in L'Orignal, Ont.

Legal Office to New Premises

Roger Lagarde, B.A., LL.B., gives notice to his clients that, from March 5, his legal office will be situated at 248-A Main Street, above the premises of the Provincial Bank of Canada.

Avoca

Mrs. Neil McCallum spent a few days with Mrs. Brown at Bell Falls.

Mr. Fred MacLeod met with a painful accident to his foot last week, and is at present in hospital.

Mrs. Louise Karr is slowly recovering from her severe illness.

Others on the sick list are Mr. Thos. J. Young, Mr. David Young, Mrs. Stringer, Mr. Hugh Bates and son, Mark, and Miss Violet Tomachevsky.

Among those who visited their parents here last week-end were — Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates and family, of Lachute, Mr. Edward Smith, of Brownsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Burwash, Mr. and Mrs. Hand, of Ottawa, Miss Frances Provencal, of Lachute, and Mr. Grant Arthurs, of Montreal.

BUILD FISHING FLEET

Malvillette, N.S. (CP)—The shipyard at Meteghan is expected to finish 11 fishing boats, 58 feet long, by the end of March for shipment under their own power to Mexico. Five of the boats are now ready for the voyage.

Arundel

Miss Rose Cooke visited with her mother, Mrs. William Cooke, last week-end.

Mrs. Dallas and daughter, Margaret, are guests of Mrs. J. May.

The Rev. Tulk will observe the sacrament of Holy Communion in Grace Church on Sunday, March 4, at 11 a.m.

Miss Mildred Cowan and Miss Cathy Langlois were week-end guests of Mrs. Val Swail.

Women's Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Grace Anglican Church was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Morrison during the past week. The president, Mrs. A. Dewar, was in the chair and gave a report on work done by the Montreal Diocesan Board of the Women's Auxiliary at the 65th annual meeting, held in Trinity Memorial Hall.

Plans in the Arundel branch were made for the coming year, after which the meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served, the hostess for the afternoon being Mrs. Wm. Morrison.

BARKMERE

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tarlton, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Carol Tarlton, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Mr. N. Owens, accompanied by his son and guest, Mr. Alec Rolland, occupied his cottage over the week-end.

Mr. Frank Jarvis, accompanied by guests, also spent the week-end at his cottage.

Cliff Moore, one of our local boys who is now with the Royal Canadian Navy, has written his parents informing them that he will soon be on his way to Australia, where his ship will be stationed for some time.

Cushing

Mrs. J. A. Bradley and son, Ian, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

The Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, was the noon-hour guest of Mrs. W. Y. King on Sunday.

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

Miss Isabel Somerville, of Pointe St. Charles, was a week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. John Somerville, Monalea Road.

Mrs. M. Wilson spent several days last week in Montreal and vicinity.

Mr. C. Grece, of Grece's Point, spent Friday in Montreal.

Mrs. I. H. Fuller was the guest of her sisters, the Misses Bryerton, of Verdun, also of her brother, Mr. A. Bryerton, of St. Laurent, last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. J. Turner, of Grece's Point, spent the week in Montreal. Her little granddaughter returned home with her for the week-end.

Frontier Branch of the W.I. will hold its annual meeting on the afternoon of March 6, at the home of Mrs. R. Blakeley, Lachute. The roll-call will be the payment of fees.

Mrs. Duncan Campbell, of Ottawa, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Canning this week.

Mrs. W. Y. King and Mrs. A. Graham attended the annual Presbyterial meeting of the United Church, held in St. Andrew's Church, Westmount, last week. Mrs. T. W. Weir and Mrs. I. H. Fuller attended some of the sessions, also Miss Alice Davidson, who is spending the winter in Beauharnois and who came in to Montreal for that purpose.

Signs of Spring are in evidence with the rather early thaw, and in the fact that several of the summer residents have visited their cottages here. . . Mr. Frank Pitt and son were at their cottage on Sunday, and also were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Elliott. The previous Sunday saw Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cushing and daughter, also Mr. Roy Coghill, in Cushing.

We regret to report the hospitalization of Mr. Davis O'Brien, genial driver of the government truck, in Dr. Smith's Hospital, Hawkesbury — and also of Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien's young son. Friends extend wishes for their speedy recovery.

Women's Institutes And Education Week

In a news letter just issued by Mrs. R. Thomson, of Abbotsford, president of the Quebec Women's Institutes, she calls attention to Education Week, March 4 - 10, and urges all W.I. members to put particular emphasis on this phase of their work at that time.

Commenting on the slogan, "Education—Everyone's Business", she asks, "Are you prepared to visit your school on Visitors' Day?" and stresses the need for support and encouragement for the teacher.

This thought is endorsed by the provincial convener of Education for the Q.W.I., Mrs. A. Coates, East Angus, who in her outline sent to all members of her committee, branch and county, states, "Let us always remember that the aim of Education is to help maintain true peace".

St. Andrews East

Miss Elizabeth Wales, of Montreal, spent the long week-end with Miss Lamb.

Mrs. Thos. MacAdam has returned home after spending the past month in Lachute.

Miss Mary Lamb was in Montreal on Wednesday and Thursday of last week attending the Presbyterial in St. Andrew's United Church, representing the local Women's Missionary Society.

Miss Ada Flower, of Pointe Claire, Miss Sophie Lengfield and Mr. J. Cecil Wight, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Flower.

The Rev. Dr. W. MacMillan was able to conduct services in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday following his bout with the 'flu.

The W.A. of Christ Church met Thursday afternoon, February 22, at the home of Mrs. Percy Burwash. The tea hostesses were Mrs. I. N. Draper and Mrs. Ewan Albright. The ladies sent a knitted afghan to the Red Cross in Lachute.

Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. L. Rivard and family, accompanied by Mr. Henry Villeneuve, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. H. Villeneuve and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Vowles spent the week-end in Montreal and were guests at the Hartley-Orr wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Copeland and family, of Lachute, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gain during the week-end.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in Montreal; on their return they were accompanied by Mrs. R. Casement and family, also Master Donald Stalker, who will be their guests for the week. Mr. R. Casement joined his wife and family for the week-end.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hartley on their recent marriage.

Marriage of Interest to Riverfront Community

Hartley - Orr

A very pretty wedding of interest to friends in this district took place at Wesley United Church, Montreal, on Saturday, February 24, at 3 p.m., when Miss Helen Joan Orr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Orr, became the bride of Mr. Kenneth Douglas Hartley, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hartley, of Notre Dame de Grace. The Rev. Norman A. McMurray officiated at the ceremony, and Mr. John Cook was organist, while Miss S. Sproule sang "Ave Maria" and "Because". The church was decorated with spring flowers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride's attendants were Mrs. Douglas Eagle at matron of honor, Miss Marjorie Stewart as bridesmaid, and little Miss Ann Kelly as flower girl. The best man was Mr. Colin King, and the ushers were Mr. Bruce Marlatt and Mr. Russell Gleave.

The bride wore a long-sleeved gown of ivory satin, the fitted bodice featuring a net yoke encrusted with pearls, the full skirt sweeping into a slight train. Her fingertip veil of tulle illusion was caught to her head with a tulle cap, and she carried a round bouquet of gardenias and white sweet peas.

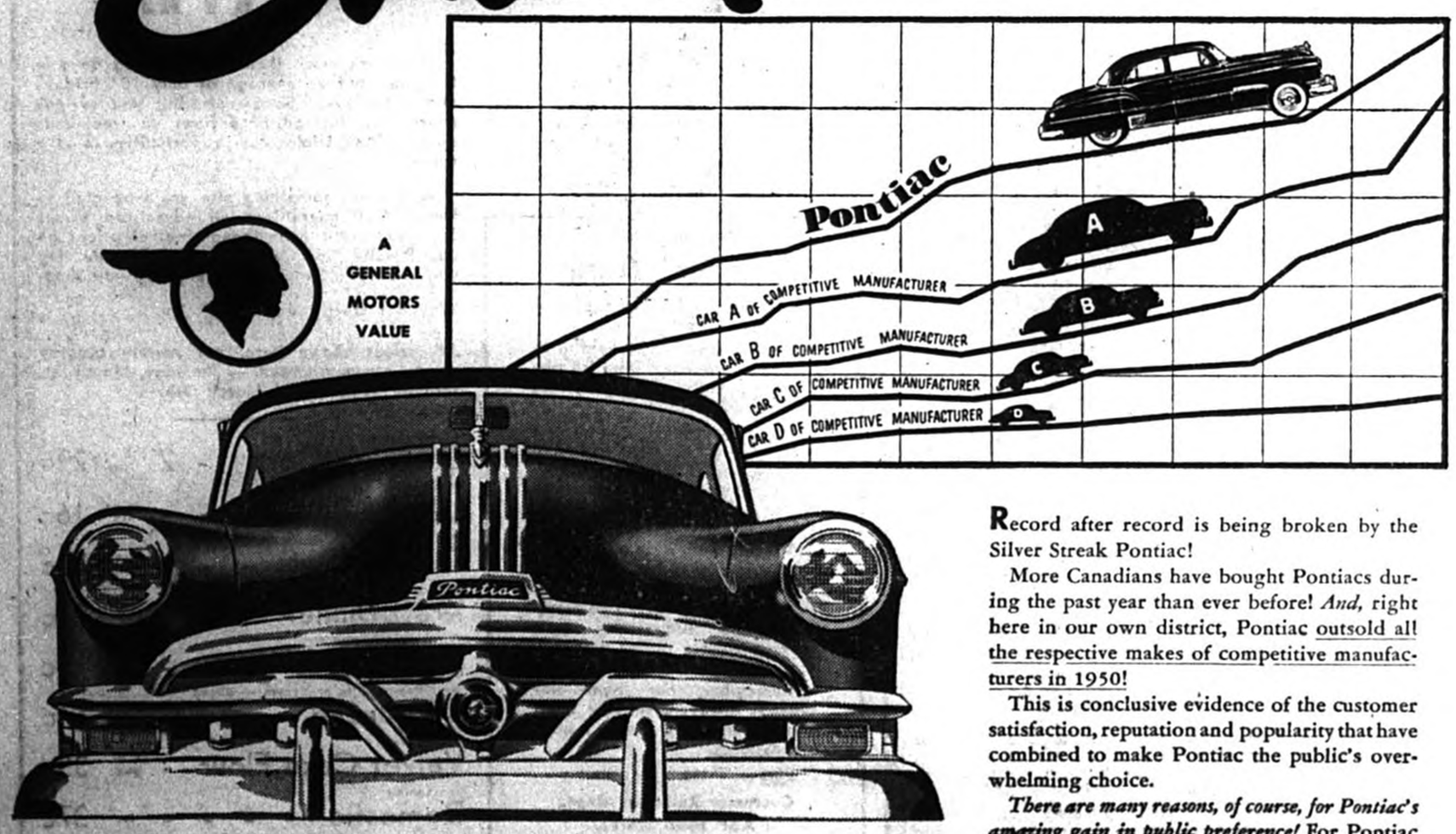
The two senior attendants, in identical floor-length frocks of plum chiffon velvet with fitted bodices and gathered skirts, wore toning hats and gloves and carried round bouquets of pink carnations. The little flower girl wore a long dress of turquoise chiffon velvet, and a poke bonnet and mitts of the same material; she carried a colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

Mrs. Orr, the bride's mother, wore a coat dress of navy blue taffeta with touches of white, a matching hat and accessories, and a cluster of violets at the waistline. Mrs. Hartley, mother of the bridegroom, in a two-piece gown of blue mist lace over faille, wore a dusty pink hat and gloves, and a shoulder spray of pink carnations.

The reception was held in the conference room of the Laurentien Hotel, where pink and white snapdragons and spring flowers were arranged. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hartley left later for a honeymoon in the Laurentians, the bride wearing for travelling a grey and white pin-check suit with matching hat, navy blue accessories and a fur coat, with a gardenia shoulder spray. The couple will reside in Montreal.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Cochrane, of Renfrew, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Keatley, of Arnprior, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. A. Vowles, of Cushing, Que. The bridegroom's aunt, Miss M. Whelehan, of Cushing, was unavoidably absent through illness. Many Montrealers who spend their summers in Cushing were guests, including — Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hartley, Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Weir, Mrs. S. Armstrong, Mrs. Paintin, Mr. G. Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. W. Prior, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hartley and daughter, Margaret, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton.

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OBITUARY

Former Lachute Lady Died in Massachusetts

Late Mrs. H. W. Neil

Mrs. Helen J. (Smith) Neil, wife of the late Henry W. Neil, who resided at 38 Handcock St., Malden, Mass., for many years, passed away on Monday, February 12, following a lengthy illness.

A member of the Robinson Memorial Methodist Church since shortly after settling in Malden 42 years ago, Mrs. Neil was active in the Women's Society of that church, and affiliated with the Yellow Circle.

Daughter of the late Ward and Jane (Tees) Smith, she was born here at Lachute. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Frank Reynolds, of East Walpole, Mrs. Tredwick Elliott and Mrs. Dale Washburn, both of Melrose, also seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Her sister, Mrs. Margaret Neil, predeceased her in February, 1950.

The funeral service was held at the Cowan's Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. David Hickey, pastor of the Robinson Church, officiating. Interment was at the Forest Dale Cemetery.

Igloos on wheels were noted passing on our streets after the snow storm. Wonder if the drivers realized just how great an accident hazard they were with windows covered with snow.

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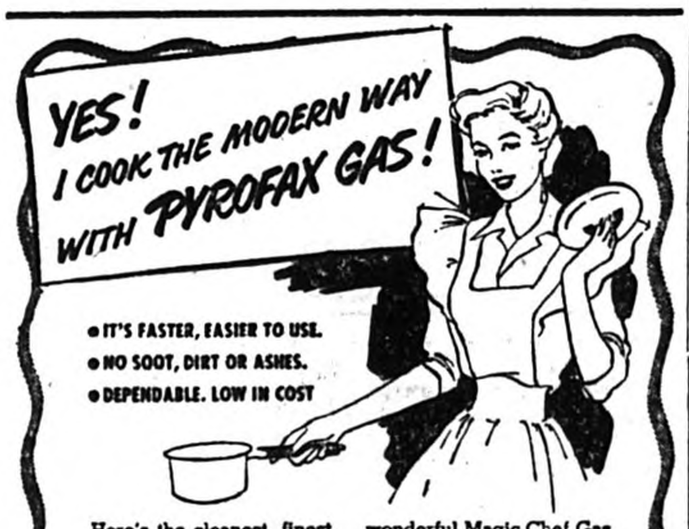
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— Women's Interests —

Boiled Dinners

During the cold blustery days of winter many home-makers have been tempting jaded winter appetites with flavorful nutritious food. What could have more appetite appeal to any family than the old-fashioned boiled dinner? It is not known what chef first hit on the plan of cooking meat with vegetables but whoever he or she was is one of the unsung heroes or heroines of Canadian cookery.

Potatoes, turnips, cabbage, onions, in fact almost any vegetable you can name will combine well with a variety of meats for this favorite Canadian dish. The question of flavor is one both of contrast and harmony. The flavors of foods served in the same meal should harmonize, that is to say one flavor should not "kill" another but they should contrast also. For instance, with a boiled dinner consisting of corned beef and cabbage, cabbage salad would be a tiresome repetition. Flavor in a boiled dinner is one of the prime requisites, so care should be exercised in choosing vegetables which best suit different types of meats. For instance, sauerkraut, would distract from the delicate flavor of lamb but most everyone enjoys its flavor with pork. Some suggested combinations from the home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, for meats and vegetables in boiled dinners are:

1. Corned beef served with wedges of boiled cabbage.
2. Pork hocks served with boiled sauerkraut.
3. Fresh beef brisket served with boiled onions, carrots, potatoes and turnips and flavored with horse-radish.
4. Ham hocks served with boiled onions, parsnips and carrots and flavored with bay leaf.
5. Braised lamb shanks served with potatoes and turnips and flavored with curry powder.

It's the cut that counts, whether it is in a new spring dress or in the meat chosen for a boiled dinner. The less expensive cuts of meat are often spurned mainly because of the lack of knowledge of how to prepare them. The home enonomists have pointed out time and time again that the less expensive, less tender cuts, often referred to as utility cuts, when proporely cooked with moist heat are just as satisfying, just as nourishing as the more tender cuts cooked with dry heat.

Buying and Storing Meat

When buying beef cuts for a boiled dinner fresh or corned beef brisket and rump or plate pot roasts are the most economical. Pork, fresh, pickled or smoked, may be used to prepare this flavorful repast, the Canadian boiled dinner. The members of the pork family suitable are fresh, pickled or smoked hocks, picnic shoulders, and cottage rolls. The flesh of fresh pork should be firm, fine-grained and light greyish pink in color and the fat should be clear and white. After purchasing the meat care should be taken in proper storage. It should be unwrapped as soon as it is brought home because the wrapping paper may draw the juices from the meat. Packaged meat should be removed from its original wrapper. The meat should then be wiped with a damp cloth, placed on a dry plate, covered loosely, preferably with waxed paper and placed in the refrigerator.

Cooking

The home economists of the Consumer Section at Ottawa have pointed out two important factors of meat cookery, namely, buying wisely and storing correctly. Cooking carefully is the next factor to be discussed. The meat for a boiled dinner should be covered with boiling water and cooked slowly at a simmering temperature until tender. For those who enjoy the "browned" flavor and appearance of boiled dinners the meat may be browned in fat before the boiling water is added. If corned beef is used it should first be covered with cold water and brought to the boil, then drained and the water discarded. No matter what variety of meat is used the success of the dish depends upon slow, even cooking. The vegetables are added only long enough before the meat is cooked to allow them to become tender. As well as salt and pepper, seasonings such as horse-radish, bay leaf or curry may be added, if desired. It is most important not to overcook either the meat or the vegetables, as it is desirable to retain both their color and their shape.

The pressure saucepan, that comparatively new time-saving device, makes it possible for many homemakers to put delicious, economical cuts of meat, which usually require hours of cooking, on the table in a matter of minutes. Cooking the less tender cuts of meat in the pressure saucepan requires only a fraction of the usual time. However, the home economists advise that it is always wise to follow the manufacturer's directions for the particular type of cooker which you own. Another point they stress is to check time accurately, as a matter of minutes or, in some cases, even a half a minute, may make the difference between a perfectly cooked dinner and an over-cooked one.

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Baby's Teeth

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"Every one of my four children cut his teeth at a different age. Johnny was late, almost a year old and Mary's first tooth came through when she was four months old. There's no use worrying about when they appear! The important thing is for mothers to have an adequate diet before their children are born and see to it that the baby has the right kind of food and is comfortable as possible when he is cutting teeth", a mother said to a friend.

No Exception

This mother was quite right in pointing out that children vary greatly in development, and teething is no exception to this rule. Some babies get their teeth very early, others around seven or eight months, and a few babies don't cut their first tooth until towards the end of their first year. There is no relation to a child's IQ and the early appearance of teeth. A bright child may be slow in cutting his teeth.

Babies differ too in their physical well-being during teething time. Some babies cut their teeth with the minimum of discomfort. To her surprise, mother discovers the point of a new tooth has come through the gum some morning. The mother is fortunae whose baby follows this pattern! So is the baby!

Other babies suffer a good deal of pain getting twenty teeth in two and a half years. It is not right to blame every little upset on teeth. But a child's resistance, in some cases, seems to be lowered when teeth are coming through.

Usually the first two teeth to appear are the lower centre teeth which are called incisors because of their sharp cutting edge. Then the four upper incisors are cut. Many babies have these six teeth at a year.

A Brief Rest

The baby (and his mother) often have a rest from teething for a little while before the eruption of the two remaining lower incisors and the four first molars. These larger molar teeth are made for chewing and grinding food and the baby's gums are sometimes quite sore when he is getting them.

There is always a little space between the incisors and the molars for the pointed canines (or "dog teeth") which often are cut late in the second year. The last four baby teeth are the second molars, which come in back of the first molars. Baby as a rule gets this final instalment to his set, the first part of his third year.

It is natural for baby to want to chew anything he can lay his hands on when he is cutting teeth. If mother isn't careful he may swallow small objects, as a wheel off a miniature car. The paint on a child's toys or furniture should be without lead, which might harm baby if he sucked it.

Let Him Chew

Mother will have a constant occupation if she tries to keep things out of a baby's mouth when he is teething. It is better to buy him a good teething ring which can be frequently and quickly sterilized with boiling water.

The crowns of all the baby's teeth are formed in his gums before birth and the crowns of his permanent teeth are being formed in the first months of the baby's life. That is why adequate diets for pregnant women, including milk and cheese, with their calcium and phosphorus, oranges and citrus fruits with their vitamin C and cod liver oil (vitamin D), are so essential. The baby's milk intake must be supplemented by Vitamin D in fish oils and Vitamin C in orange juice according to the doctor's direction.

Teething time may be a fretful time for baby but the healthy child should get through this period without too much trouble. Rubbing baby's gums is sometimes soothing, and don't be afraid of spoiling him by picking him up and holding him if he is miserable!

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In the second contest of the double-header, L.H.S. girls won their seventh straight game, defeating the Brownsburg girls, 23-3. The Brownsburg team was scarcely able to penetrate the strong defence thrown up in front of the L.H.S. basket. Highest scorer for L.H.S. was Barbara Bradford, with 11 points. Brownsburg's scorers were Anne Hazel and Beverley Tomalty.

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The Mixed Bonspiel on Saturday resulted in three high-pluses. Of these — R. Wyse, Mrs. A. Ogilvie, K. Russell and Miss E. Morrison were drawn as winners. The door prize was won by Mr. Davidson; Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were the lucky couple in the spot dance.

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The finals in the President's Prize game have yet to be played, between Skips C. E. Richardson and R. Muir.

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In the Edinburgh Trophy competition last Saturday, D. McTavish (skip), J. MacKimmie, G. Calder and H. Kerr were defeated by Mr. Hartley at Caledonia, in a count of 15-7. At Heather, J. R. Carron (skip), L. Bedard, S. McKyes and K. McGibbon were victorious over Mr. Smith of Granby, 14 to 12.

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The Royal Caledonia Trophy, Hawkesbury Centre semi-finals, were played on Wednesday evening — J. MacKimmie (skip), Geo. Muir, Geo. Calder and R. Cairns against J. R. Charron (skip), S. McKyes, L. Bedard and K. McGibbon — the former rink winning 10 to 6.

On the other ice A. Ogilvie (skip), L. Cruise, H. Morrison and S. Drew defeated Dr. E. P. Kelly (skip), Dr. A. Perrier, C. Berthiaume and R. Ranger 13-6 — which leaves Messrs. Ogilvie and MacKimmie in the finals.

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Ladies' Events

Finals in the Wilson Spoons competition were held Friday — Miss A. Riddell (skip), Mrs. R. Fraser, Miss M. Scott and Mrs. L. Cruise winning over Mrs. J. R. Charron (skip), Mrs. E. K. Wilson, Mrs. J. MacIndoe and Mrs. A. Scott.

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The Wilson Challenge Cup was played for again on Friday. The challengers, Mrs. G. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. P. Jamison, Mrs. A. St. Onge and Mrs. J. Barbour, lost to the holders, Mrs. D. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. H. Rigg, Mrs. D. MacTavish and Mrs. J. MacIndoe.

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On Tuesday, a Junior team comprising Mrs. J. K. Campbell (skip), Mrs. A. Ogilvie, Mrs. D. MacTavish and Mrs. H. Kerr, took part in a friendly 'spiel at the Seigniory, and brought home second prize.

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Finals in the Senior and Junior Bonspiels were played off on Wednesday. In the Seniors, Mrs. J. R. Charron (skip), Mrs. J. R. McOuat, Miss L. Giles and Mrs. A. St. Onge defeated Mrs. E. H. Wilson (skip), Mrs. D. McGibbon, Mrs. H. Rigg and Miss J. McOuat — while in the Junior contest, Mrs. J. MacIndoe (skip), Miss M. Scott, Mrs. T. Homel and Miss E. Earle won against Mrs. S. Wilson, Mrs. H. Kerr, Miss F. Carriere and Mrs. S. Forbes.

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On Friday of this week, a tea is being held at the clubhouse in honor of Mrs. W. M. Cottingham and her rink, who won the Young Trophy in the Sherbrooke Bonspiel. All members are invited.

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Mrs. S. Campbell (skip), Mrs. Patterson, Miss R. Parsons and Mrs. R. Muir played in Lachine on Wednesday where they won two games, coming second in a high plus.

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Two rinks are in Ottawa competing in the Glebe Bonspiel. They are — Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip), Mrs. J. MacKimmie, Mrs. L. Ayers, Mrs. R. Cairns; and Mrs. Geo. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. P. Jamison, Mrs. A. St. Onge, Mrs. F. Stein. The former team won one game and lost two while the latter was successful in two and lost one.

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March 7 will be Visitors' Day. Tea will be served between 4.30 and 5 o'clock, to which all members are invited. This will take the place of the monthly tea, which is usually held the first Monday in the month.

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Down the Alley



By S-T-RIKE

League Scores at Lachute Bolodrome

Tuesday, February 20
Mixed 5-Pins

Happy Gang 8	—vs—	2nd L.H.S.	0
Lachute Lumber 8		Bell Telephone	0
Metropole 6		Lucky Strike	2
Rex Café 6		1st L.H.S.	2
L. E. Dansereau 4		Boyd's Bombers	4
Optimists 6		Ayers Ltd.	2

Highest single, P. Desnoyers, 322.
Highest triple, A. Cowan, 735.

Wednesday, February 21
Men's 5-Pins

McOuat's 8	—vs—	Bélanger Frères	0
Patisserie Française 8		Malacket	0
North River 8		Mechanics	0
Bankers 6		Dominion Store	2
Hotel Tessier 4		Brading's	4

Highest single, Denis Lauzon, 314.
Highest triple, Denis Lauzon, 787.

Thursday, February 22
Girls' 5-Pins

Bolodrome 8	—vs—	Our Gang	0
Young Stars 8		Elite Store	0

Highest single, J. C. Belanger, 274.
Highest triple, J. C. Belanger, 700.

Monday, February 26
Men's Ducks

H. M. Lavigne 8	—vs—	Stuffed Shirts	0
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PIONEER'S BIRTHDAY

Maryfield, Sask. (CP) — John Craig celebrated his 90th birthday here recently. He was born in Lanark, Ont., and came west in 1884.

United Church Bowling

The regular schedule of the Lachute United Church bowling league was concluded on Monday evening, with the first eight teams of the 12-team league entering the play-offs.

St. David's, skipped by Merlin Evans, had been in the lead throughout the season, but were overcome by the Raps, headed by L. M. Hammond, in the last lap. The lower play-off spots were in doubt until the final games.

The first round will be played next Monday in the church hall, with the semi-finals and final the following week. Two carpets will be in use for the play-offs, but one will be reserved for any other members or friends wishing to play.

Play-Off Games on Monday, March 5

7.15 p.m. Y.P.U. vs. Red Cross A
W.M.S. Reds vs. W.M.S. Blues
8.30 p.m. The Raps vs. Red Cross B
St. David's vs. L.H.S. Teachers

United Church Bowling League Standing

	Team	Skip	P	W	D	L	For	Agst.	P
1.	The Raps	L. W. Hammond	11	9	1	1	116	73	19
2.	St. David's	M. Evans	11	9	0	2	114	81	18
3.	W.M.S. Reds	Grace Rosser	11	7	1	3	109	89	15
4.	Y.P.U.	Wayne Riddell	11	7	0	4	98	76	14
5.	Red Cross B	Mrs. Lamontagne	11	6	1	4	108	78	13
6.	L.H.S. Teachers	A. Thompson	11	5	1	5	97	91	11
7.	W.M.S. Blues	Mrs. Tillotson	11	3	0	6	93	93	7
8.	Red Cross A	Mrs. E. Noble	11	4	0	7	83	105	8
9.	S.S. Teachers	H. Graham	11	4	0	7	83	114	8
10	St. Pats	Stan Alexander	11	3	0	8	70	94	6
11	Ladies' Aid	Mrs. H. Scott	11	2	1	8	70	94	6
12	Y.W.A.	Mrs. E. Laurin	11	1	3	7	67	117	5

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'Education Week' Observances In Lachute and Brownsburg

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Linton W. Armstrong Speaker at Brownsburg, On "The Increasing Importance of Education"

"Education Week" was inaugurated last Sunday evening with two joint congregational services — in the High School auditorium at Lachute, and in the United Church at Brownsburg. The choirs of the respective schools led the musical phase of these devotions, and in each case the special speaker stressed the theme of Education.

A representative gathering, including a fair proportion of school pupils, attended the gathering at Lachute. On the platform and participating in the service were the Rev. W. H. Britton, the Rev. W. B. Rosborough (who preached the sermon), the Rev. G. T. Spriggs, and the Rev. A. McLean, of Toronto. The junior and senior choral groups, who sang two anthems, were under direction of Mr. S. McKyes, and Wayne Riddell was accompanist at the piano.

On Tuesday afternoon a number of interested parents visited the local High School and witnessed the classes in session. Another feature of the week's activities in Lachute will be an address to the senior grades, given Friday by A. Ord Anderson, Personnel Superintendent of the Brownsburg C-I-L.

At Brownsburg

At the United Church in Brownsburg, the congregations of that village united on Sunday evening. The minister of the church, the Rev. S. J. Pike, the Rev. N. H. Brock, Principal K. Amos and Linton Armstrong, secretary of the Central School Board, took part in the service. The latter was special speaker for the occasion, and Mr. Amos directed the school choir in the singing.

Mr. Armstrong's address is quoted herewith, as representing the spirit in which Education must be regarded in this day and age, and also the measures by which its needs are being encountered in this country and this province.

Increasing Importance Of Education

— By L. W. Armstrong —

As we enter into the second half of the 20th century it is but natural that we should try to examine the birthright which has been handed this half of the present century by the first half.

The superficial historian, in writing the story of the last 50 years, will record that there were two world wars, at least two depressions and certain brief periods of prosperity. The true historian will record that it was an era of ideologies or of 'isms, which millions of people adopted with all the fervor of religious crusades. To the man in the street in the year 1900 the terms Communism, Nazism and Fascism meant nothing. But to us today each has a very real meaning. We saw Fascism and Nazism grow, become terrible forces of evil and then die, bringing their adherents down to destruction with them. We have seen Communism grow within the country of its origin and spread to so many neighboring countries that it threatens to envelop the world. This awful danger with which we are faced at the present time, is part of that birthright which has been handed to the second half of the 20th century by the first half.

The true historian will also record the tremendous strides in the realm of science. It has been said that the 20th century ushered in a host of "tinkerers". An examination of the record will reveal that this is at least partly true. For example, the fastest means of transportation and communication was a man travelling on horseback. On sea, it was the sailing vessel. Along came one of these tinkerers and began substituting the horse for a crude internal combustion engine. Another man watched the team escaping from his mother's kettle and began tinkering with a gadget whereby this force could be put to some use. Another got an idea — considered very silly at the time — that he could transmit the human voice to a distant point along a wire. A little later another man began working on a gadget which he said — and this was sillier than the other — would enable him to transmit the human voice to a distant point even without the wires. Then, of course there were those whose ambitions were to emulate the birds and fly through the air. All these tinkerers, together with thousands of others brought forth inventions which resulted in our modern means of transportation and communication. Distance was annihilated. The world has become a whispering gallery. All this is also part of that birthright. Do we not point with pride to that jet plane which recently flew 2,000 miles across the Atlantic in four hours and a half. We today take

(Continued on page 4)

Fire Call on Monday

Lachute Fire Department was summoned Monday afternoon to a blaze in a concrete-block bungalow owned by René Letendre, in the new development of homes on the Cruise farm, approaching Lachute Road. No one was at home when the outbreak occurred, and neighbors issued the alarm. The blaze, of unknown origin, started in the kitchen, and was confined largely to the one room.

'School Day' for 1951 Spring Fair

On Saturday, June 16, the Argenteuil Agricultural Society will feature a School Day at the 1951 Spring Fair. Included in the present prize list will be the following classes for students attending schools in the district and surrounding counties. An entry fee of 25c will be charged each student for each article exhibited. There will be classes for boys 12 years and under, and the same classes for boys 13 years and over, in the following handicrafts:

Hammer handle, axe handle, bird house, coffee table, broom holder, book rack, magazine rack, step-stool, milking stool, poke, checker board, book ends.

The following classes will be open for girls 12 years and under, and also 13 years and over:

Dress (1 and 2 pieces), slip, 'weskit', knitting (socks and scarves), aprons, pot holders, handkerchief case, skirts.

Baking, as follows: Cakes (plain white, one layer); pie (apple or lemon); bran muffins; tea biscuits; candy (chocolate fudge).

There will also be a class open for boys and girls, all ages, exhibiting pets — pigeons, ducks, hens, cats and dogs.

Prize money will be awarded in all these classes.

All student exhibitors will receive a complimentary ticket to the Fair for Saturday only.

(Those interested in participating are advised to clip the above list of handicraft classes, for future reference.)

Brownsburg W. Inst.

The annual meeting of the Brownsburg W.I. was held in the Social Club on Thursday evening, March 1. The following officers and conveners were elected:

Honorary president, Mrs. Harry Gardiner; past-president, Mrs. Bertha Enlow; president, Mrs. Chas. Stephens; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Chas. Vary; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Mason Crosby; secretary, Mrs. Theodore Zimmer; treasurer, Mrs. Howard Elliott.

Conveners — Citizenship, Mrs. George Helmer; Agriculture, Mrs. Wm. Talbot; Publicity, Mrs. Lemuel Wilson; Education, Mrs. Wm. Fletcher; Health & Welfare, Mrs. Chas. Prosser; Home Economics, Mrs. Gordon Todd, Mrs. Hector Mason; Sick Committee, Mrs. John Connelly, Mrs. E. White.

Dogs Molesting Deer in the Bush

It is reported by Game Warden Leslie Bates that dogs have been running at large in the bush, and carcases of deer have been found, particularly in the vicinity of Louisa. This practice is illegal, and to quote from the Quebec Fish and Game Laws, "any person may, without incurring any responsibility, kill any such dogs found unlawfully running at large, hunting or coursing in any place frequented by deer". Moreover, the owners of such dogs leave themselves liable to a fine for allowing them to run at large in the bush.

First Triplets Born At Local Hospital

A west end couple, Mr. and Mrs. Georges Paquette, received a considerable enlargement to their family last week-end, with the birth of triplets early Saturday morning at the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills. This is the first triple birth recorded at the local institution. The Paquettes have another child, a son, born last year.

The father is employed at Dominion Shuttle Company, and the mother, 34 years of age, was the former Cecile Chenier, of Lachute. Dr. Roger Lavigne, the attending physician, reports the mother and triplets are all doing well. (How the father withstood the ordeal is not noted in the medical record).

The infants were — a boy, born 2.15 a.m., 3 lbs. 11 ozs; a boy, 2.28 a.m., 3 lbs. 10 ozs.; and a girl, 2.40 a.m., 3 lbs. 8 ozs.

Steps Taken by Council on Evidence Of Water Wastage in Brownsburg

"IN BROWNSBURG" (Specially Contributed)

Clearing the Streets

There was very little cause for complaint concerning the manner in which the town employees cleared the streets after the recent snowfalls. The snow was removed with commendable promptitude, and little if any inconvenience was caused to traffic.

Not so commendable was the cooperation offered by the general public — or some of the winter drivers, to be more specific. There were several instances of cars parked so that the municipal plow had to move out and leave an island untouched on the side of the street. One such "civic-minded" individual took his car to church, a distance of less than 500 yards, and parked it on a side-street during the service; the plow was unable to pass the point where the car was parked and had to back up, at considerable trouble, and left part of this street uncleared. — All because someone didn't want to walk 500 yards to church!

The council would be serving the public by ordering that all cars parked on the streets in the way of the plow after a snowstorm, be towed to the nearest garage at the car owner's expense.

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"Water, Water, Everywhere"

Over a quarter of a million dollars has been spent on providing water service to the people of this municipality. Under the present system of municipal government it would be too much to expect that the best possible mechanics of supply was adopted and installed. There were bound to be some "niggers in the woodpile"; but, taken by and large, the system is adequate, and capable of expansion and perhaps improvement. It is a long way ahead of the primitive supply which it replaced, and for fire protection is good — and accepted by insurance standards as good.

Now, the difficulty is that some people are not getting sufficient water for their domestic needs, and this despite the fact that over 600,000 gallons is pouring into the lines every day. In the blistering heat of summer, the average consumption is 450,000 gallons, and this supplies lawn sprinklers and outside hoses — which are not in operation at this time of year. Last week it became necessary to put on an auxiliary pump to assist the gravity fall in meeting water consumption. There is something very wrong with this situation, as 600,000 gallons a day should be more than adequate for the needs of 3,000 people. The Council's engineers have checked the lines very carefully for leaks, which at first glance might be blamed for the high consumption, and they are satisfied the wastage lies elsewhere. Investigation of the cause has determined that a number of householders have been allowing taps to run as a precaution against freezing, and so common has this practice become that (according to information which has reached the Council), in five cases plumbing fixtures have been installed to facilitate a continuous flow of water through the house-owner's lines and into the sewerage system. Someone is flushing thousands of gallons of water down the sewer while his neighbors at a higher elevation on the line are without sufficient for domestic needs. This may be done without realization of

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Easter Seals Again Sponsored By Lions Club

Lachute Lions Club has been appointed sole concessionaire for the Argenteuil district for the sale and distribution of Easter Seals this year.

Easter Seals are distributed throughout the Province of Quebec as a means of raising money in order that better care can be taken of cripples of all ages, in order that they may eventually become useful citizens. This is a work with which the Lions Club has been associated for many years, and Easter Seals will provide a means whereby the public can materially help in this worthy cause.

Easter Seals are distributed throughout the province through the co-operation of many service clubs, and it is understood that one half of the funds raised by the Lachute Lions is to be kept in this community for the benefit of local cripples. The other half is used for the support of organizations in the bigger centres which have been developed for specialized services and which are available for cripples from any part of Quebec.

The Lions have appointed Dr. F. W. FitzGerald as chairman of their Easter Seals committee. These seals will be in the mail during the next few days and the generous support of the public is requested.

Kincardine, Ont. (CP) — Students of Ripley district high school turned newspaper reporters and collected, wrote and edited three newspaper pages of copy from their district, which appeared as a special section of the Kincardine News.

Monthly Meeting Of Legion Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Legion Branch 70, was held in the Memorial Hall, Lachute, last Monday.

Following the initiation of a new member, Mrs. M. Noble, plans were made to hold a rummage sale next Saturday in McArthur's Hall, and for a military whist to take place during April.

It was moved that a donation of $5 be given to the Brownsburg Legion for the purchase of a chair for their new Hall.

At the close of the evening refreshments were served, and a demonstration on the making of fancy sandwiches was given by Miss Janet McOuat. Miss McOuat was introduced by the president, Mrs. L. Laframboise, and was thanked by the past-president, Mrs. E. Barrie. Several guests were present at the meeting.

Performance by B'bg Male Choir

There was a large audience at Lachute United Church on Tuesday evening to hear the Brownsburg Male Chorus, under the baton of Mr. Warner Norman. Accompanist for the program was Doris Killam, and the guest artist was Miss Maureen Forrester.

The male chorus showed marked improvement over previous presentations, there being more balance in the four parts, giving the first tenors an opportunity to aim for quality rather than volume.

Several selections were sung that had been rendered in previous concerts — "Laudamus" and "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen" being splendidly interpreted during the first part of the program.

The organ and piano were skilfully blended by Doris Killam and Warner Norman, playing selections from the "Peer Gynt Suite" by Grieg. These favorite themes were beautifully played by these two able artists, as they synchronized the various musical pictures.

The 19-year-old contralto soloist from Montreal, Miss Maureen Forrester, gave one of the finest vocal recitals heard in Lachute for many years. Possessing a rich natural voice, especially in the lower range, Miss Forrester sang with a poise and control worthy of a great artist. She rendered two groups of songs; and "Art Thou Troubled", from Handel's "Rodelinda", was possibly the highlight of the evening. Several English songs were sung by this soloist, and her final number was from her grand opera repertoire, "Amour, viens aider", a forceful aria from Samson and Delilah. Miss Forrester will be one of the "Singing Stars of Tomorrow" on the radio Sunday, March 18.

The chorus rendered several Negro spirituals, and Malotte's "The Lord's Prayer", an ever-appealing selection, was sung with feeling and dignity; this was one of the best numbers of the group.

Doris Killam and Warner Norman again excelled themselves at organ and piano, with Schubert's 'Ave Maria" being a classic on the program.

The male chorus, director, accompanist and soloist are to be highly commended for this musical treat —and as Rev. W. B. Rosborough remarked in his words of appreciation, "may they soon return".

The concert was under auspices of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the United Church.

The Storied "Casey"

Illustrating a twist in phonetics so often applied by youngsters — and even by adults when unfamiliar with local names — it was overheard the other day that a letter intended for the Tessier Hotel, Lachute, was addressed to "Casey's Hotel".

Symphony Enjoyed By Community Concerts Assoc'n

Fulfilling the desire and ambition of many Community Concert Association members, a symphony recital was presented in Lachute last week; and the new High School auditorium, the scene of this fine concert on Thursday evening, was well filled for the occasion.

The Longines Symphonette, a group of accomplished musicians, is conducted by Mishel Piastro. A master of the musical arts, Piastro had in his ensemble a splendid string section (violins, violas, cellos and base) supported by woodwinds, brass and timpani. This symphonette is renowned throughout the United States and Canada, its weekly broadcasts on national hook-ups having earned several high awards.

Mishel Piastro has a keen sense of showmanship, along with sensitive hands and an appreciative heart when it comes to music. His fine conducting was beautiful to watch, and though his members were possibly not on their best Carnegie Hall behavior (there were moments when the artists were heartily enjoying some humorous incident), their program was splendidly interpreted.

A slight change was made in the program, when Mozart's "Marriage of Figaro" overture was played — a piece that is unfailingly appreciated by musical audiences. Mozart was also featured in the second piece, with the four movements of his Symphony No. 40. The concert master and leading cellist gave a heart-warming rendition of Gounod's "Ave Maria", which was supported by the entire ensemble. This ever-popular selection is always an audience-winner, and the fine playing of these two artists was enthusiastically acclaimed.

Mishel Piastro exchanged the baton for his violin to become an artist, as he joined four other violins in a spirited "Perpetuo Mobile" by Ries. The five violinists gave a perfect example of orchestral teamwork.

Following the intermission, a typical American composition by Vladimir Padwa of New York, "Tom Sawyer Ballet Suite", was played by the symphonette. The four movements were a true expression of the Mississippi folk, and the grand old river and darkie dances could often be heard by those with appreciative ears. Dvorak, Bach and Strauss were remembered on the program, and a splendid violin concerto was also rendered.

As an encore, Piastro chose Rimski Korsakoff's "Flight of the Bumble Bee", enterpreted by the clarinetist and ensemble.

The new school assembly hall provided a perfect setting, in all except one detail — the stage was somewhat small to accommodate this large group of musicians with their ponderous instruments and paraphernalia. The disadvantage detracted in no way from the fine performance, however, and the program — which was the first symphony recital ever heard in Lachute — won enthusiastic acclaim from all who were privileged to hear it.

Linton W. Armstrong, president of the Association, briefly voiced the appreciation of the public. The artists were guests of the Association directors at an informal reception after the concert, and refreshments were served by ladies of the organization, in the school dining hall.

WE REGRET —

News of Lachute W.I. annual meeting and Morin Heights Council held over through lack of space.

— Ed.

Lions Club Session Devoted to Affairs Of Community

Another successful Lions gathering saw the recent high attendance maintained, last Tuesday evening at the Joly Hotel. The meeting, without benefit of speaker, was devoted to current club business, with President Horace Lamarche an expeditious chairman.

Dr. F. W. FitzGerald reported progress on the Easter Seals campaign, a fund for the aid and rehabilitation of cripples.

Ian Gordon's attendance report showed Jean-Bruno Menard's team still in the lead. Warm appreciation was expressed to Lion Gordon and his committee for their successful work on the "repeater bingo" series, which have raised around $1,100 for the club's community funds.

Approval was voted to numerous donations — including (in matters of personal relief) the cost of glasses for a schoolchild and infants' clothing in a needy family — before dealing with arrangements for the next big money-raising venture, the annual car drawing in June. Details are in the able hands of Lion Leopoid Carrière and Lion Roger Legault; the automobile, to be drawn June 16, final day of Lachute Spring Fair, will be a Custom Ford four-door sedan, generously supplied to the club at dealer's price by Lion Geo. Y. Deacon. Second and third prizes will be a refrigerator and a mantel radio, respectively, with other incidental awards.

A serious discussion arose on the club's position and concern in international affairs. The subject, which might well have inspired an interesting debate, was limited only by the time available. It was felt, however, that the needs of this community placed more immediate demands on the members' attention at this meeting.

As spokesman for the week's "honorable mention", Fernand Legault paid tribute to Bertrand L'Heureux, Lion of the Day. Reference was made to the progress of the L'Heureux business, in which Bertrand takes a very active hand. Among quips of good-natured humor, it was recalled that Lion L'Heureux had been founder and first president of the Chamber of Commerce, a very active community organization; and that, while in service with the R.C.A.F., L'Heureux had made no fewer than 50 trans-Atlantic crossings — by sea and not by air.

Lion Ralph FitzGerald announced an interesting program for next meeting.

Good Response to "Chair Campaign"

FOR BROWNSBURG MEMORIAL HALL

Brownsburg — While a lot of work remains to be done before there can be an official opening ceremony for the new Legion Memorial Hall in Brownsburg, the Hall proper has already been put to use. The installation of 1951 officers of the Brownsburg Legion took place in the Hall on February 27, with the Provincial President, Mr. Al Heron, officiating. A dance followed, and refreshments were provided by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Tradesmen and other members of the Branch gave every bit of their available time painting and staining woodwork, installing the washrooms and electrical fittings, and building partitions in the basement, to enable this ceremony and social affair to take place on the date scheduled. Over the next month or two, work will be concentrated on the basement, where the club room and kitchen will be located.

The response to the Legion's appeal for chairs for the new Hall has been gratifying indeed; nearly half the number required have either been subscribed or pledged. Five dollars will purchase a chair, and unless the donor indicates otherwise, his name will be inscribed on his chair. As a result of the wide circulation of The Watchman, pledges or donations are being received from outside the district of Lachute and Brownsburg, and the Brownsburg Legion publicly expresses its gratitude to former residents who are in sympathy with the efforts being made to improve this community.

The following have subscribed for one or more chairs (if for more than one, the figure is indicated) and their cash donations have been

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Linguistic Dolls

Overseas buyers at the British Industries Fair in May will hear dolls singing and speaking in foreign languages. These dolls can also walk by themselves.

EDUCATION IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS
(Education Week, March 4-10)

Priorities in Education

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

I think that we would all agree that education has a dual role to perform — on the one hand that of giving the best preparation to youth for the enjoyment of the more abundant life in maturity, and on the other that of providing training in basic skills which will enable them to make the best living that modern conditions will allow. That being so, perhaps we could define the paramount priorities of education as being an inter-active trinity: (1) Supplying first-rate instruction in techniques. (2) Giving the best provision for helping our youth to make a happy and harmonious adjustment to their society. (3) Offering the greatest help we can to the wholesome development of each individual child as a unified personality.

We are all interested in giving our youngsters the best there is to offer — the best teachers, the best text-books and the best methods. Occasionally, there is a tendency, especially outside of educational circles, to think that the newest system is always the best. Sometimes it is, but we should be just as careful to avoid becoming the slaves of any new educational doctrine (just because it is new), as we are to avoid becoming bide-bound by traditional methods (just because they are old), but, like the scriptural householder, we should bring out of our treasures things both new and old.

The touchstone of any technique — whether in reading or writing or in the coaching of any game — is the question: is the student acquiring the skill more effectively? The results must tell the tale. And the longer I teach, the more I am convinced of the tremendous importance to each child of the inner satisfaction secured by the triumphant mastery of the skills being learned. There is nothing in a youngster's life quite equal to the confidence inspired by the assurance of ability to use with competence specific developed capacities. It all requires hard work and plenty of it; it requires a great deal of discipline — self-discipline — but so does everything else worth doing in life — often fighting through frustration and doubt and fear of failure, but winning through to success in the end.

But, whatever be the subject we are teaching, the person we are teaching is of infinitely greater importance, and along with our efforts to instruct him in specific skills must go our constant evaluation of the child as a whole, and all the needs of his flowering personality. Parents and teachers are alike well aware of these needs.

First, there are basic emotional needs — needs for security, for understanding and for acceptance. If these are not satisfactorily met in the home and the school and amongst his friends, we will find inner tension and turmoil, doubt and diffidence arising that will stunt normal, happy development of personality. These needs are not met, as some people seem to think, by surrendering to our youngsters much of the control which our elders used to exercise over us as children. Perhaps in some instances parental and pedagogical powers were much too dictatorially used in the olden days — when the emphasis

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NINE TOWNS EXCAVATED

New Delhi (CP) — Excavations in Uttar Pradesh at the site of Hastinapur have brought to light nine towns built apparently one upon another through the centuries. Among the articles discovered at the site are seals and coins, a 2,500-year-old statue of Buddha, terracottas and damaged swords. Earthen jars and pots of various designs bear gold and jade work or are painted red and blue.

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Seasonal Farm Topics



Reporting Contagious Animal Ailments

Ottawa — Referring recently to the efficient control of animal disease, and the resultant protection to human health in Canada, Dr. T. Childs, Veterinary Director General of the federal Department of Agriculture, called attention to the responsibility placed, by law, on anyone connected with animals to report the existence or suspected existence of infectious or contagious disease. Dr. Childs quoted the Animal Contagious Diseases Act where it refers to the duties of owners of animals.

"The Act", said Dr. Childs, "pulls no punches in demanding that owners, breeders and dealers as well as everyone bringing animals into Canada, must immediately report the appearance of infectious or contagious disease among the animals owned by him or under his special care, to the Minister and to the nearest veterinary inspector of the Department of Agriculture."

Dr. Childs also spoke of the similar responsibility of any veterinary surgeon when he recognizes infectious or contagious disease in an animal. He added that the statute provides a stiff penalty for anyone guilty of its infraction.

Avoid Pitfalls In Chick Rearing

Ottawa — All poultrymen who are anxious to avoid pitfalls in chick rearing should give consideration first and foremost to the source of the chicks, says W. F. Mountain, Head Poultryman, Federal Experimental Station, Harrow.

Unless the chicks are from healthy parent stock and expertly incubated, he warns, good environment later on can be only partly effective in bringing satisfactory results.

Other important things to remember, says Mr. Mountain, are: a reliable source of heat; 'standin' equipment in case of power failure, with spare bulbs and fuses; separation from pens in which adult stock are housed; careful use of drugs with adherence to manufacturer's directions; careful observance of the space requirements as the chicks grow, and continuous reference to the many excellent publications offered on this subject. These can be obtained by writing to the Information Service, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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Pembroke, Ont. (CP) — Greater interest is being shown in pure-bred cattle in Renfrew county. Frank Dench, agricultural representative, told Renfrew county council there are more than 100 pure-bred Holstein herds in the county now.

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Priorities in Education

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in education was upon formation from without rather than as now upon development from within — but the fact remains that there must be discipline or there will be chaos, alike in home and in school. And of the two I think most people will find that children at heart prefer the discipline — always providing that it is discipline which does allow in increasing measure for the expression and development of youth's wholesome interests and aptitudes, both individual and social, for that will inevitably dove-tail into the self-discipline and sense of responsibility that are among the pre-requisites of good citizenship.

Alongside these emotional needs are the skill-needs to which I have already alluded. We are all skill-hungry creatures, but we are all frightfully impatient too — and the qualities of patience and encouragement are the prime characteristics that must come to the fore in the adult approach to this training, if we would prevent at least some measure of frustration and fear of failure. Once the youngsters are over the hump, as it were, they can generally go along fairly steadily and happily under their own steam, but the problem sometimes is just how to get them there. It is amazing how effective a little praise is now and again — even if it is not always specially merited — the response is often quite electric. It is surprising also, especially in the home, how different will be the reaction if, instead of brusquely telling Junior to get on with his chores or his hobby, we say to him, "Let's do this together". We are all so terribly busy these days, so pre-occupied with pressing worries, that we sometimes have only jaded nerves and wearied minds to expose to our family circle and are apt to forget the all-important significance of sharing time and interests with our youngsters. And yet, perhaps more than in any other way, we will thus get under the surface of things with our children — to a more genuine mutual understanding of each other. For from this there develops that priceless spirit of camaraderie within the family from which blossom forth that sense of well-being, that inner peace and flexibility in the growing child that will enable him to cope more constructively with the outer world which impinges so crushingly upon the microcosm of the home circle.

It is this outer world which constitutes alike the child's major bewildering challenge and the third paramount concern of education. How are we best to effect a happy and harmonious adjustment of our children to the society in which they are growing up? We won't get very far if we accept the philosophy of the toyshop clerk to a harrassed parent: "Here is an educational toy designed to adjust a child to live in the world of today — anyway he puts it together is wrong!"

Yet both parents and educators have to admit that the social problems facing us today are indeed formidable. When we were young, there was at least an inner centre, a recognized philosophy of living based on Christian ethics, from which our society viewed in perspective the shifting world about us — but now amid our ideological conflicts that philosophy is openly challenged, and everything seems in a condition of flux. Moreover, bewilderment and confusion worse confounded are caused by the ceaseless tide of ideas pouring in upon us in a wild, indiscriminate flood — the ubiquitous movie, often with distorted values, colors the thoughts and feelings and often ambitions of our youngsters; the whole world of contemporary printed matter, from worthy literature to erotic comics, makes a tremendous appeal — and often a very specious one — to the malleable mind of youth; and even the radio, despite much that is wholesome and good, presents our children also with much that makes us apprehensive for their welfare. And bevond all that there is the daily walk and talk of youth — all the likes and dislikes, biases and prejudices, fads and foibles, that daily behavior so outspokenly betrays. For even now in his childhood youth is very much a part of the larger world, meeting the important problems of adult society in greater or lesser degree, and endeavoring to understand what it is all about and to adjust himself to it accordingly.

Now what is our reaction as parents and teachers to all this? We cannot shrug our shoulders apathetically and allow the distracting and destructive forces in the world around us to wreak their pernicious worst. We cannot tolerate the development of the type of youngster who would cheerfully say: "I am the kind of boy my mother would not want me to play with." Nor can we tolerate the development of the type of parent, who in despair at a children's party would say to her hostess: "My child is getting out of hand — have you anything cheap lying around that he could break?" We must go back, I think, to a fundamental truth suggested by the philosopher A. E. Whitehead — Moral education, he says (and he might well have said all education) is impossible without the habitual vision of greatness.

What does that mean in the language of every day? It means just this — that we will get nowhere in education in the home or in the school, unless we keep our sights high, unless we focus our attention consistently upon the first-rate, unless we fire our youngsters with such a zeal for the best and the highest in any line of education that they will be consumed by a divine discontent with the shoddy and the shallow and the second-best. We must not only provide them with a standard, we must also endeavor to live that standard in our own everyday lives — for the eyes of youth are very sharp, and we soon find out the truth of the equation of life, that precept minus practice equals nothing!

And only if, with the best techniques we have to offer, the soundest instruction and training in skills, we can also impart that love of the first-rate, that discriminating spirit which can distinguish between the high and the low, the ugly and the beautiful, the good and the better, can we say that as parents and teachers we have been faithful to our trust, for only so can we hope to ensure that the rising generation in Canada will make a worthy contribution to the progressive enrichment of our democratic way of life.

A noted educationalist recently quoted from a fable of Plato, the Greek philosopher — a fable which describes how each human soul before birth drives across heaven in the company of the gods, and sees Beauty, Justice, Courage and all the other virtues — and added that success in life depends in unique degree upon how far — among the shadows and confusions and distractions of earth — the soul retains the memory of that vision. In the widest and the highest sense, is that not a parable for parents and teachers everywhere in all combined operations — a parable of a good education?



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The Census and Education

CANADA'S Ninth Decennial Census will be taken in June this year. This will be the first time that somewhat comparable data will be available from the many different countries that planned the taking of a census concurrently.

In all these countries the census includes one or more questions on literacy and education. The information will be of service to departments, organizations and individuals concerned with education, and to such international organizations as the United Nations, UNESCO, and the International Statistical Institute in planning their programs.

The Canadian Census of 1951 will inquire as to the number at school and the years spent at school. No question on literacy is included, but a fair idea of the number functionally illiterate will be obtainable by totalling all those with three years or less of schooling.

Census data on education are useful in determining long-term trends in educational advance. Other data in this census will also be useful for educational purposes. Provincial departments and local school boards can use the age distribution of the population and the percentages of various ages at school to assist in assessing the need for additional schools and teachers during the following decade. An observable trend towards more years in school may indicate a need for more high school facilities. The census data provide some indication of the holding power of employment at the time, the effect of family allowances and of compulsory education. For rural areas, census figures should indicate changes in enrolment due to additional school-bus transportation, dormitoriees, rural high schools, etc. Cross-classifications of years of schooling, with occupations and origins, provide information not available from other sources and are of considerable value in vocational guidance, selection procedures in industry, and the planning of scholarships.

The Weather -- Your Guess

TWO ISSUES back, when a correspondent wrote urging many practical and impractical town improvements, we penned an editorial stating that, in the interests of life and limb, we would settle this season for a little more sand on the Main Street sidewalks. . . Came a thaw before our editorial was printed — the sidewalks were slush — the type was ditched.

Last week we wrote an editorial on mud-splashers, but before our issue was in the mails, March came in with a blizzard and there was no more mud in sight.

This week — it's your guess; we hazard no chances on the weather!

GEORGE James, editor of the Canadian Statesman at Bowmanville, Ont., modestly writes this one in his paper: While walking along King Street we saw one of the nurses who waited on us when we were a patient in the hospital last summer. We greeted her with: "Hello; nurse, how are you today?" She looked quite surprised that an apparent stranger should speak to her and for a moment just stared. Then all of a sudden she exclaimed: "Oh, you're Mr. James. I didn't recognize you at first, for this is the first time I've seen you with your clothes on."

Small Towns -- Big Products

THE BIGGEST industry in our town is the education of our children. Our schools represent our most costly investment and more of our money is spent in keeping them operating each year than on any other civic enterprise.

The product of our schools — our educated young people — is our most important export.

Youth from the small towns and country districts of Canada too often look to the cities for opportunities. Particularly is this so in many sections of the country where industries, and hence jobs, are concentrated in the large urban centres.

The cities' gain is the small towns' loss. And the small towns need educated people to give leadership, to aid progress, to prepare themselves to take over in business and industry and civic affairs.

Somehow industry — and opportunities — must be decentralized in Canada for the nation's good. Some of our cities are becoming too big, with too great a concentration of industry in too small an area. With more industries located in small towns, the need for our educated youth to leave home and seek opportunities elsewhere, would be considerably reduced.

Fusion of Two Races

THERE IS one outstanding contemporary whose sentiments should be widely quoted in the interests of Canadian unity. . . We give you Mayor Romuald Bourque of Outremont, in a recent address to the weekly editors:

"In our two peoples — French-speaking and English-speaking — we have a great fusion of races that will mean strength in the future of this country. Because no matter how strong our prejudices may be today, rest assured, gentlemen, they will not survive the passing of time. Not so many centuries ago the Normans and the Saxons in England were just such bitter enemies. Today they are one people with one flag, one love, England. And, you may add, of course, one language — but it is not Saxon nor Norman, but a mixture of the two.

"Who knows what the peoples of this country will speak nine hundred years from now. Perhaps, like the people of Switzerland who rejoice in three national languages, all taken from other peoples, Canada will find strength as a bilingual country. But certainly history will never permit two such races as ours to enjoy the privileges of living together so long without removing all our mistrust and our prejudice".

IF A little knowledge is a dangerous thing, where is the man who has so much that he is out of danger?

LONG years spent in school are worth little unless, during the educational process, young people learn to reason, to think for themselves intelligently and sanely.

WHILE American visitors bring wealth to Canada every year as tourists, Canadians are reversing the favor by spending well over half as much in the United States. The moral would seem to be this: publicity of Canada as a tourist resort should be beamed to fellow-Canadians as much as to prospective American visitors — observes the Manitoulin Expositor.

Appreciates Good Service To Employers and Workers

TO THE EDITOR

Lachute, March 6, 1951

Dear Sirs:

This office feels that we should express our deep appreciation for the publicity you have given so generously in the interest of the Employers and the Workers of this district during the past few years.

The Watchman is really a public-spirited enterprise, and the editors let no opportunity pass to be of service to the population they have served so well for a half a century or more.

We would be ungrateful indeed if we neglected to mention our kind sentiments towards a paper that merits the appreciation of its readers.

Gratefully yours,

National Employment Service,
J.-G. Lamontagne, Manager.

Ed. Note: Thank you. The bouquets are less frequent than the brickbats!

Driver's Permits Now Available

Chas. Bedard, registrar of auto licenses, wishes to inform the public that Operator's and Chauffeur's permits are now available at his office, Main Street, Lachute.

Public Notice
(Tenders)

Notice is given that, by authorization of the Department of Education, and by resolution passed at a special session in its meeting place at the school on February 23, 1951, at 8 p.m., the School Commissioners of the Immaculate Conception will offer for sale the old school building (former property of the Hammond Brothers) on Hammond Street, Lachute Mills, in the Township of Chatham.

Sale by sealed tenders — same to be opened at a session of the said School Commission, March 26, 1951, at 8 p.m. Terms of sale, cash.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 8 p.m., March 26, 1951. Inspection of building arranged on request (telephone 102-J).

— Ed. Lavoie, sec.-treas.,
M22.3c Lachute Mills, Que.

Avis Public
(Soumissions)

Avis publique est par les présentes donné —

La Commission Scolaire de L'Immaculée Conception, par autorisation du Département de l'Instruction Publique, et résolu à une session spéciale tenue à l'école, lieu des réunions à 8 heures p.m. en date du 23 février 1951;

De vendre l'ancienne maison d'école, anciennement propriété des Frères Hammond situé sur la rue Hammond à Lachute Mills, Canton de Chatham. . . Le tout sera vendu par soumissions cachetées et seront ouvertes à une session des Commissaires d'école le 26 mars, 1951, à 8 heures p.m. . . Cette vente sera au comptant.

Les soumissions seront reçues par Ed. Lavoie, sec.-trés. (tél. 102-J), Lachute Mills, Que., jusqu'à 8 heures p.m. le 26 mars, 1951.

Inspection sur demande.

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Grenville Consolidated School News

By Martha Richardson

In connection with Education Week, a Parents' Day program was arranged for Wednesday, March 7. The staff and pupils were hoping for a large attendance.

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The mid-term examinations will start on March 16. This will indicate the studies to which various pupils will have to give special attention for their big test in June.

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Due to the severe storm of last Thursday, school was dismissed early, in case the roads might be blocked by snowdrifts.

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Sympathy is extended to two of our pupils, Stuart and Lyman Paige, in the recent loss of their mother, Mrs. Carl Paige.

Births, Marriages Deaths, Etc.

BIRTHS

EVANS—To Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Evans (formerly Lillian Kennedy), a daughter, Anne Merlene, a sister for Beverley, Joan and Doreen — on Feb. 26, 1951, at the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills.

TAIT — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute Mills, Que., on Wednesday, March 7, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tait (née Christine Mary Hooker), a son.

DEATHS

GRAHAM — At her late residence, Lachute, on Wednesday, March 7, Carolyn Chambers, beloved wife of Richard J. Graham. Funeral Saturday from the MacKimmie Funeral Home, to Lachute United Church for service at 2.30 p.m. Burial at Lachute Cemetery.

McOUAT — Suddenly, on March 3, 1951, at her late residence, Brownsburg, Mary Ann Morrow, beloved wife of Daniel Allen McOuat, age 77 years.

ACKNOWLEGMENTS

TASSE — Mr. Joseph Tassé and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral offerings received during their recent sad bereavement.

TOWNSEND—Mrs. Ernest Townsend and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral offerings received during their bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

BROWN — In loving memory of a dear brother, John Brown, who passed away March 9, 1949. — Ever remembered by his brother, Moses.

"You left a beautiful memory
Often silent tears,
But you will always be with us
As we journey through the years."

TODD — In loving memory of dear Mother, who passed away March 14, 1937, and dear Father, who passed away May 2, 1944; also dear sisters — Lizzie (March 27, 1922) and Jessie (May 31, 1937). — Always remembered by Stuart, Alice and Emma.

"So many things have happened
Since you were called away.
Things that you would have enjoyed
Had you been left to stay,
So many things to share with you
In just the usual way,
Things that would be so much nicer
If you were here today."

Lifelong Avoca Resident Leaves 64 Grandchildren, 103 Great-Grandchildren

The Late David Young

Avoca — This community was saddened by the death of another of its aged residents, Mr. David Young, who passed away quietly at his home on Friday, March 2. He had been in ill health for some weeks.

Mr. Young was the son of the late Mr. William Young and his wife, the former Margaret MacLean. He was born at Avoca, and was in his 94th year.

His wife (the former Bella Bates) having predeceased him 11 years ago, Mr. Young leaves to mourn his loss five daughters; (Margaret) Mrs. Edgar Crawford, of Avoca; (Ada) Mrs. Dougal Trineer, of Calumet; (Nellie) Mrs. James Bonfield, of Hoquiam, Wash.; (Rhoda) Mrs. C. Moller, of New Westminster, B.C.; (Emma) Mrs. J. McKale, of Chilliwack, B.C.; and four sons, Shoddie and Alex, of Avoca, Evan, of Kilmar, and George, of Avonlea, Sask. One son, Norman, predeceased him 16 years ago. He also leaves 64 grandchildren and 103 great grandchildren, besides two sisters, (Emma) Mrs. James Arthurs, of Avova, and (Margaret) Mrs. Jos. McCutcheon, of Rivington, and one brother, James, of Avoca.

The funeral service was held at the home of his son, Shoddie Young, in Avoca, where he had lived since his wife's passing. The service was conducted by Mr. W. Sim, assisted by Mr. J. Richards. Two favorite hymns of the deceased were sung — "If All Things Were Mine" and "Called Home to Rest".

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. Dawson, Gene, Clayton, Owen, Russell and James Young.

Those attending from a distance were — Miss Laura Crawford, Mrs. J. White and Mrs. A. Simpson, all of Montreal; Mrs. S. Lilly, of Ste. Agathe; Mrs. Alex Smith, of Landsdowne, Ont.; Miss Minerva Young, of Sherbrooke, Que.; Mr. James Young, of Milbrook, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thorburn, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacDonald, of Lachute; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Young, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Young, of Brownsburg.

Many beautiful floral offerings bore token of the high esteem in which he was held.

Lachute Lady Mourned By Many Relatives

Late Mrs. J. Tassé

A resident of this town for 23 years, Mrs. Joseph Tassé, passed away quietly at her home on Sunday, February 25, after a long illness. The former Mary Ann Beaton, she was 70 years of age at the time of her death. Her passing is regretted by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

The funeral service was held here at St. Simeon's Anglican on Wednesday afternoon, February 28, conducted by the Rev. C. R. Lang. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Lost River.

The pall-bearers were — Messrs. Eric Clifford, Gérard Beauchamp, Israël Paul, John and Clifford Mountain, and Donald MacRae.

The late Mrs. Tassé leaves to mourn, her loving husband and three daughters Catherine, Margaret (Mrs. Israël Paul) and Ruby; three sisters, Mrs. N. Beaton, of Lost River, Mrs. S. Mountain and Mrs. R. Stone, of Montreal; and one brother, J. W. Beaton, of Lost River. She is survived also by six grandchildren.

DISTRICT NEWS

Harrington

Mr. John Fox has left for Maniwaki, where he will be employed for three weeks by the International Pulp and Paper Company.

Honor for High School Student

Many friends in this community wish to congratulate Miss Audrey Gunn, of Mattawa, Ont., on being elected "Queen" of the Miss Mattawa High School Carnival, which was held recently. She received many acceptable and useful gifts, including a cheque for $100.

Northern Grenville

The Rev. Dr. D. P. Paxman and the Rev. R. A. Atwell, from Alberta, were recent guests at Mr. and Mrs. John Crooks'.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roy, of Thurso, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Bennett recently. They also called on a number of other friends in this community, and were in attendance at the funeral of the late Mrs. Carl Paige.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Dinelle's were Mr. and Mrs. B. Lamoureux and son, François, of Lachute, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godin, from Chatboro.

Mr. Sam Rainey, of Brownsburg, visited his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cousins, recently.

We are sorry to report the illness of Larry and Lester Cousins.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. W. Young's were Mr. Wm. Sim, from Montreal, and Mr. S. Stringer, of Avoca.

Mr. Joseph McCart, from Ottawa University, spent the week-end at his home here.

The Misses Hilda and Anne McCart, accompanied by Messrs. Hilary and Joseph McCart, visited friends in Lachute on Sunday.

Miss Anne Richardson, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at her home in Rawcliffe.

Miss Martha Richardson spent several days in Montreal during the past week.

The profound sympathy of this community is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Carl Paige, who died recently at her home here. Also to the family of the late Mr. David Young, who passed away quietly at his home in Avoca.

Mille Isles

(Intended for last issue)

Mrs. Richard McGuire, of Montreal, has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Wood in Cambria.

Mr. John Ward and Mr. Victor Ward are at present working in Maniwaki.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McGuire, Miss Doreen McGuire and Mr. Donald Cross, all of Montreal, spent the week-end with friends in Mille Isles.

Mr. Garnet Wood, Mr. Austin Kyle and Mr. John Noble spent a few days recently in Maniwaki, accompanied by Col. G. M. Strong from Montreal.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hulley and their daughter, Linda, of Hudson Heights, arrived Monday to spend a week's vacation with Mrs. Hulley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Graves.

Mrs. T. E. Seale was in Mille Isles on Monday visiting her mother, Mrs. J. McCullough, who is spending the winter with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dey had Miss Novah Gilmore as a guest last week-end.

Mrs. Wm. Bell, Misses Laura Pearson and Florence Findlay, were in Grenville Friday evening attending the teachers' meeting. Miss Pearson spent the week-end in Brownsburg visiting friends.

Girl Skiers

At Mont Tremblant on Saturday, while competing in the downhill for the Quebec Kandahar trophy, Jean Elder came 7th, Corinne Watchorn 9th, and Beverley Bell 10th. These three girls deserve congratulations, as they were competing against such reputed skiers as Rhoda Eaves, Lucille Wheeler, Carolyn Kruger and many others.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gibson spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Friends of Mrs. Lawson Kennedy and Mrs. Chas. Campbell will be pleased to hear that they are both recuperating from their recent illnesses.

Miss Phyllis Lang, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Buxton.

Misses Marjory and Phyllis Seale, and Mrs. S. Jamieson, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Seale.

Miss Joan Green, who is now taking a holiday at Clearwater, Fla., is expected home shortly.

Betrothed Couple Entertained

Entertainments during the past week for Miss Patsy Kennedy and Mr. Gordon Allen (whose wedding takes place here on Saturday) have included the following functions: For Miss Kennedy, a "bathroom shower" was given by Miss Joan Gillingham, a china shower by Mrs. Fred Carter, and the presentation of a set of dishes by Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt. . . A "stag party" was held at Alpino House on Friday for Mr. Allen.

Increasing Importance Of Education

(Continued from page 1)

our telephones, our radios, our automobiles, our electric lights and all these other gadgets for granted.

However, it almost always happens that the solving of one problem creates another. Whereas the problems of communication and transportation were, for the most part, solved, this brought the nations of the world into closer proximity than ever before, nations who were almost complete strangers, who had nothing in common, each suspicious and jealous of the other. Thus problems, hitherto unknown, were created. These also are part of that birthright.

That historian we mentioned will also report other very important developments. Those same scientists which provided us with so many modern inventions also provided warring nations with weapons more devastating than any known in the past. These have continued to increase in their power to destroy until at last a weapon has been placed in the hands of mankind which, it is said, may have the power to destroy civilization. This also is part of that birthright.

In totalling up the score, therefore, it is found that, on the one hand, we, in this year 1951, are the most fortunate of all generations to date, while on the other hand, we find ourselves in greater danger than any in all recorded history.

With such a picture of world conditions before us there are those in authority who maintain that the decisions which will have to be made in the next few years will literally determine whether we live or die. It is a disturbing thought but nothing is to be gained by ignoring the facts. Such being the case, the question naturally arises — who are they who will have to make those awful decisions? These decisions will have to be made by the boys and girls who are in the classrooms of our schools today. Therefore, is it not most apparent that education looms before us as a greater problem than ever before? What other generation in recorded history will graduate into a world so complex, so full of problems of such proportions that they almost defy description. We of our generation thought we entered a world faced with momentous problems, and this is true, but, we did not graduate into the world of the atom bomb, the jet plane and the trans-oceanic bomber. We did not graduate into a world almost equally divided into two camps, one of which is trying to build a civilization along Christian lines and principles while the other is based on hatreds, lies and deceptions, devoted and committed to the tearing down and destroying of everything we have been trying to build during the last 2,000 years. True there was evil in the world when we graduated but not an evil so insidious, so absolutely rotten, an evil so base there is no parellel in history. The boys and girls in the classrooms of our schools today are going to have to stamp out that evil tomorrow.

What is being done to meet this problem in education, and what are the plans for the future?

Fifty years ago the little red school house provided the best education available for the greatest number, excepting those who happened to live in the larger towns and cities. This institution served its purpose and served it well, in those days when transportation and communication were very real problems. However, there have been so many changes and these have happened so rapidly, that is is generally agreed today that this well-known building is as inadequate as a bow and arrow against a jet fighter plane. It is gratifying to note that the public are demanding higher standards. They are no longer satisfied that education should be only one step removed from charity. They are no longer satisfied that the main qualification for a teacher should be a sort of missionary zeal to do something for practically nothing for a backward humanity, rather than a highly-qualified individual who could take his or her place among other professionals in society. They are no longer satisfied that only a comparatively few should enjoy the benefits of a reasonably good education. The public in general has come to realize that every child is entitled to the best possible education. After all, it is not the child's fault if he or she happens to be born ten or fifteen miles from a good school.

The progress that has been made in the last few years has been truly remarkable, especially in the Province of Quebec. The editor of the Montreal Daily Star drew attention to this last Friday when he pointed out that in the year 1942 $4,800,000 had been spent compared with $23,628,000 for the year ending March 1st, 1951. In other words the Government is now spending almost five times as much for education as it did nine years ago. We have seen considerable evidence of this, here in this County, and it is gratifying to note that there are almost three hundred children right in this County who have been enabled to attend larger and better schools. I feel very strongly on this point. We hear so many speakers mention the wealth of our natural resources and it is agreed that they are tremendous, but by far the greatest natural resource of all is our youth, our young Canadians. They, much like our material natural resources, must be developed in order to serve most usefully. Who knows but what that child, born in the woods of a poor family ten miles from any school, may become one of our greatest leaders? It is a dire responsibility. Dare we overlook a single one? Who knows the potential that may be there?

In closing, may I say this — the seriousness of the situation demands that we take an entirely new interest in education. We must raise our sights and attempt to grasp the problem as a whole. It is not sufficient to simply observe what is taking place right here. We must also learn about what is taking place in the County, in the Province, throughout Canada. Those who are working in the interests of education will tell you that the work has only begun, only the surface has been scratched. They need, more than anything else, an enlightened and sympathetic public support. They need all the help they can get to provide better schools, better teaching staffs, an improved curriculum, a curriculum which will better fit our boys and girls to solve those momentous problems with which they will be faced when they graduate. All this requires money, it is true, but most of all it requires informed and sympathetic public support, because surely a country which can provide countless millions of dollars in time of war can provide a few thousands in times of peace, in order that the young people in our classrooms today may graduate with enough knowledge to know how to live together without war.

In Brownsburg . . .

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the consequences, or through ignorance of the effect on the supply and the possible breakdown of fire protection. It is a serious matter, and at its last meeting the Council took serious steps to meet it. Starting next week, "spot" inspections are to be made of suspected houses, and anyone found with open taps allowing water to run to waste, will be subject to a fine of $10. If provision has been made to allow water to enter directly into the sewer, a much more severe penalty will be sought through the courts. . . It would be wise to conserve water so that your neighbor could have what rightly belongs to him.

Police Chief

The position of Police Chief is still vacant in Brownsburg. At next meeting of the Council, selection will be made from 10 applications for the job.

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Dogs

There has been so much laxity in collecting dog tax in the village, that the dog population has increased beyond all reasonable bounds. Several complaints were registered with the Council, of attacks on children and persons by dogs in this village, and now steps are to be taken to protect the citizens, and incidentally to increase the revenue, by strict collection of dog taxes and possibly decrease of the dog population.

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B'burg Girl Is Bride in Westmount Ceremony

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On Saturday afternoon, at half-past three o'clock in Westmount Baptist Church, the marriage took place of Lorna Grace, daughter of the late David Tomalty and of Mrs. Tomalty, of Brownsburg, to Mr. Basil James Norman Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Davis, of the Town of Mount Royal, and the Rev. J. A. Johnson, D.D., officiating. Mr. William J. Neale played the wedding music and Miss Doris Laplante sang during the signing of the register. White carnations and snapdragons, arranged with ferns, were used to decorate.

The bride, given away by her brother, Mr. Howard C. Tomalty, was in a gown of white satin, the fitted bodice having a heart-shaped neckline and sleeves ending in points over her hands and the full skirt falling into a train. Her fingertip veil of tulle illusion was held by a bandeau of white French lilac and she carried a cascade bouquet of Johanna Hill roses.

Miss Ruth Myra, as maid of honor, Miss Beverley Tomalty, niece of the bride, and Miss Elva Gauley, as junior bridesmaids, were in frocks of taffeta, with fitted bodices having round necklines, and full skirts — Miss Myra being in pale green, Miss Tomalty in yellow and Miss Gauley in orchid. They wore bandeaux of spring flowers in their hair and carried matching nosegays.

Mr. Robert C. Short acted as best man for Mr. Davis and the ushers were Mr. Grant Tomalty, the bride's brother, Mr. Lawrence Davis and Mr. Frederic Davis, brothers of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Tomalty, the bride's mother, was gowned in dove grey crepe and wore a hat of the same shade and a corsage bouquet of red roses.

Mrs. Davis, mother of the bridegroom, wore a gown of navy blue crepe with a matching hat, pink accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

A reception was held at the residence of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hinds, 344 Metcalfe Avenue, Westmount, where white and pink carnations were used as decorations.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Davis left for the Laurentians, the bride travelling in a suit of grey wool and wearing an orchid hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of mauve hyacinths.

Dr. Florence Murray Gives Impressions from Korea

AT RECENT W.M.S. PRESBYTERIAL IN MONTREAL

By J. Pollock Graham

Dr. Florence Murray, who had spent at least 30 years as a missionary in Korea — on being asked why the North and South Koreans were fighting against each other, replied that the North Koreans were not all true Koreans; that the so-called Korean Army from the North consisted of many who had never really lived in Korea at all.

Korea is so mountainous that much of it cannot be cultivated, she remarked. Koreans moved away as the Japanese came in. Most of the so-called Koreans in the North had been trained in Communist camps. The true North Koreans who were in the army were fighting because they had to. About 90 per cent of both North and South, if they dared would be dead against war and Communism. A tragic instance illustrating the justification of this fear, was a story told concerning a number of young people who wanted to go out on Christmas Eve and sing carols in the street. Their pastor had to ask the higher authorities for permission for them to do so. When contacting the authorities, he was asked the names and addresses of the young people, and innocently gave them. (He would no doubt have been forced to do so any way, had he refused). The outcome was that all of these young people just disappeared and were never heard of again! "No one knew what had happened to them", narrated Dr. Murray. "They could have been tortured to death, as was often done, or sent to Siberia as slave laborers". The woman who had worked with Dr. Murray last year had been tortured and abused because of her association with a missionary doctor.

The speaker claimed that freedom of religion was supposed to be the order of the day, but anyone thought wanting to attend a religious service on Sunday was prevented from doing so by having to perform some national service at the regular time of worship, and dared not disobey.

When questioned concerning the supposition that exploitation of the natives had anything to do with the rise in Communism, Dr. Murray replied that "there was just enough truth in the statement to make it embarrassing for the missionaries."

Dr. Murray told of the crowds of refugees that had poured into South Korea hoping to find shelter and food, but for many there was no such provision; also that, in the extremely cold weather, as many as 100 frozen bodies were picked up on the streets — the poor refugees having no other shelter than to creep under bridges, in dugouts and caves, with no extra clothing, and no one was able to help them. Those were the people the Communists led away — their argument being, "No one cares for you but us. Join us and we will give you food and shelter". "They turned Communists. Yes, why shouldn't they", queried Doctor Murray, "when Christian people, living in comfort and plenty, will spend $1,000 on a carpet for a church parlor, while their fellow creatures are freezing and starving?" Any amount of money can be raised for guns and ammunition, but very little for mission work.

Dr. Murray mentioned having given a similar address in one church, and when she had finished the chairman arose and said, "Dr. Murray is right. It would not hurt any of us to give a nickel more". . . "A nickel!" repeated the speaker, in scorn. "A nickel, when the need is so great!"

"You will never cure Communism with guns and bombs", she said. "Love and kindness are the only cure". She told of the surprise of some of the natives who had been clothed from parcels sent over from Canada. "Why", they had asked in great surprise, "should they, who have never known us, never seen us — be so kind as to send us food and clothing?" It was through gifts like this that the gospel message could be brought to the minds of the poor Koreans. This was "the love of God in action", and the only cure for Communism.

Dr. Murray warned that the same thing would happen in other missionary centres. We would lose out in mission work if there was not more help in this practical way.

Dr. Murray said that the Korean women were anxious to learn new ways of life — as Miss Annette Rose, another teacher in the Ehwa College for girls, had been sent to Trinidad, and when she came back had found that the church in Korea was hungry for new methods. She was invited to attend a conference, where she expected about 50 people, but found about 300 present, who came every day while the conference lasted.

Dr. Murray also spoke of the work of Miss Burns, who was the only one to return after they were evacuated, when the call came for nurses. They had offered to care for 40 children, but the soldiers brought them 900. The United Nations had the nurses and children flown to an island where they would be safe. In order to be able to tell the children apart from each other, they had to tie strings around their arms. One little fellow, seven years of age, was found to be so emaciated from malnutrition that he weighed only 17 pounds.

All of the missionaries worked in the Relief Department, and, to quote Dr. Murray: "I wish I could help you to understand what the parcels meant to the people of Korea. They said they 'did not think that Christian love could be like this'; to have people so far away who did not know them, care for them in this way". . . Much more help was needed — this speaker impressed upon her listeners — "and now!"

(Resumé of an address by Miss Sandall, missionary nurse, to appear in a subsequent issue.)

In the vicinity of Churchill, Northern Manitoba, the beluga or white whale has been hunted commercially since 1949. Annual quota is 600 beluga; the 1950 catch was 326.

DISTRICT NEWS

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Greebank, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schippel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams, of St. Jerome, accompanied by their son Victor, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Weldon.

Miss Joyce Hicks, accompanied by Mr. Ralph Lawrence, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary was held at Mrs. J. D. Sobey's on Thursday afternoon — Mrs. Sobey being hostess for this occasion.

Owing to road conditions, there was no service in the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday. The service next Sunday will be at 11 o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. E. J. Craig visited with her sister, Mrs. Roy Staniforth and Mr. Staniforth, in Arundel on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kerr.

Mayor A. G. Munich, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his residence here.

Mrs. R. G. Bowie paid a short visit to friends in Montreal this week.

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur King, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Scharf and son, Bruce, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mrs. G. C. Conway.

Mrs. A. H. Clark visited in Montreal last week.

Those from here who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Daniel McOuat, of Brownsburg, last Monday were — Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Matthew, Miss G. Moncrieff, Mrs. S. R. Dewar, Mr. Harris Dewar and Mr. Edwin Keatley.

Sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Carl Paige and sons, in the loss of a devoted wife and mother. Mrs. Paige will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Cushing West

Guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir for the week-end included Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker and family, Mr. R. Casement, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fitchett and daughter, Susan, all of Montreal. Mrs. R. Casement and children, Ricky and Tommy, who have been spending the past week with her parents, returned to the city Sunday evening.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gain for the week-end included Misses Pat and Brenda O'Brien, of Carillon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bissett and son, Tommy, spent the week-end at their country residence.

Bell Falls

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett last week-end were Mrs. N. E. McCaig, Miss Shirley Bell, Miss Mary Bennett and Mr. Thomas Bennett.

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

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late David Young, of Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McRae and family were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kennedy at Pine Hill.

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

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Joan McMartin, R.N., of the Homoeopathic Hospital staff, spent a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erle McMartin, last week-end.

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Miss Barbara Millar, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Lachute as the guest of her aunt, Miss Ruby Parsons.

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Mrs. H. Stansfield left Monday to spend several weeks in Hamilton, Ont., visiting her daughters, Mrs. Reg Warren and Miss Margaret Stansfield.

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Mr. Marcel Lanctôt left last Saturday for a trip to Jamaica and British Guiana.

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30th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dorion, of St. Andrews East, were entertained at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Stephens, in honor of their 30th anniversary last Friday.

Miss K. McRobie, of Montreal, is the guest this week of Mrs. W. J. Patterson, at the Cottingham Apartments.

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Miss Madeleine Durocher spent the week-end in Valleyfield, Que.

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Mrs. Jas. Barbour is at present visiting with her parents in Perth, Ont.

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Sudden Bereavement

Sincere sympathy is expressed to Mrs. George Tattersfield, East Ward resident, in the sudden passing of her mother. The late Mrs. Catherine Snowden, who died early Saturday morning at her home in Almonte, Ont., had been enjoying comparative health at the time, despite seizures of illness suffered in the recent year or two. She is survived by another daughter, (Eileen) Mrs. D. D. Moffatt, in Cornwall, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Aitken, of Tillsonburg, Ont. (former residents here) paid a brief visit this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Calder. They were accompanied by their little daughter, Mary Elizabeth.

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Mr. Hugh McEntyre is a patient in the Providence Hospital, having undergone an operation last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George DeWitt, of Montreal, were guests last week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hooker.

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The Women's Missionary Circle of the Baptist Church is meeting this evening at the home of Mrs. Jas. Murdoch.

(Unclassified Advt.)

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT

Don't forget the St. Patrick's concert at McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, on Saturday, March 17. Special attraction, Orville Prophet, of CFRA. (Further announcement next issue). -1c

Good Response to "Chair Campaign"

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received. No pledges have been included in this first list:

David McCulloch, Sr. (2), Robert Golchin (2), Keith Rutherford, Chas. L. Stephens, Royal and Pat Carriere, Phyllis Stewart (2), Walter Hilbchuck, John Duncan, E. V. Martin, Jos. Malacket & Fils, Miss A. D. Kilgour, Mr. Joe Izzard, Lionel Paquette.

Mac E. Walker, Reg. Bell, Percy Martin, C. E. Richardson (2), Jules Lemay, Ord Anderson, Beverley Watson, G. E. McCormick, C. E. Prosser, Pariseau & Fils, Justina Barnes, Mr. W. G. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. T. Izzard, E. McOuat.

Miss M. McOuat, Ernie Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Barnes and family (2), G. H. Quinn, Dr. A. R. Coté, W. Prosser (2), John Martin, Women's Institute (2), Mrs. M. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Beckingham, Madeleine Carriere, Frank Castle, Mr. and Mrs. G. Todd, C. J. Wheeler, K. S. Stewart, K. B. Bourne, Miss M. MacGregor, J. L. Reade, N. D. Somers (2), J. L. Duchastel, J. B. Chalmers, Sid Painter, Annie Petley, Owen Todd.

In addition to the above, the Brownsburg Legion gratefully acknowledges that the following have redeemed their pledges for the Memorial Hall since publication of the last list:

Legion Ladies' Auxiliary $200, Canadian Safety Fuse $50, Lemuel Wilson $50, Harold Mason $35, J. B. Chalmers $25, Estate of late Walter McVicar $25, Charles Wheatley $25, Gus Bevillard $25, Dr. W. M. Hooper $25, Thomas Izzard $25, Reg Peel $15, H. K. Rutherford $10, S. Harris $20, J. Duguid $10, J. Campbell $10, E. Campbell $5, F. McCaffrey $5, J. Moore $5, George Lacasse $4, T. Wilson $3, A. Waller $1.25, Paul Goudreau $1, Lee Doucette $1, Arthur Paquette $1.



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11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
Wed., Lenten Service, 7.30 p.m.

ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
Friday, Lenten Service, 7 p.m.

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Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector

Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 3.30 p.m.
Dunany, 7 p.m.

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Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor

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Bible School, 10 a.m.
Church, 11 a.m.
Prayer, Thurs., 8 p.m.

DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

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Rev. J. S. McBride, Interim Minister.

10 a.m. Sunday School.
Rev. S. Kerr, B.A., B.D.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.
Evening Worship, 7 p.m., Lachute.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister

10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
7 p.m. Evening Service.
3 p.m. Easter Class.
Friday, March 16, 3 to 5.30 p.m. Woman's Missionary Tea.
Friday, March 16, at 8 p.m. Y.P.U. Concert.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister

10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
Prayer meeting, Wed. at 7.30 p.m.

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
9.30 a.m. H.C. Holy Trinity.
11 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
7 p.m. E.P., Kilmar.

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7 p.m. Thurs. Kilmar
7.30 p.m. Fri., Holy Trinity.

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OBITUARY

Aged Lachute Resident Was Native of Ogdensburg

Late Samuel Ernest Townsend

Another of Lachute's aged residents, Samuel Ernest Townsend, died on Sunday, February 25, at his home in Lachute after a lengthy illness of five years.

Born November 5, 1875, he was the son of James Edward Townsend and Margaret Wycliffe, of Ogdensburg, Que. He was married in 1913, at Newberry, Michigan, to Silvia Inman, and of this union 11 children were born. His son Warren was killed in action in France in 1944.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his wife; three sons, Clinton of Grenville; Harold, in London, England; and Dwayne at home; also seven daughters, Beatrice (Mrs. Fred Welsh), Aletha (Mrs. Horace Powell), Olive (Mrs. Wm. Currie) of Lachute, Pearl, Beryl, Ruth and Dorothy at home; also 14 grandchildren, and his three brothers, Gordon, of Lachute, Walter, of Brownsburg, and Fred, of Normetal.

Service was held in Lachute Baptist Church, followed by burial at the Ogdensburg Cemetery. Pallbearers were—Messrs. Ross Townsend, Henderson Townsend, Elmer Ward, Keith Townsend, Wm. Currie and Octavius Bruce.

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Miss Grace Anderson, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Flower.

Mr. and Mrs. L. York and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rodger returned home last week after spending a vacation at Mexico City.

Mrs. Wallace Burry and Mrs. L. H. Bezanson, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Calder for a few days last week.

The many friends of the Rev. Dr. W. MacMillan were sorry to hear of his illness and wish him a speedy recovery.

Despite Saturday night's storm, the Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, Ont., was able to reach St. Andrews and conduct the Sunday morning service at 10 o'clock in the United Church.

30th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dorion were entertained on the occasion of their 30th wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Stephens, in Lachute last Friday, March 2.

Mabel

Miss Laura Pearson, of Morin Heights, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer.

Mrs. John Heatlie, Sr., has been visiting with Mrs. Roy Dobbie at Cushing recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Laughton, of Montreal, are spending some time at their cottage at Ogdensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. David McDonald, of Verdun, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Murdoch.

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

Mrs. Cecil Clark entertained a number of ladies at a "quilting" on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Henry Beauchamp was in Montreal on Saturday, and on his return home he was accompanied by Mrs. Beauchamp, who has been spending some time there — also by Miss A. Beauchamp, who spent the week-end at the Beauchamp home.

Ships weigh less when travelling east than when travelling west.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Mrs. John Heatlie, of Ogdensburg, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Dobbie, for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thom spent Friday in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Drew, of Verdun, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning on Wednesday. Mrs. Drew stayed over for a visit with her parents.

Mrs. J. Bolton (the former Daisy Gray) and her brother, Mr. Charles Gray, who have been the guests of Mrs. L. M. Gaston, left for Ottawa on Thursday and after spending a day with relatives there, proceeded to their respective homes, in Battleford and North Battleford, Sask. Mrs. Bolton had not visited her old home for 40 years previously, but Mr. Gray had recently spent a winter with Mr. and Mrs. Gaston on the farm.

Miss Jean Graham, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Graham, Monalea Road.

Mrs. Hugh Evans and Mrs. Robert Tentland, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wells at "Stonehaven", the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Coney.

The monthly meeting of St. Mungo's W.M.S. will be held at the home of Mrs. T. W. Weir on Tuesday, March 13, at the usual hour.

The Weather

Probably because we mentioned signs of Spring last week, the weather man gave us the cold shoulder for several days, and the March Lion let loose an outburst of fury — creating snowdrifts where no drifts had been before, and filling every crevice in walls and stonework with snowy decorations.

Avoca

Miss Flora MacLeod, of Montreal, and Mr. Evan Bates, of Eganville, Ont., visited the latter's parents during the week-end.

The Rev. S. J. Pike visited many of his parishioners and friends on Wednesday last.

Pioneer Mourned in District

The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the family of the late David Young. The deceased, who was in his 93rd year, had been active up to within a few months of his death. He was the oldest citizen here, being one of the pioneers of these parts.

Arundel

Mr. Curll Staniforth spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Staniforth, prior to taking up new duties with the Shell Oil Company in Montreal.

Mr. Leslie May visited his mother, Mrs. J. May, over the week-end.

Farm Forums Social

The Arundel group of Farm Forums met in Maplewood Inn last Monday evening for their monthly social gathering. Despite the unfavorable weather there was an encouraging turn-out. During the first part of the evening a very interesting film was shown, after which cards were played at 11 tables. The winners for the evening were Miss Heather Douglas and Mr. Earl Graham. Mr. Graham also won the raffle prize. Refreshments brought an enjoyable evening to a close.

Mrs. Percy Staniforth received a telegram Friday advising her of the serious illness and hospitalization of her mother, Mrs. Mosher. On Saturday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Staniforth motored to Dorval airport, where the latter boarded a plane for Halifax.

Snowdrifts Blocked Roads

Owing to the heavy snowstorm which raged about Arundel and vicinity from Saturday till Sunday, the roads were all blocked and quite a number of automobiles got caught between Arundel and St. Jovite. At time of this report all roads are now cleared between these two points, and a great deal of credit goes to Gilbert Bennett, Stuart Cooke, Bill Morrison, and about 25 local boys who worked strenuously to open the roads for traffic in the shortest time possible. — Our sincere thanks, for working so hard while the rest of us stayed snug and cosy by the fireside!

Mrs. C. J. Staniforth arrived from Ottawa to spend some time at the home of her son, Mr. Percy Staniforth.

The 'flu epidemic which hit Arundel so hard is now on the wane, only the occasional case being reported, and school attendance is nearly back to normal.

Mr. Gerry Bennett, accompanied by Mrs. Bennett, travelled to Sudbury some time ago to be with his father, Mr. Lorne Bennett, who had an attack of 'flu. While there Mr. Gerry Bennett himself was stricken, but he is now reported on the mend and expects to be back shortly.

Snakes don't hear well. The reason: they've no ear drums.

Calumet

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jorgensen, of Three Rivers, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Whinfield this week.

Miss Elsie Graham, of Montreal, was a week-end visitor at Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Murphy's.

Master Jeremy and Miss Patricia Anne Druce spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Druce, in Hawkesbury.

Many people in this community have been suffering from the influenza. The Consolidated School remained closed last Monday on account of illness among pupils and teachers.

The many friends of Mr. W. Brigden, Jr., are sorry to hear that he is in hospital suffering from an attack of pleurisy. It is hoped he will soon be well enough to return home.

Messrs. Ralph and Grant Robinson spent Saturday in Gatineau visiting their brother, Mr. Ross Robinson, who has been ill for some time.

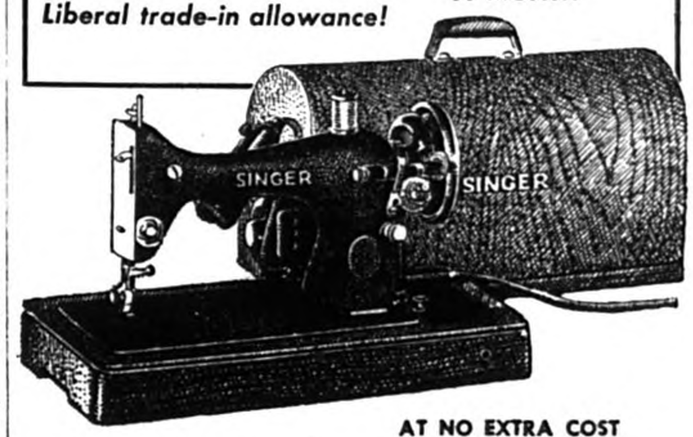
We are sorry to hear that the oldest residents of this village, Mr. and Mrs. H. Trineer, Sr., are both ill. Their many friends join in wishing them a quick recovery to good health.

Mr. Peter Mott, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Christening Ceremony

The christening of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. White took place on Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in Holy Trinity Church, the Rev. P. R. Stote officiating. The godparents were Mr. and Mrs. L. Jorgensen and Mr. and Mrs. John White. The child was given the names Thomas Robert. The baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry White and Mrs. T. Foreman, were present at the ceremony. Also present was the baby's great grand-aunt, Miss Emily White. Mr. and Mrs. White entertained their immediate families on Saturday evening in honor of the occasion.

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2. She ran to him at top speed, planning to drag him away. Then in a flash she saw the trouble. His foot was caught in the rails! For a second she was stunned . . . then the whistle of the train drove her into action. Realizing that it was impossible to pull the boy's foot free, she put her nimble young fingers to work — unlacing the shoe!



3. Shirley was gambling with death — but she won! In a final effort she wrenched the boy free . . . just as the engine reached the spot where he had been trapped. To this gallant and brave young girl (whose parents didn't even learn about the incident until many days later) we are proud to present *The Dow Award*. Her heroism is an example to all Canadians.

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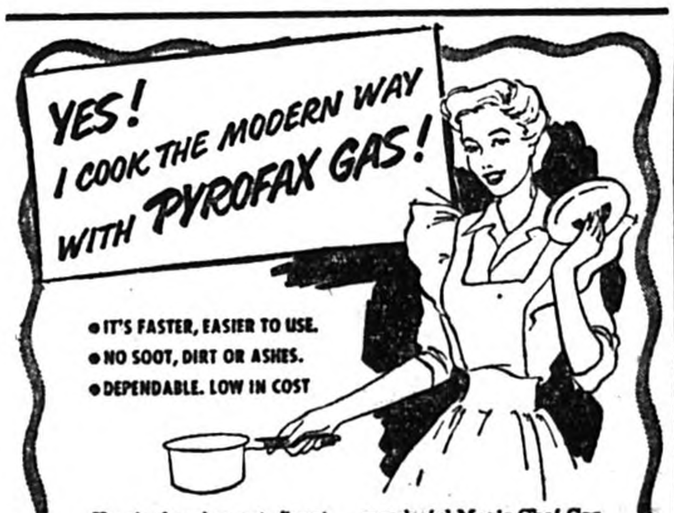
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— Women's Interests —

Rhubarb -- the Pie Plant

Spring is on the way; soon will come soft April showers as well as glorious sunshine. Soon, red, tangy hothouse rhubarb will be on the market, as colorful and as bright as any spring posy.

Rhubarb once grew wild in Russia and in other parts of Europe. Someone brought it to the North American continent nearly two centuries ago and discovered quite by chance, what good pie it made and that is why it became known as the "pie-plant".

The food encyclopedia describes the pie-plant, more familiarly known as rhubarb, as a strong perennial plant grown for its thick, succulent, acid leaf stalks, which serve as an excellent "fruit" for use as sauce and in pies. Incidentally, one point emphasized in the encyclopedia is that the leaves of the rhubarb plant should NEVER be eaten. They contain sufficient oxalic acid to be dangerous to some people. However, it is the edible, juicy stalks, not the leaves, which everyone is interested in eating because they are so flavorful and so refreshing.

The home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, offer a few pertinent suggestions about the buying of rhubarb. It should be bright pinkish-red in color, the stalks being fairly large and, most important of all, it should be fresh and crisp. Avoid buying rhubarb which is wilted and pithy at the stem end. Always choose young, tender stalks.

Hothouse rhubarb has the advantage of being not nearly as acid as the stalks which come from the garden later in the season. For this reason, the hothouse type requires less sugar to sweeten it. The homemaker who wants to make the most of rhubarb's natural blush-pink color, does not peel the stalks, but simply cuts off the leaves and any pithy portions at the base, washes the rhubarb thoroughly and cuts it in pieces of desired size for cooking.

The home economists mention that, in stewing rhubarb or in making rhubarb sauce, they find that two tablespoons of sugar to each cup of rhubarb cut in pieces and measured raw, is usually sweet enough for the average taste. Another point in regard to sweetening that they mention, is that when stewing rhubarb, as with other fruits, the sugar should be added after the fruit is cooked. It seems to taste sweeter than when the sugar is cooked with the fruit. In adding the sugar to the hot, cooked fruit, it should be stirred in gently so that the fruit will not be broken up.

Some people have the idea that rhubarb is good only for pie. A sad mistake that is. Actually there are so many delicious ways to serve rhubarb that it is hard to describe them all. Rhubarb is delicious in tapioca pudding, shortcake or upside down cake. When baked, it makes a perfect dessert, also when served as a sauce on blanc mange or custard. The pink, tart juice is just the thing for frozen ices and sherbets.

When the family is served the first rhubarb pie of the season, ten chances to one they hopefully ask that another one be made the next day. For the homemaker who is tempted to yield to her family's wishes, the home economists suggest a new way to present this spring favorite.

Rhubarb Crumble Pie

½ Cup melted butter, 1½ cups rolled oats, ½ cup sifted flour, ⅔ cup brown sugar, 3 cups raw rhubarb (cut in one-inch pieces), ½ cup granulated sugar, 1½ tablespoons flour.

Combine the melted butter, rolled oats, the ½ cup of flour and brown sugar. Firmly pat three quarters of the mixture into a 9-inch pie plate and cover with the rhubarb. Combine granulated sugar and the 1½ tablespoons of flour and sprinkle over the rhubarb. Place the remaining quarter of the rolled oats mixture over the top of the pie. Bake in a moderate oven, 350°F., for 45 minutes or until rhubarb is soft and tender. Serve with whipped cream.

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PREVENTION IS BETTER THAN CURE

By DENISE BELL, R.N.

THE USE OF FREE GIFTS

Almost all of us like "something for nothing", yet very few people make full use of the gifts which are free for the taking. Even the Scot and the Jew, who are noted for their business acumen, often overlook these gifts and take only a "wee drappie" instead of their full quota of air, water and the "nows".

Some of the reasons for this negligence are—firstly, it is easy to miss the very obvious; secondly, even if we are aware of the important effect that air and water have on the health, it is difficult to replace old bad habits for new and better ones; thirdly, many people are content to be half alive, mentally and physically, and only begin to take active measures to maintain health when their bodies give them drastic warnings in the form of pain or inefficiency.

The body is an amazingly wonderful, intercorrelated mechanism. It is so competent to adapt to the exigencies of deficient ingestion and inhalation, and to fears and strains, that it is hardly surprising that many people depend on its ability to compensate for their partial or poor care. Nevertheless, others who have suffered the effects of ill-health, realize that the body is not infallible and that it is wiser to give it a full quota of the essentials.

Air, which is the first of the free gifts under discussion, is used to inflate the lungs. The blood stream, which, in the lungs, comes into very close contact with the air, rids itself of a certain amount of carbon dioxide and takes on a supply of oxygen by a tricky method involving pressures and chemical changes. The oxygen is used in the body in many different ways, all of which are important to life. One of its essential functions is to permit of the conversion of food into the energy needed for movement. Without this element the body would be as cold as a fish and dead as a doornail.

Most people only use a small part of their lung capacity; they breathe too quickly and in too shallow a fashion. Both the chest wall and the diaphragm are constructed to enable the function of respiration to take place. Thus, when the lungs are not properly used, not only is the blood inadequately oxygenated, which results in a correspondingly lowered vitality, but also, the intestines and the other abdominal organs cannot function so well, because the respiratory movements of the diaphragm are not doing their full job of stimulating these organs.

Even a day's trial of breathing rhythmically, slowly and to the individual lung capacity, will show a rise in the general condition of both body and mind.

Quite a good way to change an old, bad habit for a new and better one is to practice on the hour, every hour during the day. When this becomes a routine, then to make it every half hour; then every quarter of an hour and so on — until, at last, the subconcious takes over and the habit is established without any further concious effort required. Such a method, used to acquire better breathing habits, is comparatively easy, for one can undertake such exercises wherever one happens to be and whatever one is doing, without it being obvious to others or interfering with one's usual occupations.

The Eastern peoples, who were interested in mysticism, knew of the value of effective breathing and its benefit on both mind and body. Among certain of these sects a ritual of exact timing for each inhalation and expiration was used, accompanied by specific postures. One sect assumed the posture of Buddha, with the very straight spine and crossed legs. Another of these sects advised the standing position, with legs apart and arms raised horizontally at the sides with left palm up and right palm down. These people believed that energy entered through the raised palm. This energy then coursed through the body, cleansing it, and then was "earthed" through the tips of the fingers of the right hand. At the end of this exercise, when the arms tired, the hands were clenched and brought towards the centre of the body, thus capturing a portion of the energy. Whether there is any scientific data making this fact or fiction, I do not know. However, if one is interested in ancient wisdoms practised down through the ages, one finds that not all of them are hocus-pocus. The proof of the pudding is in the eating. (Examples of this — Penicillin was originally used for sepsis by African tribes, a custom centuries old in that country. Tannic acid was used to treat burns, in India, for hundreds of years. Both these are now accepted as suitable treatments in the Western world).

Christ gave no detailed instructions of the ways and means of retaining health because He knew the principle was sufficient for the health of mind, body and spirit, of all people through all ages.

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The second of the free gifts is water. (We pay for collection, distribution and cleansing but not for the water).

Convention deals fairly satisfactorily with the outer cleansing of the body, but does not deal with its inner cleansing.

Most people would not care to use water from a stagnant pond; most housewives would not think of using the same water for washing the dishes morning, noon and night; yet that is more or less what many people expect their own bodies to make do with. A very high proportion of the body is water. Water is used by the body is many different ways. Without fluid in some form we could live only a short few days, for water is used to transport the waste products of metabolism from the body in the form of sweat and urine and exhalation; thus there is a loss of some pints, daily, from the body. The body cannot afford this necessary loss unless there is replacement.

One specialist in Africa, who never lacked for patients, charged $100 to listen to a case history and then prescribe a few glasses of water to be taken last thing at night and first thing in the morning. Quite a few people followed his orders — some because they instinctively value expensive advice, and some because they believed it sensible. Common sense, if one applies it, would indicate that whoever follows this routine procedure would improve their own health. There are, however, many who read this who will disregard the suggestion. Some because The Watchman costs 5 cents only; some because they don't think improvement in health is worth the discomfort of drinking such a cheap fluid; some because of a pride in their bodies which have done without this cleansing for so long that they feel a daily adequate cleansing might do harm. For these folks, try one glass of water night and morning for a start; you and your body will acquire a taste for it, and increasing the dose will be easy.

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The last of the free gifts under discussion is the "Nows". Quite a considerable amount of ill health arises from filling the "nows" with fears and regrets. If one wants full health it is wise to enjoy each "now". There are endless varieties of "nows", no one is exactly the same as any other. So, we never need be bored. Some "nows" we can deliciously waste by planning, in them, how to use them productively. We can learn in them, or play in them. We can love in them, or feel the pain of tenderness. We can use them for memories or friendship, and, above all, we can work in them better than we have ever worked before. In fact, we can use each "now" for living. This is freedom — freedom from the weight of the past failures and mistakes, and from the despairs for the tomorrows which some foolishly permit to spoil their "nows".

If your health is not all that you could desire, try these experiments with the free gifts — air, water and the "nows".

Ottawa — The vitamin age has overtaken even the soup kitchens. A laboratory here is advocating vitamin "enrichment" of soup served in hospitals.

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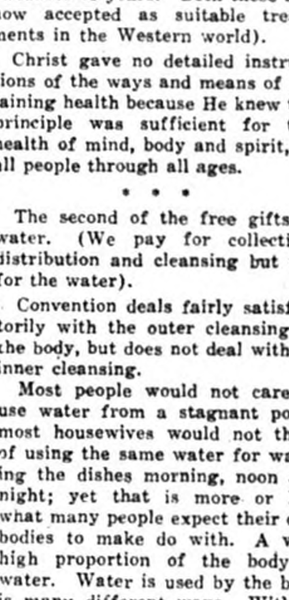
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Brownsburg Report on Boy Scout Campaign

Brownsburg — In the campaign for funds for the Laurentian District Council of the Boy Scouts Association, the Brownsburg Group Committee has reached the sum of $501.75, with a few subscriptions still expected. This year's total is somewhat less than last year's ($620).

The Group Committee wishes to thank all who subscribed, also all those who worked to make this campaign a success.

The price of salvage paper continues favorable, and another collection will therefore be made in Brownsburg early in the spring — which is supposed to be "just around the corner".

Something New in Home Refrigerators and Freezers

The local dealers for International Harvester—Lachute Farm Equipment Ltd. — are proud of a new consignment representing the first refrigerators and freezers distributed by this company in Canada. They have six models of electric refrigerators, "feminized" and proven by long popularity in the United States, and three models of spacious domestic freezers, at their showroom on Foundry Street. . International Harvester is a name backed by over a century of manufacturing experience, and this new addition to the retail output in Canada is a credit to the I-H reputation. . . Friends and householders are invited to visit Lachute Farm Equipment.

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Win Valuable Prizes

It is a foregone fact, in the prize-drawings and games of chance that attract so many patrons these days, that everyone "expects to win". However, two Lachute Mills ladies who were lucky in the past week appear, in each instance, to have been completely overcome by astonishment.

Winner of the $200 top award in the Lions' repeater bingos last Friday was Mrs. J. Bourassa, who (it is reported) was "speechless with surprise". . . In the same predicament was Mrs. Wilfrid Durocher, who fell heir to a waterless cooker set at the Rio Theatre drawing last evening. Both, however, were extremely happy about the whole thing.

United Church Bowling

The first play-off games of the Lachute United Church bowling league were held last Monday, with eight teams entering the contest.

The W.M.S. line-up skipped by Mrs. M. Tillotson came through with a close victory against the other W.M.S. team (Miss Grace Rosser) with a score of 10-9. The Red Cross team (Mrs. E. Noble) came out second best against the Y.P.U. foursome (Wayne Riddell), 4-15 respectively. L. W. Hammond's team, "The Raps", entered the semi-finals by winning against Mrs. J. Lamontagne's Red Cross team 14-7, and the High School Teachers' quartet, skipped by Art Bond, were the winners against St. David's (Merlyn Evans) 9-6.

The semi-finals will be played next Monday at 7.15 p.m. sharp, and the finals will follow immediately afterwards.

7.15 p.m. Raps vs. H.S. Teachers.
Y.P.U. vs. W.M.S. Blues.
8.30 p.m. The Final.

Curling Club Activities

In the Royal Canadian Caledonia bonspiel, J. MacKimmie (skip), G. Muir, G. Calder and R. Cairns are playing at Heather, in the first round of the play-downs.

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Saturday's mixed 'spiel was won by W. M. Steeves (skip), Mrs. E. H. Wilson, W. J. Deacon and Miss L. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Charron were winners of the spot dance. Door prizes were won by Miss Hazel Drysdale and Mrs. J. R. Charron.

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Twenty-five rinks have already entered in the Spring Invitation Bonspiel here, which opens April 2.

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Competition is now in progress for the Vice-President's Prize.

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Ladies' Events

Wednesday was Visitors' Day for the Ladies' Curling Club, when eight out-of-town rinks were present — St. George's, Lachine, Pte. Claire, St. Johns, Outremont, Montreal West, Royal Montreal and St. Anne's.

First prize was won by St. Johns with a high-plus.

Second prize was awarded to St. George's, the losing rink with the highest-plus.

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In the Challenge Cup game, Mrs. D. McGibbon (skip), Mrs. H. Rigg, Mrs. D. MacTavish and Mrs. J. McIndoe remain holders against Mrs. W. M. Cottingham (skip), Mrs. J. R. Charron, Mrs. J. K. Campbell and Mrs. R. Cairns.

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In the Ottawa Glebe bonspiel, Pembroke was first with three wins and the highest-plus.

Buckingham came second with three wins.

In third place were the Lachute rink with two wins and a high-plus — Mrs. Cottingham (skip), Mrs. J. MacKimmie, Mrs. L. Ayers and Mrs. R. Cairns — indeed a very creditable showing, again bringing honor to Lachute and its reputation in curling circles.

L.H.S. Reaches Finals, Inter-School League

DEFEATED GAULT INST. IN SEMI-FINAL

Last Saturday, the High School senior hockey team travelled to Valleyfield to play Gault Institute (Valleyfield) in the semi-final game for the provincial championship, in which L.H.S. won 15-3.

Lachute opened the scoring after 16 seconds of play, and held a wide margin throughout the game. The score at the end of the first period was 9-1 in favor of Lachute.

In the second period, the Valleyfield team put up a good fight, but Lachute scored four times to Valleyfield's single tally. Due to lack of time, the final period had to be cut short but before the game ended, three goals were scored, two for Lachute and one for Valleyfield.

Lachute's scorers were—Brewer, 6 goals, 1 assist; Campbell, 4 goals, 1 assist; Jamieson, 1 goal, 3 assists; Richard Bradford, 2 goals, 4 assists; Rogers Bradford, 1 goal, 4 assists; McGibbon, 1 goal; Albright, 3 assists; MacRae, 2 assists; Boyd, 2 assists.

In the other semi-final game Drummondville defeated Sherbooke 10-7. The final clash, between Lachute and Drummondville, will be played in Granby this Saturday, and the winning team will claim the Provincial Association of Protestant School Boards championship. This cup is for competition among all High Schools not on the Island of Montreal; at this stage all the other schools except Lachute and Drummondville have been eliminated.

COMING EVENTS

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

VARIETY SHOW
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An all-star variety show, with a cast of 35 — brings to Lachute a new form of entertainment, with music, comedy, dancing and thrills. Friday, March 30, at 8.15 p.m., Lachute High School auditorium. Sponsored by Lachute Branch of the Canadian Legion. Proceeds to help this show visit Military Hospitals, and to aid local veterans. Tickets available from Lachute Legionnaires.

ADVERTISERS — Please count your words, and include line for heading. Several users of this column continue to send remittances unsufficient to cover cost.

CASSEROLE SUPPER

A "casserole supper" will be held on Tuesday, March 13, at St. George's Anglican Church hall, Brownsburg, from 4.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. Adults 75c, children 35c. F16.M8.2c

RUMMAGE SALE

A rummage sale, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Legion Branch 70, is being held at McArthur's Hall, Main Street, on Saturday, March 10, from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

The Ladies' Aid of St. Simeon's Anglican Church will hold their annual St. Patrick's tea and sale of home-cooking and candies, on March 17 from 3 to 6 p.m. in the church hall. Keep the date open. F22.M8.15.3c

MILITARY WHIST

A "Military Whist" will be held in Grenville Cons. School, Friday, March 9, 8.30 p.m., sponsored by Grenville Badminton Club. Please bring your own cards. Adm. 50c. Door prize. -1p

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

The W.M.S. of B'burg United Church are holding a fruit salad tea, Friday, March 16, in the church hall, 3 to 5 o'clock. Home-cooking also on sale. Price 40c. -1p

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Lucky Strike 6		Arc Supply	2
Happy Gang 6		Optimists	2
Ayers Ltd. 6		2nd L.H.S.	2
L. E. Dansereau 6		1st L.H.S.	2
Lachute Lumber 6		Rex Café	2

Highest single, Laurier Carriere, 303 (Lachute Lumber).
Highest triple, Tom Lewis, 754 (Happy Gang).

Wednesday, February 28
Men's 5-Pins

Albert Malacket 8	—vs.—	North River	0
Bélanger Freres 8 (won by default)			
Patisserie Française 8		McOuat's	0
Brading's 6		Bankers	2
Mechanics 6		Tessier	2

Highest single, J. Proulx, 298 (Albert Malacket).
Highest single, Geo. Boisvert, 298 (Patisserie Française).
Highest triple, Geo. Boisvert, 820 (Patisserie Française).

Monday, March 5
Men's Ducks

H. M. Lavigne 6	—vs.—	Rockets	2
Bolodrome 8		Lachute Drive-Yourself	0
Stuffed-Shirts 8		Seven-Up	0

Highest single, J. Duncan, 106 (Rockets).
Highest triple, J. Duncan, 439 (Rockets).

Friday, March 2
Ayers Limited

Women's League

Bonnes Perdantes 6		Présomptueuses	2
Tweed 2		Burling	6
Espiègles 8		Locistes	0

Highest single, Pierrette Ménard, 280 (Présomptueuses).
Highest triple, Pauline Brunelle, 678, (Burling).

Men's League

Peureux 2	—vs—	Branleux	6
Poilus 8		Barbus	0
Orphelins 2		Bons à Rien	6

Highest single, Antonio Patry, 309 (Branleux).
Highest triple, Antonio Patry, 850 (Branleux).

France Exempts Canadian Tourist Purchases from Tax

Effective February 1, 1951, sales of goods made in France to tourists and paid for in Canadian dollars or in Canadian dollar travellers' cheques, are now exempt from the sales tax. Up to February 1, this privilege was limited to sales effected in United States dollars or travellers' cheques.

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$180,000 Serial Bond Issue Sold At Central School Board Meeting

The $180,000 serial bond issue, advertised in the Quebec Official Gazette two weeks ago by the Protestant School Board of Brownsburg, was sold last Monday evening at the regular meeting of the Central School Board, at which the Brownsburg Board was present. Successful bidders were J. F. Simard & Co., of Ottawa.

Three tenders in all were opened at the meeting. The first, that of Mr. Simard — offered a price of 97.05 with 3½% coupons for the entire issue; this meant a net cost to the School Board of 4.019%. The second bid was from a syndicate composed of Greenshields & Co. Ltd., Dawson Hannaford Ltd. and the Bank of Nova Scotia. They offered a price of 95.78 with a 3% coupon for the first four years (1952-1955 inclusive) and a 3½% coupon for the remainder of the issue; this meant a net cost of 4.112% to the Board. The third bid was also from a syndicate, which was composed of Mills Spence & Co. Ltd. and the Bank of Montreal. They offered a price of 95.57 with a 3½% coupon throughout; this meant that the net cost would be 4.288%.

This loan is for the purpose of financing the new extension to the Brownsburg Intermediate School. The construction, which is now well advanced, began last summer and will be completed when school re-opens next September. The extension consists of four additional classrooms, a large auditorium-gymnasium and a completely new modern oil-heating system for the entire school. The need for this extension has been keenly felt for a long time. During the last two years one of the primary grades has been accommodated in the basement and, for several years, a room which had been intended for a library has been used as a classroom, much to the discomfort of the pupils and the teachers.

The total cost of this extension, including equipment and all other costs, is estimated at $208,000. Of this amount the Provincial Government is paying two-thirds, an amount of $140,000, in five equal instalments. The first of these is being paid as construction progresses, and the remainder over a four-year period.

Whereas this loan of $180,000 is a liability of the Protestant School Municipality of Brownsburg, the payment of principal and interest is guaranteed by the Argenteuil and Two Mountains County Central School Board.

Mr. Simard, of J. F. Simard & Co., Ottawa, was in Lachute on Tuesday and stated that an opportunity would be given to as many people as possible in this community to obtain these bonds, especially those of a longer term, 1956 to 1971. Arrangements are being made to forward all necessary information to Linton W. Armstrong, secretary-treasurer of the Central Board, who will then be in a position to reply to any enquiries that may be forthcoming.

The remainder of the Central Board meeting was taken up with routine business. Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., was in the chair.

NAIL FAMINE AGAIN

Hoarding (or if we want to be more polite, stock piling) by those intending to build, has brought a critical short supply of nails in Toronto, Hamilton and other eastern centres, on the brink of the 1951 building season, reports The Financial Post.

Owners, contractors and builders recalling the nail scarcity that plagued their operations in the early post-war period, are reported to have been shopping for nails as far west as Saskatchewan. So large does the potential volume of construction loom, they're afraid they won't have enough.

Shortage is particularly marked in 2½-in. and 4-in. common nails, essential for wood framing. Special types — finishing nails, roofing nails, blue nails — are also hard to get.

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Accidents

Brownsburg — With the advent of spring-like weather and better road conditions (although there are more ruts than planes on the surface of the village streets), autos were taken out of moth-balls in increasing numbers over the week-end. There were seven collisions, some minor and some serious in damage value. Two "accidents" (though we feel this term is becoming a misnomer) occurred on the Quarry road — one in which a taxi was involved, causing injury to the driver as well as extensive damage to the taxi. A car went off the highway on Route 8 and tore into trees and brush on the roadside, and the McFaul crossing was also the scene of a crash on Saturday evening. In all these accidents, personal injuries were not too serious.

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At Potsdam, N.Y.

The Clarkson College hockey team finished its season with an excellent record of 12 wins and a tie in 15 games, to win out in the tri-state league. . . Local interest is centred in the fact that the sterling worth of the goalie was in great measure responsible for the team's success — and the goalie is Moe Prorser, son of Bill Prosser, of this village. Bill, who is a great hockey fan himself, is very proud of Morris — and well he should be!

Discuss Plans for Annual School Fair

A meeting was held in Lachute Tuesday evening, March 6, at the office of Alex Bothwell, agronomist, to make plans for the third annual School Fair, to be held in the early autumn.

Reports of the past year's activities were given and officers for the coming year were appointed as follows:

Chairman, Keith Russel; vice-chairman, Norman McGeorge; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bazil Clark.

Representatives from various districts were appointed as directors, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. A. Bothwell, who have shown a keen interest in the Fair and have given a great deal of assistance towards its promotion. It was the hope of the meeting that Mr. Bothwell would soon be restored to perfect health and that the Fair committee could look to him and his wife for help and advice again this year.

Mr. Russel reported that approximately 175 children have paid the 25 cent fee which entitles them to procure seeds for the Fair.

Plans were discussed for raising funds to finance this year's proceedings, and it is expected that the public will have an opportunity to show their interest and to contribute towards this project, in the near future.

Gardening Student To Go To England



—Central Press Canadian

Canada's number one gardening student is Arnold Dew, of Niagara Falls, Ont. Top-ranking man in his class at the Niagara Parks Commission School of Gardening at Niagara Falls, Dew has been chosen to attend the Royal Horticultural Society School, Wisely, England, as an exchange student for the next year.

SPREADING DEMAND FOR BANTAM TURKEYS

Smaller apartment dwellings, smaller kitchens, smaller cook stoves, smaller families, have led to the breeding of bantam turkeys. The midget birds weigh from 8 to 10 pounds, sufficient to feed a small family without mountainous left-overs. The bantams are intended to encourage the eating of turkeys all the year around and to spread demand from the peak Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons. Breeders predict that the new breed will number 50 million within five years. So far the raising has been confined to California and Virginia, but turkey breeders generally are expected to dig into the new market.

— Marketing

About 19,000 enumerators will take the 1951 census, the country's ninth decennial census since 1871.

"Bud" Brash Heads New Rotary Club

Friends of C. G. ("Bud") Brash are pleased to note that he has been elected president of a newly organized Rotary Club, the St. Laurent - Mount Royal branch. Charter Night of the new group (which is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Brownsburg) is scheduled for April 9 at the community hall in the Town of Mount Royal.

Bud Brash and his family left Lachute last year to reside in the new Norgate Townsite in St. Laurent.

Shamrocks From An Irish Pasture

From the Royal Dutch Airlines arrived a cluster of shamrocks yesterday at the local agency for this concern, Lachute Travel Bureau. And they will probably be the only genuine emblems of St. Patrick's Day in this town — the real thing. A card accompanying the small cellophane package, states these shamrocks were growing in an Irish pasture three days ago!

St. Patrick's Day -- March 17th

Specially Contributed — by M. V. Trayers

My memory wanders back today
To my early boyhood scene.
Where the mountain fern is waving
And the grass is ever green.

They've sent me from that land today
A sprig that I love well;
It grew upon the sheltering hills
Above my favorite dell.

Irishmen all over the world will celebrate St. Patrick's Day with the greatest fervor, delight and faith. No other nation has a celebration of a feast day comparable with the Irishman's pride and honor in the feast of his national apostle, St. Patrick. High or low, rich or poor, in suffering or in joy, wherever an Irishman may find himself, alone or among the scattered clans of the Gael, his thoughts will turn to the land of his boyhood.

Fourteen hundred years have elapsed since St. Patrick brought the faith to Ireland. His work in Ireland was not like a missionary. He met with no opposition; his was a regal procession. Sects have risen in other lands, but not one in Ireland. She holds today the same faith that St. Patrick brought.

There are Irish Societies in every land on the globe, because there are Irishmen in every land beneath the sun. St. Patrick's Day celebrations were held in Quebec over 100 years before Confederation.

The records state that an Irishman, Guy Carlton, saved Canada from falling into the hands of the soldiers from the New England States. The Irish Society of Halifax goes back 170 years, and the Montreal Society was officially founded in the year 1834.

Whenever we open the pages of Ireland's story for the past 300 years — whether on the camps of the Wild Geese from Dunkirk to Belgrade, amid the high social revelries of the Old World or the more democratic institutions of the New — "the day we celebrate" in divers climes on the feast of Ireland's national apostle is found to call forth exalted tributes, to the lustre and the valor and the integrity of the race; to strengthen ties of love that bind those steadfast exiles to the Motherland, and renew the world-wide sympathy with her struggle for liberty. A host of Irishmen have contributed generously to the building of this great nation, and their names are studded on the glorious pages of her history — from the dawn of awakening nationhood to the present Governor General, all have etched a cherished name in the annals of Canada.

Honored by C-I-L On Half-Century of Valuable Service

Brownsburg — Oliver Wilson, veteran employee of Brownsburg Works of Canadian Industries Limited, was honored by nearly 150 C-I-L pensioners and employees at a dinner given in the St. Onge Hotel Monday night, to mark his completion of 50 years' service with the company. More than 20 of the group were pensioners.

Among those seated at the head table with Mr. Wilson were his brothers, Leonard, who has been similarly honored a year ago on completing 50 years service with C-I-L, Lemuel, with 42 years, and his half brother, John Martin, with 36 years; Harris Sherwood, manager of Brownsburg Works; two former managers, E. J. Johnson, now retired, and C. E. Richardson, now with the Engineering Department at Montreal; and S. J. Smart, manager of C-I-L's Ammunition Division, who presented Mr. Wilson with an engraved silver tray on behalf of the company.

Mr. Sherwood reviewed Mr. Wilson's long record of service, most of which has been in the priming department, and spoke of him as an efficient and valued employee who, with his brothers Leonard and Lemuel, had compiled an amazing family record of not far short of 150 years' service with the same company and in the same plant. The Brownsburg Works, too, has a unique record in that there were still 12 other employees who could reach the 50-year service mark before retirement.

Mr. Smart said it always was a pleasure to return to Brownsburg, where he had spent some years, to see so many men enoying in peace and contentment the retirement they had so well earned. He praised Mr. Wilson as a conscientious and efficient employee, and said the presentation was but a token of the esteem in which he is held by C-I-L and his fellow employees alike.

The entire group rose to its feet, sang "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow", and cheered Mr. Wilson as he was presented with the tray.

Entertainment, with Sam Rose as master of ceremonies, was provided by the Brownsburg Male Chorus and by Alf Darby, Ottawa magician and ventriloquist.

Methods of converting wood waste to commerically usuable products is one phase of scientific forestry under continuous study at the Forest Products Laboratory of Resources and Development in Ottawa. Results of research and experiments carried on at the labs are made available to the wood-using industries throughout Canada.

COUNTING CANADA'S ESKIMO POPULATION



—Central Press Canadian

Eekameookpootee Kapafeenik Inoonee Noonavoosee! This is how interpreter Jimmy Gibbon of Eskimo Point explains Canada's 1951 census to this small Eskimo who carries his identification on a disc. It means, "You help count how many Eskimos in your land". This photo was taken inside an igloo at Windy River, Keewatin District, N.W.T., when R.C.M.P. Cpl. W. L. Carey got a head start on Canada's ninth decennial census by enumerating all 17 Eskimos living at Windy River in their igloos. Every living Canadian will be counted in the most important census in Canada's history, but the census takers will not start their rounds in the more settled areas until June 1.

Ex-Dunany Man Saved Child's Life

AT NORTH AUGUSTA, ONT., NEAR BROCKVILLE

Leslie A. Clifford, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Clifford, of Dunany, Que., is credited with saving little Kathy Coleman (three-year-old daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. K. Coleman) from drowning when she fell into a creek and was carried 300 yards by the current. Scene of the recent incident was a rivulet known as the South Branch of the Rideau, which runs near the B-A Garage which Leslie Clifford owns and operates. Clifford plunged into the icy water, which is approximately five feet deep, and carried the little girl to a nearby store, where he rendered artificial respiration until doctors, a nurse and ambulance came to their rescue.

Mr. Clifford and his wife (the former Ada Kennedy) and their small daughter Heather, moved to North Augusta from Montreal one year ago.

Organizing for Community Concerts Next Season; Membership Campaign

Linton W. Armstrong was re-elected president of the Lachute Community Concerts Association, at the annual meeting for election of officers last Wednesday evening.

Other officers elected for the concert season 1951-52 were: 1st vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Ayers; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Edgar Guilbert, Brownsburg; 3rd vice-president, Gilbert Ayers; 4th vice-president, Wes Freeland, Brownsburg; secretary, Raymond Beaulieu; treasurer, Willard Steeves; general chairman, Jacques Bedard; 1st committee chairman, Miss Juliette Rodrigue; 2nd committee chairman, Miss Janet McOuat; 3rd committee chairman, Angelo Fassio.

Directors elected were: From Lachute — Leonard Ayers, Richard Ayers, Mrs. Linton Armstrong, Mrs. Raymond Beaulieu, Mozart Carriere, Royal Carriere, Mrs. W. M. Cottingham, Miss Marthe Dumais, Charles Duncan, Mrs. Gaetan Guilbert, J. G. Lamontagne, Miss Françoise Lavigne, B. A. Millar, Dr. A. Pager, Dr. M. Papineau, Mrs. M. Papineau, Mrs. Angus Taylor, T. Don Titman, S. McKyes, Mrs. M. Walker. . . From Brownsburg — Mrs. B. Clement, Mrs. R. Coté, Miss Rita Guilbert, Miss Lucienne Lacasse, Tom Pasco, Miss Ann David, Walter Hlibchuck. . . Miss Leonie Ladouceur from St. Andrews East, and Mrs. G. Mayer from Hawkesbury.

Considerable discussion took place concerning plans for the approaching campaign for memberships, which is to take place beginning the week of May 14. It was decided that all memberships purchased by other organizations, and to be used by children, would count for two instead of one as in the past. It was also decided that the campaign be more widely advertised, as there was reason to believe that a number of people were not members because they did not have an opportunity to enroll.

Compaign headquarters are to be located at the new store operated by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beaulieu in the Leger Building, Main Street.

Many Pay Tribute To Late Clergyman, Rev. A. E. Mount

The Rev. Allen Edgar Mount, veteran Anglican clergyman and one of the widely known residents of this county, died Sunday at his home in Lakefield, after a brief illness. He was in his 87th year.

Born in Bury St. Edmonds, England, on April 28, 1864, Mr. Mount came to Canada with his parents at the age of seven. He received his early education in Montreal and attended McGill Univirsity. After graduation from the Diocesan Theological College in Montreal, he was ordained a deacon in 1894, and two years later was elevated to the priesthood by the late Bishop W. L. Bond.

He was incumbent of Lakefield from 1894 to 1899, when he was named rector of St. Andrews East. While rector of Bedford in 1909-1910, he suffered a serious spine injury and was superannuated in 1910; but he still continued his ministry until recent years, serving as supply in a number of parishes including Lakefield, Beauharnois, Boscobel and Poltimore. He made his home in Lakefield and was the official incumbent there from 1931 to 1935.

An accomplished organist, he played occasionally at the Lakefield church until a few years ago, and last year he officiated at a number of services there. His hobbies were gardening and oil-painting.

Mr. Mount is survived by his wife, the former Mary Elizabeth Ash, whom he married in 1894 (the couple celebrated their golden wedding in 1944); a son, Naylor Mount, of Freeman, Ont.; three daughters, Mrs. William Dunn and Mrs. Leonard Legg, of Lakefield, and Mrs. Harold Maslin, of Lachute; a brother, Hugh Mount, and a sister, Mrs. Walter Gomery, both of Montreal, and 10 grandchildren.

The funeral service was held Monday afternoon in Trinity Church, conducted by the Rev. C. W. F. Baugh, of Lakefield, assisted by the Rev. H. A. Naylor, of Philipsburg. A considerable attendance of district friends and old parishioners was joined by a large number who came from Montreal and elsewhere, to pay their last tribute of respect. Hymns sung during the service were, "The Lord Is My Shepherd", "Unto the Hills" and "Rock of Ages".

The remains were borne to their last resting place in the family plot at Trinity Church graveyard. The pall-bearers were — Messrs. Percy Rodgers and Austin Kyle (wardens of the church), Ross Evans, Leslie Robinson, Gordon Robinson and James Thompson.

In 1950 steel ingot production in Canada topped the three million ton mark for the third successive year.

Officers and Conveners Named For Lachute W. Inst. Year's Work

The annual meeting of Lachute Women's Institute was held Tuesday, March 6, in the Legion Hall, with a good attendance.

Reports were submitted by all the conveners covering the year's work.

The library is open for members in the Lachute High School on Friday afternoons from 3.45 to 4.45 o'clock. This affords a wonderful opportunity to read and enjoy up-to-date and modern literature. The committee would appreciate a greater interest in this worthwhile project.

The president thanked the members for their support during the year.

Lachute Branch of the W.I. was formed in 1932 by a small group interested in forming a Women's Community Club in this town. Since that time, the Women's Institute have supported and encouraged all activities symbolized by their motto, "For Home and Country".

It was planned to make and donate a quilt for the local Red Cross. Parcels to Britain are being sent as a regular gesture of assistance and good-will from this branch.

Delegates to the June convention were appointed at this meeting.

Following is the list of officers for 1951-52, presented by the Nominating Committee and approved at the meeting:

Hon. president, Mrs. Sam Milnes; president, Mrs. F. A. Brennan; 1st vice-president, Mrs. A. Taylor; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Muir; secretary, Miss Janet McOuat; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Tattersfield.

Conveners

Agriculture, Mrs. F. S. McGibbon.
Education, Mrs. Geo. McGibbon.
Health & Welfare, Mrs. Geo. Deacon.
Home Economics, Mrs. Roland Menard.
Citizenship, Mrs. Fernand Legault.
Publicity, Miss L. Stalker and Mrs. Geo. Leggett.
Finance Committee, Miss M. Scott, Mrs. A. Bothwell, Mrs. R. A. Giles, Mrs. J. R. McOuat.
Library Committee, Miss Alice Smith, Mrs. S. Milnes, Mrs. G. Dobbie, Mrs. R. P. Fraser.
Social Committee, Mrs. D. Schwartz, Mrs. K. Clarke, Mrs. R. Menard.
Nominating Committee, Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, Mrs. E. McMartin, Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne, Mrs. W. Watson.
Auditors, Mrs. W. Y. Shearsmith, Mrs. W. Morrison.

$3,000 Quota Here In Red Cross Appeal

In connection with the annual Red Cross appeal for funds, the canvass in Lachute will proceed within a few days—collectors having been enlisted for the campaign, and the organization being well under way. The objective of $3,000 is set for the district appeal, and the committee are confident this amount will be attained.

Joint chairmen for the local campaign are Mrs. W. M. Steeves and Mrs. W. M. Hooper. The "special names" committee comprises Mrs. J. R. McOuat and Mrs. G. F. Calder. The generous support of local residents is solicited for the success of this drive.

"Education and Industry" Topic At High School

A highly practical talk to the senior pupils of Lachute High School was given last Friday afternoon, in connection with Education Week — the speaker being A. Ord Anderson, Personnel Superintendent at C-I-L, Brownsburg. About 175 boys and girls from Grades 9-12, and several of the teaching staff, gathered in the school auditorium for the occasion.

On the broad topic of "Education and Industry", Mr. Anderson first impressed upon the children that they were doing an important job which they, and only they, could do — the job of preparing for the future. And it was a job which they must do well, or regret it.

Not all had the opportunity, or the desire, to proceed to a University education, the speaker realized — but there were other ways of equipping themselves for useful and successful careers. There were specialized studies and specialized schools, such as were unknown to the preceding generations.

Some among his listeners, said Mr. Anderson, would no doubt be looking for jobs within a short time. Without disparaging the general High School standard, the speaker observed that they would find this was not the ultimate in qualifications, for there are many more thousands of High School graduates in competitive employment today. Some among his audience would be undecided as to their career. He advised them to go out and work for a year or two, and if they did not find their niche, they might then be persuaded on the benefits of continuing their education further.

How to apply for a job — this was a brass-tacks topic to command his listeners' attention. Most large companies and industries have their personnel interviewer, who obviously knows his job — so it is neither wise nor practical to hope to "slip one over". The personnel officer can accurately appraise his applicant — moreover, if the latter is a High School graduate, he will enquire into the student's school record. Nevertheless, he said, a job applicant was literally a self-salesman — having to sell the

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Council Affairs At Brownsburg

Brownsburg —

Fire Chief A. Robbins made application at the last Council meeting to obtain an aluminum ladder in replacement of the wooden one now carried on the fire truck. On the proposal of Councillor Wilson, seconded by Councillor Denault, it was decided to purchase a 40-foot ladder of this type.

The Chief reported that at one hydrant the water pressure was 26 lbs. under a pump pressure at the power house of 75 lbs. when tested last year. At a recent test under the same pump pressure the hydrant registered only 10 lbs. "There must be an awful lot of water going somewhere", remarked Chief Robbins.

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To Each His Own

Mr. X. Dicaire asked the Council to take over the sidewalk recently built outside his property and paid for by him.

Mayor Jas. Donaldson observed: "Whom do we take it over from? It was built to our order by our contractor on our property and paid for by us. We charge the cost to you as the most equitable means of distributing the tax from which we obtain the money to pay. The sidewalk is the property of the Municipal Council."

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Early Closing

Mr. Marchand presented a petition signed by a number of storekeepers asking that a by-law be enacted to close business houses at 6 p.m. on Saturdays from May 1 to October 1.

Councillor Denault made a strong plea to have the by-law enacted. He explained that those who did not sign were those who did not respect the present law either. So unless they were made to conform to the present law, it was useless

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Canadians are buying new cars and trucks at the rate of $900,000,000 worth a year.

NAVY HELPS

Hartland Point, Devon, England (CP) — Transporting 40 head of cattle from Lundy, an island in the Bristol Channel, is a tricky job. There isn't a proper landing stage. So a naval tank landing craft will be used to get the steers to market on the mainland.

BUSY AIR LINE

Rouyn, Que. (CP) — The distance covered every month by Rouyn's Gold Belt Air Service would circle the world. Leo Seguin, manager, said the four planes fly some 25,000 miles monthly, mostly under charter to mining and lumber companies.



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Do Farmers Get Full Benefits of Science?

The concluding Farm Radio Forum broadcast of the 1950-51 season was heard Monday, March 19. Called "Pipelines of Information", it dealt with a question important to farmers, agricultural representatives, extension workers and professional agriculturists everywhere — "Are the scientific findings of agriculture reaching the farmer?"

A farmer, a farm editor, an agricultural scientist and a former farm commentator examined the topic and discussed it critically — Paul A. Fisher, a fruit farmer and hatchery man from Burlington, Ont.; W. J. (Bill) Bradley, of the Western Producer, Sask.; and Dr. K. W. Neatby, former director of farm service for the Prarie Line Elevators and currently the director of science service for the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

Chairman for the discussion was Peter B. Whittall, of the CBC's National Farm Office in Toronto.

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Next week, on March 26, the provincial Farm Forum secretaries will have the last word as they bring the season to a close with final reports in a nation-wide roundup.

Czech Diplomat Now Happy in Textile Work

Montreal (CP) — Garel Trpak is a former Czechoslovakian diplomat who would rather work eight hours a day as a textile printer than look after the affairs of the Communist government of his homeland.

Trpak immigrated to Canada last year after defying his government's orders to return to Prague. He was Czech Consul-General in Milan and was helped to Canada by the Canadian Ambassador to Italy, Jean Desy.

"I'd rather be a printer here than a diplomat under a Communist regime", Mr. Trpak said in an interview. "I was one of those people who got a 'return immediately' telegram as soon as the Communists took over our government.

"I ignored the request and continued to help Czech refugees. When things became difficult, I wrote a one-sentence letter of resignation and went to work full-time helping my anti-Communist friends."

Police Bodyguard

As soon as Mr. Trpak resigned his Italian post, the Milan police put two armed guards to watch over him night and day because they feared attacks on his life by Italian Communists.

"I wanted to come to Canada immediately but my second daughter got married to a fellow-refugee and my refugee committee work took up a lot of time", he said. "I finally was able to get away in 1950 and arrived here last October."

The factory in which Mr. Trpak now works is managed by a former Czech diplomat and owned by another Czech.

"Being a printer is not the work for which I am best suited", he said. "But I'd rather be a printer in Canada than a diplomat under a Communist regime."

Public Notice
(Tenders)

Notice is given that, by authorization of the Department of Education, and by resolution passed at a special session in its meeting place at the school on February 23, 1951, at 8 p.m., the School Commissioners of the Immaculate Conception will offer for sale the old school building (former property of the Hammond Brothers) on Hammond Street, Lachute Mills, in the Township of Chatham.

Sale by sealed tenders — same to be opened at a session of the said School Commission, March 26, 1951, at 8 p.m. Terms of sale, cash.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 8 p.m., March 26, 1951. Inspection of building arranged on request (telephone 102-J).

— Ed. Lavoie, sec.-treas.,
M22.3c Lachute Mills, Que.

Education and Industry, Topic at High School

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worth of his personality, initiative, dependability. There were the factors of appearance, and "the way you act", as preliminaries to the qualifications one has to "sell". . . The audience were asked to place themselves in the buyer's role. Acquiring an article (in the same manner as acquiring an employee) was one thing — but performance was another. While, at the outset, school performance is a gauge to the applicant's record — from the moment of one's employment, however, every day becomes an entry in the record on which his services are judged.

Industry is not so complex and mysterious after all, said the speaker. It is a matter of producing things, with such merit that people will buy and come back for more. On this premise, Industry obviously cannot entrust its output to slipshod workers; it must have the best — or sales will suffer, jobs will vanish.

What classes of workers does Industry require? It requires the unskilled workers, a fair supply of them — those unequipped for skilled jobs, and commensurately lower in the wage scale. It requires the skilled workers and tradesmen. In years gone by it was customary to "pick up the trade" while on the job, but nowadays Industry prefers newcomers with at least a groundwork of technical training. Then there were the keymen and professions, those who had University training in Engineering, Chemistry, Accountancy—all commanding wage-rates in accordance with their preparation for the job — earning increases and promotions on the basis of their performance.

Referring to a specific industry, the Brownsburg plant of the C-I-L, Mr. Anderson said there were a fair number of High School graduates on the pay-roll. The plant could use still more, but they still preferred some qualification in a specialized line. The same applies to Business in general — and to girls as well as boys; the nurses, stenographers, typists, etc., have qualifications worth while.

And what has Industry to offer? The security of a job with steady wages, commensurate with its demands and responsibilities. But more than that; today there are many incidental benefits, such as vacations with pay, hospitalization and sickness benefits, safety programs, pension on retirement; and in the more progressive concerns, even life insurance for the employees. . . Which brought the speaker back to his prime contention: These provisions have been worked out and adopted at tremendous cost, which must be met by high production, and it is more than ever essential that personnel in Industry must be culled and selected for the best in productivity. Hence the importance of equipping oneself for this great opportunity.

In conclusion Mr. Anderson stressed an important fact—that for his listeners, the school pupils of today, one of the most essential qualifications was a willingness to continue learning; they must be students for the rest of their lives, he said.

The speaker, introduced by Principal F. H. J. Boyd, was ably thanked by a Grade 11 student, Joan Goldthorpe.

Avis Public
(Soumissions)

Avis publique est par les présentes donné —

La Commission Scolaire de L'Immaculée Conception, par autorisation du Département de l'Instruction Publique, et résolu à une session spéciale tenue à l'école, lieu des réunions à 8 heures p.m. en date du 23 février 1951;

De vendre l'ancienne maison d'école, anciennement propriété des Frères Hammond situé sur la rue Hammond à Lachute Mills, Canton de Chatham. . . Le tout sera vendu par soumissions cachetées et seront ouvertes à une session des Commissaires d'école le 26 mars, 1951, à 8 heures p.m. . . Cette vente sera au comptant.

Les soumissions seront reçues par Ed. Lavoie, sec.-trés. (tél. 102-J), Lachute Mills, Que., jusqu'à 8 heures p.m. le 26 mars, 1951.

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March Assembly of Morin Heights Council

Morin Heights — At the March meeting of the municipal council, under chairmanship of Mayor Chas. D. Campbell, many items pertaining to the welfare of this municipality were dealt with, particularly that of the opening of certain winter roads, as the Provincial Government, through the efforts of Mr. W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., had decided to make a grant to assist the municipality in this matter.

A by-law was presented by Councillor Ed Greer regarding the municipalizing of certain winter roads, but owing to pressure of current business, the Council decided that further study should be given to the by-law and it was held over until the April meeting.

The question of purchasing the necessary snow-clearing equipment was discussed, and this also was considered a matter for further study.

Tenders were considered for the position of caretaker for the Municipal Building, and the Council accepted that of Mr. J. Syvret, Postmaster, who submitted a bid to take care of his own side of the building, that of the Post Office. The matter of the other part of the building was left in the hands of the secretary until the Council should decide as to its future maintenance.

Installation of the new booster tank upon the fire engine was discussed, and on recommendation of the Fire Chief, the Council decided that the installation should be delayed until the secretary had procured the necessary guarantee asked for.

The Fire Chief's monthly report was presented and accepted by the Council, likewise that of the Police Director.

The Council decided to present their claim for the fire fighting equipment, and for the Fire Station recently built, to the Hon. Romeo Lorrain, Minister of Works, through the M.L.A. for Argenteuil, Mr. W. M. Cottingham.

Fuel Gas From Fruit Wastes

Fuel gas is being produced experimentally from trimmings, cores and other fruit wastes, the disposal of which is a serious problem among canneries.

In tests at the Oregon Experiment Station, bacteria was used to "work" on such material as pear waste in the absence of oxygen and at a temperature of 130 degrees F. The result was a burnable methane gas which was produced at a rate of 12 cubic feet for every fresh pound of pear waste put through the pilot plant, C-I-L Agricultural News states. Active fermentation was maintained over nine months with no serious difficulty from the usual shutting down and starting up of canning operations.

It is estimated that if this quantity of gas can be produced regularly, the 90 tons of waste from 250 tons of pears delivered to a cannery daily could be converted to gas worth about $250 at average city rates.

Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 20583
Superior Court

Frederick Thomas Ballard, plaintiff,
— vs. —
The Heirs of the Late Kenneth F. Plummer Dewar, defendants.

The defendants are ordered to appear within a month.
St. Jerome, 5th day of March, 1951.
— J. C. Marchand,
Prothonotary of the
M22.2c Superior Court

Public Notice

Canada, Province of Quebec,
District of Terrebonne,
No. 20,560.
Superior Court

ST. ADELE BUILDING PRODUCTS LTD., plaintiff,
— vs. —
PAUL PROVENCHER, defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.

Given at St. Jerome, this 26th day of February, one thousand nine hundred and fifty one.
— J. C. Marchand,
Prothonotary of the
M15.2c Superior Court.

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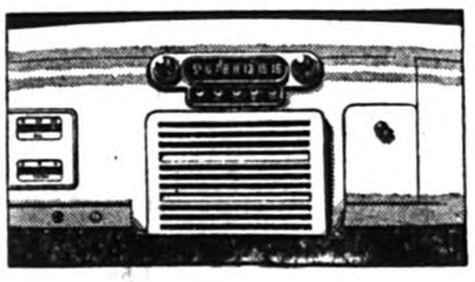




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Nothing Stops Spring

ONCE the year turns the corner and the days start lengthening, there's no stopping the onrush of spring.

Long before the "official" arrival of spring, March 21, there is a general awareness that winter's days are numbered. The first mild Sunday in March, when a flood of golden sunshine brings out the strollers, the greeting is, "winter must be nearly over now."

From then on, no matter how frosty the nights or how fierce the occasional March gale, no one has any doubt that spring is on the way. And this realization puts the whistle on the boy's lips, the extra wag into the pup's tail, and gives a lift to the winter-weary spirit of the farmer or townsman.

Watching spring's advance becomes a pastime for young and old. In the towns, this involves noticing how fast the snowbanks melt and the ice leaves the sidewalks, marking down the date when the river ice breaks up under the bridge, keeping an eye out for the year's first robin and checking closely for the first sign of snowdrops, crocuses and tulips in the flower beds.

In the rural areas, keeping track of spring is a more serious matter, especially for a boy. He must count the crows he sees. He must be prepared to announce the first day the maple sap is running. He must know the day, neither too early nor too late, that the sideroad is bare enough for him to ride his bicycle. It is his responsibility to report the bursting of the first buds on the trees and the sighting of the earliest dandelion.

An early Easter usually seems to bring about an early spring. This year, Easter Sunday is March 25. After the women bring out their gay little hats and other brand-new finery for that joyful holiday, spring will really be off to an early start and nothing can hinder its progress.

TRAFFIC LIGHT. — The flashing signal facing north at the intersection of Brownsburg Road and Chatham Street has been out of commission for the past two weeks. Since the installation of this signal there has been a favorable traffic record at this spot, and it is imperative that it should be repaired, before accidents recur at the approach to Barron's Bridge. Authorities please note.

Chip-Potato Wagons

LAST YEAR a municipal by-law was enacted to regulate chip-potato wagons in Lachute. At one time our Main Street had the semblance of a midway; but there has been a decided improvement since these contrivances have at least been removed from the central shopping section.

We are informed, however, that there is a move afoot to amend or modify the by-law — in favor of these vendors and to the detriment of the town. . . This agitation should be halted right now, before it nullifies a civic step in the right direction.

All over town there are established restaurants purveying French Fried potatoes for those who relish them, and it should not be necessary to encourage itinerant vendors — cooking food in dusty places and under unsanitary conditions, causing an objectionable litter, and obstructing traffic on the streets.

The present by-law requires potato vendors to procure a permit from the Health Unit before receiving license from the town office. And it should be left that way. The best interests of Lachute should not be sacrificed to the pressure of one or two who choose this precarious means of livelihood.

REFUGEE MONEY. — Canada is becoming to an increasing degree a refuge for European capital, reports The Financial Post. The trend has been noticeable ever since the end of the war, but it has been accelerated greatly in the last six months. Some of it is going into direct investment — into the setting up of new plants, expansion of existing ones — but even more is in the form of purchases of Canadian securities.

The Robin

AS A "harbinger of spring", the Robin comes in for widespread publicity. Housewives glancing out of kitchen windows grow poetic each year over their first view of him. . .

Yet people from the Old Country say that the Canadian Robin is just a thin-blooded, Winter-in-Florida type. In contrast, they say, the Old World Robin is a year-round resident. No gadding off for him just because the temperature drops.

More to the point, they will argue that the Canadian bird isn't a Robin at all! He's just a big thrush lucky enough to be born with a red vest. He's not to be mentioned in the same breath with the dapper, chubby little fellow they know so well.

But champions of the Canadian Robin are legion. They say that even if he does go south for the winter, he always returns to Canada. Apparently there's something up here he likes — the country, the other birds, the food, possibly the people. Anyway, there are lots of humans who do exactly the same thing, and doubtless millions more of us would if we could.

He may not be a Nightingale, but his caroling is sweeter than that of a Canada Jay. For the town dweller especially, his voice is a pleasant change from the persistent love-making of pigeons under the eaves, or the noisy bickering of sparrows and starlings.

The long Canadian winters need a cheerful voice to remind us that spring is on the way. And right about now, along comes the Robin with the good news. . . He may not be a real Robin, but, just the same, he's a welcome arrival.

Unfair to Rural Dwellers

THE CANADIAN Weekly Newspapers Association is concerned by a dangerous unbalance between the rural and urban economies.

In presenting a brief to the cabinet at Ottawa last week, the directors of the Association said the C.W.N.A. views with concern the big city and big business trend toward "arbitrary curtailment of productive hours of work."

"The C.W.N.A. believes that every effort should be made by management, government and labor, by farmer, fisherman, small business man and large corporation, to increase production not only as the most effective means of combatting inflation but in the interests of national defence", said the brief.

It declared that the tendency to cut down on hours of work, places an unfair economic burden on rural Canada. Industry-wide pay boosts and price increases in urban centres often meant longer hours or lower rates of pay, or both, to those employed on farms, in villages and towns so they could buy the city-produced goods.

"Among rural producers the laws of supply and demand are still working in the main in a competitive market", said the brief. "Rural residents therefore are not in a position to meet on equal terms the inflationary-pricing policies which have recently been evident among semi-monopolistic urban labor and management."

The Association's brief included six recommendations, as follows:

1. An educational program in the elements of economics. The association would assist the government in a campaign to tell people what makes prices go up and down, and why increased personal savings are important.
2. The government should use the weekly press as an "educational medium" if price and wage controls are adopted.
3. Dispersal of industry to remedy the unbalance between urban and rural economies, and redistribution of population more in line with existing housing and school accommodation.
4. That weekly newspapers be accorded a "relatively high labor priority" in the event of national mobilization of men and women for war.
5. Mills and wholesalers should be asked to ensure that domestic users receive at least 10 per cent more newsprint this year than in 1950. Certain basic minimum tonnage should be provided for all periodicals in relation to their paid circulation.
6. The establishment of a supra-departmental agency to cut down on the amount of paper used by government departments.

Let Us Be Hopeful

By R. J. Deachman

I am by nature an incurable optimist. I do not believe that, at the moment, Russia is likely to inaugurate a general war. There are several reasons. Stalin must feel that he is doing very well without much risk. He has stirred up a certain amount of tension between Britain and America, at least he feels he has. We know, of course, that this is merely a family flare-up, scarcely worth mentioning. He has brought China to his side. No mean accomplishment, by the way, but the question is how long will China be willing to supply cheap mercenaries to pull Jose's chestnuts out of the fire.

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Then I doubt if Russia is really ready for the plunge into a general war. The last was terrific so far as Russia was concerned. A certain amount of recovery has taken place — there can be no question about that. The standard of living in Russia is still extremely low. The preparation for war is a tremendous burden. This question now arises: Could the Russian people stand the strain of a war which might run into four or five years? It's a safe bet that "Joe" has given careful consideration to this problem. He is now 71 years of age, age brings wisdom, also caution. Why should he want war?

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There is a vital weakness in the Russian system of government. The people have no influence whatever in the policy of the nation. They have scant compensation for the labor they perform, a standard of living which to us seems incredibly low. As preparations for war proceeds the standard of living sinks. Sooner or later there comes a breaking point. They may be held together for a time by the strength of the army. Under freedom, under individualism there is a unifying force which draws the people together. Under despotism the individual in the end begins to wonder what reason there is for this continued existence. His difficulties breed despair.

There is, of course, another side to this argument. Democracy appeals to the free mind, but at times it seems that our governments fear the people. The democracies are slow to arm, slow too in arranging the necessary economic defences. The signs of war have been imminent for some time, yet few checks have been applied against the moving forces of inflation. The Government hesitates. Inflation is the result of too much money, too few goods. The answer is to restrict the volume of money. This could be done by compulsory savings. If this had been applied in time it would have exerted decisive pressure. We had a visitor recently from New Zealand, Mr. Holland, Premier of that country. In our sister Dominion the price of wool sky-rocketed. The wool was sold but the Government impounded a portion of the money. It will retain it for a time, pay interest on it, of course returning the money to the wool grower in due course. This will prove effective. It is at least a move in the right direction. It's a natural method.

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Then a great change has come over democratic governments in the last few years. In days of old — and not so old at that — let us say prior to the last war, governments studied past history, dug down into the records, considered the problems which confronted the nation and acted on their conception of what would, under the circumstances, be the right thing to do for the country as a whole.

Now the situation has changed. We are expanding a new conception — the welfare state. The theory is that the government can tax the people, take their money from them — then pay it back to them, and the people, in gratitude for their kindness, will recognize their obligation and act accordingly on election day. It's a fascinating development to watch. The discussion of real issues recedes into the background. The question is how much can we get out of the government? The candidate simply lists the gifts which have been poured out to the voters and, in genial fashion, implies that Santa Claus deserves a vote.

Here lies the evil of the whole matter. It submerges the real issues or projects them into the distant future. When I was a boy at the public school there were keen discussions of election issues, at times football games between opposing political parties. Now the boys watch for the days when the bonuses received from the government add to their spending money, give them another evening at the movies.

That governments should spend money on public works, on those things which are creative and add to the national income is, of course, obvious; that the many crutches now offered to the voters, strengthen moral, makes men and women better citizens, must indeed be a matter of doubt. Our willingness to accept these grants is, in itself, a mordant criticism of the spirit of the Canadian people.

In the 12 months ending March, 1949, the federal and provincial governments collected over three hundred million dollars as duties, taxes and other revenues on alcoholic beverages.

INVEST IN AGRICULTURE

The Drumheller district agriculture society, which merits the total support of the district, this year should experience little difficulty in establishing a paid-up membership of 1,000. The membership incidentally is one of the easy means to have an investment in local agriculture.

— Drumheller (Alta.) Mail

SHAKE LETHARGY

Despite the situation in the world today, the majority in Saskatchewan have felt little fear of actual invasion. Establishing of civil defence units should shake the lethargy and make us realize there is such a possibility.

— Melfort (Sask.) Journal

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Metropolitan Life Reports New High Records for 1950

Ottawa, March 14 — "New high records were made in 1950 when the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company paid over $44,000,000 in benefits to policyholders and beneficiaries in Canada," said Mr. Glen J. Spahn, Second Vice President in charge of the Company's Canadian operations.

Other highlights in Canadian business revealed by the annual statement published today, include an increase in total life insurance in force in Canada to over $2½ billions and increased investments here which now amount to $602 millions. New life insurance written during the year was $217 millions.

It was pointed out that Canadian investments are playing an important part in the economy of Canada with substantial totals of Federal, Provincial, and Municipal bonds and with sizeable totals in the obligations of steel and paper companies, the oil industry, railroads, electric light and power companies.

Mr. Spahn called attention to the fact that the total amount that the Metropolitan has paid to Canadians since it entered the country in 1872, plus the amount now invested in Canada, exceeded the premiums received from Canadians by more than $401,000,000. "This gives some idea of the significant contribution that the Company has made to the Canadian economy in its 78 years of operation here," he commented.

The Company's health and welfare work, which has been in operation since 1909, was continued during 1950 when cooperation with government and private health agencies was again a feature. Over 2 million pamphlets were distributed and large audiences viewed the company's health films.

Canada-U.S. Operations

For the entire company, it was reported that payments to living policyholders or beneficiaries in 1950 exceeded $837 millions, the largest such total for any year in the company's 83-year history. Of this sum, $286 millions was in death claim payments, $171 millions in matured endowments and annuity payments, and nearly $90 millions in disability, accident and health, and surgical, hospital, and medical expense benefits.

During 1950 the funds held by the company for the benefit of its 33,000,000 policyholders in Canada and the United States passed the $10 billion mark. At the end of the year the total was $10,338,000,000.

At the end of 1950 the life insurance in force in Canada and the United States was $45,425,000,000, an increase in outstanding life insurance of $3,725,000,000 during the year. This amount was made up of $21,930,000,000 of ordinary insurance; $10,464,000,000, industrial; and $13,031,000,000 group.

In addition to life insurance there were outstanding 3,124,000 individual policies or group certificates providing accident and health benefits, and also 2,398,000 policies or certificates providing hospital and surgical benefits.

There were 490,000 individual annuity contracts or group certificates in force for a total annual income of $174,000,000, including annuity payments currently being made.



GLEN J. SPAHN

Second Vice President in charge of the Canadian Head Office, who reports that more than 1 out of 6 Canadians was insured with the Metropolitan at the end of 1950. The total insurance in force was two and one half billion dollars.

Life insurance issued during 1950 amounted to $3,573,000,000, of which $1,798,000,000 was ordinary insurance; $719,000,000, was industrial; and $1,056,000,000, was group.

The amount set aside for dividend payments to policyholders in 1951 is $172,477,246. It was noted that the company has been able to maintain, with minor modifications, its prevailing dividend scales, and individual policyholders' dividends will be equal to, or greater than, the dividends paid last year. This has been accomplished despite increased costs due to inflationary trends which have affected Metropolitan operations just as they have every other business and every individual.

The funds over which the Metropolitan maintains stewardship in behalf of its policyholders were invested in nearly 150,000 separate items, and investments were held in every state, in the District of Columbia, and in each of the provinces of Canada in which the company is licensed for business.

Sizeable investments were held in the obligations of steel and chemical companies, the oil industry, railroads, machine tool companies, and defense plants of all kinds, and also in electric light and power and communications companies. At the end of 1950, 43 percent of all investments were in the bonds of commerce and industry, 30 percent in Canadian and United States government obligations, and 27 percent in city and farm mortgages, housing, policy loans, and real estate.

The net interest yield, after deducting investment expenses, on all of the Metropolitan investments averaged 3.07 percent in 1950, the same as in 1949.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Mr. Asa Young spent the week-end at his home.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. A. Dinelle's were — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godoin, of Chatboro, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Dinelle and little daughter, Jacqueline, and Mr. Armand Larocque, all of Lake Crest.

Miss Martha Richardson spent Monday last in Montreal.

Lake Keatley

Mr. Herman Young spent the week-end in Montreal as the guest of Mrs. Pauline Young and family.

Messrs. Chas. and Glinden Watson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Bay Point Cottage.

Messrs. Thos. and W. Barnes, and daughter, Nancy, of Hawkesbury, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave MacVicar.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Marshall.

Little Marilyn MacVicar entertained some 20 guests last Saturday, on the occasion of her seventh birthday.

Miss Enid Stewart and Miss Barbara Hoey, of Montreal, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stewart.

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HAIGH — At the Royal Victoria Hospital, on March 6, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson Haigh (former Geraldine Alice Barron), a daughter; sister for David. Both well.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

YOUNG — The family of the late Mr. David Young wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation for many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and floral offerings received during their recent sad bereavement.

GRAHAM — Mr. R. J. Graham and family wish to express sincere thanks to friends and neighbors, for kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes received during their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

COUSINS — In loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cousins — a dear mother and grandmother, who passed away Feb. 14, 1943, and a dear father and grandfather, who passed away March 14, 1947. — Always remembered by Laura, Tom and family.

YOUNG — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Edward C. Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Always remembered by his wife and family.

"We often think of days gone by
When we were all together..
Although they're gone, their memory clings
Within our hearts forever."

YOUNG — In loving memory of Edward Cecil Young, who passed away March 18, 1942. — Ever remembered by Mabel, Clarence and family.

"God took him home, it was His will,
But in our hearts he liveth still."

YOUNG — In loving memory of Edward C. Young, who departed this life, March 18, 1942. — Ever remembered by Greta, John and family.

"Loving memories never die
As years roll on and days go by."

Harrington

Mrs. H. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett spent Friday last in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Swail and family visited in Harrington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Poulter and family, of Ottawa, visited relatives here over the week-end.

Miss Lois Bennett, of Montreal, visited her parents over the week-end.

Mrs. F. Trineer and baby, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

The Farm Forum was held Monday evening at Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie's.

Mrs. H. Bennett and daughter, Lois, visited friends in Hull and Ottawa over the week-end.

The Harrington Ladies' Aid met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. H. Bennett.

Grenville

Miss Flora Scott, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Pratley for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Canning returned home last week after visiting with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Innes Canning, in Sudbury, Ont.

Mrs. A. H. Clark and son, Billie, motored to Montreal on Saturday and spent the week-end.

Miss May Matthew and Miss Maureen Meredith were in Montreal for the week-end, and on Saturday afternoon attended the Junior W.A. Leaders' Course, held in the Theological College.

Mrs. Geo. Porteous, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar.

Miss Ramona Barron, Miss Jean St. Laurent, Mr. Myles Barron and Mr. Arnold Spencer, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barron's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ryan, of Ile Bigras, Que., have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. White.

Mr. Gordon Moncrieff, of St. Johns, Que., was at his home for the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Weymouth P. Gaudry, of Greenfield Park, visited the former's mother, Mrs. A. V. Gaudry, on Saturday last.

Miss Della Lyon, of Ottawa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Victor Gaudry and Mr. Gaudry, this week.

Bell Falls

Mr. Harold Paige and Mr. R. Allen were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paige.

Mrs. Walter Young was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell.

Mrs. M. Rayson spent some time recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Paul, of Lachute, called on Mr. and Mrs. T. McNeil last week-end.

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

Those who visited at their respective homes last week-end were — Miss Isabel MacCallum, Miss Edythe MacCallum, Miss Mary Bennett, Mr. Thomas Bennett, Miss Ella Campbell and Miss Janet MacNeil.

Church Notes

The regular meeting of the United Church W.A. was cancelled, owing to prevalent sickness.

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

Mabel

Mrs. Jas. McKenzie, of Lachute Road, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark and visited other friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Griffith, of Lachute, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Heatlie.

Mr. Irvin Warwick, of Rivington, is spending this week with his parents, owing to the epidemic of 'flu among his school pupils. During the week-end he was in Granby and Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murdoch were in Montreal on Sunday.

Mr. Robt. McFaul has taken up residence at his farm in Ogdensburg. Mrs. Robt. Blakeley spent the week-end here.

The Mabel Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty on Monday evening.

The maple syrup season has opened in this vicinity, and some of the farmers already report good "runs" of sap.

Brownsburg

Mrs. Ed McLeod, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Townsend.

Mrs. Russell Graham spent Thursday in Montreal, visiting friends.

Miss Clarice Mason, nurse-in-training at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Lillian Divine, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Divine.

The Rev. N. H. Brock was in Montreal last week.

The Maple Avenue Baptist Mission Circle meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Peter Ness on Tuesday evening. The topic was given by Mrs. C. E. Prosser, and Mrs. Mason Crosby led in the devotional period. The April meeting will be held in the church, as this will be the annual meeting.

The flowers on the Communion table at the United Church last Sunday morning were in memory of the late Charles Golden, placed there by his sister, Mrs. J. Kolosow.

At the Y.P.U. event next Wednesday evening, March 21, in the United Church, the Glee grooups will be augmented by local and Montreal artists — including Miss Olive Horan, elocutionist, and little Miss Joan Glithero, 11-year-old pianist.

Miss Beverly Martin, a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, is reported doing well, and expects to be home this week.

More Contributions to B'burg Community Rink

The Brownsburg Community Rink committee gratefully acknowledges the following contributions since publication of its last donor-list:

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Morin Heights

Miss Joan Gillingham and Mr. David Wells, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham, and attended the Allen-Kennedy wedding on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Horace Baugh and daughter, Marlena, are in Montreal at present.

Messrs. Wm. R. and Graeme Bell were at their home here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boyd, of Weir, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Boyd.

Morin Heights

Miss Belle Russell returned last week after spending several months in Montreal, and is now the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy.

Miss Joyce Seale left Saturday to spend a few days in Arundel, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack MacKimmie and son, Jan, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. E. Kneeland and Mr. Kneeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boyd, of Weir, spent the week-end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Boyd.

Mrs. J. East, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the New Alpino Lodge visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Baumel and Mr. Baumel.

Miss Mary Goodfellow, nurse-in-training at the Montreal General Hospital, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis, of the Town of Mount Royal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Thos. Buxton.

Mr. Colin Cameron spent a few days in Cookshire last week, attending the funeral of the late Mr. Mole.

W.I. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the W.I. was held in the Red Cross room on Tuesday last. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Hon. pres., Mrs. O. Aldom; past-pres., Mrs. J. Watchorn; pres., Mrs. J. W. Green; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. C. D. Campbell; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. R. Boyd; secretary, Mrs. R. J. Seale; treasurer, Mrs. F. C. Cameron.

Conveners — Hospital Bed and Supplies, Mrs. Wm. Doherty; Agriculture, Mrs. Willis Seale; Health and Welfare, Mrs. M. A. Dey; Education, Mrs. C. E. Seale; Home Economics, Mrs. L. Kennedy; Citizenship, Mrs. E. W. Kneeland; Publicity, Mrs. R. J. Seale.

Girl Skiers Again Win Inter-School Trophy

On Saturday a team of girls from the Morin Heights Intermediate School took part in the Inter-scholastic ski meet in St. Sauveur, sponsored by the Penguin Ski Club. Sixteen schools entered, and for the fifth consecutive year the local team brought home the coveted trophy.

The team, accompanied by Mrs. W. R. Bell, consisted of Doreen Seale, Ann Brown, Beverley Bell, Corinne Watchorn, Shirley Dey and Marion Kirkpatrick.

St. Andrews East

Miss Ada Flower, of Pointe Claire, Que., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Flower.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Downs, of Lachine, Que., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. Hall.

Dr. Will Pitcairn, of Como, Que., and Mr. Keith Pitcairn, of Montreal, were guests of the Misses Wales on Saturday.

Mr. Vernon Rayson is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Audrey Entwistle and Miss Doreen Masson, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Entwistle.

Capt. C. Clattenburg was called to report on the Steamship "John S. Pillbury" last Wednesday.

The Women's Guild of the United Church met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. W. Flower, the hostesses being Mrs. Flower and Miss M. Taylor.

Divine worship was conducted in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon by Mr. Cummings, of Montreal.

Couple Married At Morin Heights

Allen - Kennedy

The marriage of Miss M. Patricia Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy, of Morin Heights, to Mr. Gordon James Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen, of Montreal, took place at four o'clock Saturday afternoon in the United Church, Morin Heights, with the Rev. C. Wood officiating. Mrs. G. Watchorn played the organ, and Mr. F. Carter sang "Because" during the signing of the register.

Two baskets of daffodils and snapdragons adorned the church.

Miss Margaret Kennedy was maid of honor and Miss Lois Carter, bridesmaid. The best man was Mr. Ross Gillingham, and the ushers, Mr. Wesley Morrow and Mr. Grant Seale.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace over tulle, the V neckline of the fitted bodice offset with soft revers, the full skirt having a padded hipline. Her veil was of finger-tip length and she carried a cascade bouquet of Joanna Hill roses.

The two attendants wore identically styled full-skirted frocks of taffeta, buttoning down the back and featuring lace yokes, worn with Dutch caps to match. Miss Kennedy, in gold, carried a cascade bouquet of Picardy gladioli, while Miss Carter, wearing apple green, carried Fulton gladioli.

Mrs. Kennedy, the bride's mother, wore navy crepe with a pink straw hat and navy and pink accessories, her shoulder spray being of pink carnations. Mrs. Allen, mother of the bridegroom, in lilac crepe romaine, wore a toning hat of summer felt and a corsage cluster of sweet peas.

Following a reception at the New Alpino Lodge, where vases of daffodils adorned the bride's table, the newly-married couple left for their wedding trip. For travelling the bride wore a taupe suit with dark brown accessories and a hat of biscuit colored straw. . . They will take up residence in Montreal.

At Brownsburg Council

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to consider any co-operation from them. Some of these stores were open from Monday morning to Sunday night. They had meat side-lines and served cuts on Sunday as on any day of the week — half-holidays notwithstanding. . . The matter was adjourned for one week.

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Park Avenue

The Mayor called attention to a proposal from Mr. W. Graham which offered the Council an independent water service supplying Park Avenue on the Council taking over the street and making a reasonable contribution towards the cost of pipes, valves, etc., already in operation.

Councillor N. Somers remarked it would take $5,000 to put in this system today. He suggested studying the matter and having it on the agenda for next meeting. This was agreed to.

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Fires Outside Municipality

Mayor Donaldson informed the meeting that he had received a call from the secretary of the Chatham Council informing him that Chatham had by resolution decided to avail itself of the help of the Brownsburg fire equipment and brigade in fighting fires within their area. The Mayor suggested the use of the large pumper and crew within reach of Brownsburg's water system and hydrants, and a picked crew with the auxiliary pump for outside fires.

The secretary said he had not received a confirming letter. It was decided to have the matter discussed at next meeting.

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Donations

When the Red Cross request for contributions came before the meeting, the Mayor remarked it was a very worthy cause. He felt Brownsburg was not doing enough when he read the contributions from other and smaller municipalities. It was a great work and deserved support.

Councillor Somers agreed that the Red Cross was a worthwhile and deserving organization but he objected to a heavy contribution from the Council — his reason being as he had stated before: "We are guardians of the funds of the people for the purpose of municipal government. Appeals were made direct to the people, who gave generously or not at all, as was their right to decide. In asking the Council to contribute also, it was asking the people to pay a second time." Councillor Somers would not object to a contribution — but not a heavy one. It was decided to grant a sum of $50, and $15 to the Boy Scouts organization.

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Budget

The secretary, Emile Hebert, presented his budget for the coming year based on a taxable valuation of $2,214,800. The rate of tax was estimated at $1.05; Business Tax as at present.

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Funds Seized

The balance of money $2,589 to credit of the Laurentian Industries Ltd. for expansion of waterworks has been seized by court order to satisfy local debts for this amount. Merchants and garages in both Lachute and Brownsburg are affected.

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A Subsidiary Post Office

On the proposition of Councillor Denault, seconded by Councillor Ouellette, it was decided to write a letter supporting the application now being made for a subsidiary post-office on the French Hill.

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The Patron Saint of Ireland

By Janet P. Graham

The people of several countries have argued all down the years as to where the birthplace of St. Patrick really was. Scotland, England, Wales and even France have claimed him as a son, as well as the Irish; but according to the Catholic Encyclopedia he was born at Kilpatrick, near Dumbarton, Scotland, and educated as a Christian. The Encyclopedia gives his probable birth date as being between 389 and 461. "The Book of Days", which also speaks of him, goes farther back than that, claiming that he was born about the year 372.

There seems also to be some confusion as to the actual date, because, as some waggish songwriter has put it, "They were not sure whether the child was too fast or the clock was too slow". However, all agree that he came of respectable parents of a very patriarchal lineage.

The waggish song also proclaimed that "St. Patrick was a gentleman". Seeing him as a slave in his youth, they might not have thought so, as slaves in those days were not very highly thought of, yet even slaves may be gentlemen. Enslaved bodies do not mean enslaved souls.

According to some verses written by Ulrich Troubetzkoy in The New York Herald Tribune some years ago, this very slavery was good for young Patrick, as he says —

"When Patrick climbed Mount
Silab Mis,
A shepherd with his sheep,
All his young visions were set free
By solitude and sleep."

This author differed in his verse from the original story of St. Patrick in calling him a shepherd, as the older stories claim that he was a swineherd while in captivity on the mountain of Sleamish, in the County of Antrim.

During the six years he spent as a swineherd, he acquired a knowledge of the Irish language, manners, habits and customs. And it was not surprising, after he escaped to Gaul (which France was then called), that his dreams should revive the lovely old legends that he had imbibed — lovely in their way yet pitiful too, in their depth of ignorance concerning the principles of Christian religion — and that in the quietness of his monk's cell he should dream of doing something to enlighten the people of the country that he loved. That he should dream he had a visitation from a man who brought him some sort of message, a dispatch in fact, called "The Voice of the Irish", and through it he heard the Irish people saying, "We pray thee, holy youth, to come and walk amongst us as before."

This visitation occurred while he was visiting in Britain, and caused him to return to Gaul and spend fourteen years in learning to be a missionary. Being consecrated to the work in 432, he returned to Ireland as a bishop, with the Pope's blessing — thus in a way fulfilling the last lines of Troubetzkoy's poem, which said,

"He knew that when he left Eirian
It could not be for long."

Some of St. Patrick's chief characteristics were his missionary zeal, his eloquence and his passionate love for Ireland and its people. One might also say his patience in explaining the Christian religion to them. Finding that they could not understand the doctrine of the Trinity, he took a leaf of shamrock and showed them how its three leaves were one, being on one stalk.

He could, too, be a formidable antagonist when he wished, especially to any who dared to oppose the progress of his religious teachings.

His most bitter opponents were the Domic Druidal priests of the more ancient faith. These Druids claimed to be great magicians and so angered St. Patrick that in spite of his benevolent disposition he cursed their fertile lands so that they became dreary bogs. Their rivers produced no fish, their kettles refused to boil, and the story goes, that as a last resort he caused the earth to open and swallow them up, in much the same way as he compelled the snakes of Ireland to roll themselves into the sea.

A popular legend related is that Saint Patrick and his followers found themselves one cold morning on a mountain-top, without a fire to cook their breakfast or warm their cold limbs. Unheeding their complaints St. Patrick asked them to collect a pile of ice and snowballs, which, having done, he breathed upon it, and it instantly became a pleasant fire.

Another ancient legend was that, when baptizing an Irish chieftain, the venerable saint leaned heavily on his crozier; it happened that, unknown to him, the steel spike-point rested on the great toe of the converted heathen. The chief, unfamiliar with the Christian rites and believing this to be an essential part, bore the pain without flinching, though the blood flowed freely from the wound. The Irish named the place Struth-fhuil (stream of blood), now pronounced Struill—the name of a well-known place in Down-Patrick.

Wherever St. Patrick went he built churches, in Scotland and England as well as in Ireland, and even yet the footsteps of St. Patrick can be traced almost from his cradle to his grave by the names of places called after him.

According to ancient manuscripts the good saint passed away in 461 and — strangely enough — the actual date given in them was March 17th.

Sheriff's Sale

Public Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned lands and tenements have been seized, and will be sold at the respective times and places mentioned below.

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Nfld. Jubilee Guilds To Affiliate With W.I.

The Jubilee Guilds of Newfoundland have accepted the invitation to join the Federated Women's Institutes of Canada. The Guilds, carrying on work very similar to the Women's Institutes, were formed in Newfoundland about 14 years ago with the objectives of social betterment, education of the homemaker, and service to the community.

Their membership numbers approximately 3,000, corresponding to that of the Quebec Women's Institutes, and the courses carried on for the benefit of their members closely resemble the work being done in this province by the Q.W.I. — weaving, sewing, cooking, home-making, recreation and encouraging social work in general for the community.

A simple ceremony is being planned to mark their affiliation at the coming biennial convention of the F.W.I.C. at Macdonald College, June 18-23, and an invitation is being extended to the organizing secretary, Miss Anna Templeton, of St. John's, and other representatives from that province, to attend the convention of the Q.W.I., which will be held the following week at the same place.

Yarmouth, N.S. (CP) — Considerable improvement has been shown in rural schools during the past year, Inspector C. W. Crowell told the Yarmouth council. Repairs to buildings and grounds have been effected with new equipment added where necessary.

Chosen As Poster Boy in Easter Seal Campaign



—Central Press Canadian

There's a seven-year-old boy in Welland, Ont., who is paralyzed from the waist down and will be for the rest of his life. But despite his handicap, which doctors say is caused by a gap in his spine the size of a five-cent piece, Dennis Gibbons, seen at right with younger brother Conrad, is a very happy boy. For he has been chosen as "Timmy" — to symbolize 1951 Easter Seal campaign of the Ontario Society for Crippled Children. The plucky young son of a veteran paratrooper and former Timmins diamond driller has 100,000,000 Easter Seals for sale in Ontario. . . The Quebec campaign is being promoted in this area by the efforts of Lachute Lions Club.

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The Vice of Nagging

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Nagging is the very worst vice of all in child training!" an outstanding authority said recently. Do you agree with this? Nagging is a fairly common procedure in many homes. A guest of one family invited for supper, counted sixty-eight different nagging remarks made to a nine-year-old between six o'clock and his 8 o'clock bed time. Perhaps you occasionally resort to nagging, yourself. If you never nag, you are an exceptional parent indeed!

There is no parent who would want to be given the label "a nagger". Mothers especially, who are with their young children all day long, find this a frequent pitfall. Why is this the case?

"I have to make Jimmie 'mind', and that's why I speak to him over and over again about what he knows very well he should do!" one mother defended herself. But does nagging produce the results which are needed?

No — of all the ineffective methods of getting obedience, nagging rates among the lowest. Jimmie develops a sort of deafness as a protection against his mother's constant flow of words. If Jimmie is an active, vigorous boy, nagging will often increase his resistance to parental control. On the other hand, if Jimmie is a quiet, introspective youngster, he may retreat into his own dream world and thus remove himself from his mother's unpleasant remarks. She may wonder later why he seems so unsure of himself. Nagging never yet helped a child think well of himself. One's own good opinion of oneself is essential to happy living.

Nagging is not conducive to an atmosphere where learning is easy. Instead of an eagerness to improve, the undesirable emotions of hostility, opposition, or evasion are the product of nagging. If parents would only recall their own childhood days, they would be able to describe very few changes in behaviour for the better or real accomplishments which came from their parents nagging them.

A critical, fault-finding attitude, on a mother's part, creeps on her almost unawares when she is in poor health or toward the end of the day when she is weary. Sometimes a nagging mother is one who is too ambitious for her child, too eager that he should be a shining light.

The noise of children, the never-ending household tasks, worries about the rising costs of food and other necessities, tend to "get mother down". Her own tension, or anxiety, or annoyance is often a much greater factor in her nagging, than her child's naughtiness. She feels unable to deal capably with her child's actions, but is convinced that she should do something — so she "talks at him".

If parents are convinced that nagging is useless as far as the child's behaviour is concerned, and a mistake on their part, what should they do? They should agree on a consistent form of discipline, and instead of much talking, discipline themselves so there is little talking. What procedure should they substitute? Here are some practical suggestions. . . .

Do not make so many demands on a child that he is continually following directions. Cut down commands to a minimum, and make them brief and clear. Be sure you have your child's attention before giving him an order. Then and only then, tell him what you want. Expect obedience and insist that your child carries out your request. Don't repeat it. If he refuses to co-operate, isolate him until he is willing to comply with your wish. Last, but not least, fathers and mothers can help each other in their resolution not to "nag"!

H.R.H. The Duke of Edinburgh



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CLOSED MEETINGS ILLEGAL

One of the aftermaths of closed meetings of the Sudbury council at which the annexation of McKim Township was discussed, was a statement by Municipal Affairs Minister Dunbar that those meetings were illegal. Many organizations are not fully aware of this and embarrass both the council and the press by asking that the discussion not be reported.

— Fort Frances (Ont.) Times

A Missionary Nurse Reports on Korea

By J. Pollock Graham

Miss Sandall, a missionary nurse recently from Korea, was called upon to speak at the recent W.M.S. Presbyterial conference in Montreal.

"Medical work plays a large part in missionary work", said Miss Sandall. "The Severence Hospital had been first started in North Korea as a Royal Hospital for the Emperor of Korea, before the Japs took over. It was known all over the Orient. It was operated first under the Presbyterian Church and Dr. Avison, a graduate of Toronto University, organized a medical travelling school there as well. About 50 years later it became a Union Hospital, which has carried on the work of several hospitals."

After the second world war the work there gradually deteriorated, as the Japs were not anxious to have the Koreans too well educated or too well equipped. From about 1936 to 37 the doctors were coaxed to visit Japan for a time and came back thoroughly "Japanized". For about ten years there were no repairs made and no money to make them with.

When Nurse Sandall went over first in 1948, being transferred there — it appeared that everything Western had been abolished. They had reverted almost completely to having the nurses wait on the doctors only, to the neglect of the patients. About all they did for the patients was to take their temperatures. . Very few of the Korean nurses knew how to give a bath. One older nurse, a mission graduate, had managed to hold the nurses together and always had morning worship.

When Nurse Sandall took over, there were no blankets or sheets in the wards, and no water — but lots of rats scuttling about, and underneath the beds was a storage place for bags of charcoal, bags of rice, old clothing, etc. The question was, "Where to begin?" — especially when there was no water except where it was not wanted — and that was coming through the ceilings from leaking roofs. There was practically nothing to work with. No dishes, towels, soap, cloths. Some friends from Magog sent her a box of white remnants from the textile mills there, but the Korean mothers crowded around with exclamations of "Oh, that piece would just make a dress for my child", and "I could make a shirt for my boy out of that" — until they were all gone and she was as badly off as before. The Koreans wanted to run things their own way and not the way they should, and the lack of water was a tremendous handicap. One woman had an accumulation of pills under her pillow and her excuse for not taking them was because there was no water to take them with. . One of the native helpers on seeing a patient had died, exclaimed, "Now see what you have done", just as if giving her a bath had killed her. "But", she added, "at least she has gone to Heaven clean."

Nurse Sandall said that they were just beginning to get things running in a half decent sort of way when they had to leave. The Korean nurses at first had wanted to be educated, but they did not want to work. Some of them were quite indignant when asked to carry trays and do the things that all nurses in training have to do.

Not all of them were Christians; some had Communist leanings. These were told that they were not compelled to attend morning worship. One, a regular Communist, had come in hoping to propound some Communist teaching, but was so impressed that she had a change of heart.

At the hospital they were getting a young girl ready to come to Canada for training, but when the American Army put on what was to be an intensive training in English, they started her in that course — but the training lasted only for one week, because of war breaking out.

"When again we are allowed to go to Korea", Nurse Sandall said, "we must have more missionaries, more nurses, more doctors, more interest and help in every way from the people here at home."

Later, when asked for advice as to the sending of clothing to the Korean people, Nurse Sandall said it had to go by way of Japan, through Miss Burns, and naturally from this end through the church board or missionary board. She advises that no high-heeled shoes be sent, as the Korean women could not wear them, and no hats, as the women of Korea did not wear hats. The only use they could make of hats would be in cutting them into felt soles for their shoes. Nurse Sandall also suggested that more men's clothing be sent. So little of clothing for men was found in the parcels sent over, that some of the Korean women had asked, "Have you no men in Canada?"

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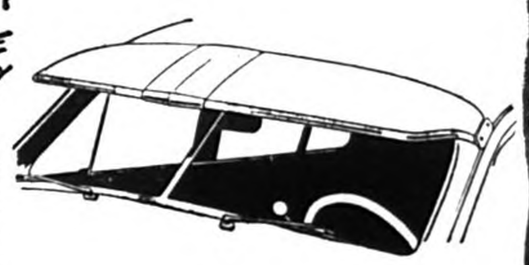
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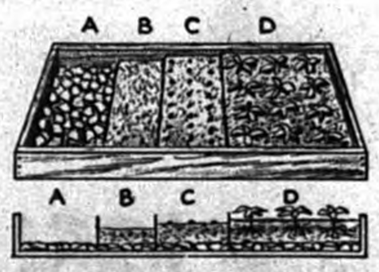
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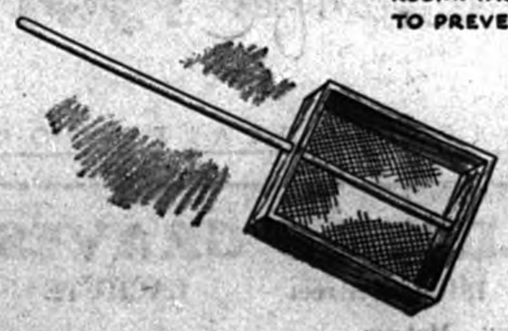
VALANCE BOXES

FOR NARROW WINDOWS — BOX MAY BE OF FIR PLYWOOD, WITH COAT OF VARNISH. FOR PICTURE OR BAY WINDOW — 2 BOXES MAY BE MADE, WITH AN EXTENSION CENTRE. MAY BE ENAMELLED, PAINTED, VARNISHED OR COVERED WITH SAME MATERIAL AS DRAPES. FOR SMALL WINDOWS, BOX ABOUT 4" OR 5" DEEP.

WOOD BOX FOR THE COTTAGE

REMOVE A FEW STAVES FROM ONE SIDE. BIND REMAINING STAVES IN PLACE WITH METAL HOOPS. PAINT TO HARMONIZE WITH COLOR SCHEME OF ROOM. TACK TWO BLOCKS ON EACH SIDE TO PREVENT ROCKING.





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TAKE ABOUT ¼ OF A BUTTER BOX. REMOVE BOTTOM. BORE HOLES FOR BROOM HANDLE. TACK ON FINE CHICKEN NETTING. TRIM WITH STRIPS OF WOOD TO COVER EDGES OF NETTING.

Tom Gard's Note Book



It is with sincere pleasure that I return for a second series of these informal chats. It is still my purpose to share with you practical ideas that can be used to improve your garden and your home . . all tried in my workshop or gleaned from my jaunts across the province.

Valance Boxes

One of my New Year's resolutions that has just been fulfilled is completing valance boxes for our living room and dining room. The job has been hanging fire for several months and it was my 12-year-old boy who finally shamed me into doing it. I'm still not certain that his mother hadn't put him up to it, but he came home from the school shop with a miniature box, complete to scale and trim! They weren't too difficult once started and did add a great deal to the appearance of the rooms. I chose dressed inch lumber as the rooms and windows are quite large and could stand the "heaviness" of this material. If your eye must watch the purse strings, use packing box material or cheap lumber and cover it with tag ends of the drapes.

Spring Is Almost Here

One other task that has been completed just in time to get under the wire is an ash sifter from the bottom section of a butter box. I had seen one over a year ago and always intended making one but didn't get around to it. Oh well, this is the season when it is of most use now that the coal furnace always seems to be getting away from me or is on its way out.

It is also time for seed flats and seed planting. I hope you are not one of those who always gets their seeds planted too early — unless, of course, you have a cold frame for the first transplanting. Follow the instructions given with the diagram for filling the flat and planting the seeds. Place the flats where they will get plenty of sunlight for sturdy plants.

You will find the wood-box idea a practical one for the cottage. The barrel has been rounded up but the project is still not completed. I'll soon be forced into it as the cottage season will be here before we know it.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Dedications at Church In Morin Heights

(Our District Correspondent)

Morin Heights — On Wednesday last, an impressive and pleasurable evening was spent in the United Church here, when a new Communion set and the redecorated church hall were dedicated. On the platform were — the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, of Lachute United Church; the Rev. T. W. Jones, of Calvary United Church, who gave the address; the Rev. Norman, of Ste. Therese United Church; the Rev. H. Baugh, of Trinity Anglican Church; and Rev. C. R. Wood, of Morin Heights United Church. Mr. Botwell, of St. Jerome, was the soloist. In the congregation were visitors from Shawbridge, St. Jerome, Ste. Therese, Lachute and Trinity United Church here. Later, refreshments were served in the church hall.

Condolences to Bishop

Those of the Anglican congregations, and all who have shared the acquaintance of the Rt. Rev. John Dixon in his visitations here, feel deeply for his sorrow in the death of Mrs. Dixon, which occurred Tuesday in the Western General Hospital. The Bishop of Montreal has the sincere sympathy of all in this section of his diocese.

"Holy Week" Programs

Again this year the CBC will mark the approach of Easter with a number of special Holy Week programs.

On the Trans-Canada network the program "Way of the Spirit" will depict Christ's entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday (March 18, 1.30 p.m.). On Wednesday (March 21, 8 p.m.), the same network will present the fourth annual broadcast of Bach's "St. Matthew Passion", performed by the Toronto Mendelssohn Choir and Toronto Symphony Orchestra under Sir Ernest MacMillan. On Good Friday Ivan Romanoff will conduct a program of Central European Easter music (10.30 p.m.).

Among the Dominion network programs for Holy Week will be a performance from Montreal of Mozart's "Requiem". This will be conducted by Jean Beaudet and heard March 20 at 8.30 p.m.

At 1.30 p.m. Easter Sunday "The Way of the Spirit" will conclude its four-week series called "The Way to Jerusalem" with a drama based on the Easter Story.

In addition, many regular network programs will deal with the theme of the Crucifixion during the week. On Easter Sunday, for example, "Stage 51" (9 p.m., on Trans-Canada) will repeat "The Fallen Disciple", a play with an Easter theme, by Conrad Aiken.

On Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday "Church of the Air" (4.30 p.m., Trans-Canada) will present the last two programs in its four-week Easter series from Kingston, Ont. On March 18, the Rev. J. F. Wedderburn of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will be the speaker. On Easter Day the services will be conducted by Principal H. A. Kent of Queen's Theological College, Kingston. A special Easter service will also be heard March 25 on the "National Sunday Evening Hour" (7 p.m., Trans-Canada). The speaker will be Dr. David McLennan of Yale University.

Easter in the Early Church

(Contributed)

Very great indeed was the honor paid to this "Feast of Resurrection" by the early Christians. We read that it was regarded by them as "the crown and head of all festivals", although as a religious observance Easter Day was not distinguished from other Sundays except by "the vastness of its congregation, and the dignity of its services."

Gregory, who was Bishop of Nyssa, of Cappadocia, in A.D. 380, draws a very vivid picture of the joyous crowds, who by their dress and devout attendance at church sought to do honor to the Festival. He says, "All labor ceased, all trades were suspended, the husbandman threw down his spade and plow and put on holiday attire, and the very tavern-keepers left their gain in order to be present at the Easter Service. The roads were empty of travellers, and the sea of sailors, for all tried to be home on this great day. All Christians assembled everywhere as members of one family. The poor man dressed like the rich, and the rich wore his gayest and brightest attire, whilst those who had no good clothes of their own, borrowed of their neighbors. Even the little children put on their new clothes and were bright and happy."

We would therefore remark, that it is evident that the present custom of wearing new and bright clothes on Easter is at least fifteen centuries old!

— Horace G. Baugh

Church Bowling League Concludes Play-Offs

The semi-final and final games of the United Church Bowling League were played last Monday and interest was keen right up to the end.

The Raps, skipped by L. W. Hammond, were defeated 9-8 by the High School Teachers, led by Art Bond. The Teachers took a lead of 8 to 3; their opponents made a fine come-back to tie the score 8-8 in the ninth end; and the tenth and final end was not conclusive until the last ball was played, when the Teachers won 9-8.

The other semi-final, between the W.M.S. Blues (Mrs. M. Tillotson) and the Y.P.U. (Wayne Riddell), was not so close a game. The latter made a large 5-ender in the first play, and the W.M.S. could not recover from this handicap, and lost by 9 to 6.

The championship game was then played between the Y.P.U. and High School Teachers. The game was keenly contested, though the final score was 13 to 5 for the Y.P.U.

The first prizes will be given the Y.P.U. team (Beverly Laurin, Clare Mae Laurin, Marilyn Mitchell and Wayne Riddell) while prizes for the runners-up will go to Miss Mary Smith, Miss Irene McFeeters, R. Berry and Art Bond, of the High School team.

Closing Supper Next Monday

As a fitting climax to a successful season, a supper will be served on Monday next, sharp at 7 p.m. Presentation of prizes will take place, followed by a program and social evening. All teams and their subs are asked to be present and on time.

Official flag of the province of Nova Scotia, the blue cross of St. Andrew on a white field with the Royal Lion mounted thereon, was originally authorized by Charles I in 1625.

Townsmen Tour Florida, Write Their Impressions

"As we rub on the sunburn lotion, we find it hard to realize that you might be shoveling snow", says a letter received this Tuesday from "Edgar and Herb" (Edgar Pollock and Herb Graves who, with Mayor Jim McGibbon and Ross Muir, comprise a happy foursome from this town now touring Florida).

From this letter written in St. Petersburg, we quote the following paragraphs, both interesting and amusing:

"At this time of year Florida is a paradise for the Northerner; in fact nearly everyone we have met is either a tourist from the North or they have apparently only been here a few short years.

"The white Floridian is hard to find; the native of Florida seems to be the Simonole Indian; he is, to say the least, no beauty, and still insists on living in his thatched top house without any walls. . . He is also stupid, just knowing enough to sell hand-made souvenirs to the gullible tourist — who finds they are hand made, but in Japan.

"We have found the people very friendly indeed and that the Canadians enjoy a very good reputation in Florida.

"We were not the only Canadians splashing in the waves, at the famous Lauderdale beach; we ran into Mr. and Mrs. Nat Boyd, who had come down shortly before us and who, like ourselves, had been well filled with our former townsman's (Johnnie Lachance's) orange juice. . . If you had been with us when Mr. Lachance was showing us through his 40-acre groves of oranges and grapefruit, you would marvel at how French-Canadian industry had succeeded in Florida.

"The trip has been very enjoyable to all of us thus far. . . Ross Muir has learned a lot of wrinkles in running a gas station, and we have given the Mayor a lot of hints on how to run the town!"

Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Our first railway was built when and where?
2. What countries produce more wheat than Canada?
3. Ottawa plans to allow how many immigrants to enter Canada this year?
4. When did Newfoundland enter Conderation.
5. Members of the federal cabinet receive how much in salary and allowances?

ANSWERS: 3. 150,000 immigrants. 1. In 1836, from Montreal to La Prairie. 4. March 31, 1949. 5. $18,000 a year. 2. The U.S. and Russia.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada).

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. J. Findlay, of Montreal, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Creswell.

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Miss Lena McLaren, of Buckingham, spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Boyd.

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Mrs. T. R. Hurdman, of Breckenridge, Que., is visiting this week with her brother, Mr. Harry Scott and Mrs. Scott.

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Miss Betty Brown was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brown.

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Miss Norma McClenaghan, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon.

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Mrs. Mason Ferrist and little daughter, Donna, of Breckenridge, and Mrs. M. Davis and little son, Lorne, of Aylmer East, have spent the past few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdoch.

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Mr. Guy Depocas spent the week-end in Lachute.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Creswell and daughter spent Sunday in the city.

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Mrs. Geo. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kilgour Hardie and children, were in Montreal Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hutchison spent the week-end with the latter's parents — Mrs. Hutchison remaining until Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bradford, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart last week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ritchie, of Virden, Man., spent a few days this week visiting friends in Lachute and district.

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Mr. Jack Black left from Dorval Airport on Monday evening for a two weeks' visit in Scotland, travelling via T.C.A.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sly, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Sly.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown, of St. Jerome, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brown.

The Rev. C. R. Lang attended a St. Andrews Deanery meeting on Tuesday in the Synod Hall, Montreal.

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Mrs. D. MacPhail, Mr. and Mrs. L. Tomalty, Mr. and Mrs. E. McGibbon, all of Lachute, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Russell Roberts in Montreal yesterday.

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Townsmen Suddenly Bereaved

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald and Mr. Ralph FitzGerald left early this week by plane from Dorval for Corner Brook, Nfld., owing to the sudden death of their brother, Mr. Cabot FitzGerald. The latter had been a visitor to Lachute last week-end, and it is understood he was fatally stricken en route to his home on Monday. . . . Sincere sympathy is extended to his brothers in their bereavement.

Mr. Harold G. Banford is absent on a brief visit to Syracuse, N.Y., and Philadephia, Pa.

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53 Years Married

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham, of Barron Avenue, who today celebrate the 53rd anniversary of their wedding.

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Celebrates 88th Birthday

Mrs. W. J. Rogers celebrated her 88th birthday on Tuesday, receiving many greetings from relatives and friends — and from Radio Station CJAD two handsome orchids and white heather. Her family were re-united for a birthday supper at her residence, the home of her son, Clarence and Mrs. Rogers, on Main Street. Present for the happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. George Tucker with their son and daughter, from Dixie, Que.

Mrs. W. J. Rogers is in good health and spirits. The Watchman and many friends join in extending good wishes.



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March 18 — Palm Sunday
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10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
March 23, Good Friday, 10.30 a.m.
ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
March 23, Good Friday, 2 p.m.

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8.30 p.m. Wed. St. Matthew's.
7 p.m. Thurs. Kilmar
7.30 p.m. Fri., Holy Trinity.

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Dunany, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 3.30 p.m.

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BROWNSBURG
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Church, 11 a.m.
Prayer, Thurs., 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
3 p.m. Church.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship. "I Thirst".
7 p.m. Evening Service. "Father, into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit".
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.
A service of worship will be held on Good Friday, at 11 a.m.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
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10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
7 p.m. Evening Service.
3 p.m. Easter Class.
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Good Friday Service at 11 a.m.

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11 a.m. Worship and the Word.
7 p.m. Gospel service.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting

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Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister
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11 a.m. Worship Service.
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Brownsburg

(Intended for last issue)

Miss Maureen Cumbers, of Chalk River, was a week-end guest at her home here.

Miss Fay Hamilton, of Montreal, was home for the week-end.

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of the late Mrs. Daniel McOuat, who passed away at her home here recently.

Mr. Wm. Graham was in Montreal visiting his sister, Mrs. Wm. Morrow, who is a patient in the Montreal General Hospital.

Flowers in the United Church on Sunday, March 4, were in memory of Mrs. R. Gilmour, who died February 29, 1948 — placed there by her family.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing West

The Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Vowles spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Vowles in Brownsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harkness, of Verdun, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill, of N.D.G., motored here and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robert on Saturday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hartley, of N.D.G., visited their aunt, Miss M. Whelehan, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robert on Sunday. Other Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Robert's included Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pinkerton, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Danford and little son, Hugh, also of Montreal.

Mr. Ernest Dewar left early this week for Vaudreuil, where he will take a position with the C.N.R.

The 'flu has been very prevalent in this hamlet for several weeks, and some of our most prominent citizens have been victims.

Tractors to Canada

Ferguson tractors have already earned $20 million for Britain; 70 more were recently shipped for Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. A. Philips, of Montreal, spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Downey are spending a few weeks in Montreal, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Murray, of Quebec, are the present guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Schippel.

Mrs. M. Waters is spending the present week at Akron visiting with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Davies, and other friends.

Mrs. R. H. Welden spent a few days last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Williams and Mr. Williams, in St. Jerome.

Mr. P. McVicar has returned home here after spending the winter with friends at Lac Remi.

The Rev. Canon Lewis, of Montreal, conducted service Sunday morning in the Church of the Redeemer; while here he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sobey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig spent a few days in Montreal last week visiting friends.

Miss Lorna Bennett was home from Montreal to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Mrs. E. L. Trottier is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. R. G. Bowie paid a short visit to Montreal last week and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smithers.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Morrison, with their sons Barry and Dawson, of Hudson Heights, motored here Tuesday to spend the day with Murray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Morrison.

Miss Edna Eddesford, of Montreal, was the recent guest of Mrs. M. Diver.

Mrs. V. Swail, of Arundel, and Mrs. A. Larose, of Montreal, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrison on Monday.

Arundel

Miss Rose Cooke spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. W. Cooke.

Mr. Percy Staniforth and daughter, Barbara, motored to Montreal on Saturday to meet Mrs. P. Staniforth at the Dorval Airport. Mrs. Staniforth flew back Saturday from Halifax, where she had been attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Mosher, who passed away last week.. Mrs. Mosher was well known in Arundel, as she spent the summers at the home of her daughter. Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Staniforth in her bereavement.

The Rev. Canon Lewis will conduct Holy Communion in Grace Church, on Sunday, March 18, at 11 a.m. Easter service to be held on this date. —Members please note.

The Ladies' Union of the Arundel United Church met last Wednesday in the church hall, for their regular monthly meeting. A good attendance was reported. Owing to the illness of the president, Mrs. Roy Staniforth, the chair was taken by the vice-president, Mrs. Alvin Graham. After business was concluded, the members quilted until supper was served. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Hugh Cooke and Mrs. Val Swail.

Mrs. E. A. Bulley is spending a few days in Montreal, attending the Gift Show at the Mount Royal Hotel.

Mr. Harry Ronalds spent some time last week visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bennett have returned from Sudbury — Mr. Bennett having recovered from an attack of 'flu.

There will be a complimentary dance in the Maplewood Inn on Saturday evening, March 17. As weather and other adverse conditions have recently restricted these popular dances, a large attendance is anticipated.

Barkmere

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke spent the week-end at their cottage.

Mr. Wm. Henry occupied his cottage over the week-end.

Allan Gerald and Eileen Walsh spent the week-end at their cottage; also Mr. Ainsley Norman, accompanied by his sister, Miss Margaret Norman.

Cushing

Mrs. W. H. Canning and daughter, Mrs. Geo. Drew, spent Saturday in Lachute. Mr. Drew was a week-end guest at the Canning home, and Mrs. Drew, who had been spending the past two weeks with her parents, returned home with her husband on Sunday.

Mrs. M. Wilson spent several days in Montreal during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kennedy — who have been spending the winter in Hamilton, Ont., and have returned to Brownsburg, with their little daughter Lorainne — were guests on Friday of Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

Members of the A. Hooper family motored to Cushing on Sunday and skied to the river shore to visit their summer home here, "Cedar Ridge".

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. R. J. Graham, of Lachute, and members of his family, in the death of Mrs. Graham which occurred last week. Sympathy is also extended to her sisters, Mrs. Jas. Beattie and Mrs. A. Lighthall, of Lachute, and her brothers, Mr. Wm. Chambers, of St. Philippe, and Mr. R. Chambers, of Windsor, Ont. Mrs. Graham was a member of St. Mungo's Church for many years while living in this vicinity.

Mrs. W. Y. King visited Miss K. Barron at Lachute on Tuesday. Mrs. Archie Graham visited as the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Scott, and Mrs. Dobbie a guest of her sister, Mrs. L. Griffiths, the same day. Mrs. L. M. Gaston was also in Lachute. . . All of the above ladies attended the annual meeting of Frontier W.I., at the home of Mrs. R. Blakely, and witnessed the presentation to Mrs. Archie Murdoch, Brownsburg, of a life membership pin by the county president, Mrs. C. W.P. Baugh.

Temperance Union

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Dobbie on Wednesday, March 21.

This organization is pleased to be notified that Mr. Irvin Warwick, of Mabel, has won a special prize in the Temperance Scientific Study Course from the Provincial W.C.T.U. Five of his pupils also have won provincial prizes in this study — Edith Meyer, Patsy and Brenda Smith, Gloria Hotchkiss and Guy Moggs, all of Rivington. Provincial prize winners in Cushing were the Misses Myrtle and Myrna Gaston. The latter young ladies had previously won their five-year pins for taking up this short course in Temperance study.

Women's Institute

Mrs. Archie Graham has received a letter from the provincial secretary of the Women's Institute, written by authority from Mrs. Morton (Dominion president of the Federated Women's Institute) informing her that visitors to the National Convention at Macdonald College this June will be free to attend the open meetings of the Society at that time. While, of course, the Executive meetings are private, the other sessions are open to members of the W.I. wishing to attend. . . This question had come up at the fall semi-annual meeting, when the meeting was then informed by a provincial officer that no one was free to attend — which was evidently a mistake.

Report to Metropolitan Policyholders for 1950

ANOTHER YEAR OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE

THERE COULD BE no better summary of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's activities and achievements during 1950 in the United States and Canada than the following message with which President Charles G. Taylor, Jr. opens the Company's Annual Report to Policyholders.

"You have every reason to be pleased with the results of the operation of Metropolitan in 1950.

"The major test of a Life insurance company's value to the public is in the payment of benefits to policyholders and beneficiaries and in the increase of the insurance protection which the company affords them. **New high records in each respect were made in 1950.**

"Metropolitan has been able to maintain this year, with minor modifications, the prevailing dividend scales. The Company has also made appropriate additions to surplus funds and contingency reserves held for the protection of policyholders. This means that, with very few exceptions, individual policyholders' dividends will be equal to, or greater than, the dividends paid last year.

"It is gratifying to report that, notwithstanding increased costs due to inflationary trends which have affected every business and every individual, Metropolitan has thus continued its low cost record."

Whether or not you are a policyholder in the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, you will find the 1950 "Annual Report to Policyholders" interesting and informative. If you would like to have this booklet, simply fill in and mail the coupon below. A copy will be sent to you without charge.

High Lights

Payments to policyholders and their beneficiaries . . . $837,000,000 — the greatest sum ever paid in benefits in any one year by the Company.

During 1950 the ownership of Metropolitan Life insurance was increased by a record amount of $3,725,000,000.

The total in force was $45,425,000,000 on the lives of 33,150,000 persons — $21,930,000,000 was Ordinary; $10,464,000,000 was Industrial; and $13,031,000,000 was Group.

After deducting investment expense, the net rate of interest earned was 3.07%.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND OBLIGATIONS . . . DECEMBER 31, 1950

ASSETS IN THE COMPANY'S POSSESSION		
Bonds		$7,563,030,021.20
U.S. Government	$2,868,782,497.44	
Canadian Government	211,012,588.10	
Provincial and Municipal	67,643,429.06	
Railroad	528,591,344.71	
Public Utility	1,369,897,129.54	
Industrial and Miscellaneous	2,396,007,960.42	
Bonds of the Company's housing development corporations	121,095,071.93	
Stocks		161,909,397.72
All but $7,452,502.72 are Preferred or Guaranteed.		
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate		1,494,180,283.78
Mortgage Loans on Urban Properties	$1,368,405,298.20	
Mortgage Loans on Farms	125,774,985.58	
Loans on Policies		423,056,767.55
Made to policyholders on the security of their policies.		
Real Estate (after decrease by adjustment of $14,000,000.00 in the aggregate)		284,524,458.56
Housing projects and other real estate acquired for investment	228,599,995.17	
Properties for Company use	41,516,517.97	
Acquired in satisfaction of mortgage indebtedness (of which $5,149,699.81 is under contract of sale)	28,407,945.42	
Cash and Bank Deposits		179,412,703.97
Premiums, Deferred and in Course of Collection		150,252,553.13
Accrued Interest, Rents, etc.		81,705,465.77
TOTAL ASSETS		$10,338,071,651.68

OBLIGATIONS TO POLICYHOLDERS, BENEFICIARIES, AND OTHERS		
Statutory Policy Reserves		$8,783,541,759.00
This amount, which is determined in accordance with legal requirements, together with future premiums and reserve interest, is necessary to assure payment of all future policy benefits.		
Policy Proceeds and Dividends Left with Company		575,626,718.00
Policy proceeds from death claims, matured endowments, and other payments, and dividends — left with the Company by beneficiaries and policyholders to be paid to them in future years.		
Reserved for Dividends to Policyholders		172,477,246.00
Set aside for payment in 1951 to those policyholders eligible to receive them.		
Policy Claims Currently Outstanding		41,962,052.40
Claims in process of settlement, and estimated claims that have occurred but have not yet been reported to the Company.		
Other Policy Obligations		68,842,135.82
Including premiums received in advance, special reserves for mortality and morbidity fluctuations.		
Taxes Accrued (Payable in 1951)		38,016,113.00
Contingency Reserve for Mortgage Loans		10,000,000.00
All Other Obligations		25,479,914.09
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS		$9,715,945,938.31
SURPLUS FUNDS		
Special Surplus Funds	$115,389,000.00	
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)	506,736,713.37	
TOTAL SURPLUS FUNDS		622,125,713.37
TOTAL OBLIGATIONS AND SURPLUS FUNDS		$10,338,071,651.68

NOTE — Assets amounting to $485,501,548.28 are deposited with various public officials under the requirements of law or regulatory authority.

METROPOLITAN'S OPERATIONS IN CANADA

These high lights of the Company's business in Canada during 1950, our 78th year in this country, will be of particular interest to Metropolitan's Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries.

Payments to Policyholders and Beneficiaries

Metropolitan paid in 1950 to its Canadian policyholders and their beneficiaries $44,121,559 in death claims — matured policies — benefits in the event of either accident, sickness, hospitalization, surgical or medical expense — dividends and other payments. Of this amount, 70% was paid to living policyholders.

The total amount the Metropolitan has paid to Canadians since it entered Canada in 1872, plus the amount now invested in Canada, exceeds the total premiums received from Canadians by more than $401,000,000.

Life Insurance in Force

In 1950, Canadians bought $217,020,846 of new Life insurance protection in the Metropolitan, bringing the total of the Company's Life insurance in force in Canada to $2,508,305,363. This amount is made up of 57% Ordinary business, 28% Industrial business, and 15% Group.

Total Investments in Canada

Metropolitan investments in Canada amounted to $602,587,542 at the end of 1950. These investments are playing an important part in the economy of Canada with substantial totals of Federal, Provincial, and Municipal bonds and with sizeable totals in the obligations of steel and paper companies, the oil industry, railroads, electric light and power companies, and others.

Health and Welfare Work

Since 1909 Metropolitan has conducted a continuous health education campaign in Canada and during 1950 participated in numerous activities. Nearly 2,000,000 pamphlets on a variety of health and safety topics were distributed—monthly health advertisements appeared in national publications — "Good Hints for Good Health" was a daily feature on many radio stations.

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LICENSE FEE NUISANCE

Winnipeg city council's decision to request the Manitoba government to amend the city charter so it may impose a special license fee on trucks which deliver bread, ice, wood and coal may have far-reaching effects throughout the province. It is only logical to assume that if Winnipeg's request were granted, every municipal unit in the province would raise a protective tariff wall against outside trade. — Altona (Man.) Echo

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CHURCH INFLUENCE

Most of a group interviewed by The Financial Post recently thought the influence of the church had declined from a generation ago, but many of them also believed that the pendulum was now beginning to swing the other way. The fight against Communism has helped strengthen the church, some feel. Against this, others point to the growth of materialistic influences, failure to develop church education among the young, and the fact that government and private agencies are taking over some of the service work previously performed by the church.

Higher pay for the clergy, and a higher standard of performance in the pulpit, are recommended solutions to the problem of getting more ministers and more people into the churches.

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— Women's Interests —

Milk – Bottled, Canned And Powdered

Trade among nations and trade within nations, such as Canada with its breadth of nearly four thousand miles from coast to coast, has resulted in much attention being given to ways and means of handling perishable foods, to make them more economical to transport, to prolong their storage life and to make them available to more people. One of the foods which obviously warranted such attention is milk and today we find that this essential food is sold in several forms. It is well to know the similarities and the differences in the various types of milk including bottled, evaporated and powdered, so that we can guide ourselves accordingly in what we buy and use.

The value of milk is undisputed, and it is reassuring to know that, to quote the words of a well known authority, "any form of milk is nutritionally more like any other form than any other food". So when we are considering our milk quota for the day, as laid down for us in Canada's Food Rules (that is, at least a pint for children up to twelve years, at least one and one half pints for adolescents, and at least a half pint for adults), we can think not only of bottled milk but also of evaporated milk and milk powder. Incidentally, don't forget that a Canadian pint is 20 fluid ounces, or, in other words, the amount that two and one half eight-ounce measuring cups will hold.

The sale of pasteurized milk is rapidly replacing that of raw milk to a great extent in most cities and towns in Canada. Pasteurization is the process of heating milk to destroy disease-producing bacteria which may be in the milk, thereby making it safe for human consumption.

Evaporated milk is fresh milk from which about sixty per cent of the water has been removed by evaporation and that is why manufacturers give directions for using an equal amount of water with evaporated milk when it is being used in place of bottled milk. Practically all evaporated milk made in Canada has vitamin D added to it through irradiation by ultra-violet rays. According to law, if evaporated milk is labelled "irradiated", a 16-ounce can must contain at least 400 international units of vitamin D, which is the daily amount recommended for growing persons.

Condensed milk differs from evaporated milk in that cane sugar is added after the milk has been evaporated. Because of this added sugar it is not possible to reconstitute condensed milk to whole milk and it has more limited uses.

There are two kinds of milk powder now being made and sold in Canada and special interest is being shown in skim-milk powder, or non-fat milk solids as the powder is sometimes called, since this type of powder has become available in small quantities for the consumer. In making powder, practically all of the water is removed from the milk. Actually only five per cent or less of the weight of the powder is water. With either whole-milk or skim-milk powder, the directions for reliquifying call for using four tablespoons of the powder to an eight-ounce cup of water. Using these proportions you are simply putting back into the milk the water that has been taken from it. Of course, if you add the water to skim-milk powder you have the equivalent of skim-milk, if you add the water to whole milk powder you have the equivalent of whole milk.

The home economists of the Consumer Section of the Canada Department of Agriculture have been experimenting in using milk powder in many ways. They have found that very often the powder may be mixed with other dry ingredients, as in custards and in the pie filling here suggested, and the water added separately.

Cream Pie
(Using skim-milk powder)

⅓ Cup sugar, ⅓ cup flour, ⅛ teaspoon salt, 8 tablespoons (½ cup skim-milk powder), ¾ cup cold water, 1¼ cups lukewarm water, 2 egg yolks, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 2 egg whites, dash of salt, ⅛ teaspoon cream of tartar, 4 tablespoons fruit sugar.

Mix sugar, flour, salt and milk powder. Add cold water, blending until smooth. Gradually stir in lukewarm water and cook in top of double boiler 10 minutes, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Beat egg yolk, combine with a little of hot mixture and add to remainder of hot mixture in double boiler. Cook 3 minutes. Remove from heat and add butter and vanilla. Cool and pour into baked pie shell.

Beat egg whites and salt until frothy; add cream of tartar and beat until the whites form peaks. Beat in sugar one tablespoon at a time. Continue beating until sugar is thoroughly dissolved. File lightly on cream filling, covering right to the edge of crust. Bake until delicately browned in a moderately slow oven, 325°F., about 20 minutes, or in a moderately slow oven, 350°F., about 15 minutes. Yield: one 9-inch pie.

A Ham for Happy Easter

How the ham became the traditional dish for Easter is an interesting story. Since early Christian days it has been the custom to celebrate the advent of Spring with feasting. In those days the supplies of fresh meat were at their lowest ebb as this feast period approached. However, these resourceful Christians made preparations for the feast far in advance. In early winter, when pigs were slaughtered, certain choice cuts, the hind legs or hams, were saved for the feast. So the custom of serving ham at Easter has continued.

The average homemaker is inclined to use the term "ham" loosely to cover several of the smoked pork cuts. She may actually be referring to a real ham or a portion of a ham, to a Smoked Picnic Style Pork Shoulder or to a Boneless Smoked Shoulder, commonly known as Cottage Roll. Ham is the smoked counterpart of a leg of fresh pork which comes from the hind quarter, after the lower part of the leg has been removed. The lower section of the pork shoulder or the foreleg provides the Picnic Style Shoulder, and the shoulder which has been boned and rolled is called Cottage Roll.

Whether the meat is the tender ham from the porker's hind leg, or a Cottage Roll, or Picnic Shoulder from the front leg, the quality of the meat should be good and the flavor excellent. However, because the meat of the foreleg is slightly coarser it should be cooked with moist heat.

Today most smoked ham is sold as tenderized ham, that is to say, it has been made tender during the smoking process. There are two types of tenderized ham, one that is ready cooked and ready to eat, and one that must be cooked at home before eating. This tenderizing process means that no preboiling is necessary. To bake a tenderized ham, place the ham, fat side up, on a rack in an open roasting pan. Place the ham, uncovered, in a moderately slow oven, 325°F., and roast until tender, allowing 20 minutes per pound. If you own a meat thermometer, insert it into the meat so that the centre of the bulb reaches the centre of the fleshiest part. Be sure that the bulb does not rest on bone. The ham will be done when the thermometer registers 160°F. About 30 minutes before the ham is done, remove from oven and take off the rind, if this has not already been done. Score the fat in diagonal lines and stick whole cloves in the centres of the diamonds, thus formed. Pour off the drippings, spread the surface of the ham with a topping mixture of one-half cup brown sugar, two tablespoons flour, and one teaspoon dry mustard. Return to oven to finish roasting and to brown. Instead of a topping, the ham may be glazed with maple syrup, honey, corn syrup or apple juice, basting several times during the last thirty minutes.

Frequently Picnic Shoulders and Cottage Rolls are not tenderized. If they are tenderized they are marked as such on the label or outside covering. Even if they are not tenderized, they are very delicious and are just as easy to prepare as a smoked ham, and of course they are more economical. As was mentioned above, these cuts should be cooked with moist heat. There are three methods of cooking them, namely, simmering in water, cooking in the pressure saucepan, and simmering in water and browning in the oven. When simmering the meat in water, place it in water to cover, and simmer until tender, allowing about 25 to 30 minutes per pound. Be sure to keep the pot covered and the water just simmering. The second method, pressure cooking, requires approximately one-third of the time that it takes to simmer in water. This method is excellent for cooking these less tender cuts of meat. The home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, tell us that it is best to follow the manufacturer's directions for the particular type of cooker which the homemaker owns. With the third method, simmer as directed above, then remove from the water, saving the cooking water for making soup. The Picnic Shoulder or Cottage Roll may then be glazed or covered with a topping similar to the topping used with smoked ham, then brown in a hot oven, 400°F., for 15 minutes. When serving ham, apple rings are a delicious accompaniment.

With the left-over ham, treat the family to a ham and vegetable casserole, or perhaps ham fritters served with maple syrup. Another unusual way to use up the left-overs, is to make ham muffins and serve them with a crisp green salad for the luncheon course.

Don't forget to use the water left over from cooking the ham and make that favorite of Canadian dishes, Pea Soup.

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OBITUARY

Funeral of Late Lachute Resident

Mrs. Richard J. Graham

The funeral of the late Mrs. R. J. Graham, who passed away at her residence here last Wednesday after a short illness, took place on Saturday, March 10, from the Lachute United Church. Service was conducted by the Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.

The late Mrs. Graham was formerly Caroline Chambers, eldest daughter of the late Jas. B. Chambers and Margaret Scarborough. She was born at St. Philippe, Que., on June 28, 1872, and was married to Richard Graham on January 8, 1902, and resided at St. Philippe until moving to Lachute in 1927.

The pall-bearers were her six nephews—James Chambers, Grant Beattie, Cecil Graham, Allan Graham, C. Graham and John Graham.

Left to mourn her loss are her husband, one son, James, of Lachute, two daughters, Margaret, of Montreal, and Lena (Mrs. Nelson Blore), of Verdun; also two brothers, Wm. J. Chambers, of St. Philippe, and R. C. Chambers, of Tecumseh, Ont., and two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Lighthall and Mrs. Jas. Beattie, of Lachute.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS

Barrie, Ont. (CP) — About 3,000 doughnuts were scattered when a small truck loaded with 250 dozen doughnuts was hit by a train at a level crossing here. The driver was unhurt. The track was damaged and children had a great time with the doughnuts.

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ROOM & BOARD — Apply Roland Lavigne, 61 Bedard Blvd. -1p

Property Wanted

WANTED — to rent or purchase, small house or bungalow, within ten minutes' walk from Post Office. Best references. No children. — Reply Box EW-600, Watchman, Lachute. -1c

Properties For Sale

2-TENEMENT house for sale, on Davis Street, near the main street in Village of St. Andrews East — with good garden, shed and garage, nice lawn.—Apply George Legault, Box 200, St. Andrews East, or phone 62. -1p

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Curling Club Activities

Playing in Montreal in the Caledonia Bonspiel were J. MacKimmie (skip), Geo. Muir, Geo. Calder and R. Cairns, who lost out in the quarter-finals.

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Finals for the Vice-President's Prize were played at the club on Tuesday evening — J. MacKimmie (skip), R. Cairns, G. Walker and S. Forbes, against J. R. Charron (skip), F. Pring, H. Kerr and A. Walker — the latter team being victors.

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Play-off game for the President's Prize will take place this Friday evening.

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Wm. J. Deacon, R. Cairns, W. K. McArthur and D. Hay left today for Toronto, where they will enter the Goodwill Bonspiel.

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Play for honors in the Senior and Junior Mackie competitions is now under way, with keen interest being shown.

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Invitations have been received from numerous outside clubs, and local enthusiasts will no doubt be representing Lachute in these events. Dates are as follows:

Magog (Mixed), March 26-31.
St. George's Spring Bonspiel, starting April 20.
Lachine, April 9-14.
Montreal West, April 9-14.
Cornwall (Mixed), April 9-14.

Morin Heights Skiers In District Contests

Morin Heights — Saturday was a busy day for the Morin Heights Intermediate School. Through the efforts of Principal Blakely, Miss Pearson and Miss Barbara Brown, teams from this vicinity were entered in the races which took place at St. Sauveur, Ste. Marguerite and Val David.

In the Midget races held on the Chalet Cochand run at Ste. Marguerite, representatives of the school competing in this event were Michael Millard, James Patterson, Sandra Seale, Ellen Trygg, Joe Seale, Ronald Dey, Beryl Pollock, Helen Seale, Marilyn Dey, Kenny Pollock, Stan Kirkpatrick, Bartley Williams; and while all could not win prizes, an enjoyable and happy time was spent by those participating. Cups were presented to the following winners — Michael Millard, James Patterson, Sandra Seale, and Ellen Trygg.

At St. Sauveur

At St. Sauveur, the Penguin Ski Club held their annual school girls' races, and the Morin Intermediate School junior girls' team were successful in winning the junior trophy for the fifth consecutive year. . . This year's team included —Corinne Watchorn, Beverley Bell, Anne Brown, Doreen Seale, Marion Kirkpatrick and Shirley Dey.

Corinne Watchorn and Beverley Bell were awarded prizes for placing first and second in the combined results for Downhill and Slalom events.

At Val David

At Val David, under perfect weather conditions, the school again had representatives on hand to compete in the Inter-Village Ski Meet. There were over 100 entries, which makes it the largest ever held in the Laurentians for this class. Almost every village in the Laurentian Mountains had representatives there. The combined efforts of the Morin skiers won them the Nymark Trophy, which is awarded to the group having the best combined results.

Entrants from Morin Heights were — Brian Ward, Ernest Wood, Muriel Black, Mildred Dawson, Geraldine Kirkpatrick, Frances Munger, Morris Dawson, Dante Sicuso, Sylvia Sicuso, Ivan Ward, Gloria Dawson, John MacDonald and Stanford Riddell.

Individual Prizes were awarded to the following—Seniors: Geraldine Kirkpatrick first X C; Frances Munger, second X C; Brian Ward, first X C; and Brian Ward, second Downhill. Juniors: Ernest Wood, first X C; Ernest Wood, first Slalom; Muriel Black, first X C; Mildred Dawson, second X C.

At Morin Heights

On Sunday, March 11, the Morin Heights Ski Club sponsored a 30-kilometre Cross Country run over the Clover Leaf Trail. Some excellent teams were entered for this event, including two from Morin, two from the Vikings, one from the Régiment de Hull, and two from the Régiment de Trois Rivières. One of the Viking teams placed first, and 15 seconds behind this team came that of Morin Heights, composed of Grant Seale, Carman Woods and Robt. Baldwin. Grant Seale also won the second prize for the best lap time. The second team entered by Morin had a bad break when John Gillingham collapsed through over-exertion, and the other two members of that team, Ross Gillingham and Jean-Paul St. Jacques, could not finish, although they were holding third place.

Throughout the week-end only two accidents were reported by the St. John's Ambulance first-aid post at Morin (in charge of Jim Syvret) — Corinne Watchorn suffering a sprained knee and ankle, and the above-mentioned incident involving John Gillingham.

Drummondville Beats Lachute 9-8 for Prov'l H. S. Championship

According to the president and other officials of the P.A.P.S.B. Hockey League, it was the fastest and best play-off game on record when Lachute High School met Drummondville High last Saturday at Granby. Due to the lack of ice, the local team had not practised for several weeks, but they put up a good fight and all supporters who witnessed the game were proud of the local line-up.

Drummondville took an early lead in the game, and the play in this period was touch-and-go most of the time. Lachute tied the score twice, before Drummondville took a decisive two-goal lead. This period ended with the count of 4-2 in favor of Drummondville.

The play was fast and close in the second period, with each team tallying three times. Both goalies made many near-impossible stops, while McMartin, in the nets for Lachute, made a sensational save on a penalty shot.

Drummondville increased their lead to 8-5 in the opening minutes of the third period, but L.H.S. tallied three times in less than 10 mihutes to tie up the game once more. The final break in the game came when Gervais, from Drummondville, knocked the puck into the Lachute net with less than 50 seconds remaining in the final period. This goal was scored immediately after a rush by Lachute line-up which came very near to winning the championship for L.H.S.

Both teams had entered the final game undefeated this season. Although L.H.S. failed to bring home the cup, and the honor that goes with it, they have a very good season to look back on.

All concerned would like to take this opportunity to thank their very capable coach, Mr. Hawes, and others who helped the team in various ways during the past season.

Lachute's scorers were —

Richard Bradford 3 goals, 2 assists.
Campbell 1 goal, 2 assists.
McGibbon 2 goals.
Rogers Bradford 1 goal, 3 assists.
Brewer 1 goal, 2 assists.
Jamison 2 assists.

The girls' basketball team played the Granby School team — the local girls losing 48-24.

After the basketball game, all the players and friends flocked to he arena to cheer the local hockeyists — who thoroughly appreciated this support.

Down the Alley



By S-T-RIKE

League Scores at Lachute Bolodrome

Tuesday, March 6
Mixed 5-pins

Rex Café 8	—vs.—	Ayers Ltd.	0
L. E. Dansereau 8		2nd L.H.S.	0
Happy Gang 8		Boyd's Bombers	0
Lachute Lumber 8		Lucky Strike	0
Metropole 8		1st L.H.S.	0
Optimists 8		Bell Telephone	0

Highest single, Eve Belliveau, 315, (Rex Café).
Highest triple, M. Charlebois, 808, (Lachute Lumber).

Thursday, March 8
Girls' 5-pins

Young Stars 6	—vs.—	Bolodrome	2
Elite Store 8		Our Gang	0

Highest single, J. Ouellette, 345, (Bolodrome).
Highest triple, J. Ouellette, 874, (Bolodrome).

Monday, March 12
Men's Ducks

Bolodrome 8	—vs—	Seven Up	0
Rockets 8		Stuffed Shirts	0

H. M. Lavigne 8 (won by default).
Highest single, Ernie Barrie, 190, (Bolodrome).
Highest triple, Ernie Barrie, 450, (Bolodrome).

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VARIETY SHOW
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An all-star variety show, with a cast of 35 — brings to Lachute a new form of entertainment, with music, comedy, dancing and thrills. Friday, March 30, at 8.15 p.m., Lachute High School auditorium. Sponsored by Lachute Branch of the Canadian Legion. Proceeds to help this show visit Military Hospitals, and to aid local veterans. Tickets available from Lachute Legionnaires.

ADVERTISERS — Please count your words, and include line for heading. Several users of this column continue to send remittances unsufficient to cover cost.

ST. PATRICK'S TEA

The Ladies' Aid of St. Simeon's Anglican Church will hold their annual St. Patrick's tea and sale of home-cooking and candies, on March 17 from 3 to 6 p.m. in the church hall. Keep the date open. F22.M8.15.3c

ST. PATRICK'S CONCERT AND DANCE

—At McIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Saturday, March 17, at 9 p.m. There will be songs by the popular radio entertainer Orville Prophet, of CFRA; also Irish dances by Miss Berthiaume, of Hawkesbury; Black Watch pipers and popular local talent. Dancing afterwards, to the music of the Golden Westerners. Adm., adults 60c, children under 10 years 30c. -1c

Former Morin Hts. Boy In Dog-Team Event

The following is from a news report in the Beverley (Mass.) "Evening News" of recent date:

Hamilton —

The first sled dog race ever held on snow in this locality was run from Patton Park, 10 teams competing in an informal race sponsored by Col. Norman Vaughan and Mrs. M. Lee Frothingham, both of Hamilton.

The lead-off team and also the first to finish was that of Col. Vaughan, driven by Basil Green, of Hamilton. Second to finish was the team owned and driven by Keith Bryar, of Sandwich, N.H., who also won the event under corrected time. In third place was the team of Mrs. M. Frothingham, driven by Lyle Grant. The race course was slightly more than 10 miles, and was run on bridle-paths wherever possible. Warm weather and sketchy snow conditions prevented the dogs from doing their best, but the drivers were unanimous in their praise of the course as it was laid out by Col. Vaughan.

An unfortunate incident occurred when a team owned and driven by William Shearer 3rd went into a brook. Shearer had to wade into the icy water to rescue the swimming dogs.

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PROTESTANT CEMETERY CORPORATION

The annual meeting of the Lachute Protestant Cemetery Corporation shall be held in the Victoria Hall, Lachute, on Wednesday, March 21, at 8 p.m.

By order of the President.
— H. M. Gall, president;
-1c Alex Bothwell, sec.-treas.

SUGAR PARTY

Sundays, March 18-25, April 1-8-15-22, at Hercule Legault's, Route 30, Lachute. Restaurant. Door prize. Orchestra and dancing. Adm. $1 per person (Tel. 930-r-5). M15.2c

BOX SOCIAL

The Farm Forum "fourth night" this month will be in the form of a box social; proceeds to be used for the fall School Fair fund. This event will be held in Lachute High School on Monday, March 26. Films and social evening. -1c

Y.P.U. CONCERT

— Brownsburg United Church, Wednesday, March 21, at 8.15 p.m. Glee groups augmented by local and Montreal artists. General admission 35c., children 25c. -1c

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(Sat. Matinee 2 p.m.)
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SOUTH SIDE 1-1000
Don Harvey, Alice Louis
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Dim., lun., mar. 18-19-20 mars
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Fri., Sat., Mar. 16-17
James Mason, Martha Toren
ONE-WAY STREET
John Carroll, Estrelita Rodriguez
HIT PARADE 1951
NEWS OF THE DAY

Sun., Mon., Mar. 18-19
Cornel Wilde, Linda Darnell
TWO FLAGS WEST
Jim Bannon in
Roll, Thunder, Roll
in Color.
OUT-FOPED

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Mar. 20-21-22
John Garfield, Patricia Neal
BREAKING POINT
Raymond Walburn, Walter Catlett
Father's Wild Game
CALL OF THE CANYON

Capitol Brownsburg

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Mar. 15-16-17
James Cagney, Virginia Mayo
WEST POINT STORY
George Reynolds, Ross Ford
GIRLS' SCHOOL
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Review of Laws Enacted at Quebec As Legislative Session Prorogues

"This Week at Quebec"

By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec, March 20 (CP) — The Quebec government this week went on with its day-to-day administration duties after completion of a businesslike eight-week session concerned with the needs of a booming province.

The Union Nationale-dominated Legislative Assembly approved a record budget calling for expenditure of $236,726,000 during the fiscal year starting April 1. A surplus of $1,044,100 was forecast.

The Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council — only Provincial bicameral legislature in Canada — also passed laws affecting housing, farming, industry and the courts.

The session — third of the 23rd legislature — opened November 8 for a week, during which it passed legislation to help rebuild the fire-devastated towns of Rimouski and Cabano, and approved an increase of two cents to bring the gasoline tax to 13 cents per gallon. The new tax is expected to yield $6,000,000 a year, half of which will be used for winter roads and the balance to support a $60,000,000 program of road building.

The Legislature resumed its session January 24, and prorogued March 14.

The government increased funds for its system of farm loans by $8,000,000, and added $8,000,000 to funds with which the government pays a share of interest on privately obtained housing loans.

Since the housing plan came into effect in 1948, more than 7,000 one and two-family houses have been built, Premier Duplessis said. The government also sponsored a plan for Provincial rent controls to take effect when Federal controls expire. Provincial rent controls will expire in the spring of 1953.

The Legislature extended the term of a $16,000,000 land settlement program.

Projected electric power development is for the newsprint industry, the province's most important, and mining and smelting enterprises. Pieces of legislation governing hydro-electric development led to debates on a $200,000,000 Ungava iron mining development; a $15,000,000 copper mining industry for Gaspe and a $36,000,000 titanium mining industry and development of Chibougamau goldfields.

Laws affecting the courts saw an authorized increase from 43 to 46 in the number of Federally-appointed superior court judges. At the same time, the government introduced legislation to raise the number of district magistrates from 32 to 35.

Jurisdiction of magistrate's court, a Provincial court, was extended to include judicial inquiries, municipal election contestations and suits over dismissal of municipal employees. This authority previously was held by superior court.

Annual Meeting Of Arundel W.I.

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — The annual meeting of the Arundel Women's Institute took place March 14 in the school auditorium, with an almost complete attendance.

The president, Mrs. F. Davis, occupied the chair. A report of the year's work was given by the recording secretary, Mrs. A. Dewar, which showed a year of busy activities. An indoor bazaar had been held; also the school fair under arrangement of the Education convener, Mrs. A. Heron, prizes having been purchased and presented to the successful students; a Christmas party also was held. Two courses by representatives from Macdonald College — one in weaving and rug-making by Miss Birch, and another in sewing, by Miss Campbell — had been followed by the members. The annual County W.I. convention was held in Arundel. The Institute also catered for the official opening of the new school, donated an educational magazine to the school library, donated the prizes for the kindergarten Christmas party, and served hot lunches to the children till the new school relieved them of this duty — all these activities making a busy year for this branch. Special speakers during the year were Dr. R. B. Henry, Mr. Alex Bothwell and Mrs. Sosnkowski. Films were also shown, by the courtesy of Mr. Melvin Graham.

At the conclusion of the business, the chair was taken by the nominating committee, and the elected slate was as follows:

President, Mrs. F. Davis; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Percy Staniforth; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. A. Dewar; secretary, Mrs. M. Cooke; treasurer, Mrs. Roy Staniforth.

Educational convener, Mrs. A. Heron; Agriculture, Mrs. Wilfred Morrison; Home Economics, Mrs. E. A. Bulley; Citizenship, Mrs. G. Cooke; Publicity, Mrs. P. Gordon; Overseas Parcels, Mrs. J. May and Mrs. Val Swail; Sick Visiting, Mrs. T. Craig.

The president thanked the nominating committee for their work, after which the meeting was adjourned.

Power Interuption On Monday Night

A power break in the Gatineau system caused some inconvenience on Monday night at 10.30 o'clock. Although the interruption was estimated considerably longer by householders without lights, it lasted only 17 minutes.

The trouble was due to a shattered transformer crown (cause unknown) on the 26,000-volt transmission line between Lachute and St. Jerome, about one mile east of the Mirabel transformers. Repairs were made by a line crew despatched from Lachute by Gatineau Power Company.

New Police Chief Engaged at B'burg

OTHER COUNCIL BUSINESS DEALT WITH

Brownsburg — An adjourned meeting of the Municipal Council was held on Tuesday, March 13. (This session had been adjourned to the previous Monday evening, but in the absence of a quorum was again adjourned to Tuesday). Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

Police Chief Vacancy

There were 10 applicants for the position of Police Chief, three of which were local and the remainder from the vicinity of Montreal. Councillor Denault remarked the number had been cut down to three after a discussion at a closed meeting on Thursday, March 8.

Councillor Lavoie: "We should appoint a man to fill the position tonight. The municipality is now two months without a policeman, and we might be held in a tight pinch if anything happened."

Mayor Donaldson: "If I might set you straight on that, we are under no compulsion to employ a Police Chief. We can't be held for anything through not doing so. When we can afford and deem necessary to have a policeman, it is entirely up to our discretion to employ one".

Councillor Lavoie: "I know, I know, but we may as well decide now and get it finished with". The councillor then lauded the applicant Eugene Choquette, and was supported energetically by Councillors Denault and Lafleur. Councillor Somers wanted to obtain further references, but longer delay was over-ridden and Mr. Choquette was selected, at a salary of $2,600 with free uniform and one week's vacation. He has to provide his own transport within the municipal area, but an allowance of 10 cents per mile is allowed for trips on municipal business outside the area.

Councillor Lavoie sought a percentage of collections for dog tax and business tax to be paid the Chief, but the secretary, Mr. Hébert, informed the meeting that collecting dog and business tax is within the regular duties of the police department, and not subject to any percentage for collection.

The Mayor stipulated that the duties of the new Chief be clearly defined, and are not to extend to any case outside the municipal area without authorization.

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Fire Protection in Chatham

The secretary read a letter from the secretary of Chatham Council confirming a telephone call to Mayor Donaldson which requested the Brownsburg fire brigade's services in protecting its adjoining properties. The letter requested particulars of the extent of coverage the Chatham Council could expect.

Councillor L. Wilson defined the extent of protection as follows: The complete fire brigade, with

(Continued on page 5)

TITLED PROSPECTOR

Val d'Or, Que. (CP) — A German nobleman who preferred the life of a Northern Quebec prospector to that of his native country, died in hospital here. He was known throughout the gold belt as Fred Henry, but his real name was Baron Frederick Otto von Heinrickhausen. He came to Canada in 1922 and was 61 years old.

Easter Greetings to Watchman readers

Rev. Sister Gabrielle Returns to 'Providence'

Associates of the Providence Hospital, and many friends in this community, are glad to welcome Sister Gabrielle-Marie on her return to the local hospital administration. Sister Gabrielle, who was a well-loved figure at the Providence Hospital for some years, left in November 1949 and has since been in charge of the hospital at Timmins, Ont. She returned to Lachute last week.

Preliminaries for Baseball Season

A general meeting of the "Association de la Jeunesse Sportive" was held recently, when members and shareholders elected officers for the ensuing term. The appointments were as follows:

President, Lionel Laurin; vice-presidents, Roland Rinfret, Laurent Lamarche.

Directors — M. R. Laframboise, Patrick Carriere, René Laurin, Romain Beaulne, Gaetan Leclair, L. J. Joly, Rolland Husereau.

Secretary-treasurer, Theodore Vachon.

Corr. secretary, Gabriel Valois.

Finance — Leopold Carriere, Omer Tessier, Roger Regimbald.

Legal Adviser, Fernand Legault, K.C.

Auditor, Roland Morin, C.A.

With the immediate concern of organizing for the baseball season, this meeting was prior to an assembly of the Laurentian Senior Baseball League (held in Montreal the following day) — this latter organization being now occupied with completion of the League plans and arrangements for 1951.

Membership Drive

The "Association Sportive" is now campaigning for memberships, through season tickets admitting subscribers to home games, which will be approximately 35 in number. The organization needs the support of all interested citizens, to ensure a successful outcome to the season's venture and meet the expenses involved. Chief promoters of the campaign are the two secretaries, Theodore Vachon and Gabriel Valois, and team captains in the membership canvass are —

Antonio Laurin, Jean Gibeault, Gaetan Robinson, Marcel Daoust, Alexis Gervais, Philippe Joly, Roland Grenier, Gaetan Leclair, Patrick Carrière, Omer Rhéame, Roland Carrière, Philippe Joly and Roger Daoust.

They Grow Shamrocks In Lachute Too!

Our conclusion last week that a small consignment of shamrocks from Ireland would be the only "real thing" in the way of St. Patrick's emblems, was not wholly correct. It appears that one or two residents have potted shamrocks growing in their homes. The manager of Lachute Travel Bureau, who received these sprigs fresh from Ireland via Royal Dutch Airlines, was informed for instance that an elderly lady, Mrs. E. S. Morrison, has shamrocks growing at her home — having planted some seeds sent from Ireland by Mrs. Robt. Strange, who resided in Lachute some years ago.

Parents' Night at Arundel School

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — Over 300 persons attended the annual Parents' Night, held Friday evening, March 16, in Arundel School auditorium.

Miss Barbara Staniforth was chairman for the first part of the program, which included a group of choruses by the Junior Choir under the direction of Mrs. Edward Craig, with Miss H. Douglas at the piano.

A debate entitled, "Resolved that the 100-acre farm is more beneficial to the community than the 600-acre farm", was won by the negative side. Those taking part in the debate were (Chairman) Miss Barbara Staniforth; (Affirmative) Morris Rathwell and Lloyd Gray; (Negative) Miss Marilyn Gray and Gordon Moore. The judges were Dr. R. Henry, Douglas and Homer Cooke.

Dr. Wm. Morrison took the chair for the remainder of the evening, when Mrs. F. Davis, president of the Women's Institute, presented prizes for various subjects to the successful students. These prizes were donated by the Women's Institute. Representatives of the various sports groups were then called to the platform, and presented with the trophies they had won.

The National Anthem was sung, after which guests were taken on a tour of inspection of the classrooms, thus bringing another successful Parents' Night to a close.

Wrist Watch Survives Endurance Test

Brownsburg — During the big snowstorm on March 1, a lady in Brownsburg lost her watch just in front of the drugstore, on the busiest corner in town. The watch lay on the street for 12 days during snow, rain and sleet.

Finally it was found by the owner of the drugstore and returned to its owner, who took the watch back to Kettyles' jewelry establishment, where it had been purchased a year ago. When she handed the watch in for inspection, after having wound it, it was running. The bracelet was torn and twisted and the back was scratched, showing that it had come in contact with the incessant traffic; but after a cleaning and the addition of a new bracelet, the watch was again taken out in perfect condition, dispite the hundreds of cars and pedestrians that had passed over its tiny mechanism.

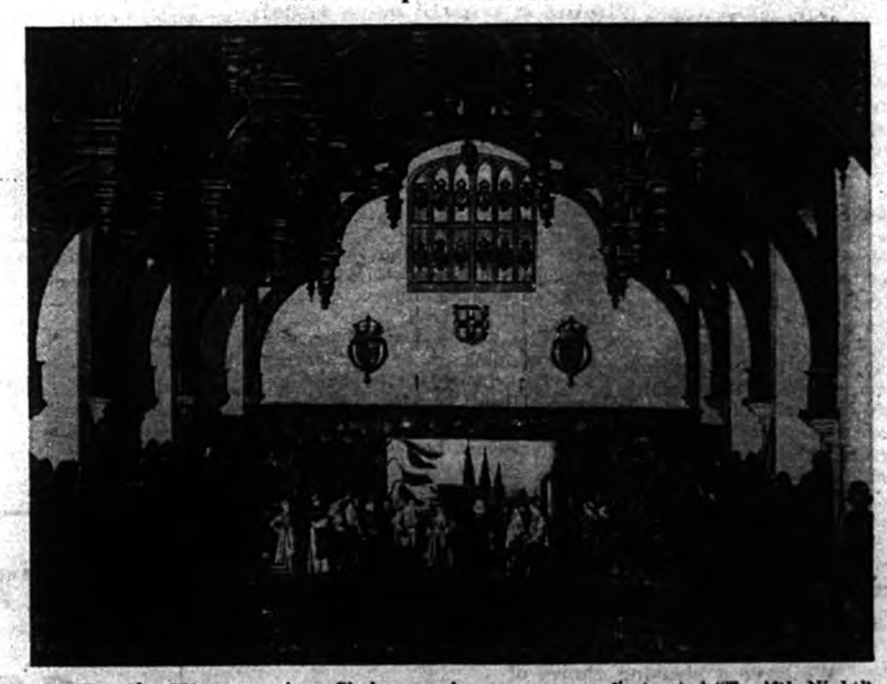
'Finance' Topic at Ch. of Commerce

At a supper meeting in the Tessier Hotel last Thursday, March 15, 33 members of the Chambre de Commerce were in attendance, under the presidency of Dr. R. A. Dumais. Special speaker was Jacques Melançon, Montreal businessman and a professor at "l'Institut des Hautes Etudes Commerciales".

Introduced by Miville Trickey, the speaker dealt with "The Importance of Finance" in regard to every business enterprise. With particular reference to loans, Mr. Melançon stressed three essential principles: (1) Confidence; the need to establish one's personal integrity. (2) Proof of the ability to conduct business at a profit. (3) The necessity to save, in order to repay. The speaker touched upon other interesting angles of finance. He was thanked by Simon Valois, on behalf of the audience.

Viateur Gendron, secretary of the Province of Quebec Chambres de Commerce, outlined the organization and purposes of the various affiliations, provincial and regional, and invited the Lachute members to attend the congress for this region held last Sunday at St. Jovite — an invitation of which a number of the local members took advantage.

Notable "Repeat" Performance



Exactly 350 years since Shakespeare's own company first acted "Twelfth Night" in the Middle Temple Hall, in the City of London, the play was performed in the same Hall. The Queen was present. This is a scene during the rehearsal of the play, which was produced by actor-manager Donald Wolfit. Shakespeare's plays will feature prominently among the attractions planned for Festival year, starting with the opening of the Stratford-on-Avon season this month.

North River Out of Bounds For Fishing

Old-timers who have fished in the North River as long as they can remember, are in for a jolt this season. . . The old North River is out of bounds! So it appears from the Summary of Fish and Game Laws, 1951, issued by the provincial department. Following is an extract from the booklet:

Propagation of Fish

The following waters are set apart for the natural propagation of fish:

a) The streams known as North River, in the Counties of Argenteuil, Two Mountains and Terrebonne; . . .

This fact is drawn to the editor's attention by Game Warden Leslie Bates, who observes that many will be doubly surprised since, hitherto — having required no license for fishing in this river, they will not generally speaking be in possession of the booklet, which is handed out with the license.

Information on licenses gives the price of $1.10 for Quebec residents, and $5.25 for non-residents. Trout fishing opens April 18, and all sportsmen are advised to procure their permits and avoid possible trouble.

URGES MORE WORSHIP, LESS ENTERTAINMENT

London (CP) — Rev. John Huxtable, chairman of the London Congregational Union, says far too much time and energy are devoted by church members to organizing activities and money-raising.

"Do our churches exist to entertain or to evangelize?" he asked at a parish meeting.

"Are they social clubs or fellowships of the spirit? Many," he added, "are so exhausted on Sundays by irrelevant church activities that they cannot start the worship of God until after tea."

Curbing Juvenile Delinquency Is Matter of Human Understanding

Adventure in Organizing Montreal Youth, Inspiring Story at Lions Club Meeting

A "theme with a punch" was heard Tuesday evening by Lions Club members and their guests at the Hotel Joly, when Capt. Ovila Pelletier, of the Montreal Police Department, spoke on "A Remedy for Juvenile Delinquency".

The gathering included about 50 Lions and fellow citizens, among whom were Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon, members of the Council's police committee, representatives of the High School and local youth organizations. The meeting was under the capable chairmanship of President Horace Lamarche.

Lion Ralph FitzGerald introduced the guests. Secretary Jos. Dumais stated that around $380 had been received to date in the Easter Seals campaign.

Mayor McGibbon, who had recently returned from a trip to Florida, spoke a word of greeting and congratulations to the club, assuring such co-operation as he and his colleagues might extend in their civic role.

Secretary Jos. Dumais was feted as "Lion of the Day". — Gordon McOuat paying tribute to his worth, both in the service club and in the business life of the town; he made particular reference to Lion Dumais' work as editor of the club bulletin. A bouquet of flowers was presented as a gift to his wife.

Donat Villeneuve, Police Chief and a member of the Lions Club, introduced the speaker. Captain Ovila Pelletier, now Assistant Inspector, had risen from the ranks during 22 years' service with the Montreal force. He is the president of the Juvenile Police Club, which numbers 70,000 members in that city—stated Chief Villeneuve.

Record of Achievement

Capt. Pelletier told an inspiring story of the Montreal Juvenile Delinquency Bureau, which, established in 1936, now has a personnel of 75 officers.

Delinquency, he said, is a national problem — it is everybody's business. Juvenile delinquents are not born, they are made — made by people who "don't care". The only way to curb crime is at its source. For centuries we have been punishing criminals, paying taxes to keep them in jail and penitentiary. But the principle was wrong.

The Montreal Police Department started this new approach by first "correcting themselves". Instead of wholesale arrests, antagonizing both children and parents, inciting defiance and repetition—the police followed a definite procedure to explain, persuade, and enlist the co-operation of parents. Investigations invariably unearthed a cause for juvenile crime — home surroundings, or gang influence and psychology—and the officers directed their efforts to remedy these causes.

Their activities include visits to about 30,000 families in a year; in these cases approximately 80 per cent of the parents are now co-operating.

As a substitute for the pool room, the bowling alley and the restaurant, there is the Juvenile Police Club with its 70,000 members —

(Continued on page 3)

March Meeting of Town Council

ADOPT DAYLIGHT SAVING

In the absence of Mayor J. W. McGibbon, the regular meeting of Council was under chairmanship of the pro-mayor, Ald. Omer Laurin. Other members absent were aldermen E. Provost and W. S. MacKimmie.

Philippe Masson appeared before the Council with a petition requesting sewer and water main construction on Sydney Street. The request was agreed to, but as an estimate was required, it was decided to leave the matter for action at next meeting.

A representative of the Great West Life Assurance outlined a contract for group insurance to protect the town employees. This proposal was also tabled for further consideration.

A request from the Taxi Operators' Association was presented to the Council, to enact a by-law to establish rates of transportation in the limits of the Town of Lachute, and also to oblige taxi owners to have an insurance policy for the license year before permit be granted.

Alderman J. E. Charlebois gave notice that, at the next regular session, April 4, he will propose a by-law to meet these two provisions.

A letter was received from Messrs. Angelo and Addy Fassio requesting Council to pass a by-law, to withold granting of further permits to build theatres, skating rinks, auditoriums, etc., on Main Street. This matter was left on the table.

It was moved by Ald. Wilfrid Morrissette, seconded by Ald. Stanley Holt, that the week from March 4 to 10 be declared Education Week.

It was moved by Ald. Stanley Holt, seconded by Ald. J. E. Charlebois, that the Town of Lachute be not held responsible for any water damage caused by sewer overflow, unless complainants' properties are provided with a water trap. . . It was further moved by Ald. Wilfrid Morrissette, seconded by Ald. Ludger Gibeault, that the Town refuse to pay for such damage in the basement of Dr. W. M. Hooper's property, inasmuch as the Corporation does not accept responsibility.

On motion of Ald. Wilfrid Morrissette, seconded by Ald. A. Laurin, it was decided that representation be made to the Postal Department at Ottawa, through Philippe Valois, M.P., that the Department install a light on the east side of the Lachute Post Office.

Building permits were granted to the following — Norman Hodge, College St.; Albert Gauley, Gordon St.; Philippe Masson, Sydney St., all for the building of residential properties, same to be under the supervision of the Roads Committee.

The meeting was adjourned, Council being reconvened last evening with discussion of employees' salaries a major item on the agenda. One important resolution approved the adoption of Daylight Saving Time, effective at midnight April 28-29.

Hon. Sauvé Co-ordinator For Civil Defence

A total of 150 new measures were adopted by the Quebec Provincial session that prorogued last Wednesday. Among them was the largest budget in the history of the province. There were 67 government bills and 83 private bills — many of them reflecting the important strides the province is taking in industry and commerce. The session was the third of the 23rd term of the legislature.

Important in the eyes of the general public is the appointment of Hon. Paul Sauvé, Youth Minister, as co-ordinator of civil defence for the province. While defence is a federal matter, the province takes the stand that it is willing to co-operate in every way and the appointment of Mr. Sauvé, a veteran of the Second World War who left the army with the rank of brigadier, is indicative of the seriousness of the provincial intent in this regard.

Trophies Presented To Lady Curlers

Tuesday and Wednesday were Gala Days for the Ladies' Curling Club. The social highlights of the occasion were enjoyed by a large gathering of members on the latter day, when the presentations were made. Luncheon and tea were served, and a bridge and singsong filled the interesting social program.

The following prizes were awarded for the season's contests, and also for the Gala Day events:

Singles — Mrs. Stuart Campbell.
Club Trophy — Miss Mary Millar, Mrs. Jas. McOuat, Mrs. W. MacKimmie, Mrs. F. E. Earle (skip).

President's Prizes (Mrs. J. K. Campbell) — Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. J. K. Campbell, Mrs. R. Fraser, Mrs. W. Cottingham (skip).

Junior Bonspiel (Late Mrs. Jack McGibbon's trophy) — Mrs. McMahon, Mrs. F. Legault, Miss P. Carriere, Mrs. J. McIndoe (skip).

Mrs. E. H. Wilson's Spoons Bonspiel — Mrs. L. Cruise, Miss Margaret Scott, Mrs. Roy Fraser, Miss A. Riddell (skip).

Mrs. L. Ayers Bonspiel (Doubles) — Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. H. Rigg (skip).

Mrs. J. R. McOuat's Bonspiel for Skips and Thirds — Mrs. A. St. Onge, Miss L. Giles, Mrs. R. McOuat, Mrs. J. R. Charron (skip).

Mrs. Charron's Bonspiel for Leads and Seconds — Miss Elsie Earle, Mrs. Homel, Miss M. Scott, Mrs. J. McIndoe (skip).

Vice-President's Prize (Mrs. George Muir) — Miss H. Bedard, Mrs. R. Cairns, Miss A. Riddell, Mrs. E. H. Wilson (skip).

Bonspiel for Mr. W. J. Deacon's Prizes — Miss E. Earle, Mrs. J. McIndoe, Mrs. J. Barbour, Mrs. J. R. Charron (skip).

Gala Day Bonspiel (Prizes donated by Mrs. W. McArthur) — Main event won by Miss Elsie Earle, Mrs. Kerr, Miss L. Giles, Mrs. F. E. Earle (skip).

Prizes Donated by Match Committee (Runners-up)—Miss H. Bedard, Mrs. C. McLean, Mrs. L. King, Mrs. Campbell (skip).

Prizes Donated by Mrs. G. McGibbon (Consolation) — Mrs. M. Walker, Mrs. F. Stein, Mrs. H. Rigg, Mrs. J. R. McOuat (skip).

Prizes Donated by Match Committee (Runners-up) — Mrs. Forbes, Miss M. Scott, Miss R. Parsons, Mrs. Geo. McGibbon (skip).

Gatineau LINES

Spring

Now that the weatherman has assured us that spring is really coming nearer, it is interesting to note just what spring means to a power company and to the people it serves.

To Gatineau Power and its 66,000 customers, spring is the time of plenty of water — the time when lakes and rivers are filled to the brim. It also means the time when most care must be taken to make sure that there will be water ready to produce electric power in other seasons when ordinarily there would be little or no such water.

Spring is the time when mighty Mercier Dam, 1,200 feet long and 100 feet high, collects the spring run-off of water far up the Gatineau River and stores it for future use in a lake 30 miles long. Then, as the level of the river begins to drop, Mercier starts releasing its water to keep a steady flow to the power plants 100 miles farther down.

Mercier can't do the job alone. Even higher up the river, Cabonga Dam controls the flow out of another lake 55 miles long so that the full weight of the water isn't held back by Mercier. And, to prevent water backing out of both lakes and escaping over some new route, Lacroix Creek Dam, Lac Castor Dam, the four Philomen Dykes and other back-flow dams all play their important part.

Without this intricate system of control dams far up the river, the output of three big power plants of Gatineau lower down would be reduced for a large part of the year because there wouldn't be enough water to keep the turbines delivering full load. That would mean less electricity for a large section of Quebec Province.

Just how big is the job done by the storage dams might be seen from the fact that, before they were built, the Gatineau River used to have a spring-time flow at times as high as 80,000 cubic feet per second, then dropped down at times to as low as 2,000 cubic feet per second during the late summer and winter. Now it is regulated to flow at a normal rate of 10,000 cubic feet per second, month in and month out through the year.

Did You Know?

Mercier Dam normally stores 95,000,000,000 cubic feet of water and Cabonga Dam 45,000,000 cubic feet.

Gatineau Power Company

Canada has not had an ambassador in Russia since 1946.

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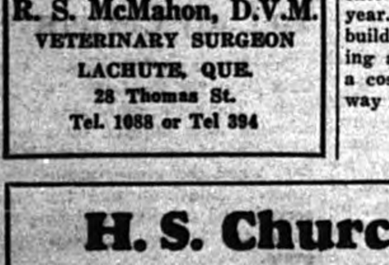
BIG PROSPECTS

Rumor persists that not only Gander but Harmon Field will see extensive airfield renovations this year. Extension of runways and buildings is said to be in the offing at the Stephenville suburb at a cost we've heard quoted all the way from 12 to 22 million dollars.

— Corner Brook (Nfld.) Western Star

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Seasonal Farm Topics



Three Wheat Breeds For Eastern Canada

Ottawa — Problems connected with wheat breed selection are not customarily associated with eastern Canada, but each spring an increasingly large number of eastern farmers decide to grow several acres of spring wheat. This trend is impelled by high feed wheat costs and increased freight rates for grain from the west. The result is a veritable flood of inquiries directed at the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

J. G. C. Fraser of the cereal division at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, has responded by recommending, in this order, Cascade, Coronation and Regent.

Cascade was introduced in 1947 by the cereal division and has attracted considerable attention because of its stem rust resistance and consistently high yield. Mr. Fraser adds the caution that Cascade has one difficulty; it does not stand bad weather at harvest time and must be handled carefully under those conditions.

Hatchery Eggs

Ottawa — For the poultryman with a high quality flock the production of eggs for the use of hatcheries offers decidedly lucrative possibilities, says B. F. Tinney, of the Federal Experimental Station at Charlottetown, P.E.I.

To the flock owner who already is taking the precautions necessary to market high quality eggs for table use, the additional care in the production of hatchery eggs should not offer any great difficulty.

Many provinces now have breeder or hatchery flock policies, and the individual hatcheryman may also have his ideas concerning the type of flock from which he purchases his supply of eggs. Contact the hatcheryman and other authorities necessary to assure that all regulations with respect to type of flock, culling, males, environmental (and particularly sanitary) conditions, blood testing, disease control, etc., are met.

Start feeding a good quality breeder or hatching mash three to six weeks prior to the sale of hatching eggs. Breeder rations are slightly higher in protein than standard laying mashes and contain higher percentages of other ingredients such as wheat germ, milk products, riboflavin, etc., tending to ensure a higher per cent hatch of stronger and more vigorous chicks.

Most hatcherymen ask for an egg of a certain size. Grade to the weight limits required and remove all over-size, misshapen eggs and those with thin shell or rough and poor shell texture.

Provide plenty of clean nests and collect eggs frequently. Dirty eggs are a liability to everyone.

Cool the eggs quickly and pack in crates with the small end down. Careful tests have shown that eggs packed with the large end down lose grade rapidly, and a low quality egg is not a good hatching egg.

Hold the eggs in storage at a temperature of 60 degrees to 65 degrees F. and a relative humidity of 75 to 77 per cent.

Market frequently. Tests have shown that the percentage hatch decreases with the length of time held in storage. This decrease is rapid if held for periods in excess of seven days.

KING OF THE GRASSES

Timothy is still king of the grasses under soil and climatic conditions prevailing at the Experimental Station at Lennoxville, Que.

Tests showed that red top approached timothy closely but brome and reed canary grass yielded approximately one-half ton less, with orchard grass and meadow fescue still lower. Officials pointed out that to obtain maximum yields and high quality forage it is advisable to have some legume mixed with these grasses.

BUILD BEEF STOCKS

Yarmouth, N.S. (CP) — Most of the agricultural societies in Clare County have disposed of dairy bulls and have imported pure-bred Hereford bulls to build up beef stocks. High beef prices and lesser profits in dairy products are given as the reason for growing interest in beef.

OBITUARY

Well Known Couple Died Within Two Weeks At Brownsburg

Late Mrs. Daniel McOuat

The funeral of the late Mrs. Daniel McOuat, whose death occurred on March 3, took place on Monday, March 5, in the Brownsburg United Church. The service was conducted by the Rev. S. J. Pike, assisted by the Rev. N. H. Brock.

The late Mrs. McOuat was formerly Mary Ann Morrow, daughter of the late William Morrow and Sarah Hughes. She was born in North Plantagenet on February 19, 1874, and was married to Daniel Allen McOuat on October 3, 1900.

The pall-bearers were — Messrs. Wes Freeland, Charles Stephens, Douglas Dixon, Robert MacVicar, Forbes McOuat and Kenneth Stewart. Her husband, in failing health, survived her only a short time; those left to mourn her passing are — three daughters, Sadie, Phoebe (Mrs. Keatley) and Doris, all of Brownsburg; one son, Walter, of Great Barrington, Mass.; three sisters, Mrs. J. A. Campbell, of Brownsburg, Mrs. A. Forrester, of Henribourg, Sask., and Mrs. Jessie Holmes, of Speers, Sask.; one brother, Albert, of Russell, Ont.; and four grandchildren, Doris, Harold and Jimmy Keatley, and Jimmie McOuat.

The Late Daniel McOuat

The funeral of the late Daniel Allen McOuat took place on Thursday, March 15, in Brownsburg United Church, with the Rev. N. H. Brock officiating, assisted by the Rev. S. J. Pike.

The son of James McOuat and his wife Margaret Stewart, the late Mr. McOuat was born in Brownsburg on November 27, 1866, and was married to Mary Ann Morrow on October 3, 1900.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and a Masonic service was held on Wednesday evening. In his younger years he served for a considerable time on the Chatham School Board.

The pall-bearers were — Messrs. Wes Freeland, Charles Stephens, Irvin Bain, John MacVicar, John Stewart and Douglas Stewart.

Left to mourn his loss are three daughters, Sadie, Phoebe (Mrs. Keatley) and Doris, all of Brownsburg, one son, Walter, of Great Barrington, Mass., one sister, Christina, of Ladysmith, B.C., one brother, Walter, of Vancouver, B.C.; also four grandchildren, Doris, Harold and Jimmy Keatley, and Jimmie McOuat.

Public Notice
(Tenders)

Notice is given that, by authorization of the Department of Education, and by resolution passed at a special session in its meeting place at the school on February 23, 1951, at 8 p.m., the School Commissioners of the Immaculate Conception will offer for sale the old school building (former property of the Hammond Brothers) on Hammond Street, Lachute Mills, in the Township of Chatham.

Sale by sealed tenders — same to be opened at a session of the said School Commission, March 26, 1951, at 8 p.m. Terms of sale, cash.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 8 p.m., March 26, 1951. Inspection of building arranged on request (telephone 102-J).

— Ed. Lavoie, sec.-treas., Lachute Mills, Que.

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Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Auction Sale

Livestock, at the farm of
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Tuesday, March 27, at 2 p.m.:

Herd of Holstein cows (all tested for Bang's Disease and Tb.) including 3 Purebred — 6 in milk, 1 due to freshen in May, 2 in June, 1 in November, 2½-year-old heifer this month, and 1 newly freshened. Purebred bull, 2½-years-old. Also a mare, 3-years-old.

Terms: 6 months' credit with approved joint notes, 6% interest. Discount for cash, 5%.

— Geo. MacKenzie, lic. auctioneer. -1c

Avis Public
(Soumissions)

Avis publique est par les présentes donné —

La Commission Scolaire de L'Immaculée Conception, par autorisation du Département de l'Instruction Publique, et résolu à une session spéciale tenue à l'école, lieu des réunions à 8 heures p.m. en date du 23 février 1951;

De vendre l'ancienne maison d'école, anciennement propriété des Frères Hammond situé sur la rue Hammond à Lachute Mills, Canton de Chatham. . . Le tout sera vendu par soumissions cachetées et seront ouvertes à une session des Commissaires d'école le 26 mars, 1951, à 8 heures p.m. . . Cette vente sera au comptant.

Les soumissions seront reçues par Ed. Lavoie, sec.-trés. (tél. 102-J), Lachute Mills, Que., jusqu'à 8 heures p.m. le 26 mars, 1951.

Inspection sur demande.

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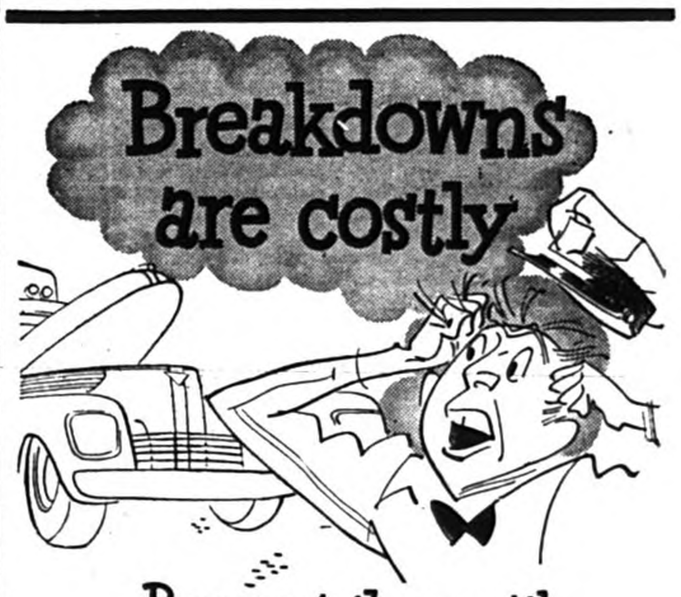
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Easter Means Rebirth

IT IS SIGNIFICANT that the two great festivals of the Christian Church should commemorate the birth of Christ. Christmas celebrates His coming to earth, and Easter His rebirth after having been claimed by death.

Birth is a beginning, and rebirth a begining again. Easter signifies that man can be reborn. Not only does it offer hope of life after death, it also gives mankind hope that, spiritually, the people of the earth can throw off the shackles of the past and go forward into the future with new confidence that the human race need not perish..

Forces of destruction have predominated so far in this twentieth century. Man has been clever; he has invented countless gadgets to make life easier for those who can afford them; he has cut down space and brought the nations of the earth closer together; he has probed into the secrets of the universe and has learned how to use the power of atoms for warfare.

But man has not yet achieved the fundamental precept that, unless he learns to live in peace with his fellows, all his clever gadgets and all his power will, ultimately, destroy him.

Man everywhere on earth has yet to be reborn — he has to change his attitudes, his thinking, his very nature.

Instead of suspicion of his neighbors, he must learn trust; instead of using spies and propaganda, he must learn to use friendship and tolerance; he must learn to get along with his fellow men whose ideas and way of life may be different from his own. So important is this that the very future of civilization may depend upon it.

The message of Easter — that forces of good will always sooner of later triumph over the powers of darkness — gives hope to every human being on earth who can hear it. What a pity it is that so many millions of people have no knowledge of the message that Christ brought to earth!

What can we do about it? We can at least make our own belief in Christianity more vital. Christians in Canada have tended to forget that theirs is a living religion, teaching a way of life that few have ever dared to try. Christianity has become so encrusted with doctrine and tradition and dogma that its fundamental truth has been hidden. What sort of a world would this be if, even in one country, every person tried to follow the way of life taught by Christ? No one knows. It has never been done.

The rebirth of man to new sanity and new consciousness of his relation to his fellow men must start in the community. From there it must spread to the nation and hence to other nations.

It is not an easy thing to attempt to live up to the teachings of Christ. Easter would be a good time to start to try to do so.

Easter is a challenge to the Christians of the world. They, and they alone, can make it possible for humanity to survive. They must, through the example of their lives, show others how to live so that the forces of evil may, in time, be vanquished forever.

Presenting Canada

AS GRATIEN Gelinas takes his play, "Ti-Coq", on a tour across Canada, he is giving theatre-goers something to ponder. Perhaps Canadians, long exposed to the products of New York and London, have dramatic tastes of their own.

Professionals and amateurs alike usually perform the established favorites of the stage in the United States and Britain. And, given a reasonably good performance, Canadians have enjoyed them.

Yet Montreal and Toronto responded with equal enthusiasm to "Ti-Coq", a play about Canadians inspired by rural Quebec and written by a Montreal playwright, when it played there before its brief New York run. The critics applauded along with the audience and many predicted its success on Broadway.

When New York proved cool to the tragi-comedy about a little French-Canadian soldier and his unhappy love, Gelinas returned to Canada, and shows every sign of repeating his earlier success.

The New York critics, whose condemnation of "Ti-Coq" drove it from Broadway after three performances, may have been right in describing the play's shortcomings. But it would seem obvious that it carries an appeal to its author's fellow-countrymen that is lost on American ears.

If this is so, there is room for more people like Gelinas, who can present Canada to its citizens over the footlights.

There are enough good Canadian actors to do their plays justice. The stages to house their performances can be found, if need be, in parish houses, school auditoriums or movie houses where 10-year-old American comedies of dubious value have often been the only stage entertainment.

The arguments for a distinctive Canadian theatre have been heard for years, but they have been theoretical arguments only. In "Ti-Coq" we have an example of the type of work such a theatre could produce.

And if Broadway doesn't like it, we'll be happy to keep it for ourselves.

Adventure in Organizing..

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organizing 125 baseball and softball teams, 70 hockey line-ups, 526 indoor hockey teams, 600 boys in boxing and wrestling, a military band and a harmonica band. The club membership card is a free admission to the Stadium for the Royals' hockey games, and to the Forum for Junior League hockey.

The Gang Spirit

You cannot "break" a gang, said Capt. Pelletier; but you can divert it into wholesome channels. Gangs are inspired by daredeviltry and a craving for importance. The "hero" who distinguishes himself in petty crime, becomes a leader in mischief and wrong-doing. . . The same leader can shine in constructive play and teamwork, if directed into more honorable activities. One or two of Montreal's worst young miscreants had now graduated from the club's baseball leagues into professional teams, said the speaker.

Organization

The Montreal Juvenile Police Club had started from nothing — experimenting with a membership of 75 reform school boys (of whom only one failed to respond). Police personnel and friends contributed $11,000, but the fund was soon depleted. The city authorized a public appeal, and $72,000 was generously donated. Capt. Pelletier was accorded 15 minutes a week on two city radio stations; he invited youngsters to register at the nearest police station for membership — and they registered 45,000 strong, within two weeks!

Statistics

The outcome of these efforts, said the speaker, is reflected in round figures. Cases before the Montreal juvenile courts in 1942 numbered 4,300. In 1949 the figure was reduced over 50 per cent, to 1,940.

Whereas the police officer was the "bogey man" of every child under parental misleading, today he is a friend under the newer conceptions of authority.

"The fitting of youth into society is a challenge to every right-thinking citizen", the speaker concluded. "Ten years hence, Lachute may be confronted with a juvenile delinquency problem; today is the time to meet that challenge."

Lion Gaetan Cousineau — who is president of Les Loisirs, the local youth group of 700 members — was fittingly called upon to thank the speaker.

Logic of the Left

Socialist Defence Minister Shinwell's son, Ernest, came a cropper in England recently when he made some repairs on his Sussex farm. Shinwell Junior, it seems, wanted to improve his farm buildings and increase the output of his farm products. The trouble was that he spent more on the job than the building permit (issued by minions of the Socialist Government of which Shinwell Senior is a member) authorized him to spend.

The consequences of young Shinwell's offence were drastic. He was himself hailed into court and made to pay a fine of two thousand pounds for the indiscretion of trying to ward off dilapidation. The builder who undertook to do the job was fined half that amount.

Such is the logic of economic planning under Socialism. A man is fined for making improvements to his property to make it more productive of foodstuffs. . . In Canada, happily, things have not gone quite that far. Higher taxes, not fines with the alternative of a prison sentence, are the only penalty thus far for committing the indiscretion of making improvements to one's property.

LIFE IN THE WOODS

An invention has recently come to our attention which may well revolutionize life in the woods. In the old days, if one entered an uncharted wilderness and kept travelling for some days, one was almost certain to become lost. All that has changed. A new watchlike gadget is worn on the wrist. It acts as a watch, a compass, and a barometer. It operates as a tape measure, ball-point pen, signaller and magnifying glass. It is complete with the Morse code and constellation data.

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"Around the Country"

Jim Greenblat

Recently John Hole, of Victoria, was giving his son, Harold, a hand in his Cloverdale meat market and got the surprise of his life when he discovered a gold nugget in a turkey's crop, about the size of a small tooth-filling. There were pieces of quartz with it. . . At Forest, Ont., when June Winter and J. C. Bryce exchanged vows it was in the presence of their four grandmothers, an unusual and rare feature.

At Carman, Man., two separate violent explosions shook windows for miles around, giving people the impression The Thing had arrived, but it was later discovered on investigation that a juvenile scientist was experimenting with "rocket fuels" which didn't propel but exploded, the Dufferin Leader reports. . . The Oxbow (Sask.) Herald says: "In an effort to provide themselves with an all-weather road to Oxbow, farmers south of here are reported to be ready to put up $7,000 to be matched by similar amounts by municipality and government to build the road; at a preliminary meeting farmers pledged $3,900 even before the canvass started, and this is really a prime example of people helping themselves".

At Allan, Sask., local business men are clamoring for return of $90 from the Attorney General's Department which they spent to open the road which was snowed in, for Saturday's business. Only ones to use the highway were two government plainclothesmen who arrived to arrest a local man for selling liquor, and a R.C.M.P. patrol car from Young. The highway? It's still snowbound. . . At Revelstoke, B.C., 37 inches of snow was recorded in 24 hours.

According to the Kentville (N.S.) Advertiser, "Few people would say that the appearance of local Police Chief J. H. Brown would brand him as an unsavory character. But when he was snowbound five miles north of New Rose Friday night, the only householder on that lonely stretch took one look at the chief and his companion, L. H. Newcombe, and shut them out to spend the night in a snowbank."

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OBITUARY

A Lifelong Resident of Farming Community

The Late Willis Bradford

On Monday, March 12, Willis Bradford, formerly a farmer, and member of an old Chatham family, passed away at the home of an old neighbor and lifelong friend, J. K. MacKimmie.

The youngest son of the late Ellison Bradford and his wife Elizabeth Hyde, Willis Bradford had resided and farmed all his life in the Municipality of Chatham. During these years "Bill", as he was known to his friends, was recognized as a good farmer and outstanding stockman. He will also be long remembered for his fine native wit and humor.

The funeral took place Wednesday, March 14, from the MacKimmie Funeral Parlors in Lachute, followed by interment at the Lachute Protestant Cemetery.

Left to mourn his loss are his sister (Annie May) Mrs. J. Seamans, of Lowell, Mass.; and two brothers, Alex, of Lachute, and Herbert, of Toronto.

Pall-bearers were his lifelong neighbors — Messrs. J. K. MacKimmie, James Paul, R. H. Bradford, D. G. Simon, Ian MacDougall and D. R. Bradford.

Brownsburg

Easter Services

Special Easter music will be rendered by the choir at the 11 a.m. service in the United Church next Sunday. At the evening service, 7 o'clock, there will be an Easter motion picture film, "Which Will Ye Have?" The film will have two themes: (a) The trial of the Lord Jesus Christ before Pilate, and His crucifixion, brought about by the plotting of the high priest and the Sanhedrin; (b) The freeing of Barabbas, who follows the procession to Calvary, and his traditional conversion. "He died for me, now I shall live for Him."

The regular Good Friday service will be held at 11 a.m., the guest preacher being the Rev. G. A. Norman, B.A., of Ste. Therese.

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Rigid Inspection of Maple Syrup Products Exported from Quebec

Quebec, March 17 (CP) — Hon. Laurent Barré, Agriculture Minister of Quebec, was told that the United States will apply an embargo on Quebec maple syrup products unless purity standards are maintained.

A delegation representing maple producers told the Minister the embargo threat has been raised because impure maple sugar and syrup have been shipped across the border.

Lately, such tricks as adding granulated sugar to maple products have been employed, they claimed. A quarter-century ago, unscrupulous producers sometimes concealed stones in maple sugar blocks to increase their weight.

Mr. Barré said rigid inspection of maple production will be carried out by department officials during the season just starting. Violators of the laws will be dealt with severely.

Quebec, with 21,000,000 maple trees and 25,000 farmers in the maple products business, is Canada's most important producer and exporter.

About half of Quebec's production, worth $4,000,000 a season, goes to the United States.

The Notorious Mr. Glencannon



Proving that he can look the part as well as speak the lines, here is radio actor Frank Peddie made up as Mr. Colin Glencannon, "the biggest, drunkenest, fightinest blackguard in either steam or sail, on any ocean". As the notorious chief engineer of the S.S. Inchcliffe Castle, Peddie has the star role in a radio series compiled by Tommy Tweed from the "Mr. Glencannon" stories of Guy Gilpatric, being broadcast every Tuesday night at 8.30.

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Short Course in Leadership Training

The annual short course in Leadership Training, sponsored by the Quebec Women's Institute, is being held at Macdonald College, May 28 to June 1.

Practical courses are being offered in gardening, sewing, rug-making, leatherwork and advanced weaving, by qualified instructors. By request, the instruction class in operating a 16mm. projector is to be given again this year, through the courtesy of the National Film board, and the ever popular poultry demonstration by Prof. W. A. Maw, of the College staff. "Running the Organization" will be the theme for the discussions at the evening sessions.

Registrations must be in by May 10 and are limited to 40, on the usual basis of number of branches in a county. Programs and application forms have been forwarded to all branch secretaries and the response to date would indicate a satisfactory enrolment.

Judging by the number of inquiries received abroad during January there will be far more than enough applicants to fill the 150,000 quota of immigrants Ottawa plans to allow to enter Canada in 1951.

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MARRIAGE

CLELAND - LEROUX — Mr. and Mrs. A. Leroux, of Brownsburg, announce the marriage of their daughter, Eva, to Corporal Stanley James Cleland, R.G.A.M., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cleland. The wedding took place in Maple Ave. Baptist Church on Tuesday, March 20, 1951.

DEATHS

McDONALD—At his home, Lakefield, March 21, 1951, Henry John McDonald, beloved husband of the late Maude Boyd. Funeral will be held from MacKimmie's Funeral Parlors, Bethany St., Lachute, Friday, March 23, at 2.30 p.m.

McOUAT — On Tuesday, March 13, 1951, at his late residence, Brownsburg, Que., Daniel Allen McOuat, age 84 years, beloved husband of the late Mary Ann Morrow.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

BRADFORD — Mr. Alex Bradford and family wish to thank all friends who extended kindness and sympathy during their sad bereavement.

McOUAT — The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McOuat wish to express their appreciation for kindness, sympathy and flowers received during their recent sad bereavements.

McOUAT — Mrs. J. A. Campbell wishes to thank all those friends who expressed their sympathy in the death of her sister, by their kind messages in cards and letters.

MOUNT — Mrs. Allan E. Mount and family wish to express their sincere thanks for sympathy and assistance extended in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

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GAGNE — In loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Gagné, who passed away March 22 and Feb. 9, 1950, respectively. — Always remembered by their son, Paul, and family.

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The cost of the plan is split 50-50 between the employer and the employee. Male employees, depending on their weekly earnings, have from $1,000 to $3,000 of life insurance and another $1,000 to $3,000 for accidental death or dismemberment. There is a weekly indemnity of $10 to $25 per week for time lost due to accident or sickness. In addition to that the plan pays $6 a day for hospital charges for 180 days, and the employee and all his dependents are covered. Surgical charges are paid up to $120.

For the female employee, the benefits are the same, except that the life insurance and accidental death policies are for $500. The weekly indemnity is from $10 to $15 for all women employees.

This plan is written by the Great West Life Assurance Company, and has been established by G. Kilgour Hardie, Lachute representative, and Maurice Bougie, Pointe au Chene representative. Kilgour Hardie has been appointed by the Lachute Chamber of Commerce as administrator of the plan.

Local business men who want to obtain this protection for themselves and for their employees are advised to do so within 31 days; otherwise firms with less than three employees will have to furnish the Great West Life with evidence of insurability.

In 1951 the Canadian dollar has about one-third of its 1901 buying power; in the same period hourly wage rates have multiplied by five.

Legion Auxiliary Meeting at B'burg

Brownsburg — The Ladies' Auxiliary of Legion Branch 71 held their monthly meeting on March 9 in the Memorial Hall. Mrs. Gordon Todd presided.

It was agreed that the next meeting will be followed by a social evening, to which members may invite their friends. This will give non-members an opportunity to visit the new hall.

Mrs. Todd drew the winning ticket on Mrs. Gladys Campbell's raffle for a child's smocked dress. The lucky winner was Miss Pierrette Laframboise. Through this raffle Mrs. Campbell cleared $47, which is a splendid effort for her "talent money" contribution.

Returns to Duties

Mr. Alex Bothwell, county agronomist, has returned to his duties following a siege of ill health, and may be contacted at his office in the Court House, Grace Street.

Grenville Consolidated School News

By Martha Richardson

Education Week at the school was observed with a Parents' Day. Mr. F. Royal, principal of Lachute High School, was the speaker.

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Shortly prior to a teachers' meeting (held recently at the school), several children were entertained by Allen Mills, popular radio singer, who later sang for the entertainment of the teachers.

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A party was held recently at the school for the older pupils. A movie was shown, "Miss Annie Rooney", with Shirley Temple.

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A large number of the pupils and staff have been ill recently, but things are now back to normal again.

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Spring is in the air! Once the balls, marbles and skipping ropes appear, it is a sure sign.

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Easter holidays will begin on the 28th, and school will reopen on April 2.

Couple Pledge Vows at Maple Avenue Church

Cleland - Leroux

A pretty wedding took place in Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg, on Tuesday, March 20, at 4 p.m., when, Eva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Leroux, of Brownsburg, was united in marriage to Corporal Stanley James Cleland, R.G.A.M., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Cleland.

The Rev. N. H. Brock performed the ceremony, and during the signing of the register, Mr. Owen Todd sang "I Love You Truly".

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white nylon and a floral headdress. Her veil of white silk nylon lace fell to the hem of her skirt. She carried a bouquet of red roses. . . Her sister, Mrs. Jeff Symons, of Brownsburg, wearing a floor-length dress of blue sheer with matching veil and carrying a bouquet of sweet peas, was the bride's matron of honor.

The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Basil Cleland, of Montreal, and the ushers were Messrs. Jeff Symons and Kenneth Riley.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents in Brownsburg, after which Mr. and Mrs. Cleland left by motor for Ottawa and other points.

NO EASTER LILIES

Niagara Falls, Ont. (CP) — Because Easter comes so early this year there will be no lilies included in the big display of blooms at the Niagara Parks greenhouses. The greenhouses here do not practice "forcing" which precipitates early blooming when necessary.

Canadian banks now hold $4,700,000 in unclaimed bank balances awaiting proof of ownership.

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Grenv'l Lady Mourned By District Relatives

Late Mme Joseph Coté

Grenville — Many relatives, friends and neighbors gathered recently to pay their last tribute of respect to the late Mme Joseph Coté — the funeral being held here at the parish church of Notre Dame des Sept Douleurs.

Mme Coté (the former Marie Beausoleil) died at her home following a lengthy illness. She was 70 years of age. She had been a resident of Grenville for the past 25 years.

Seven daughters and four sons are left to mourn — Mme Antoine Laplante (Marguerite), of Montreal, Mme Felix Laplante (Laurette), of Montreal; Mme Fred Sarazin (Beatrice), of Alfred, Ont., Mme Hector Deslauriers (Madeleine), of Buckingham, Mme G. Champagne (Annette), of Pte. au Chene, Mme Exalem Champagne (Pauline), of Grenville, and Simone, at home; Hector, of Montreal, Adrien, in the U.S.A., Roger and Jean, of Grenville.

The Rev. Father Gaetan Vinet and the Rev. Father Eudore Thériault officiated at the funeral rites.

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Easter and Its Symbols

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"Winter is past,
Sweet spring is come at last,
is come at last.
Uplift thy head
O pure white lily through the
winter dead.
Sing creatures sing.
Angels and men and birds
and everything."
— From an Easter Carol by
Christina Rossetti

Similar customs are observed in many lands at Easter. Away back in the fourth century, Emperor Constantine celebrated this festival with great pomp and richness. All his subjects followed his example as best they could. Except behind the Iron Curtain, Europeans wear their best finery at this time and so do Christians throughout the whole world. A very old English rhyme says —

"At Easter let your clothes be new,
Or else be sure you will it rue."

Symbol of Life

The egg is the symbol of life and the Christians borrowed from the Jews the art of coloring the shells. Red was the favorite Easter color signifying the blood of Christ. The other shades imitated the gay spring flowers. In parts of Greece, the Greek Orthodox priest gave to each member of his congregation a red egg.

In Hungary peasants carry eggs in baskets to be blessed at church. In Switzerland, and also in Bulgaria, the eggs are "matched" with friends as our youngsters match chestnuts. The one who smashes the greatest number of eggs is the winner. In Albania, each worshipper attending church, breaks an egg with his neighbor, "Christ is risen!" says the first person, "He is risen, indeed!" is the quick response.

After the fasting in Lent, Easter Sunday dinner is a very important meal marked by special dishes in many countries. Boiled ham, and also lamb, are favorite meats. In Mexico at Easter little sugar lambs with garlands of paper flowers are purchased in the shops. "Hot Cross Buns" are a traditional treat in many areas on Good Friday.

Each country has some distinctive Easter practices. In France candles are blessed and brought home only to be used on special occasions. The Latvians swing a wooden platform with stout ropes suspended from trees and have a swinging game at Eastertide. In Norway and Sweden many people go on an excursion to the mountains for winter sports. Outdoor services are held for skiers. The bells ring out the glad news of Easter from many old cathedrals.

The Easter bunny, which is so popular in America, is a descendant of the German hare who was supposed to lay eggs for good children at Easter. Children on this continent during and since the years of World War II have had a lot more treats than youngsters in devastated lands!

At Easter it is good for our boys and girls to catch a glimpe of this festival as it is celebrated in other countries. Some Canadian centres are packing special boxes of food for Britain and Europe this Easter time.

In every district of our Dominion there will be immigrants, including displaced persons, who are eager to become citizens. Many of them will carry out the traditional Easter customs such as Bulgarians coloring intricate patterns on eggs in their new homeland. They may feel a bit lonely — it would be a very nice gesture if we 'old Canadians' in the Easter holiday would make a special effort to make our new Canadians feel welcome. In what better way could we observe the religious festival of Christ who came to show God's love to all mankind?

At Brownsburg Council

(Continued from page 1)

big pumper, would be used to the limits of hydrant service; outside of that area the booster pump would be used within a radius of three miles where water is available, and sufficient personnel supplied to man the pump and hoses.

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Expansion of Water System

A private water system servicing about 10 families on Park Avenue, and capable of expansion to several additional outlets, was offered to the Council by the owner, Mr. W. J. Graham, under certain conditions. The conditions included taking over and keeping in repair the street through which the system operates, and making connection to the municipal system; these conditions were acceptable to the meeting.

Councillor Denault remarked that it might be a good thing to get an estimate of the cost of connecting up. "It is a valuable service to have", he said.

Mayor Jas. Donaldson said, "A price could be got on the digging, and we can estimate the materials from our own lists".

Councillor N. Somers offered to look the project over and draft a rough plan of the work to be done, which could be used by the contractor in estimating the cost of digging.

The secretary, Emile Hebert, remarked: "There are a lot of people who have bought lots in this area".

The matter was adjourned till an estimate of the cost is obtained.

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Saturday Early Closing

Councillor Denault was unable to convince the other members of the justice of his plea to have all business places closed at 6 p.m. on Saturday from May to October. On a division, Councillor Denault was alone. The councillor remarked he would see — now that a policeman was available — that the present by-law would be strictly observed and not as at present, when stores were open on Sundays.

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A letter was received from a lawyer in St. Jerome with bill for $38 for legal fees. He had been employed by Police Chief Foucreau without the Council's knowledge or consent. It was decided to pay the amount rather than contest it.

The meeting then went into closed session to discuss employees' salaries.

Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 20583

Superior Court

Frederick Thomas Ballard, plaintiff,

— vs. —

The Heirs of the Late Kenneth F. Plummer Dewar, defendants.

The defendants are ordered to appear within a month.
St. Jerome, 5th day of March, 1951.

— J. C. Marchand,
Prothonotary of the
M22.2c Superior Court

Public Notice

Canada
Province of Quebec
District of Terrebonne
No. 20,503

Superior Court

J. A. Carignan, plaintiff,

—vs. —

Jean-Paul Carrière, defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within a month.

St. Jerome, this 15th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fifty one.

— J. C. Marchand,
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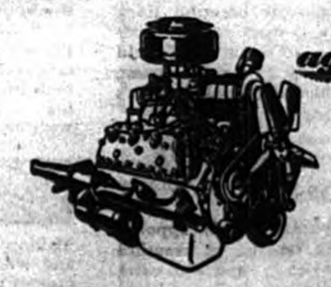


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Financial Statement for Morin Hts. Municipality

Morin Heights — Following are extracts from a statement accompanying the auditor's report on financial affairs of this municipality. The statement is addressed to the Mayor and Council. . .

"The assessment for the year 1950 was fixed at 7 mills on a total valuation of $2,113,589.00 resulting in a General Fund tax levy of $14,795.12. The General Fund shows a net surplus for the year of $2,804.74.

"The Waterworks Fund shows a net surplus on operations of $1,912.31. This surplus must not be used to reduce future taxes but rather allowed to accumulate in order to repay the General Fund. This capital loan from the General Fund was reduced this year by $2,280.30, leaving a balance of $2,058.77.

"The 'Special' Levy this year to carry the Bond Issues was set at 6 mills on a valuation of $852,751.00 resulting in an amount of $5,116.51, and wound up the year with an excess of Income over appropriations of $1,591.80 — which is, in effect, a reserve for the future bond interest, capital redemptions and possible tax abatements, and must not be considered as an available general surplus.

"On December 1, 1950, an amount of $800.00 was redeemed on your 3% Serial Bonds, leaving a balance outstanding of $58,100.00. The balance of the 3½% issue stands at $24,000.00.

"New 3½% June 1st 1970 Bonds were issued in the amount of $25,000.00 for the purpose of erecting the Municipal Building and Fire Station."

(Signed) Jas. H. McMahon,
Chartered Accountant.

British Livestock for South Africa



A consignment of British livestock was recently loaded aboard the "Good Hope Castle" at the London docks for shipment to South Africa. The export of British livestock is greatly increasing, and in this recent consignment to South Africa, 12 Jersey cows, 10 Ayrshire heifers in calf, and a number of Aberdeen Angus cattle were dispatched. The Ayrshires are for exhibition at the Witwatersrand Easter Show and will afterwards be sold by auction. Also included in the livestock are a Saneen billy-goat, three deer, and five large white pigs. This picture shows the Ayrshire heifers before being loaded aboard ship.

Horse Still Important

Halifax — Shipment of 350 horses from Nova Scotia to Corner Brook, Nfld., to help haul the record cut from Bowater's woods camps to the world's largest pulp and paper mills operated by this company, proves that tractors haven't completely ousted Dobbin yet.

Pay Yourself First, When Pay-Day Comes

Key to Getting Ahead. Says B of M

A good many people hardly even get a look at their money on payday. Before they can say, "What do we owe?" it's all paid out to everybody but themselves!

No one can do this for long without sinking neck-deep into a mass of money problems. So they worry. They worry about bills to come and they worry about unexpected bills. Money is always on their mind, souring their pleasure in living. And, of course, cobwebs gather on their plans for the future.

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Criticism on Provincial 'Spending Orgy', as Quebec Legislature Prorogues

MINISTER OF COMMERCE HAS CONTRARY REPLY IN BUDGET DEBATE

By Bernard Dufresne

Quebec — A burst of criticism in the Budget debate livened the closing stages of Quebec Legislature before prorogation last week.

George Marler, Liberal leader in the Legislative Assembly, charged that a "spending orgy" is in prospect for Quebec province next year.

He said Quebec is Canada's most heavily taxed province and that while the government complained of a "reduction" in Provincial revenues the yield from Provincial taxes has increased from $65,000,000 to $195,000,000 in the last seven years.

Speaking in the budget debate, the opposition leader said Union Nationale government fiscal policies will produce a deficit of some $18,000,000 rather than a surplus of $1,044,100 forecast for 1951-52 by Provincial Treasurer Gagnon.

Mr. Marler said the government is over-spending "at a time when everyone should do all in their power to fight against the constant rise of prices."

"Living costs are the big problem of the moment", he said in a 10,000-word speech. "Quebec taxpayers pay heavy enough Provincial charges to expect that their government will not increase spending beyond revenues."

Mr. Marler said the 1951-52 Quebec budget, forecasting expenditure of $236,720,000 and revenues of $247,771,000 does not take into account a $50,000,000 loan the government is negotiating in the United States.

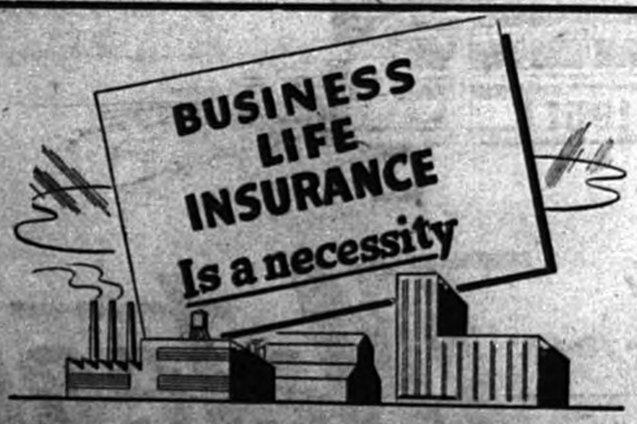
He said $31,000,000 of the borrowed money will be used to repay earlier loans and $19,000,000 will be spent on roads and bridges. This expenditure, outside the budget, will give the province a deficit of approximately $18,000,000 in 1951-52, he said.

Speaking in the budget debate, Trade Minister Beaulieu said a $230,000,000 budget does not necessarily mean that the rate of Quebec taxation is higher than elsewhere. He said the Union Nationale government had reduced the Provincial debt by an average of $7,000,000 a year since 1945; Quebec's total debt now is about $274,000,000 and the per capita debt the lowest among the provinces.

The Trade Minister said that due to the high standard of leadership provided by Premier Duplessis, Quebec is becoming the "industrial giant of North America." . . .He said the government has sometimes been accused of developing Quebec "for the benefit of foreign capital." However, since 1933 Canadian capital invested in Canadian industry has risen from $225,000,000 to $300,000,000 and in the same period foreign investment in Canada has gone up only from $7,300,000,000 to $7,900,000,000. Canadian investment is vastly multiplied and this applies to Quebec, he added.

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Gideons' Meeting

The Laurentian branch of the Gideons Association met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morrison, Lachute.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Geo. Muir and Mrs. Norma Rogers leave Friday to spend the Easter season in New York.

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Miss D. White and Miss M. Martin, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Miss Willow Lavery, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. McArthur.

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Mrs. H. Sutton is spending the Easter week-end in Montreal, visiting her sister, Miss Jenny Bates.

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Mrs. Sadye Schwartz, of Senneville, Que., spent a week here visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Schwartz.

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Mrs. Kyle Patterson, of Ogden, Sask., is at the home of her sisters, the Misses Catherine and May McGibbon, visiting members of her family in Lachute and Montreal.

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Mr. Harland Smith, of Nelson, Que., visited at his home here last week-end.

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89th Birthday

Congratulations are extended to Miss Margaret Murray, of Lachute, on the occasion of her 89th birthday on Friday, March 23.

"Long may 'Auntie Mag', with her kindly wit and unfailing good humor, continue to cheer the lives of the east-enders and of any others fortunate enough to come in contact with her" (writes a friend of The Watchman, informing us of this anniversary).

Miss Marian Slater is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Montreal.

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Mr. Doug Bradford, of Matheson, Ont., and Miss Phyllis Bradford, of Montreal, spent a couple of days last week visiting their parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas R. Bradford.

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A party of townsmen left Tuesday morning for the golfing centre of Pinehurst and Southern Pines, with the possibility of extending their trip to Miami, Fla. The vacationists, travelling in two automobiles, included — Messrs. Gilbert and Leonard Ayers, Roger Regimbald, Richard Stephens, Jack Archer, Oswald and Laurier Carrière.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley and daughter, Doreen, of Montreal, visited their relatives here last Saturday.

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High School friends of Master Mervin O'Brien are sorry to hear of his recent illness in hospital, and wishes are extended for his speedy recovery.

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Approaching Marriage

The marriage of Miss Greta Marion Hyde, second daughter of the late Mrs. Hyde and Mr. George Hyde, of Mille Isles, to Mr. George Perley Jackson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson, of Brownsburg, will take place on Friday afternoon, April 6, at 3.00 o'clock in the Brownsburg United Church.

Miss Jean McArthur, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, was the week-end guest of Mrs. Wilbur Walker.

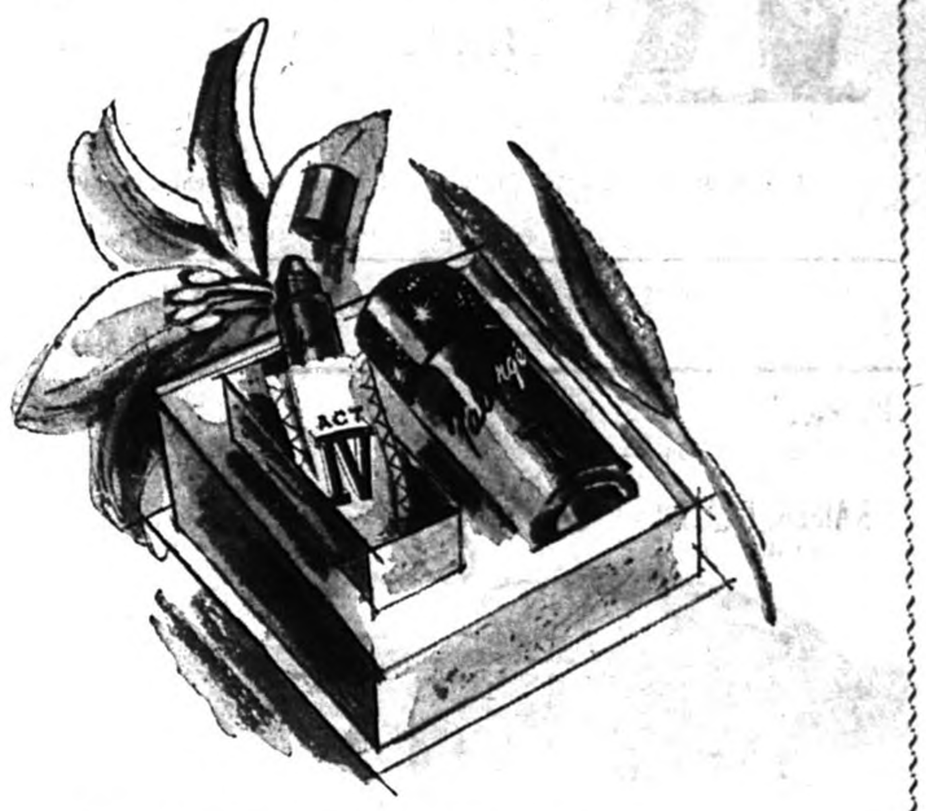
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Mr. and Mrs. George Tattersfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Snadden, have been spending a few days in New York City.

Return from Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Boyd returned home Tuesday evening after a vacation of several weeks in Florida. . . Another party who had been south for a winter vacation, Mayor J. W. McGibbon, Messrs. E. Pollock, H. Graves and Ross Muir, returned home last week-end — all showing evidence of Florida's sunny clime, in sharp contrast to winter conditions in Quebec.

Alderman and Mrs. Wm. S. MacKimmie also returned recently from a trip south.



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March 25 — Easter Sunday
7.45 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. **Holy Communion.**

ST. GEORGE'S, Brownsburg
March 23, Good Friday, 2 p.m.
March 25 — Easter Sunday
9 a.m. **Holy Communion.**

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BROWNSBURG
Bible School, 10 a.m.
EASTER SERVICE 11 a.m.
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Happy Hour, Monday 7 p.m.
Y.P.S., Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer, Thurs., 8 p.m.

DALESVILLE
2 p.m. **Bible School**
EASTER SERVICE at 3 p.m.
Guest soloist, Mrs. H. Hardie.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — **Prayer Meeting**

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
Good Friday Devotions
12 to 3 p.m. St. Matthew's.
7.30 p.m. Holy Trinity.

Easter Day
7.30 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
9 a.m. H.C., Holy Trinity.
11 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
1.45 p.m. H.C. Kilmar.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Holy Communion.
Dunany, 2 p.m.
Holy Communion.

MISSION OF MILLE ISLES
Rev. H. G. Baugh, Incumbent
Easter Day Services
Trinity Church, 7.30 and 11 a.m.
Holy Communion.
8 p.m. Evensong.
Shawbridge Chapel 9 a.m.
Saint Sauveur 2 p.m.
Christ Church 7 p.m.

THE RESURRECTION OF THE DEAD IS SURE

JESUS SAID

Marvel not at this; for the hour is coming in which all that are in the graves shall hear His voice, and shall come forth. — John 5: 28-29.

Nevertheless we, according to God's promise, look for a new heaven and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness.
— 2nd Peter: 3.13.

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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10 a.m. Sunday School.
EASTER SUNDAY SERVICES
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
3 p.m. Brownsburg.

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7 p.m. Evening Service.
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Good Friday
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
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Sunday, April 1, at 11 a.m.
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It is believed England's first organized Christmas festival was held in 521 A.D., on order of King Arthur.

Warm Tribute Paid To Late Clergyman

The Rev. Allan Edgar Mount of Lakefield

The following tribute appeared in The Montreal Gazette edition of last Monday:

(Contributed)

He was a great man and for so many different reasons. First, because he had the humility which one sees so seldom and only in the really great.

The most outstanding thing about him was his great love of Humanity. He loved people and understood them and always tried to help them.

He had that rare ability of discovering something fine in people even when it was hidden from view and unknown to others. He seemed able to hold up an image of people as he believed them to be, so that they realized it themselves and became finer and better, through him.

His deep religious faith never failed him even in the face of frightful pain and illness. Many people turned to religion because of his example and because he had made them understand the God of Love.

He used to say, "Don't be afraid to show your love, people need it so badly. The Bible says 'Let love be without dissimulation'."

He had no prejudice and was able to forgive cruelty and injustice to himself.

He had a rare appreciation of beauty and his love of flowers was realized by all who knew him. It was so easy to see how he loved them by the way he touched them as he walked through his garden.

Many thousands of bunches of flowers that he had grown himself were given to those who were ill or unhappy, or just because he loved them and wanted to give them pleasure, and many a cross was made by him of his own flowers, sometimes for those of a different faith.

His letters were a source of joy and inspiration to all who received them and the pictures of flowers that he painted were given so lovingly to all his friends. He was so deeply appreciative of all that was done for him and never realized how little it was, compared with all that he had given.

Although he often laughed at amusing things that happened it was always kindly and understanding.

Hundreds of people who knew him will think of him with that shy tender smile on his face and will again feel the peace and joy and love that he gave so unstintingly and may perhaps realize that they have known a Saint.

Easter Story

On Easter morn 'ere dawn had spread,
Came Mary forth to seek her dead,
With her the faithful women trod
In trembling o'er the garden sod.

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In fear beheld the open tomb,
And weeping saw at left and right
The Angels clad in raiment white.

One then spake with gentle voice,
"Go haste ye, spread the news, rejoice;
Go tell the tidings now he's free,
And hath gone forth to Galilee!". . .

The women speed on winged feet,
And going their way, the Saviour meet.
"All Hail, fear not", they hear him cry,
And know he lives, no more to die.

Folded Lent's dark mourning wings,
Joyous the ransomed sinner sings,
Triumphant paens swell the sky —
The risen Christ now reigns on high!

Weir, Que. — Sarah Beaven Bennett

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association will convene on Monday, March 26, at 10 a.m. in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg. The Rev. N. H. Brock will conduct the devotional period.

Annual Meeting of St. Andrews Deanery

Montreal — A record revenue of $162,000 for 1950 was reported by the nine charges of the Anglican deanery of St. Andrews, at the deanery annual meeting last week, held in the synod hall, Montreal.

Statistics presented by the chairman of the meeting, Rev. Horace Baugh, of Morin Heights, showed increases in many fields of activity. There are now 1,101 families on church rolls of the deanery, an increase of 40 over the previous year.

Col. G. M. Strong of Montreal was elected lay representative of the deanery on the executive committee of the synod.

The rural dean, Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, was unable to attend.



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A Home Missionary With A Message

By J. Pollock Graham

Listening to Evelyn Matthews, a former Lachute girl, tell of her work in the Home Mission fields of Kirkland Lake and vicinity, we felt justly proud of her — her ability as a speaker and her enthusiasm for her work — and felt too that she certainly could be considered eligible for a position in the "Endless Line of Splendor", the title given to her talk. This was a little phrase which she had seen somewhere, and which had stayed in her mind.

This "Endless Line of Splendor", Miss Matthews claimed, began with the first little Christian Church at Antioch, the first "mission church". — A Minority with a Mission, a Master and a Message.

Miss Matthews made mention of several she considered eligible to stand in that line, from the peasant girl who exclaimed, "My soul doth magnify the Lord", to rugged Peter, and Mary the prostitute, who called Jesus "Master". . . And to the several missionaries of past years who had carried on the work in divers places. After she had named them almost all in turn, Miss Matthews spoke of Kirkland Lake itself. . .

Many people had the idea that Kirkland Lake was a very backward place, with only a few people; but instead there were 2,000 people residing there — with 15 churches in all, 42 hotels, and one restaurant.

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Cushing West

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Prior, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their summer home.

Mr. H. Villeneuve, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson, accompanied by Miss Ora Watson and Mrs. Alan Vowles, motored to Ottawa on Sunday and were guests of Mrs. N. S. Dowd, also visited Sgt. and Mrs. Akeson of that city.

Miss M. Whelehan spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. R. Funcheon, of Monalea.

Harrington

The Rev. and Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. H. Bennett and Mrs. G. Bennett spent last Thursday at the home of Mrs. W. Kingsbury at Pleasant Corners, Ont.

Miss Ann Gillies, nurse-in-training at the General Hospital, Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Dobbie.

The Farm Forum was held on Monday evening at Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett's.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Woods, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre, Rawcliffe.

Miss Annie Keatlie, of Brownsburg, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, Sr., on Sunday.

We regret to report the serious illness of Mrs. S. Young, of Avoca.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Dinelle's were — Mr. and Mrs. B. Lamoureux and two sons, François and Donat, of Lachute, Mr. and Mrs. R. Dinelle, and Mr. Armand Larocque, of Lake Crest, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Millette, of Grenville.

Birthday Party

Mr. J. R. Owens celebrated his 60th birthday at his home on Friday evening, March 16. Approximately 60 guests gathered in honor of the occasion. Mr. Owens had been visiting his mother earlier in the evening and as he arrived home the guests sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow". Games, music, singing and refreshments contributed to the enjoyment of the party.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing

Mrs. J. Kennedy and little daughter, Lorraine, latterly of Hamilton, are spending some time at the home of Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

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

The Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, was a noon-day guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham on Sunday.

Mrs. W. Kerr, of Model City, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Wells and family, who have been spending the winter months with Mr. and Mrs. J. Coney at "Stonehaven", have now returned to their home in Ompah, Ont.

Mrs. W. Y. King, of "Ingleside", spent the latter part of the week in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burton and little son, John, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of the Misses Cleland.

Mrs. J. L. Maw and Mrs. S. H. Beecher, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. L. M. Gaston. Mrs. Beecher is sailing for England on April 26 for a visit of some weeks' duration. She will travel to Swindon from Liverpool and later will visit Forest Hill, London, and other points in England. Mrs. Beecher also plans to visit some parts of Scotland, and perhaps Ireland, before her return.

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaven, of Montreal, spent Sunday at their cottage here.

Mr. P. Cantin is spending the present week visiting friends in Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Weldon spent the week-end in Montreal visiting friends.

Mr. William Thompson returned home last week after spending a fortnight in Montreal, where he was the guest of his sister, Mrs. V. Farrel.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bates, with their daughter Gloria and son Ross, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Tomalty, Arundel.

Mrs. M. Kaarto, of Montreal, spent Sunday as a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Croysdill.

St. Andrews East

The Misses Elsie and Frances Liversedge, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Hall over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Howell spent the week-end at their home here.

Miss Audrey, Mr. Jack and Mr. Kennie Entwistle spent the week-end at their home here.

Messrs. Russell, Bill and Murray Bryson spent the week-end here.

The W.M.S. of the United Church met at the home of the Misses Wales on Tuesday afternoon, March 13. An interesting account of the Presbyterial meetings in Montreal was given by Miss Lamb, supplemented by a written report from Miss Agnes Sutherland, who was also a delegate.

Bell Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Young and infant daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Campbell for the week-end. Other guests at the Campbell home last week-end were Miss Ella Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett last week-end were Miss Frances Bennett, nurse-in-training, Miss Mary Bennett and Mrs. N. E. McCaig.

Mrs. M. Rayson returned to the city on Sunday after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith.

Mr. Howard Smith is spending some time in Montreal.

Miss Janet McNeil spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. McNeil.

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

Church Notes

Service will be held at 11 a.m. in the Harrington United Church on Sunday; an invitation and welcome are extended to all.

The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. C. Bennett on Saturday afternoon.

Avoca

Mrs. Neil McCallum spent the early part of the week with friends in Grenville.

Mr. Edward Smith, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates, who have spent the past two weeks with their son, Charles, are now visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Dobbie and Mr. Dobbie, in Harrington.

Mr. Tomachevsky, of Montreal, is visiting his family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Kelly and family spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Andrews.

The Rev. S. J. Pike will conduct service at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Smith on Wednesday evening, March 28.

Arundel

Mr. Stanley Cooke spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cooke.

Mr. Curll Staniforth and Miss Marshall, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Staniforth.

Farm Forums

Farm Forum No. 4 held their last meeting of the season on Monday at the home of Mrs. C. O. Bennett, where they were entertained at a chicken dinner at the close of the broadcast and discussion.

The Arundel Farm Forums are holding their last open meeting of the season on March 26, with a film show and a "500" party. This is open to the general public. The event will take place in Maplewood Inn, at 8 p.m.

A complimentary Easter dance will be held in Maplewood Inn Saturday, March 24, starting at 8.30 o'clock.

We are pleased to see that the second edition of the School "Echo" has improved 100 per cent over its first issue. The editor and staff deserve credit for the hard work and worthwhile results. We wish them all the success in their future efforts.

The road between St. Jovite and Arundel, while a little rough, is quite passable.

Cochrane, Ont. (CP) — Discovery of the body of Sam Trostenko, 65, in the bush near here solved the mystery of his disappearance last October. Charles Bedard, a trapper, found the mangled body recently and said animals had mutilated it. A wallet provided identification.

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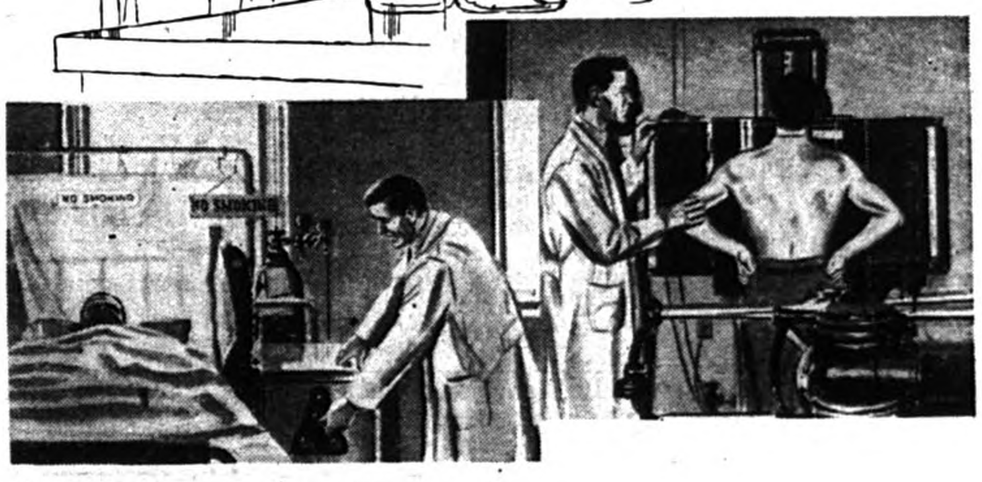
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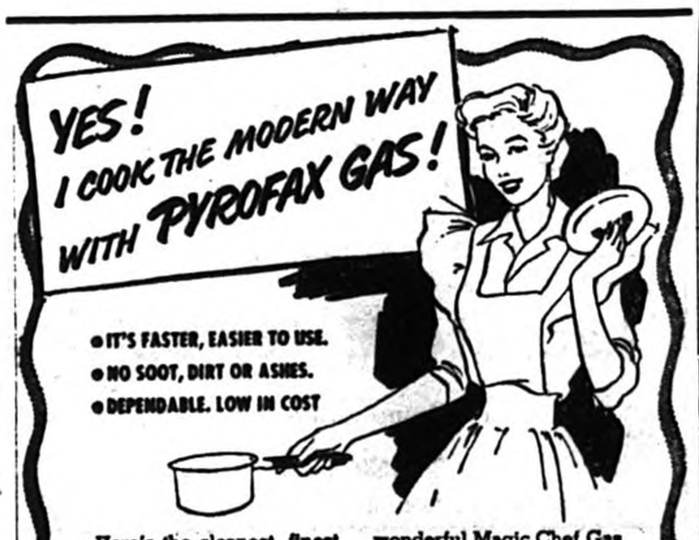
J. S. Sanderson, retiring from the board after eight years' service, said "the city is spending $10,000 a year on ice rinks and when it snows the kids just sit on the fence and wait for someone else to clean the rink for them."

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— Women's Interests —

Vegetables on Parade

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Long ago people didn't know about the many vegetables which we use today. We remember reading old stories where tomatoes were considered poisonous. What would we do without them today? Spinach came to us from Persia; onions and their kin originated in Asia and were used in Biblical times; carrots got their start in the near East; beets and Swiss chard were known to the Romans; the Irish potato, contrary to its name, is supposed to be a native of the Americas.

According to Canada's Food Rules we should have at least one serving of potatoes and at least two servings of other vegetables, preferably leafy, green or yellow, and frequently raw, each day. Does your family get its fair share of vegetables? Canadians, we find, do not eat nearly as many vegetables as do our neighbors to the South.

Granted, many families are using sufficient amounts of vegetables but much of the food value the vegetables should contain may have been destroyed by improper cooking. The very best vegetable, be it fresh, canned or frozen, is excellent when properly cooked, but may be ruined by poor cookery technique. Vegetables should be cooked only long enough to soften the cellulose, but not long enough to make them mushy. We like them best when they have that crisp-tender texture which each home-maker strives to attain in cooked vegetables. This, of course, all leads up to one important point — timing. When properly timed, all the sweet, natural flavor of the vegetable is retained. When overcooked, the flavor is literally cooked away. Perfect timing is not as easy as it sounds. A minute-minder or timing clock will help to do the job right, but the wise homemaker uses a lot of common sense as well. Naturally, young carrots, tiny crisp and tender, and old carrots which are big, husky and mature will need different cooking times. Follow timing directions of course, but vary the timing to suit the size of the vegetable, the age, its freshness and even its variety.

To retain much of the goodness of the vegetables they should be cooked in the least amount of water and the cooking liquid should be saved for gravies, soups and vegetable juice cocktails.

How should you cook your vegetables? To answer that, a great many factors enter into the picture. First of all, to what method of cookery does the vegetable lend itself? Green vegetables call mainly for boiling or steaming, but with most root vegetables almost any method of cookery may be used. Pressure cooking may be chosen because it saves time, other methods because of the type of cookery being used for the foods which make up the meal, as in boiled dinners or in oven meals. These are the general methods of vegetable cookery from the home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture:

Boiling in Water

When boiling vegetables, cook them tightly covered, in a minimum amount of boiling salted water until just tender. Avoid over-cooking. Potatoes are the exception to this rule as they should be boiled in sufficient water to barely cover. Be sure to boil the vegetables gently and drain the cooking liquid into a jar for future use. This rule applies to strong-flavored vegetables also. Perhaps the most radical and important recent change in vegetable cookery is that long periods of cooking in large amounts of water, have been discarded.

Steaming

A heavy pan with a tight fitting lid or a vegetable steamer is necessary for this type of cooking. A small amount of water is added to create the steam. The vegetables are added, the saucepan or steamer covered and the vegetables are cooked until just tender.

Pressure Cooking

Carefully follow the directions given for the particular type of cooker which you have, for vegetables are easily over-cooked.

Baking

Baking develops textures and flavors which are quite different from any other vegetable cookery methods. To bake vegetables, they should be thoroughly scrubbed as in the case of potatoes, or peeled as in the case of onions. If desired, they may be rubbed with fat to prevent dryness. They are placed in a moderate oven (except potatoes which require a hot oven) and baked until just tender. Vegetables are also cooked in the oven in other ways, they may be peeled and cooked in a covered casserole or placed around the Sunday roast. Scalloping is another type of baking in which either raw or precooked vegetables may be used.

A Home Missionary With A Message

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The people there were not really antagonistic to religion, they were just people who had grown indifferent and for the most part had forgotten God. Many had said, "Oh! I used to go to church before we moved here". One woman had said, "My Dad was a great church-goer and always saw to it that we children went to church and Sunday School, but since I have moved here it has been different". So different, indeed, that the woman who said that was one of those who stayed out so late on Saturday nights drinking that she was in no condition to get up on Sunday morning and get her children off to Sunday School! Yet, about the only way to make contact with these people was through their children.

Miss Matthews spoke of all the different church organizations there, carrying on the work of the church. She spoke very kindly of a miner of Scottish origin, who had been brought up in a home where God had been revered — as being eligible to be mentioned in the endless line of splendor, because of the assistance he had given. Also of "Grandma Hodgins", another she had considered very worthy because of her influence, as almost all of her church workers were related to Grandma Hodgins in some way.

Miss Matthews mentioned a journey she had made in the old car, in which she ventured from field to field. It was a venture, in truth, because of its unstableness. She had as usual been accompanied by several of the women who were interested residents, and told of their difficulty in getting home afterwards, even though the old car had been doctored in a garage while they were at the meetings. . . On the way home the car behaved badly several times, causing them great anxiety, until eventually it settled down and refused to go farther, while they were still some distance from help. . . . There they sat waiting for a deliverer — and he came in the form of a drunken driver, who eventually pushed their car ahead of him into town. The going was precarious and many times they were fearful, but eventually they arrived. . .

She was very grateful to the members of the Missionary Society, who had replaced that old car with a better one.

Another exciting event had been the building of a small new church, which was evidently a prefabricated building. They had been instructed to have everything ready for this building when it should arrive; and they had the foundation all ready, without realizing that they should have the flooring down as well. And they were suddenly surprised to receive a notice one day that the structure of their church would arrive the next day, all ready to set up on the flooring — and there was no flooring in place!. . A frantic call for help was sent around, and that night they gathered, strung lights from tree to tree, and sawed and hammered all night — Miss Matthews using the hammer with the rest of them — and daylight saw the church floor ready and in place. That evening they were able to hold their thankful devotions in the new church.

This work was exceedingly interesting, but the real worthwhileness of it has been brought home to her by having a young girl say to her, "I never understood or knew what Easter was all about until I heard you explain it. Now I'll never forget it!"

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Curling Club Activities

A number of local curlers attended the annual mixed bonspiel at Caledonia Curling Club last Saturday evening, where they were most cordially received. Those attending from Lachute were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. MacKimmie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacTavish, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Fraser, Miss F. Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stein, Mr. and Mrs. Albt. Ogilvie. Among the winners were Mrs. MacKimmie and F. Stein.

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Two foursomes visited the Seigniory Club to play in the Anderson Trophy — Mr. and Mrs. A. St. Onge, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kerr; Mrs. D. McGibbon, Mr. and Mrs. D. MacTavish and Mr. Leonard Bedard. A very good showing was made, the former team winning two games and losing one, while the latter won one and lost two games.

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In the finals for the President's Prize, C. D. Richardson (skip), Rev. W. B. Rosborough, H. Kerr and S. Forbes were defeated by G. Muir (skip), H. Morrison, C. McOuat and A. Walker, in a score of 6-11. This was a very interesting game to watch, each side winning 5 ends, but Muir pulling a 5 and 3-end against the average of 1 point.

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On the week-end of March 10, winners of the high-plus in the mixed bonspiel were — H. Morrison (skip), Miss E. Morrison, L. Cruise and Miss C. McKenzie.

The spot dance prize was won by Mr. and Mrs. L. Cruise, and the door prize by H. Dion.

Prizes for last Saturday's mixed 'spiel were donated by Mrs. E. H. Wilson. Winners were — F. A. Brennian (skip), Mrs. F. A. Brennian, W. G. Lewis and Miss E. Morrison. Miss E. Morrison and J. Seary were lucky winners of the spot dance, and L. Cruise won the door prize. Several couples were present from Vankleek Hill and joined in a very pleasant evening. H. Kerr also skipped an 8-plus game, but lost in a draw for the prize.

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A large number of entries are booked for the Annual Invitation Bonspiel here, starting April 2, which promises to be bigger and better than ever.

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Messrs. W. Deacon, R. Cairns, W. K. MacArthur and D. Hay, who curled at Toronto last week-end in the Good-Will Bonspiel, made a very creditable showing, and were recipients of silver medals as runners-up in the Saturday finals.

In the first game they tied 8-8 with Tom Campbell, of Victoria; in the second round there was a repeat occurrence of 8-8, against Bill Knowlson.

In the Good-Will final they entered with a plus-5 against D. B. Carlyle of the Toronto Club, holding a plus-20, but were defeated 7 to 14.

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The Mackie finals were played on Wednesday evening, with rather one-sided results among the juniors and a keenly contested match between the seniors, this game being lost by the last shot. . . Teams were as follows:

Juniors — R. FitzGerald (skip), H. Steele (sub for J. McOuat), A. Bond, F. Stein (sub for E. Snadden) —vs.— S. Drew (skip), R. Hadley (sub for L. Ayers), J. Johnson and R. Wyse. The latter rink won 16 to 1.

Seniors — G. Calder (skip), W. S. MacKimmie, D. Hay, Rev. W. B. Rosborough —vs.— J. R. Charron (skip), L. W. King, K. McGibbon, F Legault. The former rink lost 5 to 7.

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Closing Events Held by Morin Hts. Ski Club

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The Club races, in which the Seniors and the Juniors were given a chance to compete for the Commons Cup donated by Chas. Lavoie and Oscar Gilbault, was won by a senior, Ross Gillingham, with 26 points. Runner-up was Robert Baldwin, with 25 points.

First in the Cross-Country, a 6-kilo race, was Grant Seale; 2nd Robert Baldwin; 3rd, John Gillingham.

The Downhill was won by Grant Seale; 2nd, Ross Gillingham; 3rd, John Gillingham.

Slalom — 1st, Ross Gillingham; 2nd, Robt. Baldwin; 3rd, Cliff Pollock.

Special Class XYZ (for all would-be racers) — 1st, Albert Basler; 2nd, Baird Davis; 3rd, L. McCambley.

A class for the Midgets was won by Barry Baumel, 4½ years old.

Junior Ladies was won by Beverley Bell, and the Senior Ladies, Mrs. Gordon Allan (formerly Pat Kennedy).

The Junior Cross-Country was won by John Gillingham, who also won the 1st in the Junior Downhill class.

The Morin Heights Intermediate School was again to the fore. Juvenile Girls' Slalom was won by Marilyn Dey; 2nd, Dorine Seale; 3rd, Sheila Dey.

In the Juvenile Downhill there was a tie for first place between Doreen Seale and Grace Gillingham; 3rd, Marilyn Dey.

10 Years and Under — 1st, Ellen Trygg; 2nd, Sandra Seale.

Junior Boys' Downhill — 1st, Ron Dey; 2nd, Edric Simms; 3rd, M. Chapcott.

Juvenile Boys' Slalom — 1st, M. Chapcott; 2nd, Edric Simms; 3rd, Ron Dey.

A vote of thanks might here be included to all those who have made this year's skiing events the success they were — those who were responsible for the organizing end, and the skiers themselves, for their energy and good sportsmanship in turning out for the events, trying to bring honor to Morin Heights.

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DOREEN ELDER CAPTURES JUNIOR "A" SLALOM

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Highest single, Eileen Morrison, 338 (Metropole).
Highest triple, J. Ouellet, 868 (Metropole).

Wednesday, March 14
Men's 5-Pins

North River 8	—vs.—	McOuat's 0
Bankers 8		Malacket 0
Bradings 8 (won by default).		
Mechanics 6		Patisserie Française 2
Hotel Tessier 6		Belanger Frères 2

Highest single, J. Duncan, 343 (Mechanics).
Highest triple, J. Duncan, 854. (Mechanics).

Thursday, March 15
Girls' 5-Pins

Bolodrome 4	—vs.—	Elite Store 4
Young Stars 8 (won by default).		

Highest single, J. Ouellet, 320 (Bolodrome).
Highest triple, J. Ouellet, 807. (Bolodrome).

Monday, March 19
Men's Ducks

Rockets 8 (won by default).
Stuffed Shirts 8 (won by default).

H. M. Lavigne 6		Bolodrome 2

Highest single, E. Barrie, 206 (Bolodrome).
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I'LL GET BY
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BIG TOWN SCANDAL
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'Fourth Night' Round-Up, Election Of Officers by District Farm Forums

A box social, a film presentation, the regular weekly Farm Radio Forum broadcast, and the election of the Council executive, highlighted the program at the March "Round-Up" of local Farm Forums, held at the Lachute High School last Monday.

The broadcast, one of the best of the season, consisted of a summary of the opinions of Farm Forum listening groups from all across Canada. Each provincial secretary reported briefly for the province which he represents.

Following the broadcast, entertainment films were shown. Probably the most interesting of these was a motion picture on the training of race horses, and racing in Prince Edward Island.

Many beautifully decorated and amply filled boxes provided the refreshments for the evening. George MacKenzie, well known local auctioneer, officiated. Tea was served by the ladies. Proceeds from the sale of the boxes will be turned over to the School Fair Committee.

During the evening the Argenteuil District Farm Forum Council met, primarily to elect officers for the coming year. These will be as follows:

Heber Boyd, president; Keith Pollock, vice-president; Stuart Armstrong, secretary-treasurer.

It was the expressed belief of the members of the Council that the fourth night "Round-Up" meetings, a new venture this year, were both valuable and entertaining — and worthwhile continuing next season.

Although the Monday night broadcast was the last one of the season, it does not mean the end of Farm Forum activity in this district. On April 24 the Argenteuil Farm Forums Association will sponsor a play, produced by the Ascension Players from Montreal.

A Farm Forum Rally will also be held in the spring. Plans are being laid already, although no definite date has been set so far.

In The Dark!

We mentioned recently a letter intended for Tessier's Hotel, which was addressed to "Casey's Hotel".

As if by way of reprisal, the editor received this week a communication addressed to "The Night Watch Newsprinting Co." — which rates one better than the express parcel intended for Giles Publishing House Ltd., which was labelled "Giles Pub".

The Quent Miller Curling Trophy for Lachute Annual Invitation Bonspiel



Donated to Lachute Curling Club by Quent Miller, of Caledonia Club, for competition in the Annual Invitation Bonspiel, this trophy was won last year by Heather Club, with 74 rinks in competition. The games in the third annual event started on Wednesday, with approximately 100 teams entered.

Nearly 100 Rinks Entering in Annual Invitation Bonspiel

It will be a surprise to many Curling Club friends to learn that 98 rinks have entered for the third Invitation Bonspiel here — which was scheduled to start on Monday next, but owing to the many applications, commenced on Wednesday evening. Dr. Novinger, of Heather, won against J. MacDonald, of Cornwall, in a score of 9 to 7. Today (Thursday) Hawkesbury and Caledonia meet; also Vankleek Hill vs. Lachute; Cornwall vs. Pte. Claire; Cornwall vs. Alexandria.

The Quent Miller Trophy, won by B. Adair of Heather in 1950, is the main attraction, but there are also 16 individual prizes to be competed for. Last year's winner has again entered the competition this year.

From Heather Club there are 11 entries, with nine rinks entered from Caledonia.

Newcomers visiting Lachute this year are from Thetford Mines, Huntingdon and Sherbrooke. Along with almost 100 other quartets, these undoubtedly will meet with cordial hospitality and friendship at Lachute Curling Club.

"Around the Country"

Jim Greenblat

The reeve of Wilton Municipality at Lloydminster, Sask., was honored after 38 years service with the municipality. . . In the midst of a snow and sleet blizzard, residents of White Bear area in Ontario reported the sky yellowed with a cloud of dust which covered the snow. . . W. A. Owen, of Hudson's Bay, 85-year-old trapper, arrived in town the other day, reports The Post, casually collecting the bounty on a 7-foot grey wolf caught in his line. . . Ray Mustard, of Rocky Mountain House, Alta., collected bounties on six timber wolves he shot on his trap line on the Ram River. He encountered, he said, a pack of 20 which had killed a cow moose, and killed six of them before they fled. . .

The early robin gets the worm at Carleton Place, Ont., where Robert McLaren reports a robin which now hops in through the door looking for his handout in the pumphouse. . Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fullerton of Huntsville, Ont., woke to find Mike, their Boxer dog, rubbing his nose against their faces. They awoke in time to find the house on fire and they saved their three children. . . At North Battleford, Sask. The Optimist tells that Roy Morrison got a present of a "box car" lake trout from Great Slave Lake which weighed 48 pounds, measured 29 inches in girth; it looked "like the brother of a whale". . . Nurses at Prince Edward County Hospital, reports the Pictou, Ont., Gazette, emulated Florence Nightingale when the lights went out in an emergency "and we visited patients carrying coal oil lamps". . . "We're old enough to know what we're doing said Etto Sutherland, 76, and Wm. Baby, 74, wed recently in Toronto.

$50,000 Blaze at Trappist Farm, Oka

A group of 180 Trappist monks offered the strange spectacle of fighting a stubborn fire which caused $50,000 damage to part of their modern farm, early on Good Friday morning — the monks laboring in almost complete silence, according to the strict rule of the Order.

Only the voices of a few members of the Order — who by reason of their functions are allowed to speak to outsiders — could be heard as the monks, who had just chanted the Matins service at 2 a.m., poured tons of water from a 240,000 gallon water reservoir on the flames—reported Guy Beaudry in a special story to The Montreal Star.

A large group of Oka residents joined the monks in their battle against the blaze, which started in a timber warehouse and jumped to a nearby mill housing hundreds of pounds of feed grain and expensive milling machinery. Both buildings were situated within the monastery enclosure.

The flames were put out before they had time to reach the blacksmith shop and the garage, with the help of volunteer firemen who organized a bucket brigade. Both the timber warehouse and the grain-mill were a total loss. Officials of the Order estimated the loss at around $50,000.

Because of Good Friday services which Trappists observe in strictest penance, no rest was afforded the weary monks, who fought the flames for more than three hours and continued pouring water on the smouldering ruins until late morning.

SYNTHETIC BLOOD

A substitute for blood plasma is being manufactured in Britain, reports The Financial Post. Claimed to be the nearest approach yet to human plasma, product is made from sugar and has the major advantages of involving no storage difficulties and being safe and simple to use. It is well retained in the circulation, hence providing excellent means of shock treatment. It also can be used to arrest considerable falls in blood pressure in major operations. Substance keeps indefinitely in any climate, making it possible to store large quantities.

W. Inst. Branches Report Meetings

Brownsburg W.I. branch reports an attendance of 29, with two new members. This being the annual meeting, reports were read, and the new officers and conveners were installed. An address was given by the president. Cards and fruit were sent to sick members, and a food parcel was sent to England; $60 was donated to the Brownsburg Community Rink fund, and five chairs were donated for the new Legion Memorial Hall.

Frontier branch had an attendance of 28, and one new member was welcomed. Installation of new officers and conveners, and reports of the conveners, occupied much of the business session. Mrs. Archie Murdoch, of Brownsburg, was presented with a life membership certificate on behalf of the branch. Fruit was sent to a sick member, and a plant was sent to another.

Lachute branch reports 28 present at the March meeting. A sketch was given of the organization of the W.I. in 1932 in Lachute. The slate of officers for the new year was read, and delegates were appointed to attend the provincial convention.

Lakefield reported no meeting, on account of sickness in the community.

Mille Isles had an attendance of six. Conveners gave their yearly reports, and election of officers was held. The roll-call was the payment of fees. It was arranged to send a parcel overseas.

In Morin Heights, the attendance was 22 — members answering the roll-call by stating the number of meetings they had attended this year. A box was packed and sent under the Personal Parcel Scheme. A "military whist" was planned, to raise funds. Reports were read and new officers installed. Two new members joined the branch.

Pioneer group had 14 ladies present for the annual meeting, at which reports were read and officers installed. A life-membership was presented to the past-president.

LANDMARK DESTROYED

Sydney, N.S. (CP) — A familiar old landmark of the north Cape Breton county, the home of the late Norman MacAulay, an early pioneer, was destroyed by fire with loss of $15,000. Historic rugs and furniture were lost in the blaze.

Monthly Meeting of Legion Branch

The regular monthly meeting of the Lachute Branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday, March 22, with President Carl Demerse in the chair. Two new veterans were admitted as members, and after the business session Comrade E. Barrie announced there would be a lecture and practical demonstration on the subject of model homes and landscaping, and also a motion picture in technicolor showing the benefits of beautifying and landscaping smallholdings and residences.

This lecture and demonstration are primarily to help veterans who are already established under the Veterans' Land Act, and all veterans who are interested in this work are cordially invited to attend. The lecture will be held in the Legion Memorial Hall on Monday, April 9.

Enquiry to Council On Branch Factory For English Firm

At an adjourned meeting of Town Council last Wednesday, an item of interest outside the routine agenda, was the presentation of a letter from a British manufacturing firm enquiring about facilities here for the establishment of a Canadian branch. A similar letter had been addressed to several other municipalities in Ontario and Quebec, but it resulted in the appointment of a council committee here, to investigate in this case and to generally promote industrial enterprise. Ald. W. S. MacKimmie was named chairman.

H. Tinsley Company, scientific instrument manufacturers, South Norwood, London, England, wrote to enquire if the town corporation could propose a suitable building in this centre; or if not, whether the town would construct a building at an outlay to be repayable in 10 to 20 years. It was planned to establish a factory employing 20 hands in the first year, increasing to 50 employees in the second year of operation. The company hoped that the building might be started this spring, and be available for occupancy in the summer of this year.

Mayor Jas. W. McGibbon presided, and all members of the Council were present.

B'burg Aims for $1,500 Objective

IN RED CROSS APPEAL

Brownsburg — A group of volunteers representing the various churches and organizations of the Brownsburg community, met in the Social Club on Wednesday to plan the local Red Cross campaign for funds. The date of the campaign was set from March 29 until April 13, and the objective was established at $1,500.

Succession of Car Accidents

MISHAPS OCCUR ON ICY THOROUGHFARES

Icy roads last Saturday caused a succession of accidents in town, which kept two of the police officers, Cst. W. Lepine and Cst. O. Sabourin, well occupied.

Around 2.40 p.m. a car driven by J. D. B. Lindsay, Rawcliffe, came into collision with a light delivery truck at the intersection of Brownsburg Road and Chatham Street.

Some time later, two cars, driven by Henri Charlebois, of Beech Ridge, and René Proulx, of Verdun, Que., collided at the Main St. - Milway corner.

Two collisons occurred within a short time, just before 6 p.m., on Barron's Bridge. Victor Cooley, Brownsburg, and Laurent Laframboise, Lachute Mills, were drivers in the first mishap, while three cars were mixed up in the second — driven by Rolland Lamarche, of Grenville, Raymond Gauthier, of Notre Dame de la Paix, and G. W. Sovereign, of Brownsburg.

No injuries were suffered, and the damages in these incidents were not extensive.

The previous night a car occupied by three young American citizens came to grief as it crashed into the steel structure of Barron's Bridge. The occupants escaped without injury.

Grenville Wins Que.-Ont. League Hockey Title

Grenville's "Cindarella Club" took the Quebec-Ontario Hockey title, and the Portelance trophy, with a 7-2 victory against Rigaud — the end of a 4-out-of-7 final series which ran to seven games, concluding on neutral ice at Vankleek Hill last Monday. The game was witnessed by well over 1,200 fans.

The trophy, a valuable cup donated by Ferdinand Portelance, of Hawkesbury, was presented to the captain of the "Cindarella" squad, Jean Larocque, by the league president, Dr. A. Perrier, following this exciting climax.

Brownsburg, Lachute, Vankleek Hill, Hawkesbury, Grenville and Rigaud were the component teams in this league. The schedule proceeded erratically, owing to uncertain weather conditions during the season, but advancing ultimately to the semi-finals, Hawkesbury and Brownsburg were eliminated in this round, leaving Grenville and Rigaud as contestants in the final series. Monday's game was the showdown, with the standing at three games each for the opposing teams.

Some Scepticism Among Parents on Anti-Tb Vaccination in Brownsburg

"IN BROWNSBURG" (Specially Contributed)

The Easter Parade

The residents of this village took part in the Easter parade beside their radios! The weatherman was most disobliging and in cheerless humor. The churches threw off their mourning robes of the past seven weeks, and went all out in tasteful decorations and bright lights. Crowds attended the various services without much attempt at personal adornment. The weather prevented that. It was a holy and reverent time.

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Maple Syrup

The sugaring season came in with a bang and subsided like a damp squid. The weather is not suitable for production of a large crop, but better conditions are expected for the coming week.

BCG Vaccination

"All the grand agencies which the progress of mankind evolves are the aggregate result of countless wills, each of which, thinking merely of its own end, and perhaps fully gaining it, is at the same time enlisted by Providence in the secret service of the world." . . That we are apt to disregard Martineau's advice (from whom the above was taken) was evident by the attitude some parents took to the recent vaccination clinic held by the Health Unit at the Protestant schools. The benefits to be derived from this vaccine were outlined at some length in The Watchman a few weeks ago, on the occasion of the visit of a number of eminent doctors to Lachute. Those specialists, both foreign and Canadian, expressed themselves very much in favor of BCG vaccination, and most strongly advised parents to avail themselves of the opportunity of protecting their children from contracting the dread disease, tuberculosis — which by the way, is not unknown in Quebec. The Department of National Health and Welfare makes this service available absolutely free. Perhaps because of this, some parents had the idea that the clinic was for experimental purposes, and that their children were being used as guinea pigs. There is an old saying that anything you get for nothing is just about worth that. Well, this service costs plenty, the government spends a lot of money in health service for the people of Canada, and to anyone who wants to study the work, the result is really amazing. The director of this Division (Child and Maternal Health), Doctor Ernest Couture of Ottawa, in a letter to Brownsburg had this to say with regard to the clinic held at the school:

"I wish to say that on the advice of the Technical Advisory Committee, this vaccine has been approved by the World Health Organization. In fact some 15,000,000 children in Central Europe have been immunized with the financial assistance and personnel provided by W.H.O.

"In Canada, years of study carried out by leading scientists at the University of Montreal have confirmed the well-founded claims for BCG vaccine and its freedom from risk.

"The work being carried out in the Brownsburg schools, both Catholic and Protestant, is done under expert supervision and should be accepted without hesitancy."

OTTAWA ENDORSES FREE-WHEAT-TO-INDIA PLAN



—Central Press Canadian

Canadian farmers may save the lives of thousands of famine-stricken Indians, according to an announcement from Ottawa. The government has decided to answer pleas of the Indian government for assistance and will make an outright gift of an unspecified amount of wheat that will be sent in addition to the 11,000,000 bushels ordered by India in trade agreements.

To Conduct Drive For Membership in Sports Association

The "Association de la Jeunesse Sportive" will launch its membership campaign April 9. The secretaries of this group, Theodore Vachon and Gabriel Valois, report that plans are well laid for an intensive canvass for associate members. (The membership cards will be accompanied by season tickets for all regular schedule games of the Laurentian Senior Independent Baseball League at the local Stadium, on Ayers Street).

The joint secretaries have visited Ayers Limited and Dominion Shuttle Company to enthuse the campaign team-captains who will promote the drive; these captains, listed in the last issue of Lachute Watchman, will recruit canvassers — whose names will also be published so that prospective subscribers will be well informed on those authorized to accept monies on behalf of the Association.

It is stated that a total of 35 games will be staged this season at the local Stadium, all of which the members will be entitled to attend.

Lionel Laurin, president of the Association, expresses satisfaction on the arrangements for this canvass, and is confident of the public's support, in the interests of a successful baseball season.

CLOTH SQUEEZE

The impact of defence orders is building up in Canada's woollen and worsted industry. Just where it will hit first, can't be foreseen yet. There's a price increase of 10 - 15% shaping up for fall, reports The Financial Post. Shortages may develop in some lines.

One thing is certain: capacity operations are assured for almost everyone in the industry for 1951. Up to March, 1952, Canadian Commercial Corporation will require eight million yards of woollen and worsted fabrics for uniforms, overcoats, etc., The Financial Post understands. That's about 30% of last year's entire civilian requirements.

St. Eustache Man Killed on Highway

A 51-year-old resident of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac was fatally injured early last Sunday when he was struck by an automobile after alighting from a taxi opposite his home.

The victim was identified as James Cody. The mishap occurred on the highway to Oka, when Cody was struck by a car driven by Georges Barbe, of St. Eustache.

The injured man died shortly after being admitted to St. Mary's Hospital in Montreal.

Oil and gas transmission lines can be built over mountain tops, but skirting them means cheaper construction, cheaper gas and easier and more dependable maintenance.

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ST. ANDREWS: A. E. Ladouceur.

Kinsmen Club Forms Branch at Ste. Rose

A new Kinsmen Club has been formed in Ste. Rose, under the sponsorship of the Alouette Kinsmen Club of Montreal.

The new group celebrated its charter night on Tuesday. The proposed program of the club will be to help the underprivileged children of Ste. Rose. . . Harry de Juaire was elected president.

Letters to the Editor

Will "A Northern Ontario Subscriber" kindly forward his name to The Watchman. While the publishers are willing to give space to letters of constructive criticism, this is not permissible unless the writer's identity is known to the editor.

TOWNS NAMED ALIKE CAUSE OF CONFUSION

Prince Albert, Sask. (CP) — If you address a letter to Prince Albert, Sask., and don't want it to end up in Ontario or Nova Scotia, or even South Africa, you should write "Sask." clearly.

That's the advice of Postmaster H. L. Doyle. Letters are often mixed between Prince Albert, Ont., Prince Albert, N.S., and Prince Albert, South Africa.

The first university in Canada was founded at Quebec City in 1635.

W.I. Survey on Mentally Deficient Children

The Quebec Women's Institutes have been conducting a survey as to the number of mentally deficient children in rural districts of this province and what measures, if any, are being taken to train the many who have sufficient ability to become self-supporting and useful citizens.

The findings, as compiled by the provincial convener of Education, Mrs. A. Coates, East Angus, although far from complete, show there are many mentally deficient in each county, but no report tells of any facilities in the schools in the way of special classes to help them, and only one county, Brome, stated it had homes for this purpose. Two are in operation there.

In an address given by Mr. Gerard Barbeau, of the staff of the Psychology Department, University of Montreal, and Director of Mont Providence School for Mentally Deficient Children, to the newly organized Association for Help for Mentally Deficient Children, he stated, "Centres for English-speaking children are badly needed in rural districts, as there are not enough children on farms and small villages to form special classes in country schools."

The Q.W.I. is hopeful the information gained through this survey may lead to some constructive action being taken along these lines.

Labor is but refreshment from repose. — Montgomery

Duplessis' Warning on Sale of Margarine

Quebec, March 24 (CP) — Premier Duplessis warned last week that the Quebec Government will crack down on violators of its margarine ban.

Quebec legislation adopted March 17, 1949, provides penalties for manufacture or sale of margarine in Quebec.

Sales Reported

Newspapers recently reported sale of margarine is being conducted openly in some parts of the province, the Premier said, and some indicated "there was tolerance on the part of the (Provincial) Government."

"There is no tolerance, and there will never be any tolerance", the Premier stated during a press conference.

Farming is fundamental to the province's economy and the dairy industry is basic to farming.

"We consider that farmers are entitled to full and entire justice and that contributing to their welfare and prosperity is rendering them justice.

"Since the law and the Order-in-Council are relatively new we believe it appropriate to warn interested parties to respect both.

"Following this official and public warning there will be no possible excuse for anyone, and transgressors will suffer the consequences, costly for them, but for which they will be the only ones responsible", the Premier said.

The Government leader enumerated the penalites to which violators of the ban expose themselves.

Liable To Fine

Any person convicted of manufacturing or selling margarine is liable to a fine of from $200 to $500, and $600 to $1,500 in the case of a commercial establishment. These penalties are for first offenders.

Second offenders are liable to fines ranging from $500 to $2,000 if they are individuals, or from $1,500 to $6,000 in the case of commercial establishments.

When persons are unable to pay the fines and court costs, the law provides for jail sentences from eight to 30 days for first offenders, and from 30 to 90 days for second offenders.

Farm Commentator



Norn Garriock, CBC farm news commentator heard Monday to Friday at 12.30 p.m. in Ontario and Quebec. He was born in Toronto but has spent most of his life in Woodbridge, Ont. After nearly five years on a torpedo boat in the Navy, he enrolled at the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph. Graduating in 1949, he was all set to study law, specializing in agricultural legislation, when he was offered a job in the CBC farm department at the Toronto studios. His radio work takes him on regular tours of farming districts in the two provinces, and he is a frequent speaker at meetings of farm and agricultural organizations.

Seasonal Farm Topics



Beware of Frosted Grain for Seed

Ottawa — The Canada Department of Agriculture makes a point of recommending prudence to farmers who are planning to use frosted grains as seeds. Research made in this connection indicates that appearances are deceptive and that, by itself, an eye test can be far wrong.

Germination tests on cereal grains taken from the frost area surrounding the Experimental Station at Scott, Sask., show that wheat, on the whole, will germinate satisfactorily. But this is not so true of oats and barley. Many samples of these two cereals had a germinative ability below 40 per cent and only a few of 80 per cent, according to A.G. Kusch, cerealist at this Station.

The extent to which germination has been impaired by frost cannot be determined visually. Wheat may appear to be damaged severely and yet give a good percentage germination and the reverse may be true. The germination of oats and barley may be seriously impaired while showing little external sign of frost damage.

Frost-damaged grains were also seeded in soil at Scott. In all cases, the percentage of plants emerging did not equal the laboratory percentage germination and the lower the percentage germination of the sample, the greater the discrepancy of plants emerging.

Furthermore, as the depth of seeding increased, the percentage of plants emerging decreased. An additional observation was that the lower the percentage germination of the sample, the more serious the failure of plants to emerge with increased depth of seeding.

In view of those findings, farmers are urged to make or have germination test made on frosted grain or grain coming from areas affected by frost. Where germination percentages are too low, it is advisable to purchase better seeds. In all cases where frost-affected grain is used, it is recommended to increase the rate of seeding in proportion to the decrease in germination. Finally, sow the grain as shallowly as it is possible in order to get the seed into moisture.

Annual Poultry Summary Issued

Ottawa — The Canadian Poultry R.O.P. Annual Summary for 1949-50 has been issued by the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, it is announced by A. D. Davey, Chief of Poultry Production.

Prepared by the Livestock and Poultry Division of Production Service, the report provides hatchery operators, poultry breeders and commercial poultrymen with pertinent information to assist them in selecting sources of replacement stock. Among its 30 bilingual pages are the names of officers administering the National Poultry Breeding Program, official grades of Canadian chicks, summary of ROP and progeny testing results, and a variety of other valuable information.

Copies may be procured from the Information Service, Canada Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Meat Graders Study Consumer Problems

Ottawa — Government meat graders may find themselves going to school regularly, every year, if an experiment recently conducted in Toronto shows the kind of results it is expected to show. The experiment was a special school for federal government meat graders in which particular attention was given to the requirements of the Canadian meat consumer. Qualified graders from coast to coast were given concentrated training in all aspects of the grading of meat, especially beef. The consumer angle was emphasized through lectures by recognized consumer authorities from both government and industry as well as visits to packing plants, chain stores, independent meat shops, railway dining car depots, army butchering establishments and other places where consumer meat preferences were discussed, first hand.

R. A. Thompson of Toronto, meat specialist with the Marketing Service of the Canada Department of Agriculture, was class instructor. Frank Baird of the Marketing Service, Ottawa, was school manager. The students rated the school "intriguing" and "revealing". They spent long hours in packing plant coolers, their classroom in the Ontario stockyards building, abattoirs, on stock farms and at the Ontario Agricultureal College and Ontario Veterinary College.

ORGANIZE CO-OP

Carrot River, Sask. (CP)—Farmers who organized a co-operative association here were told by W. Mills, director of Saskatchewan Federated Co-operatives Limited, that "oil and bulk commodity business is just one step in organizing the local co-op. . . People of this district could operate a business equal to any in Saskatchewan if they are willing to work together."

The root of Indian Poke, a weed which grows in Quebec, is a basic ingredient for a new drug used in treatment of high blood pressure.

An eminent cleric was approached by an agonized lad who had been hired as a "junior executive" at $15 a week.

"Doctor", asked the anxious chap, "can I lead a good Christian life in this city on $15 a week?"

"My boy" was the soothing reply, "that's all you can do."

Funeral Rites at St. Andrews

Late Eva de la Ronde Was Descendant of Historical Lineage

St. Andrews East — An old resident of St. Andrews, Miss Eva de la Ronde, passed away in Montreal March 21 at the age of 82 years. The funeral was held last Saturday from the United Church at St. Andrews, the Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, officiating.

Miss Eva Eleonora Maud de la Ronde, the daughter of the late Ronald Patrick Michel Denys Gaspard de la Ronde, K.C., and his wife Martha McMartin, was a descendant of a very old aristocratic family dating back to the King of Portugal, also Philip II; Richard Coeur de Lion; Guillaume Denys, Seigneur de Montmorency; Claude Denys, Seigneur de Bonaventure, of whom honorable mention is made as commander of the French navy in the history of Canada; also Mary Charletta Denys de Ramsey, whose daughter was the mother of the Earl of Dalhousie, Governor of Canada (1820-28), and many other notables.

World War II Veteran First to Enlist from St. Andrews Village

The Late Chas. (Bud) DeWitt)

St. Andrews East — The death of Charles (Bud) DeWitt occurred at Sunnybrook Hospital in Toronto last Sunday. Bud DeWitt was the first one to enlist from St. Andrews East at the outbreak of World War II.

Charles Gould DeWitt was 33 years of age, the son of Mr. Jacob DeWitt and the late Mrs. DeWitt.

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1951 –Year of Great Preparedness

UNLESS a grimmer phrase becomes applicable, future reviewers may term 1951 "The year of great consternation". But in Red Cross records, this will stand as "The year of great preparedness". For besides standing ready to assume its traditional and tremendous tasks in the actual theatres of war, this entire organization is being readied to accept a vital and active role in civil defence.

Little imagination is required to visualize the importance of Red Cross blood transfusions, disaster services, outpost hospitals, etc., in the event of attack.

The 1951 appeal for funds in Quebec will be made during the ensuing weeks. Although the burden of "being prepared" adds to the organization's expenses, the national objective of $5,000,000 has not been increased.

When canvassers call at your door, they ask no thanks, no personal reward. . . In the same spirit of loyalty to this great humanitarian cause, we trust all readers will respond as generously as their means permit.

Dangerous Undrunken Drivers

THE MOST dangerous of all drivers is the drinking driver who is not drunk. Few men can speak with greater authority in the field of highway traffic than Robbins B. Stoeckel, lawyer, automobile engineer, traffic administrator and Highway Commissioner of the State of Connecticut. Out of long experience and comprehensive study, he says: "The really dangerous driver is the man who has had one or two drinks only. . . On the highways, the moderate drinker is more dangerous than the immoderate."

An important thing to know about alcohol is that it fools folks about themselves. Experiments made in the Swedish army with its soldiers who had been given "diatetic" or "permissible" rations of alcohol, proved this point. While the alcohol slowed their speed and reduced their accuracy, the soldiers believed that it had stimulated them and that they were shooting faster and straighter, even when speed had been reduced to a third and accuracy a half. Kraepelin, the German scientist, found the same effect, and stated that the actual facts were exactly opposite to the belief of the drinkers.

Studying the problem strictly in connection with traffic hazards the British Medical Research Council of London reported that the "reaction time" required for the average driver to take appropriate action when confronted by a danger situation "is doubled or trebled by a dose of alcohol equal to that contained in two ounces of whisky", which is substantially less than that contained in two pints of 3.2% (by weight) beer.

The average normal "reaction time" is one-fifth of a second. . . Suppose one is driving at 25 miles per hour, and a child darts out from between parked cars, just 25 feet ahead. The car is travelling at 40 feet per second, and in the one-fifth of a second normally required to apply the brake it will have moved 8 feet nearer the child. The car, with efficient 4-wheel brakes, can be stopped in 16 feet, or one foot before striking the child. . . But if the driver had drunk two ounces of whisky or two pints of 3.2% beer, and his "reaction time" had thus been doubled or trebled, the car would have travelled from 16 to 24 feet before the brake would have been applied, and a distressing accident or perhaps a fatal tragedy would be the result.

It is the conclusion of science that the usual social drink of beer, wine or spirits befogs the judgment, retards coordinate action and benumbs caution for a period of from one to three hours. — The greatest menace of the highway is the undrunken driver.

IT ISN'T the buildings or the streets or the industries that make a town. It is the people.

A Problem in Education

THE TEACHER who chooses an Eskimo schoolroom is apt to face problems that are unique. Solutions have to be just as original.

Eskimo hunters who follow the caribou spend much of the year on the move, and they prefer to travel as a family rather than to leave their children behind at the settlement to go to school. This means that school hours in the Arctic frequently have to adjust to the migratory habits of the caribou.

Last winter one teacher in Eskimo country had only a small class all season. Then in June, as holidays drew near, additional children began arriving from the camps. Just as school was about to close for the season the newcomers decided they wanted it to stay open. After a busy winter on the trail learning to hunt, fish and help harness up the family dog team, the Eskimo youngsters were ready to learn to read and write. So the teacher kept school going all summer.

In spite of such occasionally reversed schedules, education is making good headway in the Arctic. The federal government, through the Northern Administration Branch of the Department of Resources and Development, operates schools at Coppermine, Coral Harbour, Fort Chimo, Port Harrison, Cape Dorset and Tuktoyaktuk. It also assists Mission day schools operated by the Church of England, the Roman Catholic Church and Northern Canada Evangelical Mission by annual grant.

A new course of study designed to make the best use of the Arctic type of school hours is being prepared by the Department. As one officer put it, "the aim in Eskimo education is not to make the Eskimos as white men. We want to help them to become better Eskimos".

Tippers Dig Deeper

LOOKING forward to that trip you're planning to take this spring or summer? If so, you had better review the bank account and plan on taking a few more dollars with you — especially if you intend to visit one of the larger cities.

Not that restaurant and hotel prices are out of the way — it's those pesky tips that throw your budget out of balance. Notwithstanding all the propaganda that a tip in beneath a Canadian's dignity, you have to shell out or spend an uncomfortable vacation ignoring black looks and non-existent service.

And in most cases the old 10-per-cent theory is outdated. A little more than that is expected—15 per cent, maybe, where it can be figured. With the exception of air-line employees who just won't accept tips, you can't escape it no matter how you travel.

From the moment the quarter-happy red-cap grabs your bags at the depot you're in for it if you're travelling by train. The Pullman porter doesn't shine your shoes and whisk you off for the fun of it, nor does the dining-car waiter shower attention on you for your friendly smile alone.

And so it goes with taxi drivers, doormen, bell-boys, waiters, chambermaids and a host of others. The end comes as the bell-boy introduces you to your hotel room and eases out carrying the last of the family silver.

It could be the tipping evil is just as much the fault of the donor as the recipient. It's well known that customers persist in tipping even when advised that it is unnecessary and unwanted. At least one railroad had this experience.

Perhaps it is the "big-shot" feeling one has in distributing largess to all and sundry. In effect you say: "Stick to me boys and give me service and I'll see that you're well looked after. I'm making enough for all of us."

If this lunacy strikes you, fight it off. Although all expect a tip for services rendered, the majority despise the fake big-shots just as much as the man who won't part with a nickel in exchange for a legitimate chore.

The Renaissance of Antiques



At a workshop in Surrey, England, the three Langhorn brothers, Robert, Albert and Stanley, are carrying on their family tradition for fine craftsmanship in the restoration and preservation of fine antiques. Though the demand for antiques is rapidly increasing, the supply is necessarily limited, and the Langhorn brothers, serving clients from all over the world, apply their craft and skill to the job of restoring the work of the original craftsmen.

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Cushing West

Mr. Sandy Pinkerton, of Montreal, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gain.

Mr. Ainslie Dowd and Mrs. N. S. Dowd, of Ottawa, accompanied by the Misses Mary Lou and Norma Fugler, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson on Easter Monday; also on Good Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Dawson, of Montreal, and Miss Pearl Dawson, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson.

Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir spent Sunday last as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Higginson in Hawkesbury.

The Messrs. Douglas and Kenneth Hartley, of Montreal, were motor guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Robert on Easter Monday; on their return they were accompanied by Miss M. Whelehan, who intends spending a few weeks in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Donat Dupuis motored to Gatineau Mills on Saturday, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Dupuis' sister-in-law, who died there last week.

Mrs. E. J. Mahoney, of Ottawa, is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. R. Funcheon, at Monalea.

Mr. Hubert Brooks, of Montreal, spent Good Friday with his mother, Mrs. J. Brooks, at Grece's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stalker and family, accompanied by Master Ricky Casement, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Capt. and Mrs. T. W. Weir.

Mr. Leon Couture, of Montreal, spent the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Allard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Ranger, and daughter, of Ste. Therese, spent the holiday week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aldege Desforges.

Miss Collette St. Jacques, of the Grece's Point school, spent the Easter holidays at her home in Chenneville.

Miss Claudette Ranger, of Ottawa, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Maguire, of Hawkesbury, and Mr. Yvon Burk, of Ottawa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ranger during the long week-end.

Miss Jean and Mr. Maurice Genest spent the week-end at their home in Grece's Point.

Harrington

Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, spent the holiday with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Shaw.

Mrs. R. Ferrigo and daughter, Anne, of Montreal, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dobbie.

Miss Lois Bennett spent Saturday at her home here.

Miss N. Helm and Miss G. Hoyle, of Montreal, are spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

Mrs. R. McCulloch spent a few days last week with her son, Perley, in Montreal — motoring to Renfrew to spend the holiday with her son, Murry McCulloch.

Miss M. Shaw, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett.

Miss Gwen McCullough, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. L. McCullough. . Mrs. McCullough has been visiting her mother, who is ill in Papineauville.

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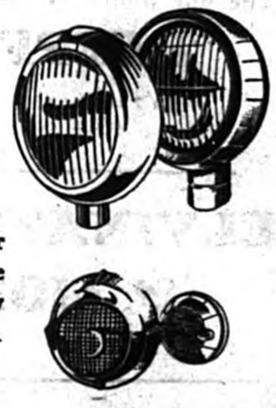
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St. Andrews East

Mrs. Pitcairn spent the holiday at Como, Que., the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Pitcairn.

Master Tony Hungerbuhler is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Hungerbuhler.

Miss Pat Liddell, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Miss Audrey Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Snadden, of Lachute, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morrison over the holiday.

The W.A. of Christ Church met at the home of Mrs. Morrison on March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bridge, with John and Douglas, spent the holiday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coulman and daughter, of Ottawa, were guests of Mrs. E. Brown.

Miss Agnes Sutherland, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Miss Lamb.

Miss Allison Rodger is spending her holidays with her mother in River Rouge.

Mrs. Knox spent the week-end in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald de la Ronde spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. K. de la Ronde.

Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Morris and daughter, of Montreal, spent Good Friday with Mrs. H. W. McOuat.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. MacLaughlin spent the week-end at their home here.

Morin Heights

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillingham over the Easter week-end were Mr. and Mrs. W. Marston and sons, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, Miss Joan Gillingham and Mr. David Wells, of Montreal.

Trinity Church was filled to capacity at the Easter service on Sunday morning.

Miss Sophie Ruttenberg, of N.D.G., was an Easter guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Bell. Messrs. W. R. and Graeme Bell and Merlin McCullough were also with their respective families over the long week-end.

Johnnie Gillingham had the misfortune to break his arm while skiing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett and daughter, Grace, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage.

Misses Beverley Bell and Grace Gillingham are visiting the former's grandmother, Mrs. R. B. Bell, in Verdun this week.

Mr. Harold Thompson, of Verdun, was an Easter visitor at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. J. Kennedy. Miss Dorothy Kennedy was also home for Easter.

Grenville

Miss Madeleine Lefebvre, of Montreal, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canning over the Easter week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Matthew and children, of Kilmar, accompanied by Mr. Gordon Matthew, of Kilmar, and Mrs. R. Matthew and Miss May Matthew, motored to Montreal on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigelow and two small sons, of Montreal, were Easter holiday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Corl Gauley's. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Birch, of Hammond, Ont., were also guests at the Gauley home. On Saturday Mrs. Gauley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bigelow on a motor trip to Galetta, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMeekin, of Ottawa, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Canning.

Mr. Gordon Campbell, who is at Bishop's College, is spending the Easter vacation with his father, Mr. L. S. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Candie, of Montreal, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Oakman.

Mr. Vernon Dawson, of Sault Ste. Marie, visited with his wife, who is convalescing at the home of her parents in Ste. Therese; he and little daughter, Gladys, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Dawson, of Montreal, were also Easter guests at the Dawson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Galley, of Ottawa, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brazeau, of Dorval, were holiday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Welden, and of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brazeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gray, of Valois, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Scharf and son, Bruce, of Ottawa, were holiday visitors at Mrs. G. C. Conway's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Wilburn, of St. Laurent, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mortimer.

Sincere sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late John Welden, who passed away at the residence of his son, Mr. Herbert Welden, on Friday last.

The Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote and family motored on Monday to Stanbridge East, where they are visiting with Mr. Stote's brother and family.

Easter week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barron's were — Mr. and Mrs. James Timmins, of St. Laurent, the Misses Vietta and Ramona Barron, and Mr. Myles Barron, of Montreal, and Mr. Colin Barron, who is stationed at Petawawa training school.

Mr. and Mrs. James Edmondson, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Prattley.

Mr. Gordon Moncrieff, of St. Johns, Que., spent the Easter holidays at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chase, of Ottawa, were Easter week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morrow.

Lake Keatley

Messrs. Charles. and Glindon Watson, of Montreal, were at "Bay Point Cottage" over the week-end.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave MacVicar over the Easter week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Herb Bennett and daughter, Lois, of Montreal, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones and family, of Lachute, Mr. Harry Jennings, also Miss Alice Stacey, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gunn spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gunn, Sr., of Lachute.

Mr. Herman Young spent the week-end in Montreal, the guest of Mrs. Pauline Young and family.

Mrs. Dave MacVicar spent several days with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, of Hawkesbury.

Mr. Laurence Thomas, of Montreal, spent the Easter week-end with his wife and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Ewart and son, of Lachute, visited friends in this district recently.

Northern Grenville

Friends in this community extend heartfelt sympathy to the family of the late Mr. Henry J. MacDonald, who passed away recently at his home in Lakefield, Que.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. W. Young's were — Mr. Alex Young and Mr. Shoddie Young, of Avoca, and Mr. Asa Young, who spent the week-end at his home here.

Good wishes accompany Mr. and Mrs. J. Fokkens and family, in their new home in St. Catharines, Ont.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Bennett's were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Matthew, of Kilmar. Miss Lillian Murray returned with them to their home, to spend the coming week.

Week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCart's were — Mr. Joseph McCart, from Ottawa University, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lowe and little son, Stephen, of Lachute, and Miss Louise Porter, of Grenville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dinelle and little daughter, Jacqueline, of Lake Crest, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Dinelle, during the Easter week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dinelle visited their daughter in Lachute last Sunday.

Miss Anne Richardson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home in Raweliffe.

Mr. Howard Cousins visited friends in Limoges, Ont., during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young and family, accompanied by Mr. A. Young and Mr. S. Young, attended the funeral of the late Mr. H. J. MacDonald in Lachute last Friday.

Have you sent in your subscription to the Easter Seals campaign?

Weir

Mr. R. G. Bowie returned to Senneterre on Tuesday, after spending the holiday week-end at his home here. Mrs. Bowie and daughter, Carole, accompanied him to Montreal on his return.

Miss Nora Marion, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. D. Labrosse, accompanied by her sons Noel and Raymond, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig, with their son John, of Lakeside Heights, were the week-end guests of Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Mr. Frank Thompson spent a few days in Montreal, and was accompanied home Friday by his daughter, Hilda, to spend the week-end at her home here.

Miss Joyce McConnel, who is attending school in Montreal, is spending the week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beaven.

Miss Pat Trottier, of Montreal, spent the holiday week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Trottier.

Miss Beverley Hale, with her brother Ronald, of Montreal, spent the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Craig, with their sons Lyall and Norman, of Joliette, visited friends here last week-end.

Mr. E. J. Craig left Sunday to resume his work at Sorel, after being home for a few weeks.

Morin Heights

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Syvret had as holiday week-end guests their daughter, Mrs. Harold Robb, Mr. Robb and daughters, Sharon and Linda, of Montreal, also their grandsons, Wayne and Rodney Boyd, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac.

Mrs. Jack McCullough returned to Morin Heights last week after spending the winter months in Mille Isles with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Morrow.

Mrs. P. Temple, Miss L. Rendell and Mr. Wm. Temple spent the long week-end at the former's cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Boyd, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, spent the Easter week-end in New York City.

Sympathy of the community is extended to the relatives of the late Harry Boyd, who died recently at his home in Maple Creek, Sask.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Kneeland and children, Craig and Linda, are spending ten days' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allen have been spending the past two weeks at their home here.

Miss Florence Findlay is spending the Easter vacation with friends in Sherbrooke.

On Thursday last the United Church Sunday School teachers and pupils held a supper and social evening in the church hall. Two film strips, "Sunday Schools of the World" and a comedy, were shown. Mr. Wm. Forsyth entertained with "Tommy", followed by a hot supper and singsong.

The Rev. and Mrs. Stan Smith, of Shawbridge, were guests of the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis spent the holiday week-end with Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Miss Grace Watchorn was at her home in Christieville for the holidays. On Saturday while skiing on the "Flying Mile" at Lac Tremblant, she sustained muscular bruises on the left side, and a broken nose.

Easter week-end guests of Mrs. M. Campbell included Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and Mr. Mason Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards and Mr. Harold Voce.

The Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Wood and son, David, left on Tuesday to spend the rest of the week in Ottawa visiting their parents.

Miss Margaret Kennedy spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Kennedy.

B'bg Guides and Brownies

Brownsburg—At a recent meeting of the Brownsburg Girl Guide and Brownie Association, held in the Brownsburg School, it was decided to sponsor a benefit picture on April 11 at the Capitol Theatre.

Plans were made for an enrolment ceremony to be held at the Brownsburg United Church, Friday, March 30, at 7.15 p.m. Mrs. A. E. Pattison, of Rosemere, district commissioner, will attend and parents of both Brownies and Guides are invited, as well as anyone interested in the Girl Guide and Brownie movement. Members of the local Association will be enrolled.

The following is a list of Guides and Brownies who have passed badges recently:

Guides

Nancy Ann McCormick, Minstrel's Badge.

Brownies

Linda Silverson, Golden Hand & Wings.
Linda Murdoch, Golden Hand & Wings.
Mary Quinn, Golden Hand, Wings, Skater's, Thrift.
Joanne Steele, Thrift, Skater's.
Helen Mason, Thrift, Skater's.
Glenrose Hazel, Skater's.
Marlene Hebert, Skater's.

In 1948, expenditures on food by Canadians amounted to $2,796,000,000, or 28% of total expenditures on consumer goods and services. Currently increased prices should swell the figure for 1950.

The first radio-reported boxing match — Johnny Dunne versus Johnny Ray — was broadcast April 11, 1921, over Station KDKA Pittsburg, Penn., according to Dunlap's Radio Almanac.

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BIRTH

TITLEY — At the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, on March 27, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Titley (née Jean Kennedy), a son, Gordon Milton. Both well.

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG — March 23, 1951, at Carillon, Que., Flora Kittson, in her 73rd year, widow of the late Major General C. J. Armstrong, C.B., C.M.G., and daughter of the late Canon Henry Kittson and the late Flora M. Grant. Funeral held at Christ Church, St. Andrews East, March 27; interment Carillon Cemetery.

BURROWS — At the Western Division of the Montreal General Hospital on March 22, 1951, Margaret Elizabeth (Bessie), daughter of the late Archibald D. McGibbon and his wife Margaret Mason, and wife of Stanley T. Burrows. Funeral took place on March 25 at the home of her late father at Lachute Mills, Que., with burial in the Dalesville Cemetery.

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Family Fun

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— By NANCY CLEAVER —

"The days that make us happy make us wise", wrote John Masefield. Because this is so true, parents do well to place happy times together away near the top of the list of home essentials. If mother and father do not realize the importance of family fun, time for it is apt to get crowded out of the week's program.

In most households father is occupied long hours earning a living for his wife and children. Mother, in a time of rising prices, is finding the problems of feeding her family nutritious, tasty meals, and clothing them neatly and becomingly, increasingly perplexing. But no matter how great are the demands of earning a living or housekeeping, it is a great mistake not to guard as precious those moments when the family as a group enjoy themselves together.

Different families have good times in quite different ways. The Browns are musical and they all love to sing. At least once a week in the evening they gather around the piano and big sister Margaret plays the music for a family singsong. The MacKays are keen on games and each year they invest in one new piece of play equipment. They have just cleared a space in their cellar for a Recreation Room, and even mother has promised to try her hand at ping-pong. The Smiths are athletic and both parents are proud of the tumbling acts which their children have perfected with patience and practice. There are many other ways families enjoy themselves. listening to the radio, reading aloud, going to movies, taking walks or motor drives, skiing, skating or tobogganning together, pursuing a handicraft or a photography hobby — these are only a few of the many ways members of the same household spend their leisure time together.

The family is the first and most important social group in a child's life. In the home the little boy or girl learns his or her first lessons in consideration for others, persistence, sportsmanship and co-operation. It is not easy for a youngster to be a good loser or a generous winner. But when mother or dad take time to play simple games with their children, and encourage them in fair play, boys and girls are prepared to enter into activities happily and wholeheartedly with their friends as they grow older in school and community groups.

Acquaintances and strangers in the outside world are often critical, but in the home circle, because a child feels secure and is encouraged, he can quickly learn new skills. A little praise from Dad for the wooden boat his boy built himself, a piece of furniture which father and son have struggled together to make, as a surprise for mother, these experiences give a boy confidence a few years later when he enters woodcraft group under a trained instructor. The great thing about family fun is that it trains a child in satisfying efficient living.

There is a good deal of controversy these days about the benefits and drawbacks of different systems of bringing up children. Most emphasis should be placed, not on a plan of discipline, but on the atmosphere in the home. If the children know that mother and father love each other and enjoy each other's company, if every child has that wonderfully comforting feeling of "belonging", of being loved for his own sake, and if the routine of the family life includes generous time for play as well as work, the children going out from that home are likely to be well-adjusted, useful citizens. There is nothing which can take the place of a child's memories of happy times together in the home circle. "I wonder", boasted Charles Kingsley in a letter to his wife, "I wonder if there is as much laughter in any home in England as in ours?"

Every thoughtful parent might well ask, "Is this the kind of tribute to the good time in our home which my child will be able to make when he is grown and away 'on his own'?" Happy the parents who will have no regrets over failing to make ample provision for family fun!

COMFORTABLE JAILS

Sheriff Charbonneau and the Rouyn council are to be commended for the decision to replace the straw mattresses in the Rouyn jail with foam rubber ones. The sheriff is to be congratulated for his realistic statement that everyone arrested is not necessarily a bandit or a criminal.

— Rouyn (Que.)
Rouyn-Noranda Press

First Ticket from Farnham



The Mayor of Farnham, Que., A. Bernier (centre), was the first person to purchase a ticket at the C.P.R.'s new station there, following the recent opening ceremony. Looking on as the mayor takes advantage of the fine new passenger facilities are G. N. Curley (left), of Toronto, general manager of the C.P.R.'s eastern region, and F. A. Pouliot, of Montreal, general superintendent of the road's Quebec district. The two-storey, $160,000 station replaces one destroyed by fire 25 months ago, and houses the administrative headquarters for the important Farnham division.

(Canadian Pacific Railway photo)

Personal Planners Solve Their Financial Problems

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Some Personal Planners are saving for a down-payment on a house, others for a new car, still others for more education, better holidays or even just new clothes. Many simply enjoy not feeling hagridden by the high cost of living. All who give Personal Planning a real try find that it speeds their progress, whatever their goals.

Donald Hay, the manager of the local B of M branch, invites anyone interested to drop in for a free copy of Personal Planning, the bank's breezy new booklet on family financing. "There's no obligation", Mr. Hay says, "except to yourself".

Manitoba Pioneer Pens Poetry at 83

Mrs. James Angus of Hamiota Warmly Defends Robert Burns

Winnipeg (CP) — Mrs. James Angus, homespun poet of Hamiota, Man., is visiting her daughter in Winnipeg. Mrs. Angus is 83 and "makes up" verses about everyday happenings.

"Say the one about leaving Scotland, mother", suggests her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Gray.

The old lady's blue eyes twinkle and out comes the poem:

"We sailed away from Glasgow
With many lives on deck,
Without mishap or adventure
We landed in Quebec.
"Then all aboard for Virden,
A journey three days long,
Through woods and rock and waving grain
And birds all full of song."

Mrs. Angus is having her son-in-law type out the verses so that she'll have a collection.

"I've never made up a piece without putting good in it", Mrs. Gray says. She reads poetry and can recite Robert Burns by heart. She defends the Scottish poet warmly:

"He was a badly used man. He was all right as long as he stayed with his own kith and kin, but he went to Edinburgh with the lords and ladies and they spoiled him".

A framed picture of a vase of roses inspired Mrs. Angus' latest verse, ending:

"So feast upon these roses
Till your hearts are filled with love,
That you may be kept and nourished,
For your heavenly home above."

In 1950 capital expansion in Canada cost $3.9 billion.

In 1497 John Cabot, a Venetian sailing out of Bristol, landed on either Cape Breton Island or the coast of Newfoundland and claimed the land for the King of England.

An estimated 250 television sets are in operation in the Montreal area with varying results reported by owners, who must beam in on American programs.

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"EXILE FROM SUNNYACRES"
By Margaret Cook

As we write this, the March lion is wandering about dropping rainy tears on the dirty snowbanks and occasionally stirring up a flurry of the greyish stuff with his expiring breath. At least, we hope it is a failing breath and that when this appears in print, the March lamb will have made his appearance, ready to gambol over the first, faint green on the lawns and meadows.

To judge by our sole regular correspondent from the Laurentians, the lamb will be hard put to it to find space to play anywhere up there; even the highway will be hardly passable. Every time the writer is goaded to write something disparaging about the roads around Lakefield, she feels she is a split personality, about whom the psychologists write such dire things, for it is her instinct to leave things as they are in order to stave off as long as possible the advent of more motor cars, radios, telephones and other symbols of so-called civilization. But this, we realize, is not the feeling of the year-round inhabitants, nor even the majority of the summer people — so we dutifully declare once more that the roads that serve one of the loveliest sections of the Laurentians are a disgrace to the county and those powers that concern themselves with highways.

Adventure

In justice, we should point out that bad roads are not confined to the Laurentians. We recently bounced over a road on Ile Perrot that was worse than anything around Lakefield (with the exception of the infamous Shrewsbury Hill). On either side of this pitted ribbon of decadent asphalt lies a row of mean, unlovely shacks, but, if one perseveres, one finally emerges into a little strip of unspoiled, wooded countryside. One of its attractions is that it grows pussy-willows in abundance, and we were in search of those endearing harbingers of Spring. There they were, etched in all their intriguing grey and brown against a sky of a blueness that we call privately "Wedgewood blue", having in mind that heavenly blue on which Wedgewood limnes its figures in white. The sun shone upon them, giving them an unearthly quality which beckoned us on. It unfortunately beckoned us from beyond a flat expanse of snow that we felt might conceal a watery swamp. But we plunged in — over our knees and the rubber boots that we had thoughtfully worn. When we returned to the car, our feet were sloshing unhappily about in ice-water imprisoned in shoes and boots. At least, that was true of Betty, Pat and the writer; the man of the house, to our infuriation, calmly removed his rubber boots and replaced his shoes that he had sensibly left in the car.

Sideshow

In this unhappy state, we went on to a sugar camp and had sugar-on-snow. The provident owner of this bush has built a log cabin embodying a dining-hall and kitchen. Here one may have a dinner, or sugar-on-snow, or simply sit in the warmth and eat "la tire" from little paper cups (at 30 cents a cup). Syrup is, of course, for sale, and in the fine, fresh enthusiasm of the moment one hardly notices that the article is of an inferior quality. It is all, I should think, a very profitable venture for the owner and for the weary city-dweller a means of having fun, food and sun at a moderate cost. We have several times visited this particular camp and are always struck anew by the unfailing courtesy and good humor of our compatriots; mine host greets each arrival cordially and, if possible, by name. Not until he has satisfied himself as to the state of one's health and that of as many relatives as he can remember, does he suggest that one warm oneself in the cabin and that something besides a social call is on the agenda. All this takes time and is foreign to our more robust culture, but we feel that it pays. One is charmed, and lingers — and to linger is to buy. . . All the time the others were eating two pannikins of golden sugar (and the writer three and a half) our feet were slowly congealing in the icy water in our boots, so the first act on regaining the car was to turn on the heater and remove our footgear. Unfortunately, in doing so, I poured some of the water onto the seat, and so was forced to sit in a pool of water all the way back to Montreal; but our feet were soon warm and dry, and we went along happily and without incident until we got entangled with a St. Patrick's parade, much to Betty's delight. . .

The Parade

As the parade was progressing at a snail's pace, we had a good opportunity to examine its component parts: there was the usual motor filled with fat Irishmen wearing top-hats encircled with a wreath of shamrocks. Behind them, came cherubic boys astride ponies; and behind them the brass band, which was a surprise for Betty as she had always understood that a brass band was a brazen hoop propelled by someone with a stick. These mistaken imageries of childhood rate an article all to themselves; but of that, more hereafter. Following the band marched army cadets, more or less in step, then more adult Irishmen, more top-hats, more shamrocks and the usual tail of running urchins. A few cars, decorated with green ribbons, followed, and into these we modestly insinuated ourselves, although we had no insignia; we did think of flaunting our bare feet at the windows, thus symbolizing the well-known poverty of Ireland, but were restrained by our driver.

Thus, by slow degrees, we attained Victoria Bridge and the more correct precincts of our suburb, where we were unfortunate enough to find our Doctor neighbor busily cleaning her car in the common drive-way so that we had to make our exit from the car in our bare feet under the incredulous eyes of the neighbors. — No, dear reader, not one of us has had a cold since this episode, thus confirming the favorite theory of a well-known physician, that germs, not exposure, cause the common cold.

Childhood

To go back to the imageries of childhood, the writer can still remember her astonishment when she saw her sister trail up to the altar in her capacity of bridesmaid; the dress, after the fashion of the time, swept the floor — but there was no locomotive and string of cars embroidered on it as the child had been led to expect from the many discussions on "the train!" And years after, the writer discovered that a whole class in a Laurentian school were singing lustily about the charms of what they believed to be a brand of tea. (Liberty, to you).

And A Parting Tribute

The lengthening of the sheet on the typewriter warns that undue column-space is being consumed, but we are loath to close without a passing reference to the Rev. Allan Edgar Mount, who will be sorely missed in the Lakefield community. The power of simple goodness is hard to estimate; no one will ever know how many people were calmed for a moment by the beauty, serenity and feeling of spiritual power that emanated from his cottage, in its setting of flowers. To converse with Mr. Mount was to live for the moment in a better world, where surely he is now permanently at home.

OBITUARY

Death Calls Widow of Late General Armstrong, At Her Carillon Home

The death of Mrs. C. J. Armstrong, a well known resident of Carillon, occurred last Friday, in her 73rd year. Mrs. Armstrong died at her home, following a long period of ill health.

The former Flora Kittson, she was the daughter of the late Canon Henry Kittson and his wife Flora Grant. She was the widow of the late Major General C. J. Armstrong, C.B., C.M.G., to whom she was married in 1913 at Christ Church Cathedral, Ottawa, of which church her father was the rector.

With the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, C. J. Armstrong went overseas early in the 1st World War, in command of the 1st Divn. Canadian Engineers, and shortly afterwards Mrs. Armstrong went to England to engage in war work with the Red Cross — returning to Canada when her health broke down in 1918. In later years she maintained her interest in Red Cross work.

Major General and Mrs. Armstrong spent their summer holidays for many years at "Bellevue", Carillon, and on the General's retirement from the Army they decided to make over the "Stone Cottage" nearby, to be their permanent home. The General, however, died before the work was finished, and Mrs. Armstrong, completing the cottage in 1939, has resided there since that time. She took a great interest in the Museum of the Argenteuil Historical Society.

The late Mrs. Armstrong is survived by, one sister, Miss Mildred Kittson, a brother, Major Arthur G. Kittson, a sister-in-law, Mrs. A. G. Kittson, two nieces, Mrs. A. B. Venner, of Cookham Dean, Berks., England, and Mrs. John Husher, of Victoria, B.C., and two grand-nephews, Michael Venner and Anthony Husher.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. C. R. Lang, assisted by the Rev. G. T. Spriggs, of Lachute, the service being held Monday afternoon at Christ Church, St. Andrews East, followed by interment at the Pines Cemetery, Carillon Hill.

QUEER OCCUPATIONS

The "Children of Light" (who barricaded themselves in a British Columbia farmhouse awaiting a manifestation from God) are not the first sect or cult which has gained notoriety by predicting the imminence of the dissolution of the universe, nor will they likely be the last. . . (They) would be better employed trying to improve the world than sitting down waiting for its end. — Pembroke (Ont.) Standard-Observer

"Steel Fingers and Green Thumbs" Title of Film To Interest Farmers

Farmers and their families in this district will be entertained at a Jubilee Family Night, Thursday, April 12, in the Legion Memorial Hall, with the showing of a new full-color motion picture, "Steel Fingers and Green Thumbs" — it is announced by the local firm, Farmers' Supply Company. The program will commence at 7.45 p.m.

The new film shows, for the first time, slow-motion scenes of many farming tasks. These reveal the action of tractor-drawn equipment in the soil. The film will be presented as a part of full-scale family party, complete with prizes and entertainment.

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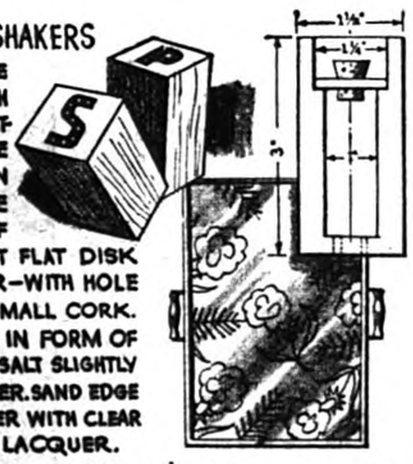
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Tom Gard's Note Book

Well, I was finally forced into it! I have been threatening to make a cupboard under the basement stairs to use up some of the waste space but have just delayed doing it. Seeing my neighbor down the street mutilating his shrubs with a "brush cut" reminded me that I still had some pruning of my own to do. After looking in vain in the garage where the shears should have been, a whole hour was wasted poking around in the basement. They finally turned up beneath the watering hose under the steps.

Now that the cupboard is finished there will be two people happy — I'll have one shelf in the basement for garden tools brought indoors and my wife will have extra shelves for her preserves.

Back to School

I have always wanted one of the old-style commercial desks that used to abound in our secondary schools. Last week I struck "oil"! While visiting a class mate of mine who is now a high school principal, I happened to mention the fact. He didn't say anything immediately but later, as we toured the school, he ushered me into a dark storeroom and said, "Take your pick". There before my eyes were dozens of desks — just the kind I wanted. I went the whole "hog" and managed to crowd three in my car! The first one will be made into a utility table for my den.

Wallpaper to the Rescue

They say the youngest gets away with more than all the rest of the family put together! Maybe it's true. Junior avoided the woodshed after breaking the glass in his mother's serving tray by pointing out the fact the doily was badly stained anyway. It afforded a chance to use an idea I had noticed in a magazine some time ago — using wallpaper on a serving tray. We cleaned and sanded the base of the tray, carefully selected our paper, glued it firmly in place and bought a new glass. Now even mother is glad it was broken.

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The marriage of Miss Madeleine Lefebvre, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lefebvre, of Lachute, to Mr. Roger Fauteux, son of Hon. Dr. Gaspard Fauteux, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec, and Madame Fauteux, took place very quietly on Monday, March 26, in the private chapel of Bois de Coulonge, Quebec, official residence of the Lieutenant-Governor.

Outstanding Cast in Legion Follies, Friday

The Legion Follies (Canadian Legion Command Revue, as it is officially known) will be presented here Friday, March 30, in the Lachute High School auditorium, under auspices of Lachute Branch of the Canadian Legion. This type of entertainment is always popular, and the troupe includes a star cast of 35 entertainers in music, comedy and dancing.

The show is directed by Mrs. George Layton, of Montreal, who was the co-producer of the Legion All-Star Revue which served overseas during the last war. Included in its personnel are many popular performers with the All-Star Revue and other wartime shows; and almost the entire cast are veterans who served overseas in shows of the last Great War. The line captain of the Legionettes is Phyllis Collins, who when dancing in Germany received a foot injury, and who, 10 months and three operations later, was back on her feet. She is now doing both the choreography and instructing the dancers in the show, as well as participating in comedy skits and solo dances.

Fred Collins, one of the originators of a comedy trio in his overseas jaunt with the military show, wrote both words and music for several scores in the program. He also plays a sweet trumpet in the show.

Ray Gauthier is a singer and comedian; and Lorna MacFarlane from Ottawa, who has won many prizes with her outstanding voice, is leading soloist in operatic presentations in Ottawa; her singing of Ave Maria is considered a highlight of the show. These stars and almost 30 other performers of equal talent will be in Lachute on Friday to entertain local residents — the proceeds of this performance going to aid the volunteer troupe in touring hospitals and camps, and also to help local veterans.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Ministerial Association

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg, last Monday with the president, the Rev. S. J. Pike, in the chair.

The Rev. N. H. Brock led the devotional period, taking as his subject, "The Highway of Holiness" and basing his address on 1 Cor: 13. This Highway is that of those redeemed by Jesus Christ. There are important requisites for any desiring to travel this Highway, namely Consecration, Love and Power. The speaker showed how our Lord fulfilled these demands as He passed over this Highway.

Final arrangements have been made for the conference of this Association with members of the Eastern Ontario Association, May 28 at 2 p.m. at Abenaki Club, Hawkesbury. It is hoped all the clergy in this county will meet with those of Ontario East to hear the guest speaker, the Rev. M. Kane, recently returned from China.

April 1 to 8 has been set apart as Temperance Week. Special meetings are arranged (as mentioned on this page). The Rev. J. Linton will address the gathering, and everyone is urged to attend.

The Rev. W. H. Britton, spoke of the suggestion by the Gideon Society whereby persons can subscribe for Bibles to be placed in hotels, hospitals, etc., in loving memory of departed friends. Arrangements have been made for these gifts to the Gideon Society, to be paid through the local funeral directors.

Easter Services At Morin Heights

Morin Heights—All churches in this municipality were crowded to capacity for the Easter services. Residents and visiting friends attended the services, and even the ardent skiers took time off to join in the devotions. Although snow still lay upon the ground, the day was especially pleasant, and groups gathered after the services to exchange the traditional good wishes, before returning to their homes.

At the United Church, the service was conducted by the Rev. C. R. Wood, who took as his text "The Easter Hope". The choir rendered two anthems, "Open the Gates of the Temple". with Mrs. Simms taking the solo part, and "Easter Dawn".

At Trinity Church, services held at 7 a.m. and 11 a.m. were conducted by the Rev. H. G. Baugh, with the celebration of Holy Communion at each service. At the 11 a.m. service Mr. Baugh's text was "The Joy of Easter".

Temperance Speaker to Visit Lachute and Brownsburg Next Week



The Rev. John Linton

The Rev. John A. Linton, M.A., General Secretary of the Canadian Temperance Federation, will pay his first official visit to Quebec Province the first week of April.

Mr. Linton, who assumed his new duties last December in succession to Rev. Dr. John Coburn, has been associated with the Ontario Temperance Federation for some years. He has just returned from a tour of the four Western Provinces, and reports increased interest there. During his visit he met Government representatives from the four provinces, met University groups and gave radio addresses, besides preaching in seven churches and having conferences with clergy and executive groups. He also addressed five service clubs.

In Montreal, Mr. Linton will be the guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Quebec Temperance League in Westmount Park - Emmanuel United Church, this Friday, March 30.

From April 1 to 3 he will be in Sherbrooke and Quebec. Arrangements are being made by the Argenteuil Ministerial Association for his visit to Lachute and Brownsburg on April 4 and 5. His program will be —

Wednesday at 7.30, Temperance Rally in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg.

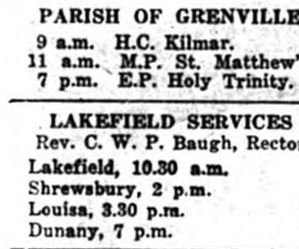
Thursday at 6.30, address to the Rotary Club.

Thursday at 8.00, address to a Temperance Rally in Lachute Baptist Church.

A film, "Liquid Lore" — a technicolor production showing the comparative places of water and alcohol in life — will be shown at these rallies sponsored by the Argenteuil Ministerial Association.

THERE ARE CANADIANS

In a recent broadcast J. B. Priestley, well-known English writer, suggested that Canadians were too inclined to ape either the British or the Americans. The Financial Post asked a group of citizens about this point. While most of those replying thought that there was more Canadianism here than Priestley seemed to find, at the same time they admitted that not enough was being done to expand it and to publicize it. They suggested that strong efforts should be made to counteract U.S. influence, and to continue the development of a Canadian nation.



GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

CHURCH SERVICES

MARGARET RODGER MEM'L PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. J. S. McBride, Interim Minister.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
8 p.m. Brownsburg.
7 p.m. Evening service, Lachute.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCHES
Rev. Geo. B. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
BROWNSBURG
Bible School, 10 a.m.
Church, 11 a.m.
Happy Hour, Monday 7 p.m.
Y.P.S., Monday, 8 p.m.
Prayer, Thurs., 8 p.m.
DALESVILLE
2 p.m. Bible School
Church, 3 p.m.
Wed. at 8 p.m. — Prayer Meeting

PARISH OF GRENVILLE
9 a.m. H.C. Kilmar.
11 a.m. M.P. St. Matthew's.
7 p.m. E.P. Holy Trinity.

LAKEFIELD SERVICES
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Lakefield, 10.30 a.m.
Shrewsbury, 2 p.m.
Louisa, 3.30 p.m.
Dunany, 7 p.m.

MAPLE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, BROWNSBURG
Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Worship Service.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
Prayer meeting, Wed. at 7.30 p.m.

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
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

LACHUTE UNITED CHURCH
Rev. W. B. Rosborough, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. Sabbath School.
11 a.m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
7 p.m. Evening Service. "Things That Abide".
Friday, March 30
8 p.m. Preparatory service.

BROWNSBURG UNITED
Rev. S. J. Pike, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Communion and Reception at morning service.
Wednesday, April 4, at 7.30 p.m. Temperance Rally at Maple Ave. Baptist Church - Rev. J. Linton, special speaker.

LACHUTE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. H. Britton, Pastor
47 Grace St. — Phone 462-J
10 a.m. Bible School.
11 a.m. The Ordinance of the Lord's Supper.
7 p.m. Gospel service.
Wed. at 8 p.m., Prayer meeting
Thursday at 8 p.m.
GREAT TEMPERANCE RALLY
Speaker: Rev. John Linton.
Film: "Liquid Lore".

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Alice Eyland, of Montreal, is the guest this week of Miss Lulu Millar, East Ward.

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The Misses Bernadette and Marie-Jeanne Dallaire spent Easter Monday in Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nat Kaplan, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brown for Easter.

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Mrs. John Meyer, of Rivington, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Boa and Mr. Boa. Guests last week-end were the former's sister, Mrs. Harold Dent, with Mr. Dent and children, of Thurso, Que.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Cook and daughter, Betty, of St. Lambert, were guests on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Y. Deacon.

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Mr. Jack Steeves is home from Bishop's College, Lennoxville, to spend the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Steeves.

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Mrs. Hugh Gall, of Montreal, with her son and daughter, spent the Easter week-end in Lachute visiting Mr. H. Mossman Gall.

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Miss Florrie MacRae and Miss Mary Lou Hooper have been spending the Easter holidays in Belleville, Ont.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyd and son, Bobby, of Montreal, spent the Easter holiday as guests of Mrs. Robt. Hamilton.

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Master Peter Riddell is spending a few days in Ottawa.

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Miss Sandra Williamson, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Williamson, is in Montreal this week.

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Miss Mabel Meyer and Mr. Thos. Boa were guests last week-end of the former's sister, Mrs. Harold Cheslock, in Ottawa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kent de Conde and family spent the Easter holidays in Lachute, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cruise, Jr.

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Miss Joan Percival, R.N., of the Neurological Institute, Montreal, is spending this week with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. Percival.

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Miss Nancy Muir is visiting friends in Valois, Que., this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. McKeown, of Verdun, and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith McKeown, of St. Laurent, were Easter Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riddell, of Norgate, Montreal, paid a brief visit here on Tuesday evening.

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Miss Margaret Dorion is home after spending a period in a Montreal hospital.

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The Misses Gertrude and Ruth McMahon visited Toronto and Niagara Falls during Easter week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jean Belanger visited New York recently, and returning via Hamilton, Ont., were guests of Mrs. S. Cole in that city.

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Miss Isobel Fraser visited her home in Harrington last week-end.

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Mr. J. S. Giles, Councillor for Lions International, is today attending the 13th annual meeting of the Lions Club branch at Smiths Falls, Ont.

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Young Couple Feted

A taffy party was held by Lachute Badminton Club last Saturday, for Miss Bobby Ogilvie and Don McFaul, in honor of their approaching marriage. The party was at the residence of one of the members, Miss Joan Welden, Lachute. Miss Ogilvie and Mr. McFaul were presented with the gift of an automatic toaster.

The Misses Rollande Desjardins and Huguette Gauthier left last Friday evening to spend a week's vacation in Detroit, Mich.

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Mr. Arthur Maxwell spent the week-end at the Clark farm, Upper Lachute.

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Engagement

The Reverend Dr. and Mrs. Henry Cousens, of Brockville, Ont., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ruth Harriet, to Ralph Borden Jackson, B.A., M.A., Lieutenant, U.S.N.R. Lt. Jackson is the eldest son of Col. Ralph L. Jackson, President of Western Military Academy, Alton, Ill. He was graduated from Western Military Academy in 1935, attended Princeton and Chicago Universities, and received his Master's degree from Washington University, St. Louis. Miss Cousens is a graduate of the Brockville General Hospital School of Nursing, Brockville, Ont., class of 1949, and is a registered nurse. The marriage will take place in the early summer.

The Misses Clare and Isabel FitzGerald are home from College to spend the holidays with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. FitzGerald.

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Miss Joan McMartin, R.N., of the Homoeopathic Hospital staff, spent the long week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erle McMartin.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer, of Rivington, Que., wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mabel Edna, to Thomas Shepherd Boa, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Boa, of St. Hermas, Que. The marriage will take place the latter part of the summer.

Mr. Russell Elliott, of Montreal, spent the Easter holidays here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Cushing

Miss Eva Barker, of Ottawa, was the Easter holiday guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Martin.

Mrs. J. C. Dougall and litlte son, Graham, of Cote St. Luc, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham. Mr. J. C. Dougall was a guest on Sunday — Mrs. Dougall and small son returning home with him.

The Rev. Dr. Carson, of Hawkesbury, was the noonday guest of Mrs. L. M. Gaston on Sunday.

Miss Elsie M. Graham, of Verdun, is spending this week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Minshall, of Pointe Claire, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning on Good Friday. Guests at the Canning home for the long week-end were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Drew, of Verdun.

The Easter storm spoiled the holiday for many, and also prevented the Rev. Dr. Carson from reaching the St. Andrews East portion of the pastorate on Sunday morning. The snow plough evidently not being available until Sunday afternoons, makes Sunday morning church attendance very difficult.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Leclair spent Sunday with relatives in Papineauville.

Guests at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie's on Friday evening were Mr. A. C. Pinkerton, of Montreal, and Mrs. J. A. Bradley and son, Ian, of Carillon.

Miss Audrey Heatlie, nurse-in-training, spent Thursday and Friday with her parents.

Notes from Hoosier Of Interest to Cushing

From Hoosier, Sask., comes an item of news regarding Mr. Albert Fuller, formerly of the Fuller Road here. Mr. Fuller celebrated his 90th birthday on February 26 last. His residence from childhood was on the home farm on the Fuller Road, now owned by Mr. Donat Guay. His schooldays saw him attending the now defunct Davidson School, a short distance from his home.

He married the late Minnie Douglas, of Chatboro, but moved with his son Gordon to Hoosier in 1910, his wife and daughter Beatrice following the next year — his household effects and stock being freighted from St. Philippe to Kindersley, which was almost 40 miles away from his Hoosier home.

Mr. Fuller's principal hobby while in the East was carpentry. This he practiced in the West, transforming the then two-room house into a modern 10-room home, the only one in the district to have running water. From the original homestead in the west he and his son Gordon have extended their grain farm to 3½ sections.

After the passing of Mrs. Fuller in 1932, Mr. Fuller continued to share the home of his son. He built a fully equipped machine shop and does his own metal lathe work. He is spending this winter supervising the building of a suite in the basement of their new Calgary home.

Mr. Fuller paid a visit several years ago to the home of his cousin, the late Frank Fuller, and other relatives, and is well remembered by many of his old neighbors. While residing here the Fuller family were members of St. Mungo's Church, as were the grandparents of Mr. Donald Dewar, who according to the Hoosier News has probably won more rodeo cups and medals than any other Canadian.

A Champion Cowboy

A son of Mr. J. Stuart Dewar and grandson of the late Donald Dewar of Cushing and Lachute, this young man travels by air from 2,500 to 30,000 miles each year, from rodeo to rodeo to win these trophies, and this year was named Canadian decorator steer champion at a Canadian Cowboy Protective Association banquet, and presented with the prize of a saddle with engraved silver pommel and a set of four tires for his car. . . He has ridden from childhood and entered his first rodeo in Czar, Alberta, in 1939. His first win was in Kinderaley in 1911. In 1945 he went to Madison Square and Boston Gardens. Other places of note for Don, were Chicago Stadium and the Cow Palace in San Francisco.

He also won steer decorating championships at many points in 1945. In 1950 he won the wild-horse race in Madison Square Gardens and steer wrestling in Boston, also several prizes for bronco riding.

His father, J. Stuart Dewar, formerly of Cushing and Lachute, has been a judge at many rodeos. Don's brother and sisters are also riders. His three-year-old daughter, Linda, now rides alone. Don has two very young sons who will no doubt follow in his footsteps at an early age.

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THE LATE EMERSON F. COOKE

The death of Emerson Fraser Cooke, aged 70 years, of 313 11th Street E., Saskatoon (formerly of Hoosier) occurred at Vancouver on February 13, following a lingering illness borne with his usual light-hearted optimism. The funeral service was held on February 20 from the chapel of the Saskatoon funeral home, service being conducted by the Rev. T. R. Davies.

Surviving are his widow, the former Maude Veitch, of Centreville, Que.; three daughters, (Myrtle) Mrs. G. Goldsmith of Fargo, N.D., (Iola) Mrs. D. Richardson of Calgary, (Dolly) Mrs. W. Gibson of Saskatoon; his four sons are Gerald, of Saskatoon, Earle, of Lethbridge, Alta., Keith, of Vancouver, and Donald, of Winnipeg; also 13 grandchildren. Others surviving are his sister, Mrs. W. H. Canning, of Cushing, and a brother, Roy Cooke, of Port Arthur.

Mr. Cooke was born in Cushing, the son of the late Christopher C. Cooke and Margaret Gray Cole, his wife; he lived there until 1910 in the stone house recently owned by the late Dr. H. B. Cushing, of Montreal, and now by his daughter, Dr. Cushing Harbert. . He farmed in Hoosier until he moved to Saskatoon in 1935.

Interment was made in Woodlawn Cemetery, the pall-bearers being J. A. Hyslop, J. A. Cooke, L. Hartley, D. A. Yoos, J. W. Cameron and J. R. Cooke.

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacPhee spent the Easter holiday with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, in Aylmer, Que.

Mrs. Neil McCallum left last Friday to spend a week with her son, Dr. Lester McCallum and Mrs. McCallum, in Montreal.

The canvasser for the Red Cross will shortly be calling for donations, and hopes for as generous a response as in the past.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Young, Miss Verna Young, and Mr. Wm. Scott, all of Montreal, spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Edward C. Young.

Mr. Larry Fox, of Island Lake, spent the week-end with Mr. Berton Young.

Mrs. Gordon Young, of Montreal, spent Easter Sunday at the home of her father, Mr. Walter Kelly.

Miss Verna Young and Mr. Wm. Scott were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Andrews left Wednesday for a visit to friends in Sheffield, Mass.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Claude Andrews is a patient in Dr. Kelly's Hospital.

Grenville

Mr. Russel Gauley visited his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gauley, during the Easter season.

Mr. Victor D. Gaudry has been spending the Easter holidays in Ottawa with his daughter, Mrs. Nolan MacLean and Mr. McLean. . . Mr. McLean's parents visited Mrs. V. D. Gaudry here last Thursday.

Many old members and visitors attended Easter services in the village churches.

Friends extend sympathy to the family of the late Mr. John Welden, who is remembered for his many acts of kindness during his long lifetime in this neighborhood.

Mrs. N. McCallum, of Avoca, spent the week-end with friends in this community.

Mrs. Eddley Woodbury and children, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mrs. Brazeau.

Mrs. Della Lyon, of Ottawa, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. V. D. Gaudry, and family, returned home Sunday night in company with Mrs. Woodbury.

Brownsburg

Those from Montreal augmenting local talent in the Y.P.U. concert at the United Church last Wednesday evening, included Miss Olive Horan, elocutionist, Mrs. S. E. Longthorpe, soloist, with Mrs. R. Martin as accompanist, and little Miss Joan Glithero, 11-year-old pianist, who gave an extraordinary display of talent and technique.

Women's Institute

Brownsburg W.I. will meet at the Social Club Thursday, April 5, at 7.30 p.m. — when Mr. L. Lachapelle will be guest speaker, his subject being "The Chinese of British Columbia". Mrs. George Helmer, convener of Citizenship, will be in charge of the meeting. Visitors are welcome.

A special rally under the auspices of the Quebec Temperance League, embracing all denominations, will be held in the Maple Avenue Baptist Church on Wednesday, April 4, at 7.30 p.m., with the Rev. J. Linton as guest speaker.

"The Last Date", a two-reel sound film, will be shown under auspices of the Y.P.U. in the United Church hall next Monday, April 2, at 7 p.m. The film depicts a dramatic vehicle to fight the ever-increasing problem of "teenicide". It is the story of four teen-agers whose lives are tragically affected by the carelessness of one; it is a movie for those concerned about the grim pattern of daily traffic accidents. With all the drama and suspense of a Hollywood feature, this story makes a very real contribution to the continuing crusade to save the lives of young drivers. A comedy film will also be shown. (Silver collection).

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A Salad A Day

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Good salads make meals more pleasing, tasty and interesting because they furnish crispness, color and added flavor to any menu. Not only have they appetite appeal, but also eye appeal.

Variety in salads in summer and fall is fairly easy to achieve, but salad making in winter and early spring may prove to be a real challenge. The home economists of the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture, want to give some helpful suggestions to meet this challenge. Too often homemakers forget about salads in the winter without realizing that this is one time when salads are most necessary. Salads are mainly divided into four classes:

The Light Dinner Salad is served more or less as an appetizer to prepare the appetite for the more substantial food which is to follow or as an accompaniment to the meat course. It usually consists of a combination of greens, crisp vegetables or juicy fruit served with a tart, simple dressing.

The Main Dish Salad is a hearty, substantial salad served as the main dish at luncheon or supper. For this salad such foods as eggs, cheese, poultry, fish or meat are combined with the crisp greens or vegetables.

The Dessert Salad is, as a rule, made of fresh, frozen or canned fruit or a combination of all three. If there is any member of the family who is carefully watching calories here is an answer to their dessert problem; this salad may complete the meal without adding as many calories as the usual richer desserts supply.

The Party Salad is a light and tempting one. Since it is usually eaten between meals, it should be refreshing rather than too satisfying. Frozen or moulded jellied salads are excellent for the party.

The other day in a restaurant one of the home economists of the Consumer Section asked for a salad, and the waitress replied that there were no salads that day as they had not been able to obtain lettuce. Let us hope that Canadian homemakers do not consider that they can't make a salad unless they have lettuce. Granted, lettuce has become an integral part of most salads, but shredded cabbage or nice tender crisp leaves of spinach, cabbage or even parsley make a good salad base. The idea of not serving a salad just because the usual ingredients aren't handy is a foolish one. Salad ingredients should be fresh, crisp, clean and cold. As soon as the vegetables or fruits for salads arrive in the kitchen, rinse them in cold water, but do not soak; clean or scrub those which need it, and store them immediately in a covered container, in a cold place.

Recipes for salads are largely guides which can be varied in many respects, according to the ingenuity, imagination and individuality of the homemaker. Though there are no basic recipes for salads, the home economists of the Consumer Section offer some suggested combinations for spring salads.

Shredded cabbage, grated raw carrot, cooked green beans or peas marinated in French dressing, served with a topping of onion rings.

Shredded cabbage, grated raw turnip, and diced celery blended with mayonnaise.

Shredded cabbage, grated raw onion, chopped hard-cooked eggs and chopped pickles blended with boiled salad dressing or mayonnaise.

Shredded cabbage, grated Canadian Cheddar cheese and cooked peas combined with French dressing.

Diced cooked beets, canned green beans or peas served as individual mounds in cabbage cups and topped with dressing.

Diced cooked beets, diced canned pears served in a cabbage cup and blended with mayonnaise.

Diced raw unpeeled apple, shredded cabbage, blended with mayonnaise and served with cheese balls.

Diced raw apple, shredded cabbage and diced celery blended with salad dressing and topped with chopped nuts.

Canned peaches, pears and diced apple served with cottage cheese or cheese balls.

Diced chicken, diced apples and shredded cabbage blended with salad dressing.

Diced meat, diced cooked potatoes, chopped eggs combined with shredded spinach and blended with mayonnaise.

It is often said that the dressing "makes" the salad. The clever homemaker will keep in her refrigerator, in covered jars, mayonnaise, French dressing and boiled dressing. To these may be added various ingredients such as chopped pickle, ketchup, chopped onion, cottage cheese or the Roquefort type cheese to add variety and flavor to salads. The success of a salad depends greatly upon how it is arranged and served. A good salad does not have to be a fussy one, nor an expensive one. Be an artistic housewife and use your ingenuity and taste for variety in the next salad plate served to your family or guests.

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Meat and Corn Casserole

12-oz. Can of luncheon meat, ½ 14-oz. can whole-kernel corn, 2 small onions (chopped), ¼ cup chopped green pepper, 2 cups milk, 4 tablespoons margarine, 4 tablespoons flour, ¼ teaspoon dry mustard, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs (separated).

Cut meat in ¼-inch cubes. Drain corn; measure 1 cup kernels. Sauté onions and pepper in margarine. Stir in flour, mustard and salt. Add milk slowly, stirring constantly, over low heat; cook until mixture thickens; take from heat. Separate eggs, beat yolks and add to sauce. Add meat and corn. Beat egg white until stiff and fold into mixture. Pour into 1½-quart greased casserole. Place in pan of hot water. Bake at 350°F. 50 to 55 minutes until top is delicately brown. — Six servings.

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Given away by her father, the bride wore a gown of blush satin, fashioned on classical lines, the fitted bodice, fastened up front with tiny buttons, having a stand-up collar of lace and sleeves with lace inserts, finishing in points over her hands, and the full skirt falling into a slight train. Her fingertip-length veil of tulle illusion was held by a Juliet cap of satin and lace, and she carried a cascade bouquet of white gladioli and hyacinths.

She was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary Jane Taylor, as maid of honor, by Miss Maria Karahalios, as bridesmaid, and by her niece, little Miss Jill Vincelli, as flower-girl.

Mr. Walter Hlibchuk acted as best man for Mr. Waller and the ushers were Mr. Barry Montgomery, the bride's brother, and Mr. John Rutherford.

The bride's attendants were in frocks of aqua satin, with bodices having short boleros of aqua lace, and very full skirts. They wore Juliet caps to match and carried bouquets of pink carnations and white hyacinths.

The little flower-girl wore a frock of rose taffeta with a bodice having a small bertha, and a hooped skirt, and bandeau of tulle and velvet. Her nosegay was of forget-me-nots.

Mrs. Montgomery, mother of the bride, was in a floor-length gown of grey lace and wore a hat of orchid straw and a corsage bouquet of orchids.

A reception was held in the Windsor Hotel, and Mr. and Mrs. Waller left later for the Laurentians, the bride travelling in a suit of skipper blue charmaine, under a grey topcoat, and wearing a white straw hat, red snakeskin accessories and a corsage bouquet of red carnations.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Arundel

Mrs. Percy Staniforth and daughter, Miss Barbara Staniforth, spent some time in Montreal this week.

Mrs. Douglas Cooke is spending the week in the city, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Clarke Graham, of the R.C.A.F., Trenton, Ont., is spending his Easter leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Graham.

Messrs. Owen and Keith Rathwell are home on holiday from Macdonald College.

Miss Mary Smith is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooke occupied their cottage for the holiday.

A well attended meeting of the Arundel Amateur Athletic Association was held at the Maplewood Inn last week. Plans were discussed to promote summer sports, and if everything turns out as planned, an interesting program of sports may be looked forward to.

Omission

Due to an oversight, the name of Mrs. R. Moss, Health and Welfare convener, was omitted from the list of W.I. conveners, reported in The Watchman. Also, that the newly-instituted installation ceremony took place on this occasion — Mr. R. Henry acting an installation officer.

Miss Mary MacArthur spent the Easter holiday with her parents.

Mrs. F. Davis entertained a house party over the holidays, among whom were the Misses Lillias and Frances, and Edgar Davis.

Easter services were held in both the Anglican and United churches on Easter morning—Grace Church holding its service at nine o'clock. Easter flowers decorated the altars, and at the United Church special Easter music was rendered by the choir. At Grace Church, their special Easter music was featured on Palm Sunday, when Mrs. Dewar, president of the Women's Auxiliary, organized a special choir for the occasion. All services were well attended.

Women's Auxiliary

The monthly meeting of the Grace Church W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. A. Dewar, president. At the conclusion of the business meeting the president read a prayer dedicated to Bishop Dixon, and a minute's silence was observed in respect and sympathy for the recent passing of his wife, Mrs. Dixon. Work was then resumed for the remainder of the afternoon, after which tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. R. Hess and Mrs. Guy Laughren.

Mr. Curll Staniforth spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Staniforth.

The executive of the Arundel Women's Institute met at Mrs. M. Cooke's, to plan the program for the 1951-52 season. The president occupied the chair, and plans have been made for a very interesting program.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Union of the United Church will be held Wednesday afternoon, April 4, in the church hall.

It is noticed that all pupils who have been away from home during the season, are now here for the holidays, before resuming their studies. Each home had its quota of guests, some for the week-end and others for the longer holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aitkens (the former Dorothy Kerr) were home for the holiday for the first time since their marriage. Friends extend hearty congratulations to the happy couple.

Mr. James Smillie spent the Easter holidays with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Smillie.

We regret to report the illness of Mrs. W. D. Graham, and wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Graham and Miss Muriel Graham spent the week-end as guests of their mother, Mrs. T. Graham.

Dr. R. Ward, Mrs. R. Ward and family, and Mr. Leslie May spent the holiday at the home of Mrs. J. May.

Holiday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke's were Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilfillan and Miss Lucille Dever.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reid Marshall spent the week-end with the former's mother, Mrs. A. Marshall.

Miss Constance Laurin, from Lachute, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. A. Marshall; also Master Billie Burrows, of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burrows and family spent the week-end at their cottage.

Miscellaneous

RADIO LICENSES — The undersigned will be calling on local householders for renewal of radio licenses. — Perley Murdoch, Lachute; tel. 425-J. A5.2c

Help Wanted

CLERK — wanted to work at Lachute Tourist Inn.—Phone 646-J. -1c

Norgate Club Here for Badminton Tourney

A team of 10 enthusiasts of the shuttlecock from Norgate, Montreal, visited the Lachute Badminton Club last Tuesday, in the Auditorium. There was no lack of energy as many games were hard-fought to the score of 11-10, with as many games going to the visitors as those won by Lachute, and ending in an aggregate tie.

This is the second tournament played with Norgate, the first being held in the St. Laurent High School, Montreal, last month.

Good sportsmanship was evident throughout. Refreshments were served, and the president of the Lachute Club, Sonny Ogilvie, thanked the visiting players and expressed a wish that they would return to Lachute again next season.

Last Mixed Bonspiel, Saturday Highlights

Saturday's mixed bonspiel was well attended, this being the last of these games which during the season have done much in bringing the members together in a social way. With a 10-point high-plus, the prizes were won by J. R. Charron, Miss Alice Riddell, F. Stein and Miss D. Mitchell.

The spot dance was won by Miss L. Millar and W. J. Deacon; Miss D. Mitchell won the ladies' door prize, while R. Muir had the lucky number among the men.

There was a large and enthusiastic number present, all of whom joined heartily in the evening's activities of singing, dancing and card-playing.

Congratulations were extended to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson on their 26th wedding anniversary, and to Mrs. John MacKimmie on her birthday.

Sid Drew was thanked for having taken charge of the weekly 'spiels, which everyone had so greatly enjoyed.

OVERCOMES HANDICAPS

Calgary (CP) — William R. Watson of Calgary, who has been without the use of his hands and arms since birth, has written three successful books with his feet. He made an extensive trailer tour of Canada with his wife and family to gather material for the latest book.

NOTICE

NOTICE is given to the local public that no contract exists between Jules Lamarche and the Argenteuil Agricultural Society regarding the publication of race programs for the Lachute Spring Fair.

— Argenteuil Agricultural Society,
S. G. Patterson, sec.-treas.

Down the Alley



By S-T-RIKE

League Scores at Lachute Bolodrome

Tuesday, March 20
Mixed 5-Pins

Optimists 8	—vs.—	L. E. Dansereau	0
2nd L.H.S. 8		Bell Telephone	0
Happy Gang 2		Lucky Strike	6
Metropole 8		Rex Café	0
Ayers Ltd. 2		Boyd's Bombers	6
1st L.H.S. 2		Lachute Lumber	6

Highest single, P. Desnoyers, 306 (Metropole).
Highest triple, P. Desnoyers, 749 (Metropole).

Thursday, March 22
Girls' 5-Pins

Young Stars 6	—vs.—	Elite Store	2
Bolodrome 8		Our Gang	0

Highest single, T. Malacket, 275 (Elite Store).
Highest triple, M. Charlebois, 641 (Young Stars).

Monday, March 26
Men's Ducks

Rockets 8	—vs.—	Seven-Up	0
Bolodrome 8		Stuffed Shirts	0

H. M. Lavigne 8 (won by default).
Highest single, D. Cockburn, 188 (Rockets).
Highest triple, D. Cockburn, 467 (Rockets).

PERFECT HAND

Moncton, N.B. (CP) — That "perfect hand" in cribbage turned up for fireman Gerald Donavan. Fire Chief Henry Leger confirmed that Donovan scored 29 points when he held three fives and the Jack of Spades, while the five of spades was turned up.

COMING EVENTS

Notices of Entertainment, Concerts or Meetings, etc., 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed 60 cents.
(Payable in Advance)
Deadline — Wednesday, 5 p.m.

D-A-N-C-E

— Sponsored by L.O.B.A. 943, to be held at the Legion Memorial Hall, Foundry St., Lachute, Saturday, April 7. Dancing from 8 to 12. Excellent music from Vankleek Hill, Ont., for modern and old-time dancing. Admission 75c. A5.2c

STAGE COMEDY

The Ascension Players, under auspices of the Argenteuil County Farm Forums, will present "I Remember Mama", a play by John Van Druten. — Lachute High School auditorium, Sat., April 21, 8.30 p.m. Adm. 50c. A19.5c

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Lachute W.I. will meet at the Legion Hall April 3 at 2.30 p.m. Speaker, Miss Denise Bell, R.N.; topic, "Methods of healing I have seen in my travels". Roll-call, First-Aid hints. -1c

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Capitol

Brownsburg

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Mar. 29-30-31
Lee J. Cobb, Jane Wyatt in
THE MAN WHO CHEATED HIMSELF
Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy in
A-HAUNTING WE WILL GO
DID YOU KNOW THAT

Sun., Mon., Apr. 1-2
Clifton Webb, Joan Bennett in
FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE
Wayne Morris, Rod Cameron in
STAGE TO TUCSON
in Technicolor.
SUNNY ITALY

Tues., Wed., April 3-4
Richard Conte, Audrey Totter in
UNDER THE GUN
Jon Hall, Maria Montez in
ALI BABA AND THE 40 THIEVES
in Technicolor.
SONGS OF ERIN

Rex

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Mar. 29-30-31
Glenn Ford & Valli in
THE WHITE TOWER
in Technicolor.
Ron Randall, Devera Barton in
OMOO - OMOO
NEWS OF THE DAY

Sun., Mon., April 1-2
Audie Murphy, Gail Murphy
KID FROM TEXAS
in Technicolor.
Joe Kirkwood, Leon Errol in
JOE PALOOKA IN SQUARE CIRCLE
JERRY'S DIARY

Tues., Wed., Thurs., April 3-4-5
June Haver, William Lundigan
I'LL GET BY
in Technicolor.
Tex Ritter, Mary Beth Hughes
HOLIDAY RHYTHM
WHY PLAY LEAP FROG

Rio Lachute

Thurs., Fri., Sat. March 29-30-31
(Matinee Sat. at 2 p.m.)
Walt Disney's
CINDARELLA
in Technicolor.
Edna Best, Thomas Mitchell
Swiss Family Robinson
FRENCH FRIED FROLIC

Dim., lun., mar. 1-2-3 avril
(Dim. matinee à 2 p.m.)
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