Epigram of the Week

All of us might be more successful if we followed the advice we give to others.

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Health Dept. Orders Parish To Install Water and Sewers Across Tessier Subdivision

Municipal Council Calls for Observance Of By-laws on Zoning, Building, etc.

At a meeting of the Parish of St. Jerusalem Municipal Council, held in the Court House on Monday afternoon, all councillors were present, namely, Felix Touchette, W. D. Hume, Herbert Gordon, Ernest McOuat, Allan Rodger, Dougall Leishman — with the mayor, W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., presiding, and Harold Carson in the customary role of secretary-treasurer.

Several important matters were decided at this assembly.

A permit was given to the Bell Telephone Company for the erection of telephone lines.

Finances of the municipality were discussed, and the Council was notified that a substantial grant from the Provincial Government had been received for certain water courses undertaken by the municipality.

The completion of the Thomas' Gore Road was also reported, and it was anticipated that the Hill Foot Road project would go ahead next year.

The Council were advised that an ordinance had been received from the Department of Health requiring the municipality to install sewers and water from beyond the Golf Course, through the Tessier property to the North River — the water to be taken from the Town of Lachute. The secretary was instructed to write the Lachute Town Corporation to this effect and arrange a meeting of the two Councils at an early date, to discuss the question of water and other matters pertaining to sewers on Henry Street, half of which is in the Town of Lachute.

It was felt that the public should be advised through the medium of the local press of the Council proposing to undertake this project at the earliest date and, at the same time, to draw to the attention of the public that there existed a Zoning by-law, a Building by-law, Street and Sidewalk and Lighting by-laws. Under these by-laws no person can construct a building or make repairs to any existing building without first applying through the municipal secretary for a permit, and such work must be carried on in accordance with these by-laws.

It was decided that the said by-laws should be printed at the earliest possible date in order to be available for the public. The Council hopes that the public will co-operate to the fullest possible extent in the application of these laws, so that all buildings may be erected satisfactorily and in such a way as to protect these and neighboring properties from fire, and avoid the necessity of having to repeat the installation of sewers and water in other areas before that part of the municipality south of Lachute is more completely built up.

Couple Celebrate 50th Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott, 380 Grace Street, Lachute, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were married by the Rev. James H. Beatt, Presbyterian minister in Mille Isles, Que., on November 4, 1903. They have resided in Lachute since that time and have two sons, Kenneth and Russell.

A reception was given in their honor, by their nieces and nephews and a few of their old friends, with upwards of 40 guests present, several of whom had been present at their wedding. Among the latter were Mrs. W. J. Rogers, of Lachute, sister of Mr. Elliott, and Mrs. W. Maxwell, of Brownsburg, sister-in-law.

The honored couple were presented with two lovely lamps by those present, and also received other individual gifts.

Local Truckmen Rank High in Prov'l "Roadeo"

Two Boyd's Express Drivers Reach Final Contests, Receive Awards

Boyd's Lachute Express was well represented at the first Provincial Truck "Roadeo" held in the Show Mart in Montreal last Saturday and Sunday. The meet was under the auspices of the Automotive Transport Association of Quebec, and all drivers entered in the competition were required to have at least one year of accident-free driving.

George Cox placed third in the semi-finals held on Saturday and Marcil Desjardins came fifth in the same competition, in which there were 25 semi-trailer drivers entered. Cox has been with the local express company for seven years and has driven well over 300,000 miles in five years without an accident, while Desjardins has driven over 100,000 miles in two years without an accident.

The local drivers' positions were reversed in the finals, held Sunday. Both local men, along with the three other winners in this division and five in the straight truck competition, received a Ronson lighter set, and the first three of each competition, of which Desjardins is one, will receive a cash award later on in the month.

The contest of driving skill was designed to reveal a truck driver's knowledge of safety practices as well as habits of courtesy and efficient commercial vehicle handling. Drivers, timed to the second, each went through seven difficult tests.

Another Safety Award At Brownsburg C-I-L

Brownsburg — Employees of the Brownsburg ammunition works of Canadian Industries Limited have been awarded the President's Prize for having achieved a record of 1,096,000 consecutive man-hours without a lost-time injury. This is equal to one man or women working 550 years without an accident.

Individual awards will be presented to the employees shortly, according to works manager L. C. Thompson. The next award, the Board of Directors, can be won early in February 1954 if the present accident - free production record is maintained until that time.

Committee Presents School Fair Prizes

The School Fair Committee brought their year to a successful ending last week with distribution of the prize money at the schools in Lachute and Brownsburg. A total of $290.50 was awarded to the exhibitors. This money was raised by holding a dance and two card parties, and by receiving donations from the following: the Farm Forum, the Agricultural Society, the local Women's Institutes, J. G. Hadley and Lloyd Hume. To all these, and to others who helped in any way, the committee extend sincere thanks.

Police Officer Plays Role of Fireman

Police Constable Oscar Sabourin answered a fire call received at the police station late Thursday evening. The fire, at the home of A. J. Patterson, 739 Main Street, started in a clothes cupboard, which was badly burned. Cst. Sabourin subdued the fire with the small chemical extinguisher carried in the patrol wagon.

There was no insurance coverage on the loss.

Town Quiet, Orderly, Says Police Chief Reporting on Hallowe'en

The quietest Hallowe'en on record was reported by Police Chief Donat Villeneuve, who received only three calls in the course of the evening. "This is a big change from past years when, in some cases, we have needed an extra man to answer calls complaining of damage."

Jos. Senecal, town foreman, had to replace three street and stop signs Monday morning. Last year these signs were down all over town, and had to be replaced at an estimated cost of $325.

"Children and young grown-ups were out on the streets, but they behaved well. There were only two complaints of people having tricks played on them. . . I'm not sure, but I think our visit to the local schools just previously, had something to do with this good record", the Chief added.

Legion Branches Promote Annual Poppy Campaign

Once again this year the Legion branches in this county are asking all residents to wear a poppy for remembrance. This appeal is one that should not be overlooked. During the years since Col. John McCrae wrote the challenging poem "In Flanders' Fields" the poppy has taken on a peculiar significance. It has come to typify in many countries of the world the debt which we who live owe to those who died in battle.

One day in the year the people of Canada are asked to wear a poppy to show that they remember. One day in the year they are asked to pause briefly to honor the dead. That is little enough. While remembrance of the dead of the two wars is the spiritual aspect of the poppy, there is the other practical purpose of assisting the living, for the money raised through the fund is used for emergency assistance to veterans and to families of veterans.

While it is true that veterans under certain circumstances have the advantage of specific legislation, such as war veterans' allowances, it should be remembered that when an emergency crops up in any family, speed is the essential requirement in providing assistance.

There are many cases on record with the Poppy Fund where the necessary assistance has been forthcoming in a matter of hours. It should be remembered also that there are many worthy veterans who hesitate to apply to any of the organized charities. Many of them have twice gone into uniform, and have given ten years from their productive life to the service of their country. Through the comradeship of the Canadian Legion their needs are learned, and the assistance is forthcoming. It should be remembered, too, that while the Poppy Fund is a national appeal, the money raised locally is used to assist veterans and their families.

The Legion slogan "Wear a Poppy for Remembrance" is a good slogan. It is one that deserves the support of every citizen.

Five Montrealers Arrested Here Under Suspicion

Five Montrealers were arrested by local authorities Tuesday evening and held in the cells before being transferred to St. Jerome. They have been questioned concerning several break-ins, one of them a local affair.

Leo. Albert Desjardins, 27, was charged for selling electric razors without a permit, after his arrest resulting from a complaint laid by a local citizen who was victimized. Police Chief D. Villeneuve relayed the call by radio communication to Deputy Chief W. Lepine, who made the arrest. Several minutes later, a second call came in, informing the police of four other suspicious-looking men in a car, along with the license number of the car.

While Desjardins was being questioned, Chief Villeneuve noticed a man walking in front of the police station several times and brought him in for questioning. He knew nothing about the other prisoner. The car, occupied by the three missing suspects, was picked up shortly after 7 p.m. in front of the United Church. It was parked among the many other cars in front of the church where a meeting was being held.

Prov. Detective Maurice Lamoureux was notified, and on his arrival, he and Chief Villeneuve searched the car, finding several kit-bags full of all necessary tools to perpetrate a break-in. The three, Henry Dunn, 22, Raymond Morin, 26, and Yvon Saunis, 28, were detained in local cells for further questioning, along with Desjardins, while Peter Ferguson, 31, who was picked up outside the police station, was later released as the other prisoners would not identify him. He was returned to custody a few minutes later when picked up by Det. Lamoureux. He was identified by the other suspects as being one of their gang, when he was brought into the cell room.

After repeated questioning, the five were escorted by Det. Lamoureux, Police Chief Villeneuve and Traffic Officer Legault to St. Jerome, where they will be held until specific charges are laid. Det. Lamoureux, along with Montreal and CPR police, is continuing his investigation in the city.

X-Rays Show Two Percent Need Attention In Papineau County

Buckingham, Que. — One per cent of the 3,000 adults who had chest X-ray examinations in Papineau County from the Montreal Anti-Tuberculosis League mobile unit were found to have indicatons of pumonary disease, probably of a contagious nature. Another one per cent had some cardiovascular trouble requiring medical attention.

The survey was carried out by the Montreal Anti-Tuberculosis League at the request of the Ottawa Valley Anti-Tuberculosis League, supported by the Christmas Seals Committee of Buckingham.

The funds raised by the sale of Christmas Seals are used to meet the cost of the mass surveys, one of which was held at the end of September and the other during the last week of October.

In every case of abnormal shadows on the X-ray film a medical report has been sent to the family doctor of the person interested; if nothing abnormal was found the person examined received a card to that effect. This is the second year the Montreal Anti-Tuberculosis League has made a free mass chest X-ray survey of the population of Papineau County.

Extensions in Telephone Service, Lachute Area

Providing additional facilities to serve telephone users in the Lachute area, another position has been added to the switchboard in the exchange building at 75 Water Street — A. D Connolly, the company's manager here, announced this week.

The new position will provide additional lines to meet demand in the town for some time to come, and will also help relieve congestion on the switchboard during busy hours.

A large-scale project to extend the wire and cable network in rural areas around Lachute is now completed, Mr. Connelly added. As a result of this work, which involved the erection of 225 poles and installation of 36,100 feet of aerial cable and 27 circuit miles of wire, many residents are now receiving Bell service for the first time.

Ludington, of Press And Radio, Speaker At Rotary Night

Tracy S. Ludington, editor of Monitor Publications Ltd., Montreal, and radio news commentator, was guest speaker at last week's meeting of the Brownsburg Rotary Club. A large number of guests were present for the semi-annual "ladies' night" meeting.

The audience was treated to accounts of many interesting and amusing experiences in Mr. Ludington's 25 years in the newspaper business.

Although he kept most of his talk in a humorous vien, the speaker did touch briefly on the importance of a free press in preserving our modern civilization. He suggested that the principle of the Freedom of the Press ranks in importance with the Laws of Moses dealing with morals; the Sermon of the Mount, which gave us our ethical standards; and the Magna Carta, which was the first documented expression of the principle of civil liberty, as one of the four precepts on which our western civilization is based. In addition it is the primary safeguard that we have for the other three.

The press, on its part, must be precise and exact in its reporting, if it is to do an effective job. The old slogan of "Get it first" should be expanded to include the words, "but first get it right".

Mr. Ludington was introduced by Norm Somers and thanked by John Chalmers.

Following the supper President Keith Rutherford presented the Rotary District Golf Championship cup to the local members who had won this title in competition with 49 other clubs. As low scorer, Jack Reade accepted the trophy on behalf of the group, which included Norm Somers, Sonny Ogilvie and Les Thompson.

Following these proceedings, the hall was cleared for dancing and an evening of fellowship was enjoyed by all. Orchestra music was provided by a local group, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Blakely, Frank Boyd and Glen Copeland. Rotarian Dick MacLean proved a master caller for several sets of square dancing, while Rotarian Linton Armstrong was m.c. for these lighter diversions of the evening.

Hunters Par Excellence

An uncommon but half-anticipated possibility at this season, came to view on Lachute's Main Street Sunday evening. People were looking, rubbing their eyes, and looking again, at the animal stretched across the trunk of a new car. Upon closer observation they realized it was a calf. The jokesters, from St. Jerome, hadn't stopped at that, however, as a rooster was tied on the roof of the car. . .

To allay the fears of the incredulous, we may add that both animals had been purchased from a farmer, and were being carried home along with a small doe that had been shot on this eventful hunting trip.

Home-Towner Gives Travel Talk At Lions Club

Attendance at the Lions Club weekly meeting numbered around 40 members, despite other important functions in town Tuesday evening. Secretary Phil Tremblay reported creditably also on the previous meeting with a 76-percent attendance. President Edward M. Jones occupied the chair.

In observance of International Counsellors' Night, Lion J. S. Giles received fitting recognition in a tribute by ex-President Bertrand L'Heureux, and was presented with a gift. Mr. Giles responded briefly, pledging his continued efforts for Lionism as long as he might be privileged to serve.

It was co-incidental that his son, Robt. A. Giles, was guest speaker of the evening, bringing sidelights and impressions of his recent trip to Britain and the Continent not previously reported in his Watchman articles. Glimpses of England and France of wartime, 1914-1918 — observations on modern scenes, customs and practices — and the associations of history far back, even to the Roman era — blended to make the narrative interesting throughout.

The speaker was introduced by Lion Don Titman and thanked by Lion George Tattersfield.

Hold-Up Hero Receives Recognition



Royal Brochu, 16 (left), the young Montrealer who led city police to the arrest of three suspects in the murder of a former Brownsburg taximan, Bob Taylor, is here photographed while receiving a $500 Savings Bond from Paul Mériot, president of the Diamond Taxis Association. Mme Léo Brochu, mother of the courageous youth, holds a wrist watch presented to her son in further recognition of his good work. (TV cameraman in foreground.)

"Pound Day" Visitors at Orange Protestant Home

Over 100 members of the Loyal Orange Association, representing various branches, visited the Orange and Protestant Home for Children to present their "pounds" to the institution, situated at Rosemere, Que.

The annual "pound day" was attended by members from Montreal, Lachute, Harrington, Luskville, Dunany, Brownsburg, Dalesville and Bury.

The Rev. G. A. Norman, minister of Rosemere United Church, gave the annual "pound" address. Other speakers included Royal Werry, Q.C., president of the Home; Mrs. Lucy Lundy, president of the women's auxiliary; W. H. Butler, treasurer of the Home; George Argue, president of the Orange Social Club and Mrs. Ethel Erskine.

Prior to "pound day" celebrations members of the Kiwanis Club of St. George visited the Home and presented 24 blankets.

Worker Found Dead In Lumber Yard

Hector Bilodeau, 44 years old, of 48 Charles Street, was found dead yesterday in the lumber yard at McGibbon's Mill, where he has been employed for some time. The body of the widowed father of two young children was discovered at 3.45 p.m.

Dr. R. Percival was called and pronounced the man dead. Constable O. Sabourin investigated the case and the inquest was held Wednesday afternoon, the verdict being death due to natural causes.

Prompt, Orderly Evacuation Of Schools as Town Chiefs Witness Local Fire Drills

Four local schools were vacated in record times in this year's annual fire drill conducted by Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon. Several of the schools have regular drills, but all have one such practice at which both the Fire Chief and Police Chief are present.

The time for vacating the school buildings was counted from the second the fire alarm was sounded in each of the various schools, until the teachers reported the schools empty. Times recorded were as follows:

Lachute High School, with an enrolment of 617, was emptied by way of five exits in 1 minute 33 seconds. The Convent, which comprises two schools, the Pensionnat Ste. Anastasie and the Ecole St. Alexandre, with a total enrolment of 439 girls, was cleared of all occupants in 1 minute and 7 seconds. Close to 50 girls in residence, and all the nuns, have evacuated the building in the middle of the night in slightly over two minutes.

The 635 students at l'Ecole Supérieure cleared their building in 2 minutes 11 seconds. Only two exits were used at this school. St. Julien, the Catholic school in the West End was cleared of 137 pupils in 51 seconds. Of all four schools in this trial, St. Julien was the most orderly, as there was no noise at all, and no pupils whatever broke into a run. Immaculate Conception, the Agersville School, was tested last year, but the town officials have had no opportunity to return there so far this year; it was hoped this might be accomplished before the end of the week.

Police Chief Donat Villeneuve took this opportunity to ask the children to refrain from doing unnecessary damage on Hallowe'en night, and also warned them that action is being taken against children found on the streets after sounding of the curfew at 9 o'clock every evening.

CPR Station At Staynerville Razed by Fire

The CPR Station at Staynerville burned to the ground early Saturday morning. Complete contents of the building were consumed, in what Brownsburg Fire Chief A. Robbins termed the hottest fire he has attended in recent years.

The fire was discovered by passers-by, who reported the blaze to Mrs. Proulx, wife of the Staynerville station agent, who was away at the time of the outbreak. Mrs. Proulx called a relative on the Brownsburg fire brigade, who summoned Chief Robbins just after 5 a.m. The Chief and nine other men had the fire truck heading for the blaze in short time.

On arrival at the fire, it was found that nothing could be done to save anything in the building. Efforts were made to water down the tracks with the contents of the fire truck's 300-gallon booster tank, to prevent the rails from buckling. By keeping the fire away from the station platform and keeping the tracks cool, they made it possible for the early morning freight to pass the burning building. The train, which had a car of high octane gas in its load, backed up from the station and took a run at the heated section of the tracks, passing the building in excess of 25 m.p.h.

The fire started in the eastern section of the station building, according to reports, and the whole structure was a mass of flames when the Brownsburg crew arrived. A pile of coal, close to 15 tons, was still burning late Tuesday afternoon. Damage was estimated at over $15,000.

Temporary quarters have been set up in a freight car on the siding, and a new building is expected to be built as soon as investigation into the cause of the fire is completed.

Hurtles Into Somersault On Wet Pavement

Wet, slippery pavement on Route 8 was the cause of another accident, this time in the vicinity of Chatboro, when a Montreal car driven by E. A. Headmanack veered out of control and turned over several times in the ditch. The car was damaged beyond repair.

Headmanack was accompanied by his wife, who required ten stitches to close a bad cut over her right eye. Other occupants were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pollock, also of Montreal. Mrs. Pollock, a member of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem, was on her way to Ottawa where the Governor General was to present her with an Ambulance Association medal. All occupants suffered minor injuries, and were treated at the Providence Hospital before returning home.

Traffic Officers Albert Legault and Roger Massie conducted the investigation.

Boy Scouts To Hold Paper Salvage Drive

The Lachute Boy Scouts will conduct a paper-salvage canvass on Saturday, November 14, when bundles will be called for at the homes around town. Contributions of waste paper will be appreciated, and it is requested that all paper be securely tied to facilitate cartage, and placed in sight when the trucks make their rounds.

Female Trio On Roudy Splurge At Brownsburg

Lead Police Authorities A Merry Chase

Three unidentified young girls from Hudson, Que., were detained in the cells at Brownsburg Saturday afternoon. Several tavern owners reported the trio to the authorities, and in one place the eldest was involved in a fistic tussle.

Police Chief Parent took the three in for questioning and later summoned Provincial Detective M. Lamoureux from Lachute. The belligerent member of the trio was held at the police office and the other two, 14 and 15 years of age respectively, were later released.

Detective Lamoureux, on questioning the 17-year-old girl, was told a different story from the particulars she gave to the Brownsburg Police. Her two friends returned several hours later and sought to release their imprisoned partner; after causing a mild disturbance at the police headquarters, they too were detained, in an unlocked cell. All were held on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Provincial authorities in Montreal were notified, and as there was no female officer in this district to look after the roudies, a detective and matron were despatched from Montreal to escort the three to the city.

The two youngest girls slipped out of a window at the Brownsburg police office while the officers were attending to other business, and a district-wide search was on, with the authorities in Lachute being notified.

Constable Sabourin stopped and searched all cars entering Lachute from Brownsburg, and several citizens patrolled the streets and adjoining highways.

Traffic Officer Howard Jones, who was combing the district, eventually spotted two likely-looking suspects on a street corner and took them to Brownsburg police station, where they were recognized as the missing girls and held for the Montreal authorities, who arrived minutes later.

The trio were returned to Montreal, where it was believed they had escaped from an institution. On latest word the provincial authorities in Montreal were attempting to establish their correct identity. The girls gave their only address as Hudson and refused to answer any further questions.

New License Plates Black on Orange

Quebec (CP) — Quebec Automobile License Bureau has announced the new 1954 license plates will bear black numerals on an orange background.



Gatineau LINES

DON'T USE IMPROPER FUSES

"Faulty wiring" is given as the cause of a surprisingly large number of fires. In many cases it might better be "Improper fuses".

The use of metal inserts or oversize fuses is dangerous.

In case of excess current or short circuit the wires will overheat and might cause a fire.

Fuses are safety devices. If fuses blow frequently, you are either overloading the system or something is wrong with the wiring or devices on that circuit.

Call a competent electrician in case of trouble.

GATINEAU POWER COMPANY

PERILS OF PLANNERS

Last autumn the federal government announced it was going to drop the floor price on hogs at the year's end. The result was a rush to market during the last couple of weeks in December. Other factors have intruded. Now if some far-sighted seer had told farmers last autumn there would be a pork shortage in Canada now, a lot more hogs would be on the farms of this nation.

— Brooks (Alta.) Bulletin

Auction Sale

At the farm of —
SAMUEL E. SMITH,
AVOCA, QUE.
Saturday, Nov. 7, 1 p.m. sharp:

13 milch cows, 1½-year-old Holstein bull, 1½-year-old steer, 3 1½-year-old heifers.

Frost & Wood binder (8 ft. cut), Moody binder (5 ft. cut), Moody mowing machine (5 ft. cut), ¾ wagon, truck wagon, seeder, gang plow, John Deere sulky plow, hay rake, set drag harrows, Hart Parr tractor (12.24), grinder, Viking cream separator, cream cans, oil drums, Silent Glow oilburners, harness, kitchen range, quantity of lumber, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms, $20 and under, cash; over that amount 6 months' credit on approved joint notes; 2% discount for cash.

—Geo. MacKenzie, lic. auctioneer
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At the home of
BOB TRINEER,
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(3rd house north of Prot. School)
Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 1 p.m.:

All household effects, including: 5-piece breakfast set, 2 beds and springs complete, davenport, 2 radios, chesterfield chair, coffee table, washing machine (new), ice box, cabinet oil-stove, kitchen range, dishes, pots and pans, baby's bed, high chair, 3 dressers, piano.

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— Geo. MacKenzie, lic. auctioneer
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Seasonal
Farm Topics



Grass Silage for Wintering Beef Cattle

Ottawa — During recent years grass silage has grown in popularity as a feed for wintering beef cattle, and many questions are being asked about its feeding value. From the results obtained so far at Ottawa, it seems that good grass silage, when fed with hay, is almost as good as corn silage for wintering beef cattle — says W. A. Jordan, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

In Eastern Canada grains are expensive, whereas roughages, either dry or succulent, can be grown abundantly and economically. Corn silage has proved to be an excellent feed for beef cattle wherever it can be grown. On the other hand, grass silage has advantages over corn silage or hay in that (1) it can be made during weather conditions which are often unsuitable for hay making, (2) it requires less labor than corn silage, (3) it will produce one and sometimes two cuttings and an aftermath for supplemental feeding.

For the past two years tests have been conducted at the Central Experimental Farm, with two questions in mind:

1. Is grass silage a suitable feed for wintering beef cattle of different ages?

2. How does it compare with corn silage?

Pregnant beef cows receiving a ration of hay plus grass silage. Both groups wintered well and there was no significant difference in the bloom and condition of the cows or in the birth weight of their calves.

For growing animals it was found that when calves were wintered on an average of four pounds of hay, two pounds of grain, and about eighteen pounds of either grass or corn silage, they made equally good gains. Normal development and good condition was apparent in both groups and no noticeable difference could be observed.

Earth As The Scientist Sees It

In the film "The World at Your Feet", visitors to the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, Toronto, can follow the scientists into the laboratory. They can see what the scientist sees when he places a few tiny grains of soil under the microscope and magnifies them to many times their natural size. Living organisms of the soil appear as they move and act in their natural surroundings.

By a marvel of photography plants are actually seen in the process of growing and drawing nutrients from the soil through the tiny hairs they push down between the soil particles. The film, in full color, presents a new conception of the earth we walk upon or the land the farmer tills. A 20-minute film, it will be shown with another of the same length, "Highlights of the Coronation", produced by the J. Arthur Rank organization, also in full color, and a 10-minute humorous film, to complete a 50-minute program in the Movie Theatre, on the second floor, West Annex of the Coliseum. Starting every hour on the hour, from 12 noon to 2 p.m., and from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m., each day of the Fair, the movies form an important part of the educational program presented this year by the Canada Department of Agriculture at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair.

Triple-A Qualification For Ayrshire Bull Of Local Breeding

Willowhaugh Skymaster, one of the Ayrshire bulls at the St. Hyacinthe Artificial Insemination Centre, has been made a triple-A bull, which is the highest qualification a bull can receive in Canada.

Now 10 years old, Skymaster is a son of Carnell Jack's Choice (imp.) out of Willowhaugh Lady Mira, who had a two-year old record of 7974 pounds of 4.18 milk and a three-year old record of 10,545 pounds (4.16%). He comes from a herd of J. H. Black, Lachute, and from all appearances has many years of service to the breed before him.

Pre-packaging of Farm Products

Packaging and merchandising authorities feel that the average Canadian farmer and his co-op or distributing house have still a long way to go towards achieving maximum sales through sound merchandising. While Canadian farmers are further ahead than their European counterparts in this respect, says the packaging men, they still haven't reached the degree of self-efficiency through packaging which is evident in many U.S. farming communities. The reason for this, the experts point out, is that Canada is just awakening to the countless advantages of packaging.

"What Canadian farmers are just beginning to realize", stated the president of one packaging firm, "is that packaging techniques afford an outlet for surplus produce. In the past, the producer or grower was left holding the bag when his distributor or wholesaler had reached the saturation point for the produce concerned. Now many of our farmers are using packaging techniques to sell their surplus produce direct to retailers. Poultry raisers are now using egg-crating machinery as an example and many are even packaging their birds in cellophane to increase consumer appeal, vegetable growers are replacing the large jute sack with the smaller plastic bag which cuts down on the work of the retailer and offers more eye-appeal, while some fruit growers are installing their own canning machinery."

Ask Co-operation For Farm Survey

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics is again distributing to farmers throughout Canada the forms for the annual December 1 survey of livestock, crops and farm labor.

Toward the end of November each farmer will receive the green colored form in use this year. Realizing the importance of an accurate measurement of agricultural resources and production, each farmer should make a special effort to return his completed schedule without delay. In so doing, he will perform a service useful not only to agriculture but also to those organizations and agencies serving agriculture.

Each form in itself is strictly confidential, and has no connection with taxation of any kind and is used only to obtain group totals and averages for making estimates. In this way each schedule helps to form the picture of agricultural conditions.

The resulting statistics are widely used by farm organizations, government service branches and other interested agencies. They also form the basis for international comparisons and analysis so essential to world trading in agricultural products. Every schedule is important whether it covers large or small operations and gives each farmer the opportunity to participate in providing most useful information.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics and the departments of agriculture in all provinces solicit the fullest co-operation of farmers in this survey.

"ARMISTICE DAY"

By M. V. Trayers

How the years fly past. It is 35 years ago since all the big and little Allied powers turned their backs to "No Man's Land" and "let 'er go" in one of the biggest feasts of "whoopee" before or since. They really tied the whistle down to celebrate victory in one glorious bender of joy, now that the world was safe for Democracy. That was a faith-inspiring title. It took World War I to accomplish it in all its pregnant possibilities. The Huns had been licked. The Rhine had been crossed. The war was over. It was the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of the year 1918, and the "Armistice" was signed; so they called it "Armistice Day". It was a good title. Its connotations conveyed nothing about the world being safe for Democracy, and it was just as well. Woodrow Wilson's smooth-rolling, complacent phrase was left out — and from that day, although few of us seem to notice it, completely forgotten.

It was "Armistice Day". It was well and truly named. (Armistice: a temporary cessation of hostilities by mutual agreement.) November 11th proved in fact to be no more than the begining of an armistice — the world is yet waiting for peace to come! There was a synthetic sort of peace, a sort of calm or lull before the storm of World War II blew it out of existence. A lot of us took it for real peace and in the first months and first years after the armistice, whole nations gave thanks under the false premise that we had achieved that peace which only God can give. Peace with Thee and with ourselves. But we forgot that peace on earth came only to men of good will, and that the big outward show we were making, trying to outdo each other in building memorials, indulging in gaudy processions, and arraying ourselves in the trappings of war, did not take into account our humble dependence on Him.

We stood around cenotaphs paying reverence to the memory of The Unknown Soldier. Our thoughts had changed from the Generals and Admirals to the real hero, the young man or boy dead in the mud. The widowed mother standing cold and silent became the symbol of our sacrifice. France placed her crucified son unknown and unrepentant beneath Napoleon's memorial to death and destruction, the Arc de Triomphe, a monument of pride in the imperial armies. A glorification of victory.

The British buried their war hero in the simplest of ceremonies beneath the flagstones of Westminster Abbey. Then with pomp and splendor they erected the Cenotaph in Whitehall, where all who passed saluted in silent memory; but down the years the memory wore thin and a new generation passes hastily by in this futile seeking for peace in a discouraged aftermath.

The United States led its hero's funeral parade to Arlington National Cemetery and then closed its gates to guard its material worth. Canada commemorated the memory of her 60,000 warrior dead with the great twin towers of the Allward Vimy Memorial, to recall the immortal saga of her hero sons.

The diminishing hope of sustaining fruits from the tree of World War I dimmed the lustre of Allied traditions and customs in honoring Armistice Day. World War II discouraged memorial making. The soul was sick with disappointment and no great symbol of man's hope was erected at its close, except a Russian pile at the gates of Berlin and the great glass and steel structure of the United Nations at New York.

This was my brother at Dieppe quietly a hero
Who gave his life like a gift, withholding nothing.
His love, his youth, his enjoyment of being alive,
His future, like a book with half the pages still uncut.
This was my brother at Dieppe, the one who built me
A doll house, when I was seven, complete to the last
Small picture frame, nothing forgotten.
He was awfully good at fixing things,
At stepping into the breach when he was needed
That's what he did at Dieppe; he was needed.
And even Death must have been a little ashamed,
At his eagerness.

— Mona Gould.

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Trial on Charge Of Violating Pedigree Act

L'Orignal, Ont. (CP) — Seven Crown witnesses, including an RCMP handwriting expert, testified last Wednesday in a trial at L'Orignal, Ont., of a farmer charged with attempted false registration of cattle.

Gerald Rowe, a Riceville cattle breeder, is accused of violating the Livestock Pedigree Act by making false statements in applying for the registration of five calves. He is being tried in Magistrate's Court.

Sgt. Chester R. Eves, RCMP handwriting specialist, testified that Rowe's signatures on five summonses sworn to by Deputy Sheriff J. A. Beaulieu were written by the same person who signed "Rowe" to the registration application of one of the calves in question.

Five veterinarians and an artificial insemination expert also testified. The trial was adjourned to November 5.

OBITUARY

Funeral Service for Late Mrs. H. A. O'Brien

Old and Well Known County Resident

The funeral service of the late Mrs. H. A. O'Brien took place at Lachute United Church on Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge.

Mrs. O'Brien passed away at Hawkesbury, Ont., on October 29; she was in her 78th year.

Daughter of the late Francis Mitchell and his wife Hannah Lawson, the late Mrs. O'Brien was educated at Beech Ridge grade school and Lachute Academy, and prior to her marriage was a school teacher.

She was married February 22, 1899, to William George O'Brien, of Chatboro, who predeceased her by many years. She also resided for several years at Lochaber Bay and Thurso, Que.

Mrs. O'Brien is survived by her son, Lawson, of Ottawa, and two daughters, (Hazel) Mrs. John Tooke, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, Que., and (Doris) Mrs. Stanley N. Hitchcock, of Detroit, Mich.; also seven grandchildren — (Kaye) Mrs. G. R. Best, of Verdun; (Noreen) Mrs. Ken Brown, and Francis Tooke, of Montreal; Bobby and Ruth Tooke, of St. Eustache-sur-le-Lac, and (Marion), Mrs. Wesley Krake, of Greenville, Ill. There remain also four great-grandchildren, in Montreal. Of her immediate family, she is survived by three brothers, Hugh Mitchell, of Chatboro, John, of British Columbia, and Harry, of Steep Creek, Sask.

Pall-bearers at the funeral were Messrs. Edwin Gauley, Percy O'Brien, Leberth Hume, Percy Thompson and Kenny Brown.

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EACH YEAR, on November 11, we bow our heads for two minutes and remember.

We remember those who, only a few short years ago, made the sacrifice of their lives for a cause.

My brother was there and so was yours. Or was it your uncle, or your father, or a friend? Young people they were, many of them the age of the average college student today.

They did not want to die. They did not even want to fight. They had their families, their wives or their sweethearts. They had their futures; and they loved life and living.

But it was not a question of what they wished to do. There was a job to be done. Theirs was the generation chosen to do it.

They did not ask and they did not want any tears nor any mourning. They have their peace. They earned it.

Tears and mourning are too trivial for the payment they made. . . Nor is remembering enough. . . . It is only enough that we keep alive the peace and the freedom for which they died. Tears, mourning and remembering will not accomplish this.

Not any one of us, nor any few of us, can accomplish this alone. It is the responsibility of each of us, and all of us, and we must carry it together.

It is not a job that can be finished in two minutes of one day of each year. It requires the conscientious effort and thinking of every person throughout each day of every year.

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Poppies for Remembrance

FOR OVER 25 years the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. has given continuous and unstinted service to Canadian veterans.

Never content to be solely a social club where veterans may gather and reminisce, the organization has steadfastly forged to the front as a strong influence for veterans' welfare, for the security of Canada and for the principles of Democracy.

One of the important means by which the Canadian Legion carries out its nation-wide veteran welfare program is the annual distribution of poppies and poppy wreaths.

Proceeds from this distribution have enabled the Legion to bring immediate and urgently needed relief to untold numbers of veterans and their dependents, and to the orphans and widows of those who died in the service of their country.

The Canadian Legion Poppy Campaign is rooted in the cities, towns and villages of the nation, where 2,000 Legion branches conduct individual campaigns. The organization of the campaign is such that well over half of the total funds raised, remains in those communities for local veteran welfare work, and since all the work is done voluntarily, all the profits are reserved for this work.

Any veteran in need — whether or not he is a member of the Legion — is equally eligible to benefit. And in a very real sense, this is a service of the Canadian public, for it is supported in part by the contributions made during the Poppy Campaign.

The poppies and wreaths that will be offered to you again this year are the product of disabled veterans and those too old for the highly competitive labor market.

The poppy has become a powerful symbol of the blood that was shed on foreign ground in two world conflicts. Between the wars, the world forgot the price in blood that had already been paid. . . This Remembrance Day do your part to help the world remember. Wear a poppy — and plan to attend the Remembrance Day ceremonies in your community.

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Fall Traffic Hazards

TO MANY people, fall is the best time of the year, but to those interested in highway safety it is one of the worst, because driving habits are slow to change while driving conditions change overnight. Additional care and caution will have to be added to meet the changes. Taking everything into consideration, this period is potentially more dangerous than any other time of the year. . .

Motorists in many cases find themselves driving in darkness, whereas they have customarily been driving in daylight.

Add to this, the thousands of school children using the thoroughfares, and there is a situation where accidents are just waiting to happen unless drivers meet the additional hazards with additional care.

Not a small addition to motoring worries is the increasing number of cars on the streets and highways, and also wet leaves on roads adding considerably to the hazard of fall conditions.

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As We Were Saying

ARGENTEUIL County, with its fair quota of game and good sport for the hunter, has been so far exempt from the season's inevitable tragedies. . . Let's keep it that way for the remainder of the hunting season.

We use that word "inevitable" paradoxically but with a purpose — for, obviously, no hunting accident is inevitable; every single mishap is avoidable. And, while well aware that warnings are trite and repetitious, we count these paragraphs of human value if only they induce some reader to stop awhile and think. . .

A few simple precautions would cut the annual toll of men who go into the bush on a happy hunting expedition and end up dead.

The first rule is never to shoot at anything before you know what you're shooting at. This is so simple and so sensible that it is amazing anyone ever violates it.

Equally important is the rule never point a gun at a human. Many hunters are killed or wounded because their companions didn't know the gun was loaded and handled it carelessly.

If a gun is never pointed at a human it won't kill him. Hunters should never walk ahead of another carrying a gun. Hunters in boats or blinds should never carry their arms so that they are pointed at anyone. Then they can't be accidentally discharged and no one will be hurt.

Guns caught on fences take a large annual toll. The hunter should pass his rifle through the fence first, lay it on the ground with its action open and then climb through the fence himself. The same thing goes for climbing trees. Rifles should be left on the ground.

Careful hunters never enter their cabins without making sure their rifles are unloaded, just as they check their rifle bores to make certain they are free of any obstruction which could harm them.

Records of the National Rifle Association and the Canadian Civilian Association of Marksmen show that no member has been responsible for a shooting accident in more than two decades.

That record has been established because members are taught to be careful. If all hunters followed a few simple rules the killing and wounding might be wiped out in a season.

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Problems of Plenty

NATURE'S bounty has in some ways been disconcerting. Wheat fills the elevators of the North Atlantic trading area to capacity, and the new bumper grain crops come at a time when the export movement has been somewhat slower than a year ago. . . Though relatively less important than it used to be, wheat is still king in Canadian agriculture. — We quote this observation from the current Bank of Montreal business review, which offers also an encouraging outlook: "If grain growers are, for the moment, long on inventory, the asset they hold is likely to be realized eventually in a world that has never for very long produced more cereals than it consumes."

Next in importance to grain growing, is the raising of livestock, and here, too, there has been and still is, a problem of abundance. The loss of the United Kingdom bacon contract and the U.S. embargo on Canadian meat curbed export sales at the very time supplies were increasing. Lifting of the embargo last March brought about no upsurge of exports since, in the U.S., too, meat has become relatively plentiful.

In the dairy industry, conditions appear to have achieved a degree of stability, after a hectic period of over four years.

"The problems of the present", the review concludes, "are predominantly problems of plenty . . . and it should not be forgotten that, historically, the farming community has suffered more from scarcity than it ever has from abundance."

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ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

THE NEXT WAR may be a game of atomic poker. . . Nations may vary their nuclear attack on enemy cities by deliberately dropping a dud bomb here and there, Chemist Jack De Ment says in The Military Engineer, quoted by Time magazine recently.

An airplane drops a thing that looks like an atomic bomb. If it goes off, the civil defence people know it is an atomic bomb. One of their problems is solved, anyway. They don't have to stand around worrying.

But perhaps it doesn't go off. What is the next move? Civil defence may herd all the citizens out of town in a panicky mass, tripping over one another's feet, leaving the factories and offices empty and production at a standstill.

Another time, civil defence may decide not to move the people out. "They can't fool us with that old dummy bomb stunt", the civil defender will sneer.

Then — BAROOMPH! Too bad. It was a real atomic bomb this time, with a delayed action fuse. Apologies are difficult to make when you are floating through the air as a cloud of radioactive dust.

De Ment suggests that the enemy could drop a few delayed-action bombs into harbors and rivers and make them go off "just to make sure that dummy bombs dropped later would be treated with proper respect."

Is the bomb real or phoney? Is the enemy holding four aces, or a handful of junk? You don't have long to make your bet, and the stakes are high.

If nations are going to play a game of bluff with one another by destroying this city, forcing the evacuation of that city by fraud, the order of target priorities is going to change.

It stands to reason that if any cities are captured whole by this method, they will be the large industrial centres, which the enemy wants to preserve. The cities that are destroyed as examples will be the less important ones, from an industrial and military viewpoint.

Towns that have long smarted under the indignity of being labelled third-rate targets can now assume a proud place near the top of the list. Even comparatively small towns may now reckon themselves possible targets for an atomic bomb. That should please their Chambers of Commerce no end.

Bombs can also be carried in suitcases. Sooner or later the dream of peacemakers, a war fought solely at the conference table, may become a reality.

"Surrender, capitalist pig", the Russian envoy will snarl. "We have atomic bombs planted in New York, Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles and also in Gopher Gap, North Dakota."

"Yeah?" the American will retort. "Think again, Tovarich. It happens that our underground forces have placed atomic bombs in Moscow, Stalingrad, Vladivostok, Minsk, Pinsk, Omsk, Tomsk and Irkutsk. So why don't you surrender to us?"

"Bah!"

"If you're calling me a liar, pal, I suggest you step outside and settle this right now."

And when the two men came back in the room the war would be over, the only casualities being a black eye on one side and a broken nose on the other.



NOVEMBER 11th.

Things 'n Stuff

— By —
WALTER HENRY JACKSON

Specially contributed and exclusive to The Watchman

'Bout Coons

I guess it will be many moons before I see my pet raccoons that visited my cabin door, accepting handouts by the score, and if at last they got too tame I only have myself to blame!

At first there were just one or two who kept a nightly rendezvous, but they soon spread the word to others who told their parents, friends and brothers about a place to get free lunches. From that time on they came in bunches around my shack and reached a point they practically owned the joint. They'd hit the front door with a boom to march across the dining room, and in a circle sit and beg — one with his paws around my leg while I would try to make a start to render service à la carte.

At last, their appetites subdued, they'd scamper off into the wood and I would heave a grateful sigh that they'd left me a piece of pie. And furthermore, I had to pardon their damage to my kitchen garden. They ate my corn crop, all of it, and made a darn good job of it.

But after all, I've not complained. 'Twas I who was most entertained. I had to laugh and stop my frowning while witnessing their funny clowning. And now, within their cosy lairs they're fast asleep like little bears while I'm still conscious and aware that I must shovel coal and swear. Wouldn't it be a blissful state if men, like coons, could hibernate! Just sleep the winter time away and wake up on the first of May. I sit and wonder now and then if coons ain't got more sense then men!

Be seein' ya!

— Uncle Walt

THOUGHTS AND DEEDS

By M. V. Trayers

Epitaphs

I have no desire to be morbid. The fact is that, following the convention of things, I found myself among the headstones in a churchyard recently and was struck by the poor record which we engrave upon the enduring monuments of stone we erect to the memory of our friends. All their accomplishments, their deeds, their hopes, their fears, their sacrifices, every action of their mortal life, is encompassed in a brief abstract which chronicles the dates of their entrance and departure from this forgetful world. Perhaps we are to blame for thus neglecting to do what our departed friends neglected to do for themselves, or it may be that "this beautiful adventure" is something that we have no desire to be too closely concerned with.

We are not alone in this evasion. There is a striking similarity in the thoughts which poets have left us on this subject. In his "Resignation", Longfellow says: "There is no Death! What seems so is transition; This life of mortal breath is but a suburb of the life elysian". John L. McCreery treats the same subject thus: "There is no death: The stars go down to rise upon some other shore"; and Charles Mackay uses these words: "There is no such thing as death. In nature nothing dies. From each sad remnant of decay, Some forms of life arise". The Persian poet Omar Khayyam commented on this: "Strange — is it not? — that of the myriads who Before us passed the door of Darkness through, Not one returns to tell us of the road Which to discover we must travel too.

Wherever the road may lead us, there is one sure fact, we are better contented not to know. If we just remember there was a time when we were not, this gives us no concern; why then should it trouble us that a time will come when we shall cease to be?

A little rule, a little sway,
Is all the great and mighty have
Betwixt the cradle and the grave.

"Some persons make their own epitaphs, and bespeak the reader's good will. It were, indeed, to be wished, that every man would early learn in this manner to make his own, and that he would draw it up in terms as flattering as possible, and that he would make it the employment of his whole life to deserve it". — Goldsmith.

In our next THOUGHTS we will read the epitaphs of some of those persons who make their own. We will also read of an inscription which bids us look outside of the churchyard for the epitaph we seek, and also read of a man whose last words were: "Let no man dare write my epitaph." It has not yet been written, though a whole nation desires to do so.

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Hospitality

Let me live in a house by the side of the road,
Where the race of men go by;
They are good, they are bad; they are weak, they are strong,
Wise, foolish — so am I;
Then why should I sit in the scorner's seat,
Or hurl the cynic's ban?
Let me live in a house by the side of the road,
And be a friend to man.

— Sam Walter Foss

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By GEOFF.

"Poetry, Anyone?"

Having done more than a fair share of squawking over the past two weeks, let's have something light, eh?

I picked up a volume of poems the other evening. It was good reading. All the lovely old poems that could be recited to the accompaniment of a metronome or a big bass drum. Bags of metre, and every line rhymed with something else, somewhere.

As I read, it made me wonder what has happened to the good old poems? Where are they today? Pick up a book of poetry nowadays and what do you get? The troubles of the world dished up on cheap paper, at a fabulous price, and the blinking stuff will never rhyme if you wait till doomsday.

Here's what I mean:

Owed to Someone

This morning I set out to see
a
friend of
mine that I haven't seen
for donkey's
years.
He didn't look
so
good. And he said he felt
worse.
He said he ought to visit
his doctor and
would I
like
to come along. I said I would but on
going out the door,
I slipped and fell on the damp side
walk.
I wasn't hurt
much
but they sent me to the hospital
where they did nothing to me
except to extract my
money from my
wallet.
This didn't make me feel any better,
so they added a surcharge for a
legitimate
illness.
I finally got home, though,
after paying only seven hundred
dollars.
As for my pal, he feels fine.
Says he hasn't had so much fun in
years as when I went head over tea-
kettle on the walk.
Some fun!

And that, dear friends, is poetry.
Believe it or
not!
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OBITUARY

Pioneer, Lifelong Resident Buried at St. Colomban

The Late John J. Colford

At St. Colomban on Saturday, October 24, the death occurred of John J. Colford, at the age of 78 years. He was a resident of St. Colomban during his entire lifetime, and husband of the late Alice Mooney.

The late Mr. Colford is mourned by a sister, the Rev. Sister M. Alfreda, ex-Superior of St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, B.C.; a daughter (Eva), Mrs. Ray Hunter; his sons, Anthony, of Colford Lodge, and Rufus.

The funeral was held Tuesday, October 27, from funeral parlors at Ste. Scholastique to St. Colomban, where he was laid to rest among many pioneer neighbors and old-time residents.

Late John Cunningham Resided Here 53 Years

John Cunningham, an old and well known citizen, passed away at his residence, Barron Avenue, on Monday evening. He was in his 81st year.

Born in Montreal on March 21, 1873, he married Charlotte McCullough, and the couple celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary last March. Retired for over 10 years, the late Mr. Cunningham was a plumber by trade. He served as a trustee of the I.O.O.F., in which he had been a member for 49 years. He had lived in this community for 53 years.

Left to mourn his loss are his wife; one son, Hugh, of Lachute; four daughters, Mrs. Archie B. Gordon (Bella), also of Lachute, Mrs. Jas. B. Smith (Beatrice), of Flint, Mich., Mrs. Michael Nason (Barbara), of Montreal, and Mrs. Paul Lamarche (Gertie), of Hawkesbury. A second son, Jock, passed away under tragic circumstances seven years ago.

Thirteen grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren also remain, along with three brothers, Robert, of New Glasgow, Que., Hugh, of Montreal, and James, of St. Eustache, and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Ryan (Barbara), of Port Huron.

The funeral will be held today (Thursday) at 2.30 o'clock from the Lachute United Church.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, etc.

Births, Marriages, Deaths and In Memoriam, etc., 75c; 5c per type line extra for verses with In Memoriam (estimate 6 words per type line).

DEATHS

COLFORD — At St. Colomban on October 24, 1953, John J. Colford, aged 78 years, beloved husband of the late Alice Mooney, brother of Rev. Sister M. Alfreda, Victoria, B.C., and father of Eva (Mrs. Ray Hunter), Anthony, of Colford Lodge, and Rufus. Funeral on October 27 from funeral parlors in Ste. Scholastique, with service in St. Colomban.

CUNNINGHAM — At Lachute, Que., on Monday, Nov. 2, 1953, John Cunningham, beloved husband of Charlotte McCullough, aged 80 years. Funeral Thursday, at 2.30 o'clock from the Lachute United Church.

IN MEMORIAM

BEATTIE — In loving memory of my dear Dad, W. J. Beattie, who passed away Nov. 1, 1952. — Ever remembered by his daughter, Sarah, and family.

"Always so good, unselfish and kind,
Few on this earth his equal we find,
Honorable and upright in all his ways,
Loyal and true to the end of his days."

BROWN — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Richard Brown, who passed away Nov. 8, 1933. — Ever remembered by his wife and family.

"Dearer to us than words can tell
Was the one we lost and loved so well.
Quick and sudden was the call,
The blow was great; the shock severe.
We little thought your death was near.
We mention your name and speak of you often,
God bless you, dear Dad,
You will ne'er be forgotten."

MacLEOD — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Bond MacLeod, who passed away suddenly Nov. 7, 1948. — Ever remembered by his wife and family.

"Always in our thoughts".

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Harrington

Mrs. F. Kelly and her daughter, Gwen, of Hawkesbury, visited friends in Harrington on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. R. Todd and children, who have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McVicar, returned Sunday to her home in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, of Howick, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw. Miss Isobel Fraser, of Lachute, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Shaw.

Farm Forum members met Monday evening, for their first time this season, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett.

Quite a number met in Campbell's Hall for the annual Bible Society meeting last Thursday evening. The sum of $91.62 was collected this year.

Bell Falls

Mr. Gilbert Campbell and Mr. John Campbell returned home Saturday after spending some time in Port Arthur, Ont.

Mrs. Eric Hamilton, of Montreal, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Arnold, at Warren's Cottage last Sunday.

Mrs. A. Robillard, of Port Arthur, is spending some time here with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Campbell.

Mr. Alex Page and Miss Ellen Campbell visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Carruthers in Montreal on Sunday.

Mrs. L. McRae and daughters called on friends here last week-end.

The Harrington Farm Forum met Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bennett. Mr. George Bennett was re-elected discussion chairman and Mr. Eric Bates secretary.

Messrs. George Bennett and Harold McVicar attended the Winter Fair in Ottawa last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William McRae, of Brownsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. McRae last week-end.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page on Sunday were Mrs. M. Betts, Messrs. Gordon and Malcolm Betts, and Miss Lois Betts.

Miss Janet McNeil and a friend, from Ottawa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McNeil last week-end.

The masquerade dance held in the Campbell Hall Saturday evening was well attended, and an enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Next Sunday at 11 a.m. in Harrington United Church, a Remembrance service will be held for those who paid the supreme sacrifice in the two World Wars. All members of the community are cordially invited to attend. Sunday School prior to service, at 10 a.m.

Home from Interesting Trip

Mr. W. H. Warren arrived back last week-end from his combined business and pleasure trip to the "Old Sod". He visited many places, and was impressed with the friendliness of the British people everywhere.

While in Northern Ireland he visited Giant's Causeway, one of nature's greatest wonders; the grave of Saint Patrick, Ireland's patron saint; also Carrick Fergus Castle, the stronghold of King William of Orange.

In Southern Ireland he visited his birthplace, and the old home which he had not seen for 54 years — with its apple tree still growing in the back yard, but the house occupied by strangers; the old school, also, where he remembers the schoolboys used to throw stones at each other. He then went to visit Blarney Castle (and he kissed the blarney stone); on to the lakes of Killarney, and back to Dublin and Belfast.

In Great Britain, Mr. Warren visited London, Liverpool and Edinburgh with its famous castle. He was much impressed by the beauty of this city. He then proceeded to busy Glasgow, and returned to Liverpool via Birmingham and Manchester. He sailed home aboard the Liner Empress of Scotland, reporting an enjoyable trip.

A doctor living in Umtata, Transkei, South Africa, writes regarding suitability of a place to live near Duncan, B.C. — proudly relates the Cowichan Leader.

St. Andrews East

Miss Walsh and Mrs. Graham went to Montreal Thursday to spend the winter there.

Miss Mary Lamb returned home Friday after spending 10 days in the city.

Miss Evelyn Wales attended the graduation exercises in Verdun High School on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coulman, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ed Brown.

Miss Enid Robertson spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Robertson.

Misses Agnes and Alison Rodger spent the week-end at River Rouge with their mother, Mrs. W. Geo. Rodger.

Mrs. L. L. Pascoe, of Westmount, with Mr. Ron Murray and little daughter, Andrea, of the Town of Mount Royal, visited recently with her brother and sister, Mr. Snowdon and Mrs. Lilly.

Miss Cairns and Mrs. Palmer, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McPhee.

Mrs. V. F. Lilly is staying with her son, Mr. V. Lloyd Lilly and family, at Como, for an indefinite period.

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Hartly Dennison, of Thetford Mines, visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens on Sunday, after having visited their sisters, Mrs. Roy Brooker and Mrs. E. O. Bennett, both of Ottawa.

Mrs. Reg Bennett and little daughter, Eileen, visited their aunt, Mrs. Walter Gauley, in Chatboro last week.

Miss Asaneth Brock, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end with Miss Violet Bennett.

Miss Muriel McKirdy, of Santiago, Chile, and her sister, Miss Eunice McKirdy, of Oshawa, Ont., visited at Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young's, and with Misses Mary and Ethel Keys and other friends here.

Mr. Robert McCart, Mrs. Emmett Lowe and twins, Richard and Ronald, and Mrs. Bernard McCart, visited the latter's son, Joseph, in Ottawa recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott MacLean and family, of Harrington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacIntyre.

Miss Elsie and Mr. Howard Cousins, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cousins.

Mr. Robert Trineer, Jr., of Kitchener, Ont., spent the week-end with his wife and family.

Mr. Ross Trineer, of Niagara Falls, spent a few days recently with his mother.

Friends in this community welcome Mr. Carl Paige and family, who have come from Ste. Agathe to take up residence again.

Mrs. Wm. Hanlon and sons, David and Thomas, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mott.

Miss Mavis Crooks, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. Vernon Kennedy, and Messrs. Cecil and Lorne Mott, have returned from Alberta where they were employed in harvest work.

Friends are reminded that on November 7 a turkey dinner will be held in the Grenville High School. Further information elsewhere in this issue.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. A. Dinelle's were — Miss Bertha Larocque, Mr. Arthur Samson, and Mr. Francois Larocque, of Lachute, Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Malette, of Grenville, and Mrs. Vernique Malette, of Stonefield.

Timid: "Sir, my wife asked me to ask you if I could have a raise in salary."

Boss: "Well, I'll ask my wife if I can give you one."

Weir

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Christianson and family, of Ottawa, visited friends here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd and infant son, accompanied by Mrs. J. Boyd, of Arundel, were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaven's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson, with their daughter Ann, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Craig and son, John, of Valois, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Craig.

Miss Lorna Bennett left Monday to spend a fortnight with her sister, Mrs. Stan Langdon and Mr. Langdon, in Normetal.

Miss Beth Owen returned home Saturday after spending the week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Owen at Lachine.

Home from Germany

Sgt. Carl Craig arrived home by air from Germany, where he has been serving with the 27th Brigade for the past two years, and is now spending a fortnight's furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig.

Mrs. D. Harney and her three children, Kim, Kie and Wendy, of Ahuntsic, spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen.

Miss Joyce McConnel, of Montreal, spent the week-end at her home here.

Home Burned

Fire destroyed the cottage of Mrs. A. Howard on Tuesday afternoon; all the effects were lost. High winds threatened to spread the fire to neighboring houses and buildings, but neighbors and willing helpers kept the blaze under control.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Carruthers and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Campbell spent the week-end at St. Sauveur, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Carruthers.

Mr. and Mrs. Boris Gonischess, Montreal, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Carruthers.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hebert and family spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson.

Mr. Adrien Landry and Mr. Richard Fenigan, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cresswell.

Morin Heights

Mr. Eric Allison, of Los Angeles, California, spent Tuesday here renewing old acquaintances.

Mrs. J. E. Seale spent last week in Knowlton with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dey, of Otterburn Park, and Miss Vivian Dey, of Montreal, were here on Saturday visiting firends. They were accompanied by their father, Mr. Matt Dey, who plans to stay the winter with them in Otterburn Park.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Seale, who celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary on Saturday.

Mr. Ivan Ward returned home to Mille Isles on Wednesday after spending about two months in Western Canada.

Miss Doreen Seale, of Montreal, accompanied by Miss Carol Smith, of Hampstead, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Seale.

Mr. Jack Kennedy and daughter, Miss Dorothy Kennedy, spent Sunday in Montreal visiting Mr. Fred Kennedy, who is still a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

School Dance

A most successful school dance was held in the school auditorium Friday evening. An orchestra from St. Jerome provided the music.

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Grenville

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

Mrs. John Shute, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar, also visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dewar. Mr. Hartland Dewar spent the week-end with his parents.

Mrs. Guy Villeneuve was a guest last week at the home of Mr. E. Byrnes and of the Misses Kate and Mary Byrnes, at St. Philippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Dupuis, of St. Laurent, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dupuis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Villeneuve, of Kilmar, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Villeneuve.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray Dawson, Miss Pearl Dawson, and Mr. Clarence Dawson, of Carrying Place, Ont., accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson, of Cushing, to Lacolle, Que., on Saturday to the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Dawson to join with the family reunion and surprise birthday dinner in honor of the Rev. Ernest Dawson. Twenty-two persons sat down to this dinner celebration.

Strawberries In Bloom

It can't be spring because we had snow early Monday, but shrubs are budding, and one local farmer, G. L. Hume of East Settlement, reports strawberries in bloom with fruit in evidence, starting to form. . . That was at the beginning of this week. A few people are expecting to see snowdrops any day now.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig, of Weir, Que., wish to thank all friends and neighbors who helped prevent the spread of fire to their farm buildings and house on Tuesday. -1c

Further Sentences In Connection With St. Andrews Thefts

St. Jerome — Jean Paul Trudeau, 36, alleged accomplice of former Police Chief Jean Paul St. Denis of St. Andrews East in a series of burglaries, was sentenced to 22 months in jail for his part of the work, last Friday.

Judge Eugene Lafontaine was told by railway investigators that Trudeau was with St. Denis when a gang broke into the CNR station at St. Andrews to remove a refrigerator, an electric stove, a side of bacon, a typewriter, and stamps.

Most of the goods had been recovered and Trudeau, a former house painter, was not the instigator of the burglary, the prosecution stated.

St. Denis, who was sentenced to 23 months for a series of burglaries earlier this year, received another concurrent term of 23 months for his part in the CNR theft.

Judge Lafontaine said St. Denis was "a dishonor to the noble profession of policemen", and added he "deserved a much stiffer term than the one he had been given."

Safe Discovered At Beech Ridge

Jim Anderson, of St. Andrews East, notified local authorities Monday evening of a broken safe he had noticed on the Beech Ridge Road. On investigation, the police discovered the safe, which was full of important papers belonged to the Rosemount Garage, Montreal. This garage was broken into on the night of October 25, and the thieves got away with the safe which contained only a small sum of cash.

Montreal police were notified and came to recover the safe and valuable papers. They are presently conducting a local investigation into the robbery.

Official Opening Of New High School At Hawkesbury

The Hon. P. T. Kelly, Ontario Minister of Mines, took part in ceremonies marking the official opening of the new Hawkesbury High School.

Before some 600 onlookers, Mr. Kelly cut the symbolic ribbon and announced the $715,000 structure officially opened.

Completed over one year ago, the eight-classroom building was used by more than 300 students during the 1952-53 school term.

"With life becoming more and more complex, our boys and girls must be provided with adequate facilities for learning in order that they will be able to bear tomorrow's problems", said the Hon. Mr. Kelly in his address.

Wilfrid Lafreniere, of the Board of Trustees, presided.

Produce Riboflavin In Valleyfield Plant

Valleyfield, Que. (CP) — Riboflavin, a vitamin used to enrich bread and flour, now is being produced in Canada for the first time at a plant in this city 40 miles southwest of Montreal.

Production will be sufficient to meet requirements of Canadian pharmaceutical, animal feed, and flour milling industries. Riboflavin — one of the B-vitamins — has been mainly imported from the United States and in 1951 imports were valued at $554,055.

The vitamin is found in yeast, milk, liver, wheat germ and other foods, but research has shown baking and cooking causes extensive loss of the vitamin in its natural form.

Medical clinicians say Riboflavin deficiency may be the most prevalent of all vitamin deficiencies, and combined with lack of other B-vitamins produces a condition known as avitaminosis — a tissue inflammation.

Riboflavin is also used by farmers in poultry and pig feed to increase growth and improve the health of the animals. Small quantities of the vitamin are added to feed bags by manufacturers to distribute the feed supplement.

Robt. Taylor's Mother Dies in Montreal Unaware of Tragedy

The 84-year-old mother of taxi driver Robert Taylor died of diabetes without knowing her son had been beaten to death in a $2.50 holdup two weeks ago.

Mrs. Charles Taylor had been in the Aide à la Femme Hospice, in Montreal, since the death of Robert Taylor's wife, last year.

Miss Rhea Ste. Marie, hospice director, said the woman frequently asked about her son, but was told he had suffered an attack of grippe and could not visit her for some time.

The family had requested she should not be told of the incident.

The late Bob Taylor was very devoted to his mother and went to see her whenever he took a fare to the vicinity, hospice employees said.

YOUTH RALLY

SATURDAY, NOV. 7
8 p.m.

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This rally is sponsored by the People's Church, Lachute, in the interest of all churches in the community.

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CLARK'S PORK & BEANS 20 ozs. 3 for 53c

AYLMER TOMATO SOUP 10 ozs. 3 for 35c

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OLD LONDON MINCE MEAT - - 24 ozs. 29c
SUN MAID RAISINS Seedless - - 2 lbs. 45c
MAGIC BAKING POWDER lb. 34c
SAXONIA CUT MIXED PEEL - - 8 ozs. 17c
FARM BOY RAISINS 15 ozs. 21c
GLOBE PEARS 20 ozs. 3 for 55c
SOLAR SLICE PINEAPPLE - 20 ozs. 31c
MONT ROUGE APPLE JUICE 20 ozs. 3 for 44c
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AMONG THE CHURCHES

All-Out Missionary Effort Stressed at Un. Church Men's Supper

That vital statistics can be the life-blood of any organization was demonstrated at the annual men's supper of the United Church for this district, held in the Lachute church hall. A larger gathering than the previous years was evident, and representatives from Brownsburg, St. Andrews East, Cushing, St. Eustache, Morin Heights, Shawbridge and the Lachute area gathered Tuesday to enjoy a turkey supper prepared by the ladies of the W.M.S.

Main speaker of the evening was the chairman of the Missionary and Maintenance Committee of Montreal region, Mr. Wm. Scott, a layman fully qualified and interested in this important aspect of church work. Statistics can be very dull and boring, but as presented by Mr. Scott, they issued a challenge to those present to face the facts.

That only 20% of the United Church members give anything to the missionary enterprise, was emphasized time and again . . that average givings were only 8.6 cents per week, was a shocking revelation to most hearers.

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel", was Mr. Scott's opening challenge. "Who is our neighbor?" asked the speaker. Answering, he said that "our neighbors are those in Canada and in all the world who need the message". Why is it that only 20% of church members give to missions? — are we making our membership too easy? — are we after numbers and not quality? asked the speaker.

Conscious of the fact that many give generously to the missionary cause, Mr. Scott realistically faced his audience with the truth that we are becoming a pleasure-minded people, always running after cheap entertainment, cheap literature — always 'something-for-nothing' and with the Canadian annual liquor bill at $741,000,000.

"If we pay the price, we can have heaven on earth", the missioner said. The Christian gospel has never failed. . . If we only give the price of a package of cigarettes per week, the church would be "on easy street" for all its work. "Tonight in Korea, 50% of the people are in need of clothes, shelter and food. The old are crawling into holes to die — not because they think less of human values than we do, but because they haven't the means", Mr. Scott said. He traced briefly the history of the African world, when western countries raided the compounds and took away healthy negro males to the slave camps. Now the offsprings of those slaves are not good enough to ride in the same streetcars, to go to the same schools or churches. That time was "running out for the western world" was proclaimed by the speaker.

The Rev. Norman MacMurray, chairman of the Montreal Conference, brought greetings. Urgent need of men, women and money for the broader work of the United Church was forcibly told. He appealed to ministers and laymen to realize this need. In modern missionary work, he said that there was a new strategy evident. In the old days the missionaries went "to rule the roost". . . now they go to co-operate and as colleagues to the native ministers.

The secretary of the Montreal Presbytery, the Rev. DeWitt Scott, also spoke, stressing the fact that there was no such thing as "home missions" and "foreign missions", but that they were now one complete enterprise. He said that he was proud of the work being done in this northern region, and that this annual laymen's supper for the means of proclaiming the missionary undertaking, was a fine example to other regions.

Chairman for the meeting was the minister of Lachute United Church, the Rev. Wilson Bridge, who introduced and thanked the various speakers, and expressed appreciation to the W.M.S. for their wonderful meal. After the dinner, a singsong was led by Mr. Owen Todd, of Brownsburg, with Wayne Riddell at the piano.

Housewife's Special, Playroom Clean-Up

Comes that annual opportunity for mothers of growing children — to round up the outgrown toys and games their families no longer need, and hand them over to the Scouts' Christmas Toy Shop.

This "annual good turn" is getting under way — the collecting, painting and renovating of toys to provide cheer for less-privileged children in Lachute and suburban areas, when Christmas comes around.

If you have anything to contribute to this effort by the Lachute Boy Scouts, please contact Scoutmaster Basil Riddell (1013-M) or Asst. Scoutmaster Fred Stansfield (37-J), at the earliest date.

Matters of Interest To Churchgoing Public At Ministerial Assocn.

The Argenteuil Protestant Ministerial Association met in regular session at the Dalesville Baptist Church on Monday morning.

The Rev. C. R. Lang, past-president, was in the chair.

Election of officers resulted in the Rev. N. H. Brock becoming president, and the Rev. G. T. Spriggs secretary-treasurer.

Among matters of public interest discussed may be mentioned the following: The coming Dominion-wide convention at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, on December 2, 3 and 4, in the cause of Temperance. The three days will bring together many of the most prominent speakers on the evils of alcohol. . . It has been found impossible to arrange a Teachers' Training Course for Sunday School teachers until the fall of 1954. In the meantime such teachers and others interested are urged to attend the course of study under leadership of the Rev. Dr. W. H. Reid, each Thursday at 8 p.m.

The Bible Society's annual meeting in Lachute will be on November 22, at 7.30 p.m. in the United Church. The Rev. Mr. Booth will speak and exhibit films. All the local churches will combine for this service.

Plans are being made for Watch-Night services at Brownsburg and Lachute, also for due observance of the Universal Week of Prayer, January 4 - 8.

The Rev. D. C. Merrett gave an interesting address on the great need of reformation, particularly in respect to Sunday School work. There is a challenge to the Christian church membership to go out and bring others to Christ, he emphasized.

MAPLE LEAVES IN COVENTRY CATHEDRAL

London — The new Coventry Cathedral, now being built, will have 28 bronze maple leaves set in stones making up the aisles. This comes as the result of a walk taken by the architect, Mr. Basil Spence, in Montreal recently. Mr. Spence was walking along a street when he noticed some maple leaves studded in the sidewalk. "It suddenly occurred to me that Canada should be represented in the new building", he says. The material for the emblems will be obtained in Canada, thus making "a bit of Canada for people to see right down the ages."

CANADIAN CHURCHES ORDER WELSH STAINED WINDOW

London — Three stained glass windows for Morningside Presbyterian Church, Toronto, are now being made in Swansea, Wales. St. Andrew's United Church, River Heights, Winnipeg, has also ordered windows from the same firm, who also hope to do extensive work for Halifax Cathedral, which was started 25 years ago.

Agriculture Specialist Now at Ottawa University

Dr. W. W. McCutcheon, a holder of numerous degrees and a Macdonald College graduate who taught here as Agriculture specialist at Lachute High School in 1944-45, has been appointed a member of the faculty of the Graduate School of the University of Ottawa.

According to the Macdonald Farm Journal, Mr. McCutcheon, who originally came from Brome, Que., continued his academic work after leaving Macdonald by proceeding to a Doctor's degree at Cornell University, which was granted in 1951, which he followed with a year's post-doctoral study at the University of London Institute of Education on an Imperial Relations Trust Fellowship. He was one of two Canadian to receive this outstanding award.

Dr. McCutcheon's regular post is with the Economics and Research Branch of the Department of Labor at Ottawa, and his university appointment will be held in addition to his other duties.

Stirring Topic Heard At Lachute Women's Inst.

Hair-raising experiences of her family in Poland and Russia, were told by Mrs. Sosnkowski, Arundel, at the W.I. meeting in Lachute this week.

Listeners left with a certain regret that more people could not have been present to hear this speaker.

The experiences of two of her family in a concentration camp in Siberia, plus her miraculous escape to England, gave some idea of what living under the communist regime could mean. It takes someone who has seen unbelievable atrocities committed, to stir the western lethergy and a real sense of pride in Canada and the democracy under which we live, and to impress the idea that we have a moral responsibility, that of sowing seeds of Love, God and Country in our youth, that they may be armed to face the world of today and tomorrow.

Mrs. Sosnkowski is welcomed as a New Canadian, and hopes are expressed that her sojourn in Canada will be both pleasant and happy.

Q.W.I.'s To Join In Farm Women Discussion

What should co-operation between a farmer and his wife involve? This is one of the questions members of the Quebec Women's Institutes are being asked to discuss when the Farm Radio Forum has its broadcast, November 9, on the topic, "Partners All".

Material has been distributed to all county and branch conveners of Agriculture, calling attention to the broadcast and asking for discussion on the points raised, with the returns to be sent in to the Q.W.I. office. The provincial convener, Mrs. Gordon Brown, of Cowansville, feels most farm women have very definite ideas on this subject and hopes every branch will make a report as the Forum would like to have as complete a record as possible of the thinking of all farm women on this question of partnership.

Last year the Associated Country Women of the World carried on a survey among all its constituent societies on agricultural employment for farm women. One of the answers revealed that in Quebec (among the English-speaking section served by the Institute) at least 75% of farm women help in various phases of farm work. "The usefulness of farm women's work cannot be over-estimated" the report stated. "It often means the difference between success or failure in operating a farm". A sweeping statement. It will be of interest to see if the present discussion will arrive at the same conclusion.



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Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Drysdale and little daughter, Judy, of Gatineau Mills, Que., spent the week-end in town as guests of Mrs. G. H. Staniforth and Miss M. C. James.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tremaine and children, Bobby and Sharon, of Valleyfield, Que., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Albright and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Dorion returned Monday after spending some time with their son, Jimmy, in St. Catharines, Ont. On their return they stopped off at Niagara Falls, continuing their homeward trip through the States.

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Dr. E. Christie spent Saturday in Montreal attending the Reid-Humphreys wedding.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Evans, of Notre Dame de Grace, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tabrett and family.

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Congratulations Tendered to Golden Wedding Celebrants

At a social evening in St. Simeon's Church hall on Tuesday evening, good wishes were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Elliott, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on November 4. A bouquet of flowers was presented by their friends in St. Simeon's congregation, accompanied by sincere expressions of congratulation.

Mrs. George Staniforth was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. MacArthur in Arundel, Que.

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Mrs. H. McNeill and Mrs. M. Blair, of Lakeside, Que., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Charron for a few days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewis and daughter, Doreen, of Aylmer, Que., visited Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Evans on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert W. Scott were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker Scott, and while on their wedding trip they visited recently in Syracuse, N.Y., and Niagara Falls, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Scott will reside at North Bennington, Vt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker and family, of Montreal, and Miss Ruth Rae Walker, of Macdonald College, visited their mother, Mrs. Chas. Walker, over the week-end.

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Auxiliary Card Party

A "500" card party was held by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Legion Branch 70, in the Legion Hall last Wednesday evening. Mr. Thos. Iddon was master of ceremonies. The following were prize-winners:

1st prize, Mr. Stanley Dewar.
2nd prize, Mrs. Maitland.
3rd prize, Mr. N. Moore.
Door prize, Mr. W. Starnes.

Refreshments were served by the ladies and an enjoyable evening was spent by all who attended.

Mr. W. Arthur Simpson, of Lyndonville, Vt., spent two days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGibbon at Dalesville.

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Mrs. Cecil McFaul, accompanied by Mrs. F. H. J. Royal and daughter, Heather, have been spending a few days this week at Valcartier, Que., visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Doig.

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Reception Held For Newlywed Couple

Members of St. Simeon's Church held an "at home" in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Spriggs, who were married recently in Montreal, at the church hall on Tuesday evening. Many friends from the vicinity of Mountain View, residence of the couple, also joined in the festivities.

The Rev. C. R. Lang was the master of ceremonies, and after reviewing, in humorous vein, the past history of the Russell family of Rosemount, and of the events that led up to the present celebration, presented a purse to the Rev. and Mrs. Spriggs. Both made fitting replies.

Members of the immediate family of Mrs. Spriggs in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dapp, of Rosemount, Mr. and Mrs. F. Edmondson, of Dorval, and Mr. William Russell, of Ste. Rose.

Flowers on the head-table were graciously donated by Mr. Albert Ogilvie. After the refreshments, Mr. Harry Dapp sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Through the Years", accompanied by Mrs. Jas. Pollock. Sentiments of thanks to the ladies who had organized the reception and made the refreshments, were expressed by Mr. Geo. Leggett. The Rev. P. R. Stote, of Grenville, also spoke briefly during the evening.

To Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dion, of Lachute, will celebrate their 50th anniversary November 7 at their home, where they will be entertained by their family. Mr. and Mrs. Dion have nine children and 10 grandchildren.

Legion Auxiliary Meeting

The November meeting of the Ladies' Legion Auxiliary, Branch 70, was held Monday evening in the Legion Hall. Mrs. R. Burns, president, was in the chair. Plans were made to hold a progressive "military whist" the end of the month. Arrangements were also made to cater for the Armistice Dinner to be held on Saturday evening.

The December meeting will be held on the 7th of that month, with election of officers, followed by a Christmas gift exchange.

Entertainment at the close of the meeting was by Mrs. R. Bruns and Mrs. C. Ward. Refreshments were served by Mrs. V. Elliott and Mrs. J. Coney.

School Opening Ceremonies Held At Brownsburg

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — The yearly school opening exercises called to attendance a good number of parents, others interested in local educational matters, and a full attendance of pupils. The pupils were interested in the awarding of the numerous prizes, and perhaps a little in the musical items — the parents in the principal's report on school administration.

On the platform to round out the business of the function, were Mr. Pat Reilly, chairman of the School Board, who served also as chairman of the meeting; Mr. Dave Atkins, president of the Home and School Association; Mrs. Mason Crosby, Education convener of the Women's Institute; Mr. Keith Rutherford, president of Rotary; and Mr. G. King Amos, school principal. Mrs. C. Wheeler was accompanist for the musical items.

The meeting got under way with "O Canada". Mr. Reilly explained the mechanics of prize-distribution and welcomed those present. Mr. Atkins called for congratulation the pupil in each grade recording the highest marks for proficiency, and presented each with a book. The same procedure was adopted for pupils coming second and third in each grade, the books in each instance being presented on behalf of the School Board. Mrs. Mason Crosby presented in like manner the books awarded for fourth proficiency in each grade by the Women's Institute. Mr. Amos, who had charge of the Glee Club consisting of pupils under his tuition at the school, led in a rendition of two numbers, which were beautifully sung and warmly received.

Mr. Rutherford took over in easy manner and happy comment, to award one pupil from each grade a book prize for progress, after which the Glee Club presented two further numbers, equally pleasing. Mr. Reilly called Mander Gardiner, the pupil who had obtained highest standing in the School Leaving examination, and after congratulating him on his successful school year, presented him with the bond dividend cheque which the board yearly administers on behalf of the donors. The value of the cheque is slightly over $20 at present rates.

The report of Principal G. King Amos was heard with interest. (Items from this report will be published next week, due to lack of space in the current issue.)

In Brownsburg

Specially contributed to The Watchman

Rumors

Anyone recalling Pope's lines must be struck with their truth during the past week here. "The flying rumors gathered as they rolled, and all who told it added something new, and all who heard it made enlargement too; in every ear it spread, on every tongue it grew. How it all started I cannot tell how the truth may be: I say the tale as it was said to me.". . .

Somewhere a report arose which told of the vicious attack by some moron on a little girl returning from baby-sitting, later it had it that the little girl died at a nearby hospital. No one bothered to question who the little girl was, or if there was a funeral or anything factual. Next a posse was organized to hunt the attacker, who had struck again. Mothers of baby-sitting daughters began frantic calls to the police, and every shadow of night made its ghostly visit by telephone into the Chief's office. So harried was this official (according to the rumor mongers) that he resigned after being shot in the arm. No one seemed to make a simple call to verify this tale — so the rumor grew. . . There was no curfew needed; all children and some not so childish were off the streets after dark. At last the villain was apprehended, but his name could not be revealed.

The police report at the Council meeting said there was no foundation for these whirling tales. The Chief had received over 100 calls, which he tried to investigate. The Council allowed him $10 for the gas he was forced to use on the wild goose chases!

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Jiggs to His Aid

When applications for public assistance and payment on debentures issued by the Council were before the last meeting, Mayor Donaldson remarked: "We must do like Jiggs in tonight's paper — get money wholesale." . . Report next issue.

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GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

Lachute Baptist Church
Rev. D. C. Merritt, Pastor
3 p.m. Church School.
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
Wed. 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting.
Women's Mission Circle at Miss M. Blute's, 626 College Street, Thursday, Nov. 5, 8 p.m.
Coming: Sound Film, Moody Science Institute "Prior Claim" on Thursday, Nov. 12. Premier showing.
You are invited to attend.

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
11 a.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
CHRIST CHURCH
ST. ANDREWS EAST
11 a.m. Holy Communion

Lachute United Church
(The Church with the Chimes)
Rev. Wilson Bridge, Minister
Remembrance Sunday, Nov. 8
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"Our Differences in the Light of Descent and Destiny"
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
"Gates To The City of God"
New worshippers always welcomed.
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

People's Church
Lachute's Singing Church
Legion Hall.
L. E. Tuck, Pastor
BIBLE SCHOOL 9.50 a.m.
Classes for all ages
83 in '53
MORNING SERVICE 11.05 a.m.
REMEBRANCE DAY SERVICE
"The Greatest Sacrifice for Peace"
EVENING SERVICE 7.30 p.m.
"Christ the Wine-bibber"
Lively singing and Gospel preaching
Cottage Prayer Meeting
at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Prosser
Brownsburg
"The only people on the face of the earth for whom Christ can do anything are sinners."

Brownsburg United
Rev. Garfield W. Bruce, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"The Strong Hold in the Day of Trouble"

Margaret Rodger Mem'l Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. Reid, M.A., D.D., Minister
LACHUTE
10 a.m. Church School.
11 a.m. Divine Worship (and Beginners' Dept.)
7 p.m. Evening Service.
BROWNSBURG
8 p.m. Worship Service.
Church School: Monday, 4 p.m.
Bible Study: Thursday, 8 p.m.

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
Rev. Geo. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
10.00 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Happy Hour for all kiddies, Monday, 7 p.m.
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Dr. Thompson of Ottawa, Moderator of Ottawa Association will be guest speaker, assisted by others from the Board.
7 p.m. Evening Service.

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
E. G. McNutt, Pastor
Services held in
BROWNSBURG LEGION HALL
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic 7.30 p.m.
Special music. Italian Instrumental Trio, also vocal duets.
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Dalesville Regular Baptist Church
Rev. D. C. Merrett, Pastor
10 a.m. Church School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer meeting.
All are welcome.

Parish of Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector
Saint Sauveur, 9.30 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Mille Isles 3 p.m.

Parish of Grenville
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector
8 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
9.30 a.m. H.C. Holy Trinity.
10.30 a.m. S.S.—Holy Trinity.
11.00 a.m. M.P. St Matthew's.
3 p.m. S.S. St. Matthew's.
7.00 p.m. E.P. Kilmar.

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.

After Armageddon — God's New World

At the New World Society Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses, Yankee Stadium, New York, July 26, the speech "After Armageddon — God's New World" was delivered to an audience of 165,629 persons. This crowd included those who occupied overflow tents outside the stadium walls, and some 49,000 at the assembly's Trailer City who heard by direct wire communication with the stadium.

From the way this tremendous crowd of people from ninety-six different lands enjoyed this speech, we are sure that all persons with hearts yearning for what is right, pure and good will enjoy it too, with great personal enrichment and comfort and with wise counsel for the future.

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ANGLICAN BAZAAR

— At St. George's Church, Brownsburg, Saturday, Nov. 7. Home-cooking, fancy articles, and afternoon tea, 3 to 6 p.m. Adults 35c, children 20c. -1p

RUMMAGE SALE

— Friday, Nov. 6, in Albright's Store, Main St., to be held by the Ladies' Guild of St. Simeon's Church. -1c

SALE AND TEA

A sale of home-cooking and afternoon tea, Nov. 13, at the home of Mrs. Gordon Anderson, Brownsburg, under auspices of the Grenville Baptist Mission Circle. Keep the date open. -1p

OYSTER - BEAN SUPPER

— For members and friends of Knights of Columbus Council 2752, Lachute, 7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 17, at the Legion Hall. $2 person, $3 couple. Reservations, tel. 1167-W. -1c

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Argenteuil Agricultural Society will be held on Friday, Nov. 6, at 2 o'clock in the Court House, Lachute, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and presenting the financial statement for 1953. N5.3c

ST. MATTHEW'S (GRENV'L) TURKEY DINNER

— On Nov. 7 in the Consolidated School, 5.30 to 8 p.m., sponsored by St. Matthew's Ladies' Guild. Proceeds for the General Fund of the parish. Adm., adults $1, children 50c. . . Menu as follows: Tomato juice, roast turkey and dressing, cup cranberry sauce, brown gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered peas and turnips, apple pie and ice cream, rolls, coffee, tea. -1c

L.O.B.A. MILITARY WHIST

The L.O.B.A. will hold a "military whist" in the Legion Hall, Foundry Street, on Tuesday, Nov. 10, at 8 p.m. (Please bring your own cards.) Adm. 50c. -1p

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church, Lachute, will hold their annual Christmas bazaar on Friday, Nov. 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Fancy work, aprons and home-cooking for sale. Afternoon tea will be served. N12.2c

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ROOM AND BOARD — available for one person. — Phone 2575, Brownsburg. N5.2p

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APT. — 3 rooms, at 525 Meikle St. — Phone 874-J, Lachute. N12.2p

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Grenville High School News and Activities

By Willis Young

A successful masquerade dance was held in the school gymnasium last Friday evening. Approximately 225 people attended and enjoyed a wonderful time. Those who won prizes for costumes in the several classifications were:

Best Clown: 1st Harvey Hoare, 2nd Mrs. C. G. Foreman.

Best Pirate: 1st Elly Bolegraaf, 2nd Jeffrey Murphy.

Best Indian Brave: 1st Jimmie Boyd, 2nd Ronnie Prophet.

Best Indian Squaw: 1st Mrs. Thos. Canning.

Best Gypsy: 1st Mrs. Gerald Beauchamp, 2nd Mrs. Wm. Hanlon.

Most Comic: 1st Mrs. Roy Nixon, 2nd Mrs. Leslie Cowan.

Most Original: 1st Mrs. Clifford Cooke, 2nd Mrs. Art Smith.

Prettiest: 1st Rosemary Whinfield, 2nd Penny Foreman.

Ten prizes were awarded to children under 12 years of age; unfortunately, their names are not available at present.

Those in charge wish to thank all who attended, and they hope a similar party can be organized next year.

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On Saturday, November 7, approximately 50 pupils from Grades VII to XI inclusive will go to Ottawa, to view several points of interest in the capital, including the Parliament Buildings. We are hoping for good weather, as unfavorable weather may necessitate a postponement.

A husband said to his wife: "Have you heard the story about the dirty window?"

"No", she replied.

"Well", he said, "you couldn't see through it anyway."

His wife asked a friend later: "Have you heard the story about the window you couldn't see through?"

"No", said her friend.

"Oh, well", said the wife, "it's too dirty to tell anyway."

— Reader's Digest

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Grain binder, mower, rake, cultivator, disc harrow, spring harrow, finishing harrow, disc seeder, grubber, manure spreader, 2 steel-tired wagons with racks, double wagon (rubber-tired) with rack, express, buggy, rack sleigh, set double sleighs, separator, 12 8-gal. milk cans, pails, milking machine complete, 2 plows, quantity of hay, many other articles.

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SPORTS AND JUVENILE ACTIVITIES



A winning line!

United Church Bowlers Start Season's Contests

Twelve teams will line up for the opening contests on Tuesday evening next, when the Lachute United Church Bowling League gets under way. Renewed interest and vigor is evident, as three completely new teams are added to the roster — East Settlement (Leslie Gordon, skip); Board of Stewards (Basil Riddell); and the Hibernians (Mrs. E. Barker).

The line-up will be as follows:

7.15 p.m. —
The Raps (L. W. Hammond) vs. Y.W.A. (Mrs. L. Dion).
Red Cross (Mrs. J. G. Lamontagne) vs. W.M.S. Blues (Mrs. H. Riddell).
W.M.S. Reds (Miss G. Prosser) vs. St. Andrew's (Mrs. E. Noble).

8.30 p.m. —
St. David's (Mrs. F. Campbell) vs. S.S. Teachers (M. Evans).
Thistles (L. Thompson) vs. East Settlement (L. Gordon).
Stewards (B. Riddell) vs. Hibernians (Mrs. E. Barker).

Four games will be played before Christmas, the last of these to be on December 1, with the remaining part of the schedule to continue after the festive season, into the play-offs.

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Anglicans Organize For Carpet Bowling

The first carpet bowling meeting was held in the basement of the Church on Monday, October 26, and was well attended.

A very successful year was reported and plans were made for the coming season.

The following officers were elected for 1953-54:

Chairman, Wyman Strong (re-elected).
Sec.-Treas., Bernard Jenkins (re-elected).
Publicity Convener, A. Geo. Leggett.
Committees —
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Refreshment — Mrs. A. Neill, Mrs. Lorne Dawson, Mrs. B. Jenkins, Mrs. Shearsmith and Mrs. E. Morrow.
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New members are cordially invited to join and should give their names in to the Match Committee not later than next Monday, November 9, to ensure being placed on a regular team.

Bowling will commence on Monday, November 9.

BIG ELK TREK

Calgary (CP) — Longest trip ever attempted with such animals, 30 head of elk moved out by truck in mid-October on a 1,700-mile trip from the Elk Island national park to new haunts in the White Horse region of the Yukon.

Public Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 25th day of November, 1953, at 10 o'clock a.m., Walter Kelly will apply to one of the Judges of the Superior Court of the District of Terrebonne at St. Jerome for the obtention of a judgment in recognition of absolute title of ownership based on the possession of ten years with title and good faith, concerning the whole lot, number twenty-seven-B (27-B) in the sixth range of the Township of Grenville, County of Argenteuil.

Lachute, Que., this 4th November, 1953.

(Signed) — Walter Kelly.
N12.2c

1st Lachute Pack

WOLF CUB NEWS



By "Akela"

The 1st Lachute Wolf Cub Pack met in the school basement with 47 Cubs present and one absentee.

The "Opening Howl" was given by Red Sixer David Heggie.

As "Akela" was alone in charge, the meeting took the form of a social evening. A game involving the Cub Law and Promise was held, in which all the Cubs renewed their pledges.

A boxing contest was held, all contests except one ending in a draw.

The evening was ended by a game of "snatch the handkerchief" in which Canadiens defeated Detroit 14-9.

The "Closing Howl" was given by Tawny Sixer Doug MacKenzie, followed by the Cub Prayer.

Next meeting will be held on Monday, November 9, at 6.30 p.m.

Would Establish Lachute Hockey Team on Sound Financial Basis

Tickets for the Lachute "Canadiens" hockey season are selling very well, at the very low price of only $3 for all home games of the local team (at the Brownsburg Arena). These tickets may be procured at the Sport Shop, Rio Building, from Fred Atkinson, René "Rex Cafe" Gagnon, or Gaetan Legault.

Several local merchants have added their names to the now lengthy list of advertisers in the Canadiens' hockey program, and the directorate of the team are grateful to these collaborators, for without them the formation of the team would have been impossible. Here are the additional names:

Valois & Valois, notaries $20, W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A. $10, T. McOuat & Son Ltd. $10, Lachute Flooring Regd. $10, J. C. Wilson Ltd. $10, Gall & Jones, insurance, $10, Miss Lachute Bar-B-Q $10, Garage Cayer $10, Kerr's Diner & Soda Bar $10, Argenteuil Builders' Supply $5.

Sports-minded ctizens of this town who could supply cars for any game during the winter are requested to give their names to Jean-Jacques Dupré. The team has 12 games to play, eight at Brownsburg and four at Hawkesbury, and with a view to reducing travelling expenses, it is intended to round up all cars available for transport of the players.

The schedule will be published shortly, and willing car owners will have the opportunity of volunteering for a game most suitable to their own arrangements. If all sportsmen co-operate in this instance as they did with the sale of advertising in the program, it will eliminate a very substantial expense, and Lachute will have a hockey team operating an a sound financial basis.

Judge Camille Beaulieu at Rouyn, Que., sentenced a lady to 15 days; her husband admitted having been hit by a flying ashtray during a connubial quarrel.

Mounting Fatalities In Boxing Ring

SPORTS CAMERA
By Gerry Lougheed,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Boxing experts fear a record in world-wide ring fatalities could be set this year.

So far in 1953 there have been 17 deaths among amateurs and professionls due to boxing injuries. That equals last year's total and is only two short of the record of 19, set in 1949.

The amateur toll exceeds the professional, as usual. Throughout the world there have been 10 deaths among the amateurs, seven among the pros.

Five amateurs have died in the United States and two professionals. Luckily there have been none in either section this year in Canada. There was one last year, though, and one in 1951.

At first glance, you'd expect more fatalities among the pros than the simon pures. In many countries the amateurs box only three or five rounds of two minutes each. The professionals go from four to 15 rounds, and three minutes apiece.

And the amateurs seldom have the deadly punching and accuracy of the pro veterans.

Main reason for the larger amateur toll is the greatest number of bouts. Every country has more amateur boxers competing than pros. It's simple arithmetic that with more matches there are more chances of fatalities.

And the average amateur isn't the bobbing, weaving expert who fights for money. In most cases the simon pure hasn't got his footwork down pat.

It boils down to the average amateur being less able to take care of himself; being a much easier target for a solid punch.

Two Comebacks

Here are tales of a couple of fellows who didn't let physical impairments keep them out of sport.

One is Carl Madgett, who in 1947 was a defence stalwart with the Brampton (Ontario) Excelsiors senior lacrosse team. Then he was stricken with polio, leaving him paralyzed from the waist down.

Though forced to use crutches, he wouldn't give up the same and for the last two years has coached Brampton's junior team. And coached well, too, for it won the Dominion title in 1952.

The other is Henry Brenner, who finds that deafness is no handicap to playing college football. In the University of Rhode Island's first four games this season he missed only 17 seconds of action from his line position. That was when he left the game in favor of a player who was to try a field goal.

He can't hear the signals called by his quarterback but has been offside only once this season — when the opposing team pulled a surprise shift.

Brenner reads the quarterback's lips and watches the ball as it is centred by the snap.

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NOTICE

Mrs. Violet Wilson, Brownsburg, Que., wishes to inform the public that she has never owed debts to anyone. Nor has Robert Wilson paid debts of any kind, at anytime, for her.

— Mrs. Violet Wilson,
N5.3p Brownsburg, Que.

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Guide Receives Medal For Heroic Action During Tornado



JOANNE TOOLE
—Central Press Canadian

A 15-year-old Girl Guide from Sarnia, Ont., who saved her young sister from possible death during the May 21 tornado there, has been awarded the Gilt medal, one of the highest commendations of the National Guide movement in Canada. Joanne Toole, a patrol leader, was one of 10 people herded into the basement of the Toole home by her father when he heard the tornado roaring across the city toward their house. When it struck, Joanne flung herself across her eight-year-old sister, Kathy, to protect her. It took 10 men to dig the two girls free, but no one was injured.

Lachute Brownie Group

The third meeting of the Brownie Pack was held November 2.

The leaders are gratifed to report the Brownies made $11.97 on their Doughnut Day last Saturday, and a donation of $5 from Mr. Reg Courtien, Bakery proprietor, which brought the total to $16.97. The leaders wish to thank all who co-operated in this effort.

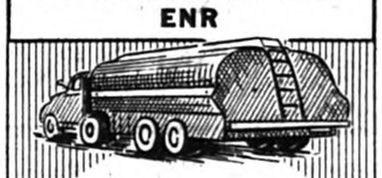
The meeting opened with the "Fairy Ring", followed by inspection and a game, "wizards and witches". Instruction was then given in the different groups.

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CURRENT SHOWS AND ENTERTAINMENT

TV Visits the RCAF At Zwiebrueken

A documentary film made last month at Zweibruecken in Germany, location of an RCAF jet fighter base, will be featured on CBC News Magazine on Sunday, November 8 — on the TV network. The program's producer, Harry Rasky, went to Europe and had the help of an air-force camera man in filming life at the camp and in the surrounding rural community. Flying Officer Art Maskell, of Toronto toured the area with the team and appears in the film as a "typical" Canadian airman in Germany. Rasky found relations between the Canadians and the local population friendly, despite the fact that it was a Canadian bomber squadron which, only six weeks before the end of the war, destroyed 80 per cent of the town of Zweibruecken, which lies 100 miles due south of Bonn near the Saar and French borders.

AFTER COMICS, WHAT?

A report from South Africa announces that the Malan government may ban all comic books. We doubt whether any other recent news from that troubled country has been received as favorably in democratic countries as this item is likely to be. But the whole question of governmental censorship enters the picture.

— Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

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Tenor, Violinist in Community Concert Here Next Week

A duo off the concert stage as well as on it, David Lloyd, one of the most successful and popular young tenors of today, and Maria Lloyd, brilliant young violinist, will be heard here next Wednesday, November 11, at Lachute Community Concerts second program of the current season. The performance takes place at Lachute High School, 8.30 p.m. sharp.

Leading tenor at the New York City Opera, headliner of major festivals, and repeated favorite with conductors, David Lloyd has had a meteoric rise in the past few years and can now tally up long lists of successes in every field. Born in Minneapolis and trained there and at the Curtis Institute, where he studied with Richard Bonelli and Euphemia Giannini-Gregory, a hitch in the Navy Air Force interrupted his career until he came back to civilian life to win the Philadelphia Inquirer's "Voice of Tomorrow" contest in 1946. He was immediately launched on a series of appearances which carried him to the forefront of his profession where he is today.

Maria Lloyd, who has been Mrs. David Lloyd ever since the young tenor received his Navy Commission, was also trained in Minneapolis, with Harold Ayers, the orchestra's concertmaster, and then went to Curtis to study with Efrem Zibbalist and William Primrose. She has held several important posts with orchestras.

The couple gave their first joint recitals in 1951-52, and the experiment was so successful that they found time in a crowded schedule to repeat it. Maria Lloyd spends what there is of her time between engagements in their Long Island home with their son, young David Thomas. As for David Lloyd, there is hardly any "time between engagements", as conductors in a dozen cities choose him consistently for new works as well as the standard repertoire — for instance, he has sung as least 26 performances of Beethoven's Ninth Symphony, and Mitropoulos has engaged him with the New York Philharmonic to sing in the gala performances of some of the most exacting contemporary works that conductor has presented in concert version, including the 1952-53 season's much-heralded performance of milhaud's "Christophe Colomb". This past season David Lloyd also sang six performances of Honegger's "Jeanne d'Arc au Bucher" with the Philadelphia Orchestra under Ormandy, and appeared with the New Orleans Opera, at the Worcester Festival, with the New England Opera Theatre, and with the orchestras of Atlantic, San Antonio, Detroit, Baltimore, Tulsa, Colorado Springs and Minneapolis, in addition to giving recitals across the country.

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Radio Actress



Tall, glamorous, sophisticated radio actress Joy LaFleur is perhaps the most cosmopolitan actress in Canada. She was born in Montreal, received her dramatic training in Germany and France, and made her debut in juvenile roles in French-language films. In Chicago in 1947 she played the leading role in Fridolin's "St. Lazare's Pharmacy" with Eddie Dowling. She also appeared in a Hollywood film "Whispering City", opposite Helmut Dantine. In Canada, where she now makes her home once again, she has been heard in radio on CBC Wednesday Night, and on "Stage 54". She has been described as an actress "whose voice and mannerisms suggest that she was written by Noel Coward and played by Tallulah Bankhead".

Around the Country

Jim Greenblat

At Mission, B.C., Stipendiary Magistrate Beach fined a man $10 for biting his mother-in-law's finger in an argument.

Nat Worton, of Creelman, Sask., is proud of a set of quadruplet calves born to his grade cow, weighing 50 pounds each at birth.

To The Province at Innisfail, Alta., Mrs. Sveinson brought in proudly a potato, an exact replica of a curling stone, complete with handle.

When he got his pants caught in a power take-off, Helmut Schroeder of Rossendale, Man., quickly found himself a complete subject for a nudist colony; escaped with a bruised leg and back.

Registrations of new Canadians for free English classes at Kamloops, B.C., included 27 Japanese, 12 German, 12 Italian, 10 Dutch, 1 Swiss, 1 Yugo-Slav; refreshments were served by the W.M.S. of the United Church.



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Pre-War Pageantry To Be Revived In Parliament Opening This Month

"THE WEEK AT OTTAWA"

By Don Haworth, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa (CP) — Prime Minister St. Laurent leaves February 4 on his global air journey, visiting many points in Europe, Asia and the Far East on the most extensive goodwill tour ever attempted by a Canadian prime minister.

He will have his thoughts and hopes fixed on Asia when he makes the long tour, which is partly to repay visits to Ottawa of several overseas leaders. In an interview here he said he believes it is most important that any misgivings which Asians may harbor about the western world and its intentions should be removed.

Good relations between east and west are essential, Mr. St. Laurent said, and they can be created and maintained. He believes Canada is a good example since Canada has proved it could win self-government and yet maintain cordial relations with both the United States and the United Kingdom.

Mr. St. Laurent, however, prefers not to discuss his hopes and purposes in detail. He will be 72 years old on February 1, and knows there is a strenuous journey ahead, but he feels fit and ready. He will travel with a small party in the RCAF C-5 transport. They go first to England and then he will visit Canadian army and air force establishments in Europe, as well as the West German government at Bonn.

From there they go to Rome, Karachi, New Delhi, Ceylon and Indonesia. Mr. St. Laurent will visit Canadian forces in Korea and Japan before returning across the Pacific.

To Parliament in Style

The pagentry of pre-war years will be revived for the opening of parliament this month.

Governor-General Vincent Massey will drive to the House in a carriage and four with two postilions, two footmen and a mounted escort, 29 strong, of the RCMP.

He will wear the special dress of representatives of the Crown in Commonwealth countries — a plumed hat and a black and white uniform with sword.

New Appointments

Prime Minister St. Laurent announced changes among top officials in government transport agencies.

Jean C. Lessard, 49, has resigned as deputy minister of transport and chairman of the Canadian Maritime Commission to enter private business. His resignation has brought about these shifts:

Carl W. West, 62, director of canal services, becomes senior deputy minister in charge of maritime affairs and special projects such as the St. Lawrence Seaway.

John R. Baldwin, 41, chairman of the air transport board, becomes deputy minister for air services in charge of civil aviation, communication and meteorological matters. He remains board chairman for the time being.

Louis C. Audette, 46, member of the maritime commission, becomes its chairman, and Mr. West joins the commission.

Mr. Lessard's resignation is effective at year-end. So are the appointments.

Wheat for Sterling?

There is anxiety here that the United States may agree to sell wheat to Britain for sterling.

The U.S. is trying to get rid of its huge food surpluses through a program which authorizes the acceptance of sterling. Europe can buy Canadian goods only with dollars.

It is reported that Britain will take $20,000,000 worth of U.S. tobacco and is negotiating for other products. Grain, fats, butter and meat were mentioned as being available under this plan.

Federal officials say the tobacco deal will have no immediate impact on Canadian trade since the U.K. has already promised to buy 25,000,000 pounds of the 1953 Canadian tobacco crop — "a pretty fair amount."

They add that no other part of the U.S. program has so far endangered Canada's exports, and point out that the program requires shipment through channels that will not disrupt trade between friendly countries.

It also bars dumping abroad at rock-bottom prices. But nobody here knows how the Americans will interpret dumping.

A government official said: "If the U.S. decides to give or dump wheat under this program, accepting sterling, it is almost certain she will not be able to sell wheat for dollars after that."

Wages Hit New High

Canadians employed in manufacturing earned a new high average of $58.30 a week in 1952, the Bureau of Statistics reports. This is $4.12 more than the 1951 average.

U.S. Support on Tariffs

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce is behind Canada in the fight against the tariff barriers that have been going up since the Eisenhower administration took over.

U.S. business confirmed its support for freer trade at a meeting of the Canada-U.S. committee jointly maintained by the Chambers of Commerce of each country.

The committee, meeting at a country club near here, said the solution to economic difficulties does not lie "in creating new tariff barriers, increased protection and new obstacles to international trade."

Bureau of Statistics figures just issued show that American business has a big stake in Canada.

Direct U.S. investment in Canadian companies at the end of 1952 amounted to $4,540,000,000 — almost double the figure of 1945.

U.S. interests controlled 2,821 Canadian concerns at the end of 1951. There are about 50,000 taxable companies in Canada.

A man about to be electrocuted phoned his lawyer from the death chamber. "They are about to put me in the electric chair", he said. "You're my lawyer — what do I do now?"

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Girl Readers and Blind Sophomore In College Study

Vancouver (CP) — Jim Nyman's experiment in education is working out, with the help of 36 soft-voiced girls he will never see.

Blind since the age of 11, the 23-year-old student made it with first-class honors last year studying political science at the University of British Columbia.

However, unlike last year, he won't have to do his studying alone this session.

The girls of the Delta Gamma sorority approached Jim and offered to do his reading for him whenever he wasn't attending classes. Now, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, a young co-ed sits with him, reading from his text books, for a total of 14 hours a week.

Boyhood Accident

He was a boy in Roseberry, B.C., in the Slocan Valley, when he and a group of pals found some blasting caps.

"I didn't know for a few months that I'd never regain my sight", he said. "But at that age, it didn't bother me very much when I found out."

He was 12 when he enrolled at a blind school in Vancouver, graduating nine years later. Jim spent the next two years selling cigarettes, determined to go to UBC. He did it with a bursary from the university, plus a $25 monthly loan from the Canadian National Institute for the Blind to add to his $50 blind allowance pension.

Now he knows his way around the campus by his sense of direction and has developed a knack of absorbing his lectures without taking notes.

His biggest headache is the lecture where "the instructor gallops up and down, drawing pictures on the blackboard and leaving me in the dark."

Jim writes his essays on a typewriter and has his examinations prepared in Braille by the CNIB through an arrangement with the university.

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Women's Interests -- The Homemaker's Section



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Feminine Interests with The Local Touch

By MARGUERITE

At Home

The busy mother of a busy three-year-old contributed this little poem and we think that most other mothers will agree with the thought expressed:

Afternoon Nap

He's up, he's down — "resisting sleep"
Is what the book would say.
I'll find MY sleep resistance nil.
When he goes out to play.

The busiest season of the year, for most homemakers, is just around that well-known corner. (We promised last week that we would not mention the words again for at least a little while, so you will just have to guess which season we are referring to.) At any rate, there will be much shopping, wrapping, and mailing done during the next few weeks. With this in mind, we plan to offer a series of main-dish recipes which will be quick and easy to prepare. Here is our first suggestion:

Beef Spanish Rice — Melt ¼ cup of bacon drippings in a heavy frying pan or saucepan. Add 1 medium-sized onion, chopped, 1½ cups of quick-cooking rice, and ½ pound of ground beef. Cook and stir until brown. Then add 1 can of tomatoes. Mix well and bring quickly to a boil. Cover and simmer for 10 minutes, and it's ready to serve. If the mixture is too thick, add hot water. It serves four, and we think they will like it.

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Around the Town

The memory lingers on. . . There were some truly "unforgettable faces" around town last Saturday night. After the small folks had been tucked into bed, replete with "kisses" and peanuts, the not-so-small folks took over. Some of the costumes which we saw were really works of art, and others were hilariously funny. And those beautiful, bony knees which some of the "ladies" were showing — WELL! And we must mention the comment of one little boy, who looked at himself in the mirror before he started out on his rounds and said "It's such a good outfit, that I don't even know who myself is!"

Famous last words . . . thank goodness, it comes only once a year.

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Thursday afternoons from 2 until 4 o'clock, many local ladies may be seen rolling and bowling a ball. The afternoon ladies' bowling league promises to be very popular, both with the ladies and the small fry, who enjoy watching "mom" piling up the strikes. This item should probably have come under the heading of "painless reducing".

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Cute as can be — the efforts of some of our town's little girls to master the intricacies of ballet dancing, under the guidance of Mr. Gaston Bigras and Miss Huguette Lafortune, of Montreal. The pace is slow, the facial expressions are terribly serious, and the complete effect is just — cute as can be.

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We happened to see a new way of estimating your personal cost of living, and we pass it on to you so that you can amaze your husband with your mathematical prowess. Here is how it is done: Take your gross income and add 50%.

See you next week.

Home is the resort of love, of joy, of peace and plenty, where supporting and supported, polished friends and dearest relatives mingle into bliss. — Thomson

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Father Knows Best

Each time I put our two-year-old on the closed front porch to play, he objected violently when I locked his gate to make sure he stayed there. Then one day my husband put the youngster in his "playroom" and locked the gate, and for once he didn't scream but played happily by himself.

My husband's explanation was simple. "I just told him I was locking the gate", he said, "so that you couldn't get in and bother him."

— The Reader's Digest



Let's Eat

BY

IDA BAILEY ALLEN

When youngsters are old enough to eat at the dinner table with the adults, meals should be planned so they can eat approximately the same food. Children tend to follow a lead and will eat their food as a matter of course if they are not bothered or made the object of constant attention. It's when special meals are prepared for children that they are likely to be finicky about food.

These fracases can often be avoided. It's very easy to plan everyday meals containing foods the whole family can enjoy without putting mamma and papa on a small child's diet. Here's a good example.

Tomorrow's Dinner

Chopped Beef-Vegetable Balls
Spinach
Creamed Potatoes
Shredded Beets
Tomato-Lettuce Salad
Lemon Custard Pudding
Coffee Tea

Mothers reading this menu may think, "Where's the milk? It is purposely omitted as a beverage, because when a small child drinks milk at mealtime, it fills the stomach, so he will often refuse to finish his meal. Give your children their milk between meals, and use milk as much as possible, in place of other liquid in preparing foods, such as cereal cooked in milk; cream soups; creamed vegetables; and in many desserts.

Cooking family food with milk has a double advantage—it also provides the milk needed every day by grown-ups. When this is done, few adults need additional milk as beverage.

All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve 4 to 6

Chopped Beef-Vegetable Balls

Put through the food chopper 1 lb. chopped beef, 2 medium-sized peeled raw potatoes, 2 small unpeeled raw carrots, 1 peeled medium-sized onion and 2 sprigs parsley. Work in 1 egg, ¼ tsp. thyme, ½ tsp. salt, ⅛ tsp pepper and ½ tsp. monosodium glutamate. Form into flattened balls containing 1 tbsp. each. Brown all over in 2 tbsp. shortening in a frying pan. Add 1 c. water and 1 beef bouillon cube. Cover and simmer 35 min.

Lemon Custard Pudding

Scald 1½ c. milk in a double boiler. Stir together ¼ c. cornstarch, 1 c. sugar and 3 beaten egg yolks. Stir in a little of the heated milk. Then return to the double boiler and cook and stir about 5 min., or until thickened. Stir in 2 tbsp. butter or margarine, ¼ tsp. salt, ½ c. lemon juice and ½ tbsp. grated lemon rind. Last fold in the egg whites beaten stiff. Chill, and serve with stewed plums, canned or frozen sliced peaches or blueberries.

Trick Of The Chef

For flavor-interest, stir a little butter-fried chopped apple and onion into cooked spinach.

Potatoes on Every Shopping List

Sir Walter Raleigh would probably be very surprised if he could come back today and see how popular potatoes are, for it was he who first introduced potatoes into English cookery. Sir Walter Raleigh found potatoes on this side of the Atlantic and he certainly would be amazed at the ways we have learned to use them. Speaking of using potatoes, there are plenty of potatoes for use this year, for we have an abundant crop in Canada. Officials of the Canada Department of Agriculture say that about 320 thousand acres of potatoes were planted in Canada this year and those acres are expected to produce about 63 million bushels of potatoes.

Potatoes are on every homemaker's shopping list, but what kind of potatoes does the homemaker prefer? First — she wants a potato that cooks well according to the way she plans to use it, and one that is white after cooking. The homemaker cannot determine these qualities in advance, so she must depend on grades, brand names and general appearance as her guide. The grades of table potatoes sold in Canada today are Canada Fancy, Canada No. 1 Large, Canada No. 1 and Canada No. 2. Canada No. 1 grade is the most common grade sold and in this grade, 75 per cent by weight, not by number, of the potatoes, must be over 2¼ inches in diameter and not more than 4 inches in diameter. With Canada No. 1 potatoes, the minimum diameter is 3¼ inches. Generally, graded potatoes are packed in weights of 5 pounds, 10 pounds, 25 pounds, 50 pounds, 75 pounds and 100 pounds.

The homemaker is also concerned with the brand name on bags of potatoes, for she buys that brand which has given her satisfaction in the past. She also wants potatoes which are well shaped, with eyes that are not too numerous nor too deep and she prefers potatoes that are medium in size, neither too big nor too small. The homemaker also wants her potatoes to be firm and reasonably clean. But appearances are often deceiving. A potato with a fine appearance is not necessarily a "good cooker". It is for this reason that the Consumer Section, Canada Department of Agriculture has done and and is still doing extensive research work on the cooking quality of potatoes, to see if they can find a solution to the housewife's problem of how to judge a potato.

Most of the potatoes consumers buy today are packaged in paper bags. This is a change from several years ago when potatoes used to be packed in barrels and large sacks. The home economists of the Department of Agriculture tell us that the main reason for the change was the handling. Big barrels and large sacks of potatoes are heavy to lift and cumbersome to handle. If potatoes are not handled carefully, bruised potatoes are the result. For that reason, the smaller bags of potatoes were introduced and generally, consumers prefer these smaller bags.

Another reason why consumers like the small packages of potatoes is that the storage of potatoes is quite a problem with many homemakers, because potatoes require a cool, moderately dry, dark storage space and many homes do not have these facilities. When such is the case, it is best to buy in small quantities which can be used up quickly. If potatoes are stored in too cold a storage, they develop a sweetish flavor. If this happens, the flavor can sometimes be restored by putting them in a warm place for a while before using.

There are many types of small containers used for packaging potatoes. Some are just heavy paper bags, others are heavy paper bags with a window cut in the front so that the consumer can see some of the potatoes she is buying. Still others are open-mesh bags and others are made of transparent films. Lately however, more and more potatoes are being packed in just heavy paper bags without a window, the reason being that the closed bag shuts out the light and it is known that when light shines on potatoes for even a short time, the skin develops a greenish color and the greenish flesh underneath is very bitter and definitely inedible. However, because many shoppers prefer to see th potatoes they buy, the bags with the windows or the bags you can see through are also popular. Actually, this type of bag is quite satisfactory if the sale of potatoes in the store is rapid.

Wife's Share In Farm Life

"Partners All" Topic At Farm Forums

"We're partners", is the claim usually made by a farmer and his wife. Just what do they mean? asks the current "Farm Forum Guide".

As a good housekeeper and mother, the farm wife certainly plays an important part. The farm home bears a much closer relationship to the farm business than the average city home does to the breadwinner's business or occupation. The farmer gets all his meals at home and the children usually have outside jobs to do. Family and farm are a working unit.

What contribution does the wife make to the working partnership? Is her work limited to looking after the house and family, or does she also do outside work? Do the farmer and his wife plan the farm operations together?

The situation varies, of course, from farm to farm, depending on the type of farm and the individuals concerned. But there is also a surprising similarity in what farm wives do in various parts of Canada.

The importance of the wife was summed up recently in an editorial in the "Family Herald and Weekly Star". It said:

"The wife might well be known as the power behind the farm. She keeps house, prepares meals, sees that the members of the family are properly clothed, cares for the children, and looks after anyone who is ill. . .

"She — with others like her — organizes most of the community's social life, provides contact with the outside world, elevates the moral tone of the household, and keeps the family outlook from being restricted to the area inside the line fences. . .

"She is keen to make any change which will provide a higher standard of living. . . In fact, the farm wife's pressure for improvements may well be one of the greatest reasons for farm progress."

Says Japanese Art-Crazy

Toronto (CP) — The doors of Japan opened to Joan Watson of Toronto this summer. She was one of the few private citizens of a western nation allowed to live there since the Allied occupation period following the Second World War.

Art proved the open sesame to Joan, who was in Japan for a year as a member of the first Red Cross welfare team to Korea. When she told immigration officials she'd like to stay on and paint, they permitted her to stay — as long as she liked. She stayed five months.

"The whole country is art crazy", she said on her return to Toronto. "Every child studies painting from kindergarten to graduation. Everyone buys pictures. Most people paint."

Miss Watson says there are more chances for an artist to make a living there, but competition is keen.



FOR PARENTS ONLY...

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training

Helping the Handicapped Child

— By NANCY CLEAVER — (Copyright)

Do you remember when your son or daughter was born, how eagerly you asked the doctor, "Is he normal — or has he any defect?" Perhaps while you were waiting for his arrival, you watched a small girl on crutches or a boy in a wheel chair go down the street. Instantly a prayer arose from your heart, "Oh, God, may my child not be handicapped."

But in spite of your prayers, and of your care, perhaps the little child who came into your home had some defect. It may be that he was quite normal in every way except for one specific disability. Poor vision or hearing, a clubfoot, a crippled arm, a cleft palate, a hare-lip, the list of physical handicaps is a long one. How much heartache this disability caused you as parents, only other fathers and mothers of handicapped children can know!

The consultant on psychology to the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Dr. Edgar A. Doll has pointed out the importance of both the parents and the handicapped child accepting the defect or deficiency and concentrating on the rest of his personality which is not handicapped. "It is a great help to his inner poise if he can accept his own disability without bitterness and not constantly "feel handicaped". This specialist once wrote.

If his trouble has fallen on him through some childish accident or illness, it is imperative that neither parents nor the child should be blamed. "What's done is done" and this burden is heavy enough for them to carry without the extra weight of disapproval!

As parents you likely have often wondered whether you are helping your child from day to day as much as you can. It is often puzzling to know what to do! You have a specially tender place in your heart for your "little bird with a broken wing" — but is it wise to make exceptions for him in taking responsibility for family chores?

Guidance can be found in some of the case histories in an excellent recently published book, "Mastering Your Distbility" by H. A. Littledale, (Rinehart & Co. Inc.) in the chapter "Getting On With Your Folks". These throw special light on sensible family patterns for a family with a handicapped child.

A young man says from his own experience, "Disabled persons like to be and ought to be treated just as much like others as possible. They shouldn't be babied and seldom like it when they are." An adolescent girl wrote: "When I was first hurt, everything was done for me . . . as I got stronger I took great pride in being able to wipe the dishes for mother. Now I take care of my room, make the bed, dust the floor and keep it picked up. It's my job and I'm proud of it".

The playtime of a disabled child frequently worries parents. In this connection it is interesting to know that a youngster who had had a spastic paralysis from birth paid this fine tribute to her parents training: "If I was playing with my brother and sister or any other children, the games were not changed for me. I played when I could, and when I could not, I watched. This was the same principle at home. I was brought up to fit in and not to feel that I was the odd one."

No one likes to be "the odd one." Special attention is apt to make the handicapped child feel conspicuous. He wants, as far as possible, to be on an equal footing with the other children in the family and with his chums at school.

He requires the best of medical care to make his body as normal as possible. As he grows older, it is his right to be educated to take his place as a useful citizen in the adult world. But most of all the handicapped child needs the loving understanding of mother and dad, who will refrain from blaming themslves or him for his trouble, and who will rear him in a happy home atmosphere.

To make wallpaper really washable in quickly soiled spots such as around light switches, sinks, stoves or in children's rooms, brush or spray the area with thin, white shellac. Test on a piece of wallpaper first as the shellac may change the wall's reflective properties, though it won't normally alter the color. Two coats will protect wall decorations such as maps and posters.

An old lady was sending a Bible to a friend overseas. Examining the package carefully, the postal clerk inquired if it contained anything breakable.

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Shipments during August, latest month for which figures are available, reached 1,875,000 square yards, a decrease from the record 2,578,000 of the previous month but in keeping with the consistent high volume for the rest of the year.

Volume of imports for the first eight months of this year exceeded the total of 15,488,000 square yards received during the entire year of 1951 and is only slightly less than the total for all of 1952.

Winnipeg (CP) — After a harrowing experience, Cory the cormorant is recovering in a Winnipeg park. The big water bird with an injured wing was spotted on a chimney in St. Vital and after a short chase was captured and turned over to park officials.

SALMON CYCLE ENDS IN SPAWNING DRAMA OF HORSEFLY RIVER

Horsefly, B.C. (CP) — The great drama of the Horsefly River is over. The actors are dead and the audience has gone home, for the salmon cycle is complete.

The spawning in the Cariboo district river here was frenzied. The memory of it still remains with scores of scientists, industrialists, workers, press and radio men who saw the miracle of the river.

Crimson salmon swan in every square foot of water. They tore at the surface, snapped with ugly hooked jaws at marauding trout, then burrowed into the gravel, side by side, enveloping themselves in clouds of eggs and silt.

Officials of the Pacific International Salmon Fisheries Commission say there is not a live sockeye to be found on the five miles of spawning beds.

A few weeks ago it was crammed with 110,000 fish.

While the salmon moved in from the sea and slowly struggled the long, tortuous miles upsteam, a procession of interested persons raced up the Cariboo highway to watch the fish in this interior B.C. district some 250 airline miles northeast of Vancouver.

Notable Visitors

Among them were Commission chairman Robert J. Schoettler and members A. J. Whitmore, Senator Tom Reid, H. R. MacMillan and Elton Jones.

Industry representatives included Roger Hager of Canadian Fishing Company, Richard Nelson of Nelson Bros., R. E. Walker of B. C. Packers and Thomas Sandov of Washington State's Columbia River Packers.

United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union urged its members to visit the Horsefly and many did.

All praised the comission's success in restoring the Fraser River's most important sockeye run from a few thousand fish eight years ago.

The run was almost depleted over the years from effects of the Hell's Gate landslides.

Now the gravel beds contain millions of eggs. Only a few dry husks on the banks mark the passing of the old generation.

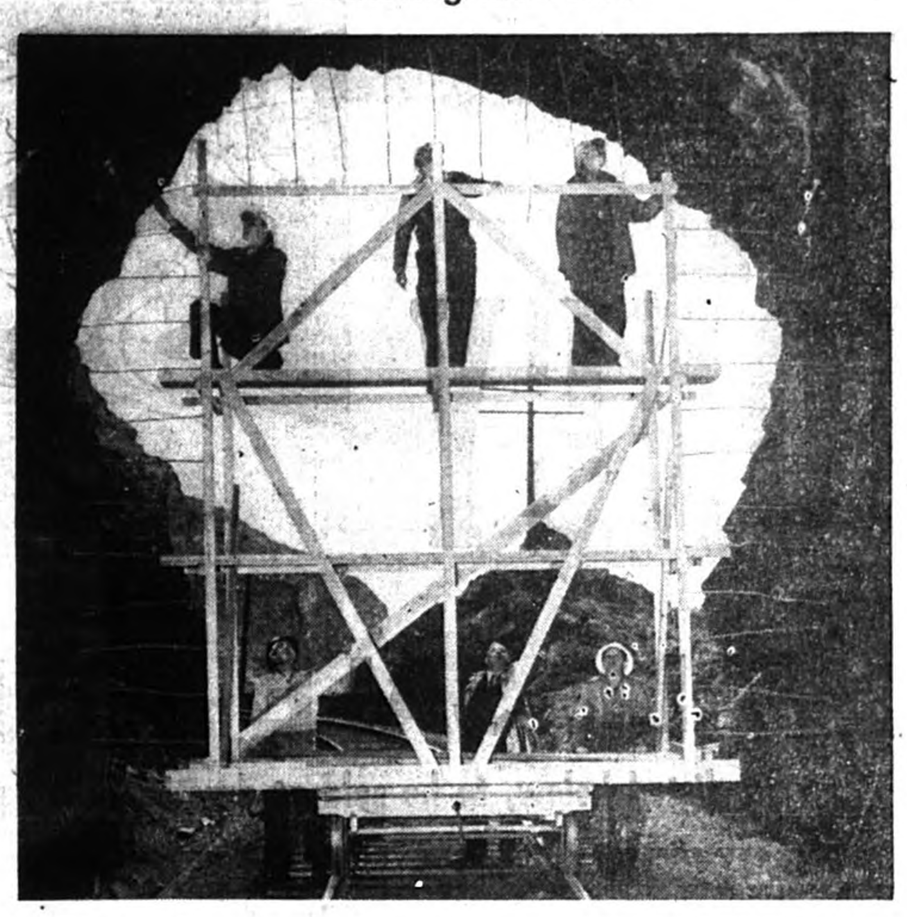
In May the tiny fish will develop and hide in the rocks until they are ready to fend for themselves. Then they will swim down to Quesnel lake, about 10 miles north of here, to live for a year.

As fingerlings they will go down to North Thompson river to the Fraser and down the Fraser to the sea.

Three years from now the drama of the Horsefly will reach its climax again as the red hordes come home to give birth to a new generation and die.

Though you roll in royal billions,
There's no pocket in a shroud.
— John Alexander Joyce

Measuring the Bores



Tunnel template being used in British Columbia to prepare 41 district tunnels for the arrival of Canadian Pacific Railways' "scenic dome" observation cars next year, is an accurate, efficient, if makeshift contraption consisting of two-by-fours and twigs. Acting as delicate template "fingers", the twigs probe the sides and arc of tunnels, and irregular, projecting rock is later stopped, or excavated. Here, a C.P.R. crew commences work in a curving tunnel west of Kamloops on the Vancouver Division.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1—What one province produces more wheat than all the rest of Canada combined?

2—Of all the goods produced in Canada, are more sold abroad or consumed at home?

3—How many miles long is the Niagara River?

4—Which Canadian province has the highest birth rate?

5—How many Canadians are employed in agriculture, in manufacturing, in wholesale and retail trade?

ANSWERS: 5. In agriculture, 827,030; in manufacturing, 1,360,662, in trade, 709,768. 3—33 miles. 1—Saskatchewan. 4—Newfoundland. 2—Canadians consume about three quarters of what they produce, sell abroad about one quarter.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

FLORAL CLOCKS MARK ROYAL VISIT TO N.Z.

Auckland, N.Z. (CP) — To commemorate the forthcoming visit of the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh, New Zealand farmers are presenting two large floral clocks to the cities of Auckland and Christ Church.

The mechanism and hands of the clocks which will measure 18 feet in circumference are being prepared in Britain by clockmakers, who are putting the mechanism in a waterproof zinc-lined case and will fit the hands with special flower containers.

NEW STOCKYARD

Meadow Lake, Sask. (CP) — New stockyards built by the agricultural society were opened by a sale of 350 head of cattle which brought $31,500. Top price was $17.35 per cwt. for a Hereford heifer and $17.25 for a Shorthorn steer.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the City of St. Jerome, a municipal corporation having its head office in the City of St. Jérome, in the County of Terrebonne, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its present session or at the next, for the passing of an Act for the following purposes: to raise the number of electors by polling sub-division, to impose, in certain cases, a waterworks tax on vacant lots, to authorize the City to acquire land and erect building for municipal and industrial purposes, to provide for the refection and repair of sidewalks.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Avoca

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet MacLeod and little son, Grant, also Miss Dorothy MacLeod, visited their parents over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. McCaskill, of Vankleek Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bates recently.

Messrs. Cecil and Gordon Young have returned to their homes after working in Dolbeau during the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Bates, and Mrs. T. H. Young, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan McPhee on Sunday afternoon.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Young over the week-end were the latter's mother, Mrs. Elmer Kelly, and son, Thomas, of Welland — Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kelly, of Welland, visiting their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Delwin Young and family left Monday to make their home in Montreal.

Mrs. Ed C. Young returned home after spending a few days with her daughter in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacRae visited the latter's parents for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates and family, and Mr. Evan Bates, all of Eganville, Ont., and Miss Flora MacLeod, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their parents' home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Simpson and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crawford.

The masquerade dances at Grenville Consolidated School and Bell Falls were attended by many residents from here, all of whom enjoyed these occasions immensely.

Mrs. Geo. Kelly is spending a holiday with her son, Douglas and Mrs. Kelly, in Sherkston, Ont.

Cushing West

The Misses Myrtle and Myrna Gaston, of Lachute, are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaston.

Mrs. Wm. Usher spent a couple of days in Montreal last week and was guest speaker at the Frances Willard Westmount W.C.T.U., also attending the W.M.S. Rally in Verdun United Church.

Mrs. Turner, of Grece's Point, entertained the Ladies' Association of St. Mungo's United Church at her home on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Watson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dawson and Miss Pearl Dawson, spent Saturday in Lacolle, where they attended a family dinner given in honor of the Rev. E. E. Dawson's birthday.

Cushing

Miss F. M. Douglas has returned to Vancouver for a month or two.

Mrs. R. T. Holmes, of Montreal, is the guest of Miss Alice Davidson this week.

Mrs. James Heatlie, of Chatboro, spent a few days with Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

Mrs. Archie Graham visited friends in Lachute on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Burton and little son, John, of Montreal, were Sunday guests of Miss Alberta Cleland.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fuller and son, Donald, also Mr. Earle Bryerton, were guests of the Misses Bryerton in Montreal on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Pitt, of Montreal, occupied their cottage over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tomalty, of Lachute, Miss June Cameron and Mr. Calvin McAndrew, of Brownsburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie on Sunday.

Late Picking

On Saturday last a visitor at the home of Mrs. Roy Dobbie picked a nice bouquet of sweet peas from her garden.

Women's Institute

The W.I. held an interesting Home Economics meeting under the convenership of Mrs. M. Wilson, on Tuesday night of this week at the home of Mrs. J. Coney. Mr. C. Edgerton was the speaker.

Pioneer branch of the W.I. held a Hallowe'en party in Elliott's Hall for the children and grown ups. Many interesting characters appeared. There were several "Grade A Large" potatoes, and a smaller one that might easily have been classed as a "pee wee", according to size. Even Aunt Jemima, of Pancake Flour fame, was present, and several bats and witches, etc. Prizes were given for the costumes, also candy and refreshments, and a peanut scramble for the wee one. Judges of the costumes were Miss Mildred Douglas, Capt. T. Weir, Mr. A. Thom and the Rev. G. Hicks, of Staynerville.

FINE TAPESTRY

Edmonton (CP) — Mrs. L. Lesuiskis of nearby Monarch values her needlepoint tapestry of Blind Man's Buff as played in the Hapsburg Court of Austria at $1,500. The 47 by 41 inch work required an estimated 1,000,000 pieces of yarn, and took three months to complete.

Gala Celebration For Hallowe'en At Arundel School

(Our District Correspondent)

Arundel — Once again the young people of Arundel turned out to rival all witches and ghosts of the season with their gay and weird costumes. Approximately 60 contestants joined in the Grand March before the judges. Mr. J. Stern, Mrs. Gordon Coods and Dr. Henry, as judges, had a difficult task to choose the winners.

The final results were: 1st, Wayne Rathwell; 2nd, Carol Rathwell. Funniest costume, Joe Zanth. Consolation prizes, Ronnie Swail, Alexine Sinclair, Douglas Staniforth, Kathleen Bates, Myrna Staniforth, Trennie MacAulay, Beverley Bates, Judy Cooke and Marilyn Bates.

Dancing and games concluded the evening.

The Students' Council would like to take this opportunity to thank the judges for their good services.

Arundel

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen and son, Ronnie, spent their holidays visiting friends in New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon spent the week-end at their home here.

Mrs. T. Sevigny and son, Trevor, and Miss Ethel Cooke, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. Raymond Hillrich spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. Thomas Graham is visiting her family and friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. S. James and daughter, Judy, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Staniforth.

Mrs. George Staniforth, of Lachute, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. MacArthur.

The sympathy of this community is extended to Mr. Dick Kirby and family, in his recent sad bereavement.

Mrs. William Staniforth has returned from a visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Maxwell, at Shawbridge, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of Valleyfield, Que., and their family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainsley Ivall, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. Borden Staniforth.

Miss Gail Sykes, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke.

Mr. Earl Graham, of Montreal, is spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Graham.

Mr. Leslie May, of Montreal, was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. James May.

Miss Rose Cooke, of Montreal, and Mrs. W. Vibert and daughter, of Campbell's Bay, Que., were week-end guests of Mrs. William Cooke.

Miss Edith Baker, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Trineer, of Montreal, and Mr. Harry Smith, of Macdonald College, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

Best wishes are extended to Mrs. Douglas Bradford on her return from the Royal Victoria Hospital.

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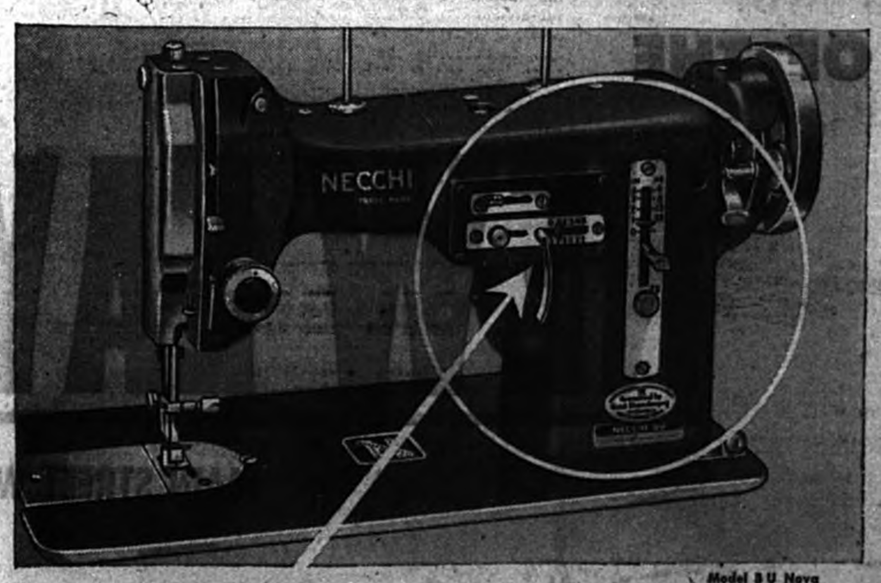
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Q. If I go to work what do I do about reporting on my regular reporting day?

A. You should report to your local office on the day before you commence work. If this is not possible fill out a weekly report attached to the inside of the back cover of the booklet "Direction to Report" (given you when you first made your claim) for the days intervening since you last reported. Be sure to enter your insurance number and name and to sign the report. Show on the back that you have started work and mail the report promptly to your local office. Any payment due will then be sent to you.

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Q. I am a fireman on the spare list of the C.N.R. Last week I did not work at all. Am I entitled to benefits?

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Canada's secret aircraft designs are so revolutionary that there's nothing to equal them in the free world.

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He had just seen what they are doing at the Canadian Avro plant at Malton, Ont., and he made this prediction:

"Within 15 years there will be vertical take-off of planes. Planes will go straight up, then shoot straight ahead."

The Avro chief, a member of the British Hawker-Siddeley group, said he has hopes that Canada's all-weather jet fighter, the CF-100, will find customers overseas. The Americans have been interested, he said, in buying it for shipment to North Atlantic Treaty Organization countries.

THOSE CAR PREMIUMS

Ottawa (CP) —

Combines investigator T. D. MacDonald has opened an inquiry into the effect of insurance company practices on the cost of automobile insurance.

He says the companies are not suspected of breaking anti-combine laws but that there is "public concern" about various commission and rating arrangements.

Auto insurance premiums totalled $137,700,000 last year, against $105,300,000 in 1951. Claims paid out by companies increased to $76,500,000 from $65,000,000.



This Check-Off Business

By Lewis Milligan

From all accounts of recent strikes in Ontario and Quebec, labor leaders seem to be more concerned about their own security than they are about the security of industries upon which union workers depend for the security of their jobs. Union security (the check-off) means securing the jobs of union organizers and strike-makers by compelling employers to collect union dues from their employees and thus act as bookkeepers and cashiers for the unions. That, on the face of it, is a piece of audacious nerve. Yet, by persistent demand and repeated strikes with the check-off as a vital issue, union leaders have forced many employers to deduct union dues from workers' wages. The employer is thus made responsible for seeing to it that every worker, whether he will or no, pays his dues regularly into an organization which is periodically putting him out of work and injuring the industry upon which he depends for a living.

If by securing the financing of unions in this way the employers could obtain industrial security against strikes and excessive wage and other demands, it might be worth while for them all not only to collect union dues but to contribute to union funds and even provide a pension scheme for union leaders, shop stewards and organizers. That is what they do in Russia under the nationalization of industries where they have complete union and industrial security. There the union leaders and their staffs have the status of civil servants and, being secure in their jobs, they don't have to worry about pleasing the workers by repeated demands for higher wages. Union security in Russian has abalished strikes, and, instead of creating discontent among the workers, the union officials are responsible for keeping them at work full time and overtime when necessary without extra pay.

That is an ideal system from the Communist or even the Socialist point of view which looks forward to the nationalization of all industries under a government composed of labor leaders. With the abolition of private enterprise the government would become both the employer of labor and the controller of labor unions — if there were still any left. This logical tendency was seen in the partial development of nationalization in Britain under the Labor Government, which was virtually a Labor Union Government. The unions had achieved complete security at the expense of industrial insecurity and eventual loss of control over their members in wild-cat strikes. One thing at least that can be said in favor of those strikes is that the British workingman showed that he loved freedom and didn't like Socialism with its government regimentation of labor.

If I were a member of a labor union I would suspect that this movement for union security through the check-off was a deep-laid scheme to filch away my freedom as a private citizen and bind me to obey, without protest, any orders present or future union officials may issue. Freedom to refuse to pay dues to any organization with whose policy one does not agree is, or should be, as much a right as the right to strike, and it is the only check-off that union workers can impose on the salaries of bad union leaders. It seems almost incredible that free men would go out on strike, or stay out on strike and lose months of wages, merely to force their employers to deduct their union dues from their pay envelope.

Doctors Rough It In B.C. Northland

Vancouver (CP) — Dr. C. E. McDonnell has one of the largest practices in British Columbia, and you'd think he would need a fast car to get around.

But this 29-year-old country doctor has to get around the hard way — by foot, snowmobile and Indian dugout.

In town with his wife for a medical convention, Dr. McDonnell said they are "happily bushed" in British Columbia's northland. They were married in Vancouver on July 15, 1952, and three days later, left for Vanderhoof in the northern interior.

One of his first long trips — 200 miles into roadless Indian territory — began in a jeep. The doctor walked the last 25 miles with packsack of medical equipment, instruments and clothing slung over his shoulders.

"I was so tired that my guide carried the pack the last part of our tramp", he said. He returned with his patient down the Omineca River in an Indian canoe.

He and his partner, Dr. A. W. Mooney, have given treatment in mines, teepees, forest and reserves.

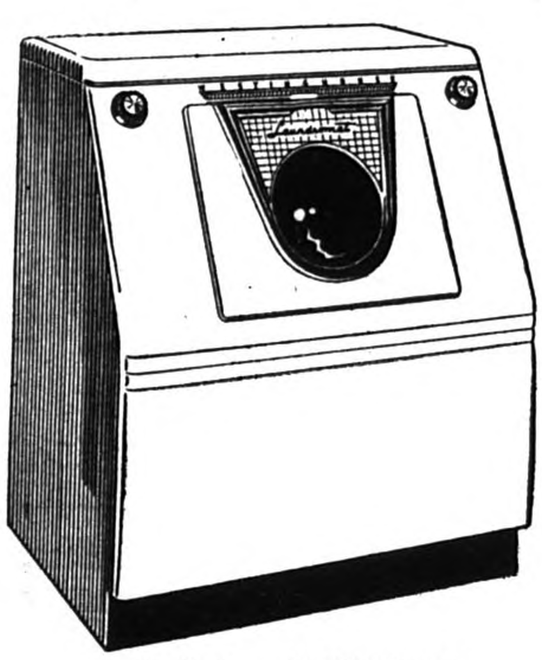
His clients are considerate, Dr. McDonnell says, seldom calling on him at night except in emergency.

But his introduction to the country was wild and woolly — he arrived at 7 p.m. fresh from the city and by 5 a.m. the following day, he had delivered three babies.

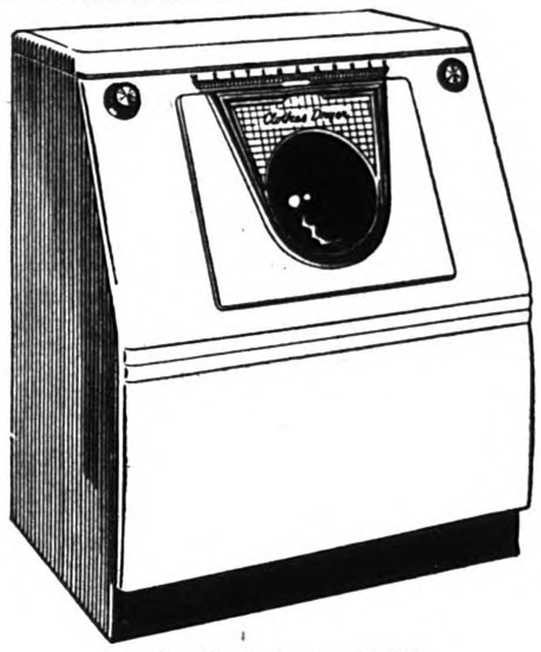
He is a graduate of McGill Medical College, Montreal, and St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver.

Snakes are unknown on the Island of Newfoundland.

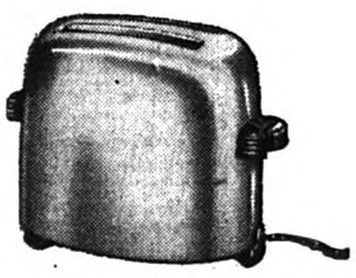
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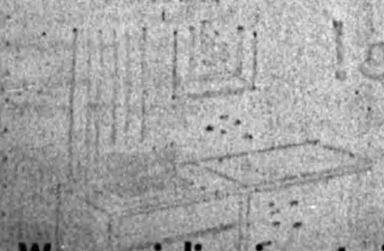
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Remembrance Rites in Lachute, B'burg and St. Andrews

Solemn Observances Held in County, Legion and Youth Groups Represented

Parades and Services Held, Wreaths Deposited at Cenotaphs

Veterans of the South African War (1900), of both World Wars, and of the Korean conflict, augmented by the local squad of Highland Cadets, Boy Scouts, Wolf Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies, paraded to the cenotaph here yesterday, with colors flying in the cool breeze, to remember those comrades and relatives who failed to return from their fight for freedom. The parade, which started from the Legion Hall, was led by the president of Canadian Legion Branch 70, Doug Ogilvie, parade marshal Bob St. Laurent, Drummer René Paulson, and Pipers MacDonald and Kipper from Maxville, Ont.

Surrounding the cenotaph for the Remembrance Day ceremonies were the above organizations and the complete enrolment of Lachute High School, with good representations from the other schools of the town, numerous citizens and local dignitaries.

Mayor Dr. Jules Lafleur gave tribute to the Canadian soldiers who paid the supreme sacrifice in defending the freedom of their country. "A number of our boys lie fallen there. Let us show them, by this ceremony, that we remember them in our hearts and that gratitude is not a vain word", Mayor Lafleur stated, in closing his brief remarks.

The Rev. Father Gougeon, vicar of the Parish of Immaculate Conception, addressed the gathering in French. "It is a pleasure to see the religious and civic leaders united for this celebration of Remembrance Day, the day on which the massacres on the battlefields ended", he said. "On this day of Remembrance, let us make sure that we do not allow to happen again, what has happened in the past."

The Rev. Wilson Bridge, minister of the Lachute United Church, brought to mind the Unknown Soldier who lies, not forgotten, on this and all other days. "It is a solemn day for the peoples of the earth as they stand at their cenotaphs across the world. We remember the men who came from all classes of life, with different characters and dispositions, but who had one thing in common, the desire to prove themselves as mighty as their sires and save themselves and their people from the destruction of a free mankind".

Philippe Valois, M.P., and Linton Armstrong, representing W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., also added fitting remarks.

Thirty-five years after the ending of World War I, two minutes silence was observed for those who had fallen in wars before and since. During the silence, the Last Post and Reveille were sounded.

Public tribute was shown by the placing of wreaths at the foot of the cenotaph, after which the anthem "O Canada" was played and the gathering sang "God Save the Queen".

On conclusion of the ceremonies, the Legionnaires with their smart berets and medals, and the well-trained Cadets in uniform, marched to the Legion Hall, where they were dismissed.

words of Remembrance were spoken in both French and English by the Rev. Father Bernard Reeves; the Psalm was read by the Rev. N. H. Brock, and the memorial and closing prayers were said by the Rev. G. B. Hicks and the Rev. E. G. McNutt, respectively. Many wreaths were placed at the foot of the Cenotaph by representatives of local churches, industries and organizations, and the final act was performed by veterans themselves — the placing of poppies individually before parading to the Legion Hall for dismissal. Mrs. Dorothy Beaudry played the anthems on the piano.

It is with great regret that the Brownsburg Legion was unable to fill all local orders for poppy wreaths this year as, due to the unexpectedly increased demand, a sufficient supply to meet all needs was not available at Command Headquarters in Montreal.

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Brownsburg Ceremonies

Brownsburg — On Sunday, November 8, the Brownsburg Legion Branch and its Auxiliary marched smartly to the skirl of bagpipes, played by two pipers from Cornwall, to the United Church, which had been selected for the annual service this year. The service was conducted by the Rev. Garfield Bruce, whose theme was appropriate to the occasion. The gathering was also addressed by the Legion president, Russ Summers, who spoke on "The Poppy as a Symbol of Remembrance".

All sections of the community were represented at the Cenotaph on Remembrance Day, November 11, to pay tribute to the local boys who gave their lives in defence of freedom. The parade, under command of Vice-President Hector Steele, was composed of the Legion and its Auxiliary, Boy Scouts, Cubs and Girl Guides. After marching from the Legion Hall through the business section, the parade arrived at the Cenotaph in front of the Social Club, where the ceremonies commenced at 10.45 a.m. Children from the Protestant and Catholic schools lined the street to augment the large crowd of adults congregated for this solemn occasion. The Last Post and Reveille were played by Emmanuel Parisien, and promptly at 11 a.m. the colors were dipped and all heads were bowed for the two minutes' silence. Coincident with this period machines in the local factories ceased their hum and employees faced eastward with reverence.

The service was under the direction of the Rev. Garfield Bruce; the

Discusses Factors In Canadian Citizenship

Refreshing Viewpoints By Rev. Dr. MacMillan At Rotary Meeting

The Rev. Dr. Wm. MacMillan, of Lachute, spoke to the Brownsburg Rotary Club last week on the subject, "Our Canadian Citizenship".

He spoke of the difficulties that are apparent in trying to unite peoples whose modes of living vary tremendously over the breadth of a continent. Economic and social conditions in the different provinces are not always comparable. In addition, there is the difficulty of having two official languages in the country, as well as all the foreign tongues spoken in many communities where colonies have been formed of settlers all from one particular part of the world.

Speaking as one of British origin, the Rev. Dr. MacMillan suggested that, rather than try to induce people of other racial extractions to accept our ways, we can learn something from their culture. As a nation we can develop most by making use of the talents of all our peoples.

He said that in his opinion French-Canadians are better citizens of this country because their primary allegiance is to Canada rather than to Britain, as with so many others of our people. The speaker expressed the belief that, because of this, the French-speaking prime ministers of Canada, Sir Wilfred Laurier and the Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, have probably done more to join the various races and develop a truly Canadian citizen than any other of the nation's leaders since Confederation.

The Rev. Dr. MacMillan was introduced by Mac Walker and thanked by Keith Hickson.

Linton Armstrong reported on arrangements for holding the turkey bingo in Lachute Auditorium on November 13. Duties were assigned to the various members and everyone was askd to push the sale of tickets to ensure the success of the evening.

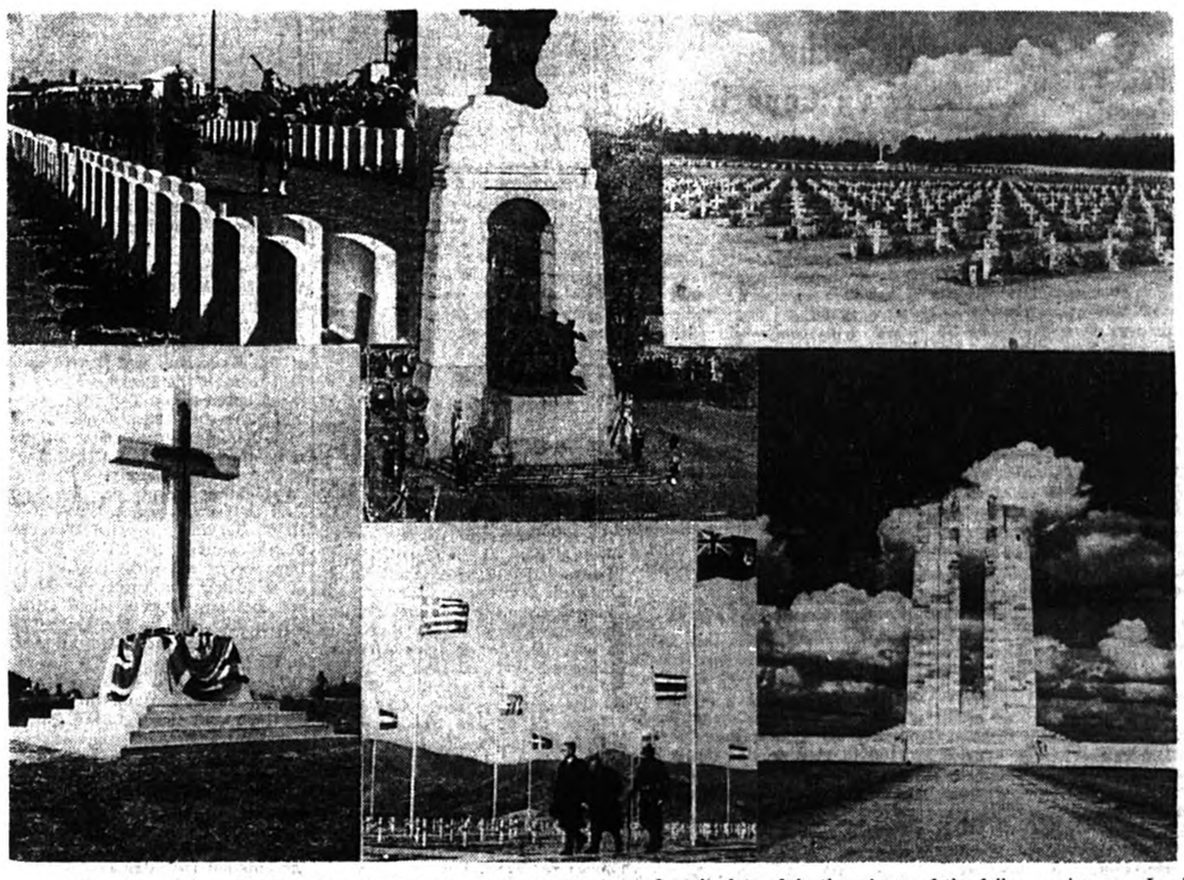
Driver Electrocuted By Power Line

A Montreal truck driver was electrocuted near Mont Rolland Monday afternoon when he attempted to remove a power line in the path of his load.

Lucien Girodet, 20-year-old driver for Sicotte Transport Ltée, was the victim. He was driving a truck carrying a mechanical shovel. When it was apparent the load would not pass beneath the cable, the driver climbed onto the cab of his truck to lift the wire. According to a fellow worker the man fell, fatally stricken, when he touched the live wire.

The misadventure occurred on a by-road near Mont Rolland.

"SOME CORNER OF A FOREIGN FIELD"



When Canadians everywhere bowed their heads November 11 in silent tribute to the nation's war dead, they were honoring the men who paid the supreme sacrifice in war.

The graves of these heroes, with their white crosses or simple headstones, are scattered throughout the world, but the majority of Canadians killed in action overseas are buried in cemeteries in Italy, Holland, France and Korea. Lovingly, the graves are honored and tended by the people of the country in which they lie, and by members of the Imperial War Graves Commission. (A recent traveller from these parts, revisiting the World War haunts in Flanders and Belgium, was much impressed with the maintenance of these cemeteries.) Headstones or crosses bear the badge, name, rank, unit, date of death and age of the fallen servicemen. In all military cemeteries flowering shrubs and trees have been planted and flowers bloom along the rows of headstones and the narrow grass paths between.

More than 1,000,000 Commonwealth servicemen — between 60,000 and 65,000 of them Canadian — lie buried in 16,000 cemeteries in more than 100 countries. Many thousands more who were buried at sea or listed as "Missing in Action" have no known graves. The work of tracing the missing still goes on.

Canadian war graves in five countries are shown in the above photo by the Department of National Defence: Upper left, Dieppe; upper right, Holland; bottom, left to right, Italy, Korea and the Canadian War Memorial at Vimy Ridge, France.

Two Calls for Minor Fires

The first fire call in town for over three months was turned in shortly after six o'clock last Thursday morning. The brigade arrived in quick time, but the call proved to be a false alarm. The fire crew had been summoned to the house of Willie Boa, Main Street, by a passing citizen, who saw flames licking along the roof. The flames, however, were coming out of the chimney, and had burned themselves out in the few minutes which it took the brigade to reach the fire.

Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon answered another call Saturday around 9 p.m. at the home of Edgar Seguin, Bethany Road. This incident, also a chimney fire, was potentially dangerous due to the high winds, but the outbreak was extinguished in short order. As the fire was outside the town limits, no call was issued to the volunteer crewmen.

Five Ordered to Trial, Charge of Possessing Burglary Tools

Five men arrested here last week, appeared before Justice Eugène Fontaine at St. Jerome on Friday. Léo-Albert Desjardins, 27, Henri Dunn, 22, Raymond Morin, 26, Yvon Soumis, 28, and Pierre Ferguson, 21, all of Montreal, pleaded not guilty on a charge of being in possession of burglary tools, and will be tried December 4.

Desjardins, Morin and Soumis, who have previous records, were released each on two bonds of $950, while Dunn and Ferguson, with no previous court records, were allowed free on $950 bail for each.

The five accused were arrested here by Chief Donat Villeneuve, Dep. Chief W. Lepine, of the town police force, and Provincial Detective Maurice Lamoureux. They were removed to St. Jerome jail and held for preliminary hearing.

Man Killed by Horse

Charles Morin, a 57-year-old Buckingham farm worker, died in hospital at Buckingham Sunday night from injuries he received earlier in the day, when he was kicked by a horse.

The victim was employed by Elzear Lafleur at Buckingham. Mr. Morin and his son, Remi, were working at Lafleur's lumber camp when a horse kicked him twice in the stomach.

Calgary (CP) — A current government report shows that Alberta's cattle population reached a record total of 1,910,000 head as of June 1. At the same date last year, the figure was 1,745,000.

Agric. Soc. Holds Annual Meeting, Appoints Directors

The annual meeting of the Argenteuil Agricultural Society was held at the Court House, Lachute, last Friday afternoon. Some 42 members were on hand to hear the financial reports of the Society, to elect a new board of directors for the 1953-54 season, and to wholeheartedly approve the president's words of tribute to the work of a few who have served the Society well and faithfully over the past quarter-century.

To quote the president, Mr. Geo. McGibbon:

"Our Fair has come a long way", he said, "since the first Agricultural Society was formed in 1826 (then County of York). . . Fairs like ours don't just happen", he continued. "It is only through the untiring, voluntary efforts of our officers that our Fair stands at the top of the list, as Fairs go." He went on to say that it was such men as Mr. Jack Black, Mr. Gilbert Arnold and Mr. Clement Tremblay, all of whom have served on the board well over the quarter-century mark, that have brought the Fair up to what it is today."

He thanked all the officers for their co-operation and stressed that the purpose of the Society be kept in mind — that of "promoting Agriculture in the County", and that we go all-out to make our Fair even bigger and better.

Mr. Tremblay, on behalf of the quarter-century members, thanked the president for his kind address. Mr. Tremblay also asked the meeting to join with him in sending heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Black, who just recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary, and to wish them many happy years to follow. The meeting sincerely concurred with these sentiments.

The election of directors for 1953-54 then took place, the following directors being named:

Messrs. Stuart Armstrong, Gilbert Arnold, J. H. Black, Donald Bradley, Ben Hammond, Jas. MacKimmie, Norman MacGeorge, Geo. McGibbon, Forbes McOuat, W. H. Robert, A. Carson Tomalty, Clement Tremblay, Gavin Walker, William Wilson.

The County Warden, the Mayor of Lachute, and the Mayor of Ayersville were added to the elected list of directors, by acclamation.

Messrs. H. E. Carson and F. A. Brennian were again appointed auditors for the Society for the new fiscal year.

Coronation Medal To Capt. T. Weir

Thomas Weir, of Cushing, captain of the C.G.S. Argenteuil, was the recipient of one of the Coronation Medals presented in this district.

Captain Weir started as a seaman at the age of 14 on the Buoy Tender C.G.S. Maisonneuve. He was made captain of that ship seven years later in 1913, and in July, four years later, was transferred to the Argenteuil, on which he has served as captain ever since. He is in his 47th year of service with the Department of Transport, which, when he commenced work, was known as the Department of Marine and Fisheries.

Lineman Burned By Power Cable

Adrien Derouin, 21-year-old Gatineau Power Company lineman, had a narrow call but escaped with painful burns and dislocations in an accident at Brownsburg last Friday.

Working on an electric light pole at the Rosedale and Mountain intersection, Derouin was in the act of adjusting his safety belt when he touched a 4,600-volt wire. He was thrown to the ground, where fellow workers hurried to his assistance and summoned Dr. Jacques Castagner to give first-aid. The young man was taken by ambulance to the Hotel Dieu, St. Jerome, having suffered third degree burns on the right forearm and left thigh, and a dislocated hip caused by his fall.

Prov. School Nurses Convened Here

A convention of Provincial School Nurses was held at Lachute High School last Friday.

The meeting was attended by — Miss C. Miller, Brome County; Mrs. M. E. Watson, Compton County; Mrs. M. Manley, Papineau County; Mrs. F. I. Rice, Pontiac County; Mrs. N. J. Earle, Lakeshore; Miss M. A. Lockhart, Macdonald High School; Miss Lois Bennett, Argenteuil County.

Methods of improving the medical services in schools were discussed, and plans were made for a future meeting to be held next May in Shawville.

Good Hunting North of Lachute



This handsome buck — 240 pounds dressed weight, and 22½-inch antler span — was brought down by Romeo Allen (right), of Deacon Motor Sales, about five miles north of Lachute off the Dumany road. Others in the hunting party were Russell Hodge (left), Lawrence Hodge (centre), and Norman Hodge, absent when this picture was taken. Russell returned unscathed from the hunt, despite the hirsute growth which exposed him to risk of being mistaken for the quarry; he's growing a beard for a contest at the Ayers employees' annual party.

Council Receives Suggestions From Chamber of Commerce

Assorted Civic Problems and Affairs At Regular Session of City Fathers

A somewhat heated discussion on Town Council's decision to close College Street, was the main point of interest at the monthly meeting of the City Fathers, held in the Auditorium last Wednesday evening. All councillors were present with the exception of Ald. W. S. MacKimmie, Mayor Dr. Jules Lafleur presiding. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, with Ald. H. G. Beaulieu adding an omission in both the English and French minutes.

Norman Hodge and Geo. Gunn, College Street proprietors, were present representing residents of that street who would be affected by the closing of the thoroughfare for the winter months.

"The Town has kept this street open for many years, and now you have decided not to permit the plow to clear the snow away", said Mr. Hodge. "What do you intend to do about it?"

"We can't let the Town equipment go out where there is a possibility of doing damage which we may be sued for", Mayor Lafleur replied, "besides which — it isn't a street anyway, it's a lane, and if the proprietors in question would co-operate with the Council as other citizens have done in the past, there would be no decision to make. . . . How much are you asking for five feet of frontage?"

"I originally asked $360, but will sell for $200", Mr. Gunn replied.

"I'm willing to do what the remainder of the property holders concerned decide to do", Mr. Hodge interposed, "but I don't want two prices for two different properties."

Council Spends Your Money

"The Council doesn't do business that way", Ald. MacRae replied, "and don't forget that we are not spending OUR own money when we sit around this table." This assertion was voiced several times later throughout the meeting.

"There is only one thing to do, and that is to keep the street open. It is so narrow that people drive over the lawns to pass another car", Mr. Hodge stated.

"You want the road widened, but your concessions are very limited. If you sell us the property for the sum of $1 as others have done in the past, and as the Plymouth Brethren are willing to do, we will commence work tomorrow." (Mayor Lafleur was here referring to the Brethren's Hugh Street Hall.)

Mr. Gunn repeated $200 for five feet of land, as his "last offer".

Co-operates With Council

Mr. Hodge, however, agreed to accept the offer of the Council of $1 for his property.

It was moved by Ald. D. G. MacRae, seconded by Ald. W. Cousineau, that the mayor and secretary-treasurer be authorized to sign the deed with Mr. Hodge and the Plymouth Brethren.

Mr. Hodge was thanked by Mayor Lafleur, who added: "You are not only thinking of yourself, but of the town, which includes all citizens. I hope you realize why the Council found it impossible to

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Scouts' Paper Drive This Saturday

Contributions of waste paper will be appreciated for the Boy Scouts' canvass around Lachute Town on Saturday. To co-operate with the boys, bundles should be securely tied to facilitate transport, and placed in view when the trucks make their rounds.

Windstorm Caused 57 Power Breaks Last Week-End

Snow, sleet, rain and high winds did considerable damage throughout the district last week-end; the most serious was the uprooting of 23 electric power poles. Twelve of these were transmission poles each supplying 26,000 volts. The extensive damage affected St. Benoit and St. Hermas more than other centres in the area.

Twenty-four men in the employ of the Gatineau Company worked from early Saturday until three o'clock Sunday morning, returning again at 8.30 a.m. to start erecting new poles and replace the temporary repairs by permanent circuits. Throughout the storm, the Gatineau men removed 16 trees and repaired 57 breaks in the wires caused by high winds, falling branches, trees and ice. Service was back to normal by 9.30 Saturday evening.

The first explorer to travel through the North-West Passage was Raold Amundsen of Norway, in 1906.

B'burg Legion Holds Armistice Supper

Brownsburg — The annual Armistice Dinner was held at the new Brownsburg Legion Hall last Saturday evening, with over 70 veterans attending. In addition there were several guests, including Stewart Vary, lately returned from Korea; Joe Martin, Post No. 1 American Legion; and non-member veterans Mrs. Anne Towell, Mrs. Della Chabot, Miss Joyce Harvey, Basil Jackson, Basil Davis, of Montreal, Cal. Edgerton, of Cushing, and Mrs. Norman MacLeod, wife of the guest speaker.

The toast to the Queen was proposed by Past-President Steve Istvanffy and made by Vice-President Hector Steele. Grace was said by Harold Mason, and the assembly then enjoyed an excellent turkey dinner prepared by the Legion Ladies' Auxiliary under direction of its president, Mrs. Tom Williams. Following the meal, President Russ Summers introduced Norman MacLeod, vice-president of the Provincial Command, who gave an inspiring address dealing in part with the dangers of Communism, which he said destroyed individual liberty and particularly the freedom of worship. The speaker was thanked by Alfred Lupien. Following the dinner, ladies were admitted to enjoy the social evening and dancing.

Killed in Light Truck North of Buckingham

A 25-year-old trucker of Buckingham, Que., was instantly killed last Thursday afternoon when his vehicle rolled over on the highway, four miles north of Buckingham.

Joseph Léo Charron was driving alone in his late-model pick-up truck when, police said, it went out of control on a curve, hit a stone wall bordering the ditch and turned over.

As the vehicle rolled, it is believed that Charron fell from the cab and the truck crushed him.

When the Ontario Arms' Collectors Association held its fall muzzle-loading shoot at Quyon Rod and Gun Club, Louis de Bass, Ottawa, and Wallace Gardiner, of Hull, were the only two people with a perfect score of 50 each.

Gatineau LINES

That Electric Bill

Electricity is a unique commodity in that it is always ready for use at the flick of a switch, and yet a customer only pays for the exact amount used, whether large or small.

Furthermore, except for the small minimum required of summer customers, electricity is usually paid for after it is used. In other words, it is bought on credit.

One thing that is exactly the same in the purchase of electricity and in the purchase of anything else on credit is that the power company must be paid for the service it provides or else, inevitably, it has to go out of business.

Under the regulations of the Provincial Electricity Board, an electricity bill is required to be paid within 15 days from the date it is sent to the customer. As well, if it is not paid within a short period of grace following the 15 days, the power company is authorized to disconnect the service.

No power company likes to cut off the service of late paying customers, but the fact remains that every power company, like every other company or individual, must be paid for its product or it can no longer exist.

GATINEAU POWER COMPANY

By-law Totters, Brownsb'g Quandary On Midnight Entertainment Curfew

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — Mayor James M. Donaldson presided at the municipal council meeting on Monday evening — Councillors Lupien, Sam Rose, Rene Lafleur, Bill Ouellette, Ernest Lavoie and Vincent Charbonneau being present.

Proces-Verbal

The troublesome question of water rights at Chenierville was again brought before the meeting, but the matter was adjourned for introduction of a proces-verbal which has been instituted by the Council to decide the rights in this area.

Liability

A sum of $45 was asked for the killing of three lambs, the property of Mr. MacVicar — due, it was alleged, to marauding dogs.

Coun. Rose: "Why should we pay?"

Secretary Hebert: "According to the law we are responsible."

Coun. Lupien: "The police chief said there was no track of dogs — it looks as if we are getting stuck for $45."

Coun. Lafleur said Mr. MacVicar was quite sure that it was dogs.

Coun. Ouellette: "If you catch the dogs you can make the owner pay, otherwise I am afraid we pay."

Public Assistance

There were several applications for public assistance, which caused Mayor Donaldson to remark that anyone having property will have difficulty in meeting his obligations if this continues. It makes a man think twice before investing in real estate, to see all that is taxed against it.

Coun. Lavoie: "You will get taxed for it, but you don't pay it all."

Mayor Donaldson: "Who pays? Any assistance we get is from our own taxes. I don't mind helping a man who is down, or one that really needs it, but now thousands come along as if it was an honor."

Coun. Rose: "There is not much use in discussing it, as it comes before a judge at Lachute tomorrow."

Coun. Lavoie: "This man really needs it."

Mayor Donaldson: "Tell me why?"

Coun. Lavoie: "He is sick."

Coun. Lupien: "I inquired into his case and found he is earning $40 a week and has a free house and free light.

Coun. Lavoie: "I doubt it."

Barbers

A letter was received from the Deputy Minister to say he was taking up the question of opening hours with the Barbers' Association. Some councillors said they had to go to outside towns to get a haircut on Saturday night.

Coun. Charbonneau: "How come? It is the one association."

Secretary: "The barbers asked for it here."

Fire Chief's Report

Fire Chief Robbins reported on a number of fires. In one case a little boy with matches started a grass fire. Two calls were to the town dump, which was the ordinary consumption of refuse by fire. There was a fire on the property of T. P. Hall which was going pretty good, and a chimney fire at Bernier's. In all cases the damage was slight. The fire at Staynerville station when the building was completely destroyed, figured in the summary, as reported in this paper last week. 963 Chimneys were cleaned by the brigade. 19 New chimneys had been constructed since last year.

Outside Sanitation

Notice was received from the Health Unit that a number of house owners had no conection with water and sewerage lines. The secretary stated that there was a number of householders who had no service, and who had big families and in some cases boarders or roomers.

Coun. Rose: "We must connect those places and bill them for the cost."

It was decided to check up and take stern measures in those cases.

Sidewalks

The contractor submitted a bill for $589.05 for erecting sidewalks along MacMaster Street. Coun. Rose said there was some complaint about the effect of surface water, as the road was high. "It was raised about 20 years ago, so it is hardly likely that we can do anything about it. A small curb might help to cure the trouble."

Coun. Lupien: "We didn't have the road then."

The secretary read a bill from the County Council requiring $6,252.75 to cover the cost of operating. This year the towns of Lachute and Barkmere were exempt. Brownsburg's share is $839.39 on a valuation of $2,152,277.

Coun. Rose: "Which tells us to raise our mill rate and leave our valuation as it is if we want to work to advantage."

Old Debts

Laurentian Industries Limited asked for an appointment to discuss an outstanding debt. This account covers an old contract.

Changing the By-law

An application by the Daughters of Isabella for permission to remain open after midnight for a banquet at one of the hotels, raised a storm of divergent views. Coun. Lavoie suggested permission be given notwithstanding the By-law — the Mayor to close his eyes on the breach. Mayor Donaldson replied he would not close his eyes on anything that infringed the law. If the council wanted to grant permission, the proper way to do so was to amend the By-law so as to give the local organizations some consideration. As the By-law now stands, no premission could be granted and he was not going to close his eyes for any organization.

Coun. Lavoie: "The Firemen's Ball was granted an extension."

Chief Robbins: "The privilege was not used."

Mayor Donaldson: "The last Mayor changed the By-law . . ." — Coun. Rose here interrupting, "It was not the Mayor, it was the council. We had a By-law which allowed a certain latitude to local service organizations, but because it was used partisanly trouble arose and in a huff it was changed so that no one benefitted."

Coun. Lupien: "Aren't we looking a bit foolish?"

Coun. Rose: "What in principle are we after? Do we want dances or — ".

Coun. Lavoie: "What I am against is changing the By-law under every Mayor. Every two years we have a different By-law."

Coun. Ouellette: "Well, change it now and we won't have any more trouble."

Coun. Rose: "For this term?"

Coun. Laupien: "It is better to change it than be breaking it.

Eventually notice of motion was handed in to have the By-law changed.

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At Lachute Town Council

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pay you more than the customary $1. We do not want to change a Council policy that has been going on for so many years. If we gave you more than the $1, we would either not be able to purchase any more property, as the prices would be too high, or else we would have no money left to do anything else. Work will commence with the sidewalk to be replaced in the spring, when the weather permits."

Horace Lamarche asked that the Council install a larger water pipe from Main Street to the Lachute Creamery building— the pipe to be six inches in diameter, to supply sufficient water for a sprinkler system. The system in question needs 480 gallons per minute in case of fire, and the present supply of water is only half that, the pressure also being a little low.

Mayor Lafleur, after considerable discussion, stated that the Council would approve this installation if all cost was paid by the people requesting it; he could not approve of spending a large sum of money that would benefit only one business organization.

"It will also provide better fire protection for the residents in this area, as the hydrants can be connected to the same main", Mr. Lamarche suggested.

Consider New Fire Equipment

Mayor Lafleur: "Some years ago another firm installed a similar system and paid for it themselves. We are presently considering additional fire equipment that will give protection to all the citizens. I think our money would be better spent on this." (A caucus was held prior to the meeting when this question and several others were discussed.)

"We receive milk from over 400 farmers, which amounts to 100,000 pounds of milk a day. It would be a big financial loss to the community, if due to a fire, we could not purchase this milk", said Mr. Lamarche.

It was moved by Ald. Beaulieu that the Water Committee study the question with the Mayor, and report to Council at the next meeting. Ald. MacRae seconded this motion.

Sidewalks and Water

Perley Murdoch complained to Council that since the road had been raised in front of his house, the water rushed over the sidewalk flooding his lawn and basement. He had requested Council to rebuild the sidewalk on both sides of his house — the town to pay for the one in front which was the cause of the damage; but he received a bill for both.

"The sidewalk you had was not legal according to town by-laws, therefore we consider it a new sidewalk and you are obliged to pay for it", Mayor Lafleur stated.

"It was all right 20 years ago when it was built and we had no trouble with it until three years ago when the road was raised", Mr. Murdoch replied. The matter, after discussion, was tabled for further consideration, a reply to be given at the first meeting in December.

Walker K. McArthur, of R. McArthur & Son, introduced Mr. Clement, a representative of Canada Iron and Foundries, who demonstrated a new cast-iron water pipe. He gave an interesting talk on the making and laying of pipes, and quoted approximate prices, leaving leaflets with members of the Council.

"We will face many a harsh problem next year, and this information should be valuable to us", observed Mayor Lafleur, in thanking Mr. Clement and Mr. McArthur.

Chamber of Commerce Support

A letter was read from R. A. Giles, Lachute Chamber of Commerce president, recommending the following to the Council: That a motorcycle policeman or speed officers be engaged: that stop signs be placed on Grace Street at the intersection of Barron, and on Bedard Blvd. at the intersection of Barron; that a speed limit be set between the Convent and l'Ecole Supérieure on Grace Street, or the whole length of Grace Street, to proect the many children attending these schools, and that all pedestrian pupils be instructed to keep to the sidewalks; that a sidewalk be placed on Wilson Street, where children attending St. Julien School now have to use the road. The letter expressed satisfaction in connection with the anti-speed campaign, which "was effective while it lasted".

Zones for Town Bus

Mr. Roy, proprietor of the Lachute bus line, was present and requested zones for bus-stops on Main Street. After discussion and explanations, Mayor Lafleur asked Mr. Roy to present the Council with a list of all stopping places in the town. This list will be studied by the Police Committee before action is taken.

It was decided to obtain legal advice in connection with a letter from W. E. Hammond, who had petitioned that a survey be made of the property at the Lake discharge, as he claims the property is his. The letter stated that he would be satisfied with any surveyor with the exception of S. Oufmet, who originally surveyed the property. Mr. Hammond agreed to pay half the cost of the survey. The Council decided that, if a survey was necessary, Mr. Hammond could hire any surveyor he wished but the town would retain Mr. Ouimet, due to his experience in this matter.

Lachute - St. Jerusalem Councils Meet Next Thursday

It was moved by Ald. Morrissette, seconded by Ald. MacRae, that the Mayor and secretary-treasurer be authorized to sign the water contract with Ayersville. A letter was received from the Parish of St. Jerusalem, and it was decided to meet the Parish Council in the Auditorium on Thursday evening, November 19, at 8 o'clock — with the only subject under discussion between the two Councils to be that of water supply.

A building permit for the new Post Office was granted, and Ald. H. G. Beaulieu proposed that the Council contact the Public Works Department as to the possibilities of widening the corner at Main and Bethany Streets when alterations are made to the old building. This was seconded by Ald. D. G. MacRae.

The Mayor and secretary-treasurer were authorized to sign a contract with the Gatineau Power Company after said contract had been approved by a legal advisor.

Catholic Assessment Roll

The Catholic School Board requested that the town prepare an assessment roll for them and send the bills out not later than December 1, 1953. It was moved that the secretary be instructed to comply with this, and that the School Board be charged $400 — being $100 for stationery and postage, and the remaining $300 to be divided equally between the secretary-treasurer and his assistant for the work entailed.

A letter was read from the Argenteuil Red Cross Society thanking the Council for their cooperation at the recent Blood Donor Clinic.

Accounts to the amount of $11,290.63 were approved for payment. Among this was $367.19 paid to the Bickle-Seagrave Company for repairs to the fire pump.

A request from Lachute for use of the Brownsburg garbage dump had to be refused, as the Brownsburg Council is also looking for a new dumpsite.

The session was adjourned until the joint meeting of Lachute Town Council and the Parish of St. Jerusalem councillors on Thursday, November 19.

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The Unlighted School

LACHUTE Town Council received an informal request, through Alderman D. G. MacRae, for use of the Civic Auditorium on behalf of the local Wolf Cubs and Boy Scouts. Mayor Dr. Jules Lafleur and Alderman H. Georges Beaulieu, who is a member of the Catholic School Board, asked spontaneously, "Why can't they use their High School gymnasium? It's their parents who are paying for it."

This brings into the open a long-standing grievance among students of the High School. Oftentimes they seek a place to play, and as Lachute has no playground, they go to the school yard, only to find the gates locked. This is especially true during the summer months and vacation periods, when, at a moderate cost, someone might be hired to supervise at least several hours a day. It would not necessarily fall upon the School Board to meet this cost, for there are various local organizations that have the welfare of the children sufficiently at heart. Several organizations, including the Cubs and Scouts, have in recent years asked in vain for use of the spacious hall of this school, which incidentally can be closed off from the remainder of the school building. One club — whose members are mostly taxpayers — made the formal request, but the price set for the use of the gymnasium (which included janitor's fees) was so high as to be prohibitive. So this organization, which operates on a small membership fee, had to return to the Auditorium, where they were given the facilities for additional nights for less than half the amount asked by the school board.

There is, however, a marked contrast in the policy of our Catholic School Board, which will not even consider renting part of their building to organizations such as these. Here, any club or any organization working in the interests of the children and youth of the town enjoys accommodation without charge. L'Ecole Supérieure, it appears, is open for children's activities every night of the week, with few exceptions; it is a centre of children's activities for both learning and recreation, which is as it should be.

The Cubs and Scouts — the former made up entirely of children attending Lachute High School — have been using the school basement for many years, but the space is over-crowded and facilities are not the best possible. While it is true that the School Board has not recently been approached, these organizations were refused point blank last year — which is somewhat discouraging to leaders encountering numerous difficulties and giving their leisure time often without a "thank you" from anyone.

It is regrettable that such organizations aiding the youth of our town do not enjoy a little more support and co-operation. The Town Council is willing to let these two youth organizations have the civic building, but why should they have to go there when the new and modern High School gymnasium is empty most evenings of the week?

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It's Your Business

THIS is an exciting week in Ottawa. The first session of the 22nd Parliament is being opened by Governor-General Vincent Massey.

Observers on Parliament Hill predict this will be one of the most active sessions in recent years, with many items of controversial business. As a result of the August election, the opposition parties — while not endangering the over-all majority of Liberals in the Commons — gained some strength. It is expected this will be reflected in the debates.

There is no doubt Ottawans, many of whom are civil servants and all of whom know they are affected directly by the presence of government, will follow Parliament's activity with close attention.

But what about the rest of us? Our newspapers publish many columns each session about the speeches of members of Parliament and senators. Few radio news broadcasts during the session fail to include an Ottawa item. Magazines publish commentaries on Parliament's business. Occasionally the theatre newsreels cover Ottawa.

Yet many Canadians, in villages and cities alike, are inclined to skim over these reports so hurriedly that they have no real knowledge of what is going on in the federal capital.

That is not good enough.

Parliament is the sounding board of the nation. It is where the Maritimes makes its problems known to the West; where British Columbia tells Ontario and Quebec what it is thinking. It is the only place where elected representatives of all parts of a vast country congregate to work out the country's future.

The debates of Parliament are our best guide to the thinking of the whole Canadian people.

There is every reason to follow them by any means we have — to be as familiar with the difficulties of the coal industry in the Maritimes, for instance, as we are with the road conditions in our own municipality.

Only if we try to know and understand all parts of Canada can national unity be advanced.

That is why Parliament's business should be the business of every man and woman.

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Note on Co-operation

A FEW of our town councillors have cleared up a bottleneck that has stumped the citizens of Lachute for some time.

In years past, the Councils have purchased necessary property for public roads and improvements for the nominal sum of one dollar. But property-holders on College Street — which, at a previous meeting, it was decided to leave as a closed thoroughfare for the winter months — requested high prices for a few feet of land. It took time and talking on both sides before the deal was agreed upon, but it paid off; the proprietor acquieced, and by securing the strip of property the Council will be able to keep this lane open to traffic. If a few more will co-operate as these citizens have done, the lane will become a street and the Council will be able to look after it properly.

Council is willing to help if the citizens will only co-operate. They have work to do — a job that is important to every citizen and potential citizen. With your support, they can do it. Otherwise, the Town of Lachute will continue as it has in the past, with an increase in population of only 869 from the census in 1941 to the recent count in 1951. And it will not be the fault of the Chamber of Commerce or the Town Council — the blame will lie with those who display no co-operative interest in civic affairs.

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Alcoholic Problem

ALMOST one Canadian in 60 in an alcoholic, according to an estimate given to a conference organized in Ottawa by the Ontario Alcoholism Foundation.

Here are other points which experts gave:

There are five times as many men as women alcoholics. British Columbia has the greatest proportion, Newfoundland the smallest.

The typical Canadian alcoholic is middle-class, between 35 and 45, a skilled or semi-skilled worker, married, owning his own home, with two or three children.

Seventy per cent of those who accept help can be restored to work well again. It's no use for a company to take ordinary disciplinary action against them. Most can be helped by counselling, but about 13 per cent need medical or phychiatric treatment.

What causes alcoholism?

One expert said that an "alarming proportion of the tensions that can induce it stem from the demands of industry — particularly jobs involving great monotony, deadlines and excessive or ill-defined responsibility.

How would you know a potential alcoholic?

Said an expert: "When a person stops boasting about how much he can drink and starts lying about how little he drinks, you can be sure he has a drinking problem."

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Notable Judgment

THERE was a case in a United States District Court some time ago known as the case of Roberts versus Gwyrfai. Frankly we don't know any of the details, but Mr. Justice Lindley who tried it, did. And in his judgment he said:

"I know of no duty of the court which is more important to observe, and no power of the court which it is more important to enforce, than its power of keeping public bodies within their rights. The moment public bodies exceed their rights, they do so to the injury and oppression of private individuals, and those persons are entitled to be protected from injury arising from such operations of public bodies."

— J. L. R.

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THE HOKOMIS (Sask) Times states that the tide of progress has dealt a blow to chicken fanciers. Under a by-law effective January 1, chicken houses or live chickens will not be allowed inside the town limits. . . A similar by-law put into force in Lachute might do a great deal for the fair repute of this town.



ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

Some people in Windsor, Ontario, are selling handy artists' kits that enable anyone to take up where the Group of Seven left off — almost.

"You get a pre-planned canvas", the publicity says. "It's numbered. You get a set of pre-mixed, fine quality paints. They are numbered too. Then all you do is paint in the corresponding numbered colors. It's as easy as that. And you'll have a beautiful professional-looking picture the first time you try."

There's an eye-opener for the laymen who stand in awe of artists. If painting is so easy, why did Michelangelo, Van Gogh, Emily Carr and others of the trade make such a mystery of it? It is high time those old frauds were unmasked.

I saw the "Painting by Numbers" kits on sale at a store near the place where I live. An earnest saleswoman added some daubs to a partly-finished desert scene. The uncolored area was marked with numbered sections, as a chart of a beef carcass is marked to show the cuts. Since I showed no signs of buying, the saleswoman moved on to another customer.

The painting by numbers kits came in three sizes. The pre-planned canvases, shown in a pamphlet, including everything from the Last Supper to ballerinas dancing and ducks and space ships in flight.

One illustration in the pamphlet was a blank space, framed. According to the caption, it was a female figure.

"We feel that such a picture is an individual creation and therefore no reproduction of this painting is being shown. We will want you to see the nude for the first time created by you because of the strikingly dramatic effect this subject produces."

How frustrating it would be for a certain type of mind if the subject turned out to be a nude oyster, newly divested of its shell.

This system of art might come in handy for impressing friends.

"A little canvas I dashed off the other day", a man could say casually, as he stroked his beard and pulled his beret to a more rakish angle. Nobody would ever know the picture was painted by numbers. The painter could exclude people from his studio on grounds of temperament.

We already have a system for playing the piano by numbers. All we need now is a handy kit for assembling pre-fabricated poems and novels. Each kit would contain a plot or theme and a supply of words that the writer could fit into place.

As soon as such a device is placed on the market, many a mute inglorious Milton will find a voice, I'm afraid.

"They laughed when I sat down to write a novel", the advertisements might say. "Little did they know I would make the best-seller list next spring."

Bicycles Dangerous Warns Safety Expert

Bicycles can be dangerous at any time, but they are especially so at night — warns Jean-L. Dyotte, secretary general of the Province of Quebec Safety League.

"With the long evenings upon us with the coming of fall, all drivers should be conscious of the night-time cyclist and the part he plays in causing highway accidents", he stated. The safety expert asked that parents should make certain that children take the following precautions:

1—Have a good headlight and tail-light or reflector for night riding.

2—Trim the "wheel" with some type of reflectorizing material.

3—Wear light colored clothing.

4—Be alert always for holes, ruts or other objects which may cause the bike to upset.

5—Above all, stay off the highway whenever possible.

One of the hardest things to understand is how a mosquito can get along without sleep.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1—In land, buildings, equipment and livestock, Canadian farmers have an investment of how much capital in their business?

2—What is the height of the waterfall at Niagara?

3—Where does Canada rank as a world trader?

4—What is our leading export commodity?

5—Of Ottawa's $4.5 billion budget, how much is being spent on social security and welfare?

ANSWERS: 5—About one dollar in four of all money being spent. 3—In total trade, 3rd in the world; in per capita trade, 1st. 1—$8.2 billion. 4—Forest products, notably newsprint. 2—175 feet.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

MONTREAL -- MAELSTROM AND MILLSTREAM

By GEOFF.

"A Mixed-Up Kid"

One of the happiest games today is calling bad eggs "poor, mixed-up kids". It's a jolly game. Anyone can play it and nobody wins or loses. And the only advantage to be gained from playing it is that it salves the guilty conscience.

What exactly is the definition of a poor mixed-up kid? Well, if you've been reading the papers of late, you'll already know. But for those who haven't been reading of Montreal's steady rise to fame as a "Little Chicago", let me enlighten you.

A poor mixed-up kid recently killed his father with an axe.

Another of the same drowned his father in the bath.

Three of a kind slew your friend Robert Taylor for the price of a cab fare home. And they were so mixed-up that they were able to clown about the whole affair when they reached the courts.

It's a wonderful definition. It covers everyone and anyone that gets his or her neck caught in a noose. And it doesn't mean a blinking thing . . . at least, not when you look at the words. Deep down, though, it means an awful lot.

Poor, mixed up kids don't get that way all by themselves. To qualify for the title, you have to be carefully instructed. Your teachers are many and range from your parents, in the first place, to the gallows at the end of the trail. And the trap door wouldn't spring open to receive the "kid", if the parents cared at all.

Just prior to the last war, some brilliant specimen in the psychological world advanced the theory that no child should ever be punished for his misdeeds. The premise was that a child doesn't know he's doing wrong, he's just expressing himself. And he should never be punished, because it might permanently damage his ego.

So the world settled back in its collective chairs and watched Junior expressing himself. That dear little fellow's work was evidenced on the walls of the home, in the family's prized possessions and, all too often, on the neighbor's, too. When things got too bad, then the family moved to another home. The landlord footed the bill for redecoration and repairs, and Junior began his artistic work on the new surroundings. Oh, truly, it was a happy time.

How different from the days when I grew up. My ego was suppressed at regular intervals and with alarming accuracy whenever I stepped out of line. And, as I look back on my childhood now, I can see that the ego wasn't suppressed as well as it should have been. Unfortunately, it has burst out at the seams on odd occasions. But, thank God, it hasn't burst out in the same way as it might have done had it never been suppressed at all. Most of us, as we look at the criminals today parading to the gallows, can say with all due reverence: "There, but for the Grace of God, go I".

I rode on a tram the other evening, from University Street to Atwater. As if that wasn't purgatory enough for one evening, the passengers in that ill-fated car, had to suffer the self-expression of a gang of Sea Cadets. If I live to be one hundred, I doubt if I'll ever see as much bad behaviour again in so short a space of time.

The Cadets boarded the tram at Mountain Street. They bounded down the aisle and threw themselves into the seats. They pounced on the windows, despite the cool weather, and sent them crashing upwards with force enough to shatter the glass. Then they sat down to give us their program of entertainment. It consisted of picking out passing pedestrians and giving them "the third degree".

To a benign cleric en route to wearing glasses, they cried:

"Hi, babe! Why the double windows? It ain't winter yet!"

To an benign cleric en route to his church, they roared:

"Hey, preacher! Yer collar's on backwards!"

And to each of these insults, they applauded with their own fiendish laughter.

They got off the car at Atwater and transferred themselves and their attentions to the Atwater bus. And those of us who remained behind, sat for the remainder of our respective journeys wrapped in thought.

We had been powerless to stop the cadets. The law forbids you to whale the daylights out of Mrs. Next-Door's boy. The law does it for you, however, when he murders you. But that's cold comfort. When you had the opportunity to put a "poor, mixed-up kid" on the right track, the law wouldn't let you. So, the cadets went their merry way.

Unfortunately, there is little the Navy can do about it, either, I suppose. You see, they can't do much more than give them a few minutes extra drill, without running afoul of the parents. But with a little luck, maybe they can get the law changed. And, if they do, I hope they'll keel-haul those little blighters. It may not suppress their egos, but I hope it will cool them off.

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Avoca

Mrs. Harper Emmerson, of Shawville, spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Waite, of Vankleek Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Willie MacLean, of Pte. au Chene, called on their sister, Mrs. Ed Andrews and Mr. Andrews, on Tuesday evening.

OBITUARY

David Rodger McClure, Native of Lachute Dies at Cowansville

David Rodger McClure, aged 50 years, husband of Mary Elizabeth Henderson, died in Cowansville on November 2.

Mr. McClure was born in Lachute on August 2, 1903, and went to live in Cowansville in 1918.

A member and staunch supporter of Emmanuel United Church in Cowansville, his interest was felt through his connection with the work of the young people's groups.

For the past 20 years he was engaged in farming, first with his father, the late James McClure, and later with his brothers, John, of Cowansville, and Carswell, presently of Steep Falls, Maine.

Mr. McClure has for years been identified and dearly loved by the many people he has served through his milk delivery route, both in Cowansville and Sweetsburg. A ready smile and devotion to those he served so well, are cause for deep regret at his passing.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Elizabeth, and his twin daughters, Molly and Anna, eight years of age. He was a kind of thoughtful husband and father.

Many at Funeral of Late John Cunningham

Among those from a distance attending the funeral of the late John Cunningham last Thursday were: Messrs. James E. and Donald J. Smith, of Flint, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan, of Port Huron, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham, of New Glasgow, Que.; Mrs. H. G. Baugh, of Morin Heights; Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham, of St. Eustache; Mr. William McPherson, of Dorval; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell, and Messrs. Melville and Sterling Dawson, of Mille Isles; Mr. Hugh Cunningham, Miss Janet Carrick, Mr. Alfred McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. George Giles, Mr. Clarence Tucker, Mr. Jack Griffith, Miss Audrey Griffith, Mrs. J. Houston, Mrs. G. Thompson, Mrs. Alex Cunningham, Mr. Milton Dawson, Mr. Lawrence Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Turner, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Miss Diane Campbell, Mr. George Girvan, of Montreal.

Pall-bearers were Messrs. Arthur Campbell, Thos. Izzard, W. K. McArthur, George Calder, James Thompson and Walker Dawson.

The Rev. Wilson Bridge officiated.

Lady Resident Mourned In Brownsburg

Late Mrs. Harry Gardiner

Brownsburg community lost one of its best known and highly respected citizens in the passing of Mrs. Harry Gardiner, whose death occurred Saturday, November 7, after a somewhat lengthy illness.

Mrs. Gardiner, who was in her 75th year, was born in Chatboro in 1878, a daughter of the late Mr. John Donaldson and his wife, Bathia Morrison. Her earlier years were spent in that district, until her marriage to Mr. Gardiner in 1900. They had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary three years ago.

As a member of the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Gardiner was active in its welfare. She was also a life member of the Brownsburg Women's Institute.

In addition to her husband, there remain to mourn her passing one son, Manly; one daughter, Mrs. Jas. Reid; two grandsons, Donald and Mander; also two brothers, John and James Donaldson, of Brownsburg, and one sister, Mrs. Frank McCool (Ruby), of Ottawa.

The funeral service was held on Tuesday from the Brownsburg Presbyterian Church, conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Reid, and was attended by many sorrowing and sympathising friends.

Pall-bearers were — Messrs. T. G. Pasco, T. Anderson, John Martin, J. P. Martin, J. MacVicar and E. Ross.

Among those attending from a distance were a niece, Mrs. C. K. Passmore, of Camden, Maine, daughter of the late Maggie Donaldson (Mrs. Ben Brosseau, St. Andrews East); also Mr. and Mrs. John Cafferty, of Ottawa, and Mr. Edgar Gardiner, of Lac Masson.

Many wreaths and flowers bore silent testimony to a long and well spent life.

We need not concern ourselves much about rights of property if we faithfully observe the rights of persons. — Calvin Coolidge

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Guests from far and near attended the first annual turkey dinner, on Saturday, November 7, at Grenville High School. The tables were attractively decorated with low bowls of bronze and yellow-colored 'mums. The proceeds were satisfying, and it is reported that the evening was an entire success.

Miss Elsie Cousins is spending a few days in Buffalo, N.Y., with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Tank.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young's were Mr. E. Shippey, Mr. E. Yetman, and Mr. Arnold Simpson, all of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young, and Mr. Asa Young, of Avoca; and Miss Rubena Young, of Montebello.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Cooke, who spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Champagne, attended the turkey dinner at the school, before returning home to Ottawa.

Miss Lillian Murray is spending a few days with relatives at Kilmar.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. A. Dinelle's were Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Presseault and Mr. and Mrs. Fernand Presseault, of Lachute; and Mr. and Mrs. René Presseault, of Ayersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser Carson, of Ste. Agathe des Monts, called at Mr. and Mrs. L. Carrière's on Sunday.

Mabel

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Clark and little son, Andrew, also Miss Jean Clark, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cunning at Vankleek Hill last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. MacCullough, of N.D.G., were week-end guests of Mrs. Geo. D. Murdoch.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark, with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail, of Lachute, spent the week-end in Watertown, N.Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty visited friends in Montreal last Sunday.

Farm Forum

The regular Farm Forum meeting was held at Mr. and Mrs. Perley Clarke's. The topic for discussion was "Partners All". Those present agreed that a successful farmer is dependent on his wife's co-operation. A well-kept home and properly prepared meals are essential for the welfare of all farm families. Some farm wives are free to work outside, and enjoy doing so, but there are many other ways in which they can give their farmer husbands a great deal of necessary help.

On reviewing last week's findings, it was noted that this Forum believe many more people would benefit from the assistance of their local "Ag. Rep." if his office was in the business section of town, where they could easily visit him when in town on other business.

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BIRTH

McOUAT — To Mr. and Mrs. Colin McOuat (née Helen Wright), at the Western Division of Montreal General Hospital, a daughter, on November 11, 1953.

DEATH

GARDINER — At her home in Brownsburg, Que., on Saturday, Nov. 7, Sarah Donaldson, beloved wife of Harry Gardiner, in her 75th year.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

CUNNINGHAM — The family of the late John Cunningham wish to express sincere appreciation for the floral tributes and for kindnesses extended in their recent bereavement.

GARDINER — The family of the late Mrs. H. Gardiner express their sincere appreciation for floral tributes and kindnesses extended in their recent bereavement.

O'BRIEN — We desire to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends, in our recent sad bereavement in the loss of our dear mother, Mrs. Harriet A. O'Brien.

— The O'Brien Family.

IN MEMORIAM

CRAIG — In loving memory of a dear son, Tpr. Norman Ray, killed in action in Holland, Oct. 1944. — Lovingly remembered by Mother.

"With the going down of the sun,
And in the morning, we remember."

TOWNSEND — In memory of a dear son, a loving husband and father, Ross Townsend, departed Nov. 14, 1951. Ever remembered by Dad, Thelma and children.

Ogdensburg

Mrs. John Heatlie, Jr., was in Cornwall last week.

Mr. Bruce Elliot, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Wert, of Avonmore, Ont., spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wert.

Mr. Arthur Slade, of Ste. Anne de Bellevue, is visiting friends in the community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dobbie, of Cushing, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Heatlie on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Porlier, of Montreal, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wert.

Mr. Ben McAndrew, who went to Western Canada on the harvest excursion, returned home last Saturday.

Farm Forum

The Ogdensburg Farm Forum was held at Mr. and Mrs. L. Plummer's. An absorbing topic was discussed, in which the women present were especially interested.

Arundel

Remembrance Service

Dispite the inclement weather, a capacity congregation filled the Arundel United Church for the Remembrance Day service.

The chancel was decorated with baskets of cedar and popples, while a flag was draped over the pulpit. Flowers were placed on the communion table as a tribute of appreciation to the boys of the district who answered the call of their country in the time of need.

Mr. Stern, acting minister, took as his subject "Lest We Forget", and during the offertory Kipling's "Recessional" was rendered by Mr. E. A. Bulley, assisted by the choir. After the hymn "O God, our help in ages past", a two-minute silence was observed, followed by the singing of the national anthem. The processional hymn was "For all the Saints", while the recessional was "Onward Christian Soldiers".

Grenville

Mrs. John Canning is at present staying with her daughter, Mrs. John Douglas and Mr. Douglas, at Chatboro, until feeling well enough to return to her home; her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Miss Caroline Dewar, of Brownsburg, spent the week-end as the guest of Miss Lorna Morrow.

The Rev. and Mrs. P. R. Stote, accompanied by Miss May Matthew, motored to Montreal on Monday, and in the evening attended the annual dinner of the Fellowship of the West, held in the hall of St. James the Apostle Church.

Miss Joyce Andrews, of Avoca, spent the week-end with her cousins, Misses Lois and Patsy Provencal.

Mr. John Provencal has returned home from the hospital and is improving after his operation.

Bell Falls

Vistors at Warren's Cottage last week were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bigelow, of Niagara Falls.

In Brownsburg

Specially contributed to The Watchman

"I was an-hungered"

At one time gold was the backbone of our economy, and every paper dollar we possessed had to have its counterpart in gold in vaults of the bank. Today gold is a doubtful quantity, and while still of value has ceased to become a necessity. Like the ghost towns of fiction and movies, Timmins, Ontario, has become the gaunt symbol of hunger and want to the northern miners who labored in its mines in a search for gold. Whatever the merits of the dispute which has brought this about, the fact is that a large number of Canadians, their wives and children, are in need of help. . . And to supply in some small measure the necessitities of life, the Brownsburg local of the United Mine Workers of America have decided to accept contributions at each bank here during Friday. All contributions will be devoted to the assistance of the northern miners and gratefully acknowledged.

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Home and School

The next meeting takes place November 16 in the Consolidated School cafeteria. There are a few questions which the School Board would like to discuss with the parents, and perhaps there are a few questions which the parents would like to discuss with the School Board. The Home and School executive offer the opportunity of this meeting, to do that very thing. The chairman, Pat Reilly, and other members will be present and anyone interested in local education or schooling — and who isn't? — is welcome to listen or have his say during the course of the meeting. An inspection of the classrooms, and interviews between teachers and parents, will take place after the meeting. Refreshments will be served for a nominal contribution. Try and make it, Wednesday evening. Membership fees ($1) will be accepted at this meeting.

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Echoes of Youth's Fling

The escapade of three little girls in this village was the subject of comment at a recent municipal meeting. The Mayor strongly condemned those responsible for allowing the girls to be served with drink by people who should know better. Their father, with whom the Mayor travelled to Hudson to discuss the matter, was an honest, hard working man with a large family for whom he has done his best. He was unaware of the escapade of his two daughters, who hitchhiked for a lark, and he was ill equipped to reclaim them from the toils of the law. The Council supported Mayor Donaldson in his condemnation of the parties concerned.

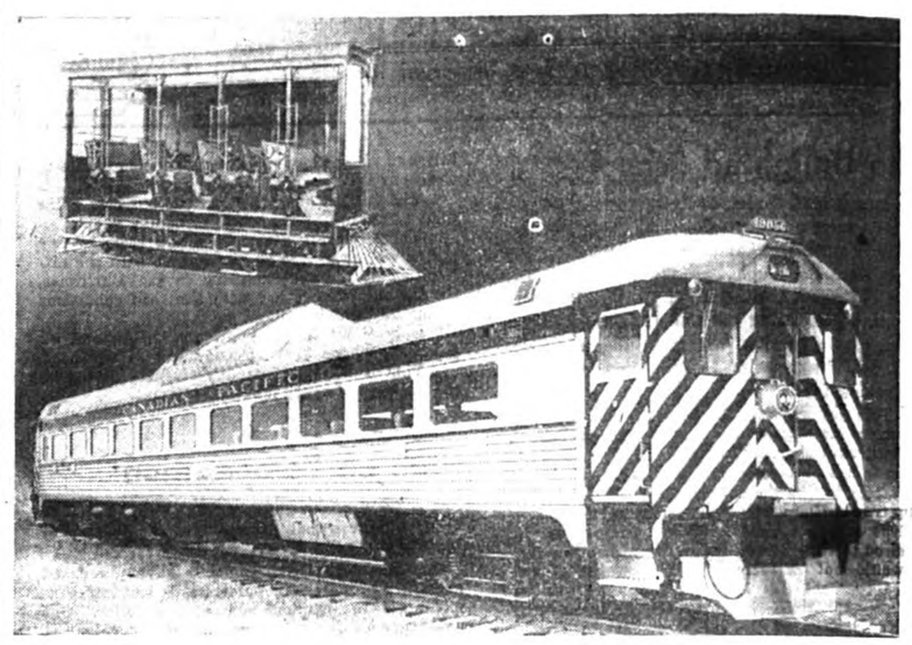
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All's Well

All fires are dangerous, but the one at Dorius Lepine's recent acquisition could have had momentous consequences. A number of wooden buildings attached in a double-row make this part of the village a veritable fire-trap. If a fire got out of control in this area, several families would be homeless and the loss of life and material could be enormous. Fortunately, the fire brigade were able to confine the late outbreak without the outside shell catching fire. There were therefore no other buildings endangered. What makes the fighting of this fire significant is the fact that the water pressure available was limited, and if the supply had been insufficient, the consequent result would have repercussions down the years. There is plenty of water under normal circumstances, but that water could not be utilized. Normally, if the gravity feed through the hydrants is not sufficient, the fire brigade can have the supply boosted by augmenting the pressure with the CIL pump, which is ample for even extraordinary needs. When the pump is used, an auxiliary chlorinator comes into use which preserves the purity of the water supply for domestic purposes. At the moment this chlorinator is under repairs, and could not be used. If water was thus pumped into the lines, it would contaminate the supply, and it is a difficult proposition to wash out this raw water and secure an adequate supply of chlorinated water for perhaps weeks to come. During the period, the health of the citizens would be at stake, with a danger of a typhoid or other epidemic present. Maygr Donaldson was asked at a recent meeting, at which the matter was considered, whether he would barter the lives of the citizens against the material value of their homes. He hoped that a like occasion will not arise.

Brownsburg

Friends and relatives of Mrs. William Tomalty, Sr., will be glad to know that she is recovering favorably after a recent fall, in which she suffered a sprained ankle and injury to her side.



TRANSITION: A little more than 50 years ago, the Canadian Pacific Railway introduced to Canadians their first internal combustion self-propelled passenger unit (INSET). This month (November) the C.P.R. is placing in service four of the most modern self-propelled units, the Budd RDC's. Patterned along "Toonerville Trolley" lines, this red gasoline-powered, single truck rail car was 73 feet long and carried 71 passengers. Today's 85-foot Budd car carries 89 persons and is air-conditioned. Old 502, the first of its breed in Canada, was also air-conditioned, but in a primitive sort of way — she had open sides. Despite five go the old car way, she can still lay claim to being the forerunner of the modern stainless steel streamlined rail diesel cars which today are providing service between Montreal and Mont Laurier, Toronto and Detroit and North Bay and Angliers. The original rail car, built in 1902, operated from Montreal's old Place Viger Station to Ste. Therese.

B'bg Legion Colors Lost by Fire To Be Replaced

To Be Presented By Original Donor Judge Geo. H. Héon

Legion to Intensify Campaign for Re-building Fund

Brownsburg — The Brownsburg Legion acknowledges with gratitude the kind offer of Judge Georges H. Héon to replace the Legion colors lost in the fire which destroyed the first hall. Judge Héon, who is and has been an honorary member of the Branch for many years, donated the original colors in 1939. The new colors will be presented during a ceremony which will be arranged later.

The public appeal for funds, to enable the new Hall to be completed without the burden of too great a debt, is being intensified. A town committee has been set up to approach business people and other citizens who have been overlooked, and it is hoped the response will continue to be satisfactory. So far there have been 301 subscribers, with a total paid and pledged of over $3,600. It is hoped that a minimum of $5,000 will be attained, so that borrowing can be kept within reasonable limits. The latest list of subscribers follows:

Rev. A. V. Bouchard $10, Harbour Smelting & Refining $25, Canadian Legion (Naval) Branch 7 $10, W. H. Keefer, Montreal $25, John Chalmers $5, Ferguson Kettyle $12, Russ Keatley $10, Brownsburg Town Council $25, Emmanuel Parisien $12, Leo Winchester, Cornwall $5, Tobi P. Hall $50, Sylvester Hall $20, Dr. Mauri Beaudry $25, Archie Morrow $12.

W. D. Graham $10, Hotel Tousignant $1, Lucien Raymond $1, David Laurin (Self Service) $5, Charles Low $12, Mac E. Walker, Lachute $25, Eugene Racine, Jr., $6, Eileen Morrison, Lachute $12, Pete Ness $10, Harold Mason $10, Leonard Hall $10, V. Langlois $18.50, Russ Young $5, Jack Stewart $12, Earl Smillie $10, Ernest Legault $5.

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8 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.
ST. GEORGE'S, BROWNSBURG
11 a.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer.
CHRIST CHURCH
ST. ANDREWS EAST
11 a.m. Morning Prayer.

Lachute United Church
(The Church with the Chimes)
Rev. Wilson Bridge, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"Concerning the Collection"
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
"Supposing Him to Have Been in the Company"
New worshippers always welcomed.
2.30 p.m. East Settlement.

Brownsburg United
Rev. Garfield W. Bruce, B.A., Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
"Life's Infinite Dimension"

Maple Avenue Baptist Church, Brownsburg
Rev. N. H. Brock, Minister
10 a.m. Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
7 p.m. Evening Service.

Lachute Baptist Church
Rev. D. C. Merrett, Pastor
3 p.m. Church School.
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
Wed. 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, Nov. 12 — Sound Film of great value — "A Prior Claim". Production of Moody Institute of Science.

You are invited to attend.

Margaret Rodger Mem'l Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. Reid, M.A., D.D., Minister
LACHUTE
10 a.m. Church School.
11 a.m. Divine Worship
(and Beginners' Dept.)
7 p.m. Evening Service.
BROWNSBURG
3 p.m. Worship Service.
Church School: Monday, 4 p.m.
Bible Study: Thursday, 8 p.m.

Brownsburg Regular Baptist Church
Rev. Geo. Hicks, B.Th., Pastor
10.00 a.m. Bible School
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Happy Hour for all kiddies, Monday, 7 p.m.
Prayer, Thursday, 8 p.m.

Brownsburg Pentecostal Assembly
E. G. McNutt, Pastor
Services held in
BROWNSBURG LEGION HALL
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic 7.30 p.m.
You are invited to attend.

Dalesville Regular Baptist Church
Rev. D. C. Merrett, Pastor
10 a.m. Church School.
11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer meeting.
All are welcome.

Parish of Mille Isles
Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector
Saint Sauveur, 9.30 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Mille Isles. 7.30 p.m.

Parish of Grenville
Rev. P. R. Stote, L.Th., Rector
9.30 a.m. M.P. Holy Trinity.
10.30 a.m. S.S.—Holy Trinity.
11 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
3 p.m. S.S. St. Matthew's.
7.00 p.m. H.C.—Kilmar

Lakefield Services
Rev. C. W. P. Baugh, Rector
Dunany 11.00 a.m.
Shrewsbury 1.30 p.m.
Louisa 3.30 p.m.
Lakefield 7.00 p.m.

After Armageddon — God's New World

At the New World Society Assembly of Jehovah's Witnesses, Yankee Stadium, New York, July 26, the speech "After Armageddon — God's New World" was delivered to an audience of 165,829 persons. This crowd included those who occupied overflow tents outside the stadium walls, and some 47,000 at the assembly's Trailer City who heard by direct wire communication with the stadium.

From the way this tremendous crowd of people from ninety-six different lands enjoyed this speech, we are sure that all persons with hearts yearning for what is right, pure and good will enjoy it too, with great personal enrichment and comfort and with wise counsel for the future.

A 32-page copy of this speech will be sent to you on a contribution of five cents a copy, or seven copies for 25 cents. Write today for your copy. In fact, why not get seven or more copies for distribution among your friends? They will enjoy reading this good news. Write The Watch Tower, 40 Irwin Avenue, Toronto 5, Ont.

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Rembrance Rites At St. Andrews East

(Continued from page 1)

St. Andrews East —

There was a splendid turnout for the Remembrance Day ceremonies at St. Andrews East last Sunday, which comprised veterans of all wars since 1914, with organized groups of schoolchildren, Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, Cubs and Brownies. Included in the long procession were veterans of the CWAC, Nursing Sisters, Wrens and RCAF (WD's).

Something new was introduced in this ceremony — a large memorial plaque with a symbolic cross at its head. On this poppies were placed by a great number of those present. The plaque was designed by Col. S. Forbes, assisted by Messrs. Lapointe and Labreche. Wreaths from the Town, individuals, organizations and churches were placed in memory of those who had made the supreme sacrifice.

Canon Andrews of Christ Church, Montreal, a veteran of both wars, paid tribute to the fallen and urged that all should do their utmost to promote peace and good will everywhere. The Rev. Father Dulude, parish priest, also spoke fittingly in French. Mayor Charlebois, Mr. J. L. Pilon, Maj.-Gen. F. R. Phelan, Mrs. D. Burwash and Mrs. J. P. G. Mellers gave brief remarks fitting to the occasion.

The singing of O Canada was led by Mr. Coté, of the French school, while Last Post and Reveille were sounded by Trumpeter Sterling and Drummer Shaw, of the Canadian Grenadier Guards, who appeared with their officer in charge, Lieut. Morgan, in full scarlet dress.

Col. Forbes marshalled the parade, with Lt.-Col. Walter Scott, M.C., acting as director of ceremonies.

The gathering was impressive, and symbolic of the fine spirit of co-operation and bonne entente which exists throughout the district.

Speaker Heard at Lachute, Brownsburg Red Cross Branches

The Lachute and Brownsburg Red Cross branches report most successful meetings with Mrs. G. Bourdrias as guest speaker. Mrs. Bourdrias, with her charming personality and very keen interest in Red Cross work, made the women feel they were not just a member of their own little organization, but made each see how they had helped bring relief in time of disaster to the people of France, Turkey and India and many smaller disasters, also to 85 families who during the past year had needed temporary help.

Mrs. Bourdrias commended both groups on the quality of their work.

A social time followed, during which period many sewing and knitting difficulties were ironed out.

It is hoped all ladies will remember that Red Cross workers are still needed.

Rotary Turkey Bingo This Friday, Nov. 13

Change of Date Due to Auditorium Engagement

Brownsburg Rotary Club committee announces a change of date in its Turkey Bingo — from Saturday, November 14, to Friday, November 13 — due to conflicting engagements. The bingo will be held one day earlier (tomorrow, Friday) at the same place, Lachute Auditorium.

Sydney, N.S. (CP) — Two men from Sydney and Springhill were each fined $25 and costs for hunting on Sunday. The men were charged by RCMP officers after being spotted in the Leicester area.



—Central Press Canadian

Canada's first university school to educate men and women especially for careers in the public service was formally opened by Hon. John W. Pickersgill, secretary of state, at an impressive ceremony in Ottawa. In opening the new graduate School of Public Administration at Carleton college, Mr. Pickersgill predicted it would become an important source of recruits for the government service and declared there has long been a need in Canada for a school where promising young Canadians might discover for themselves some of the secrets of being good public servants before they entered active practice. Seen at right with Mr. Pickersgill is Dr. M. M. MacOdrum, president of Carleton college.

BRITAIN MAKES LARGEST MACHINE TOOL FOR CANADA

London — The largest machine tool ever made in Great Britain, a vertical boring and turning mill, will soon be ready for export to Canada. It will be used in the production of large hydro-electric components. Built at a cost of more than $400,000, the machine has taken two and a half years to design and manufacture. The mill will weigh 650 tons and take up 3,700 square feet of floor space. It will have a working table 41 feet in diameter, and will be capable of turning workpieces 42 feet 6 inches in diameter and 13 feet 6 inches high, weighing up to 100 tons.

The first protective tariffs for the purpose of fostering manufacturing in Canada were introduced in 1859.

Social and Personal

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Cassidy, of Lewistown, Penn., spent a brief visit last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. Campbell.

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Miss Beverly Riggs, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Miss Margaret MacKimmie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark, of Mabel, spent the week-end in Watertown, N.Y.

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Bob Duncan, Lachute High School graduate, left Monday for London, Ont., where he will commence training with the RCAF.

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L.O.B.A. Card Party In Legion Hall

A successful "military whist" was held in the Legion Hall Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the L.O.B.A.

First prize winners were Mrs. Wm. Canning (captain), Mrs. Margaret Gordon, Mrs. Vincent Elliott and Mr. D. J. Bates. The second-place team comprised Mrs. S. Holt (captain), Mrs. J. Robillard, Mrs. G. Campbell and Mrs. R. Copeland.

The novelty prize was won by Robert Doig.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Smith, of Flint, Mich., have been here for the past week owing to the death of the latter's father, the late John Cunningham.

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The Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Spriggs spent a few days in Montreal this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson and daughter, Donna Mary, of Shawinigan Falls, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McMahon's during the week-end. Miss Ruth McMahon also returned home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Pearson, at Shawinigan Falls.

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Christening at Lakefield

The baptism of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson, of Montreal, took place Sunday morning in Holy Trinity Church, Lakefield, the Rev. C. W. P. Baugh officiating. The child was given the names Ross Morgan. The godparents were Miss Jean Mason and Mr. James Dawson, of Montreal. Present at the ceremony were the four generations, the child's grandmother, Mrs. Henry Neill, and great grandmother, Mrs. Fred Fulton, of Lachute. A party was held afterwards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Neill.

Roy Boyd leaves today for Hamilton, Ont., where he will visit friends. On his return, he plans to stop off in Toronto for several days, where he will attend the Royal Winter Fair.

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Mr. Clarence Rodgers left last week for a vacation in Florida. At present he is at Sarasota.

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Attended Funeral

Mr. J. S. Giles, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Giles, were in Huntingdon last week for the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary W. Sellar, widow of Robert Sellar, founder of the Huntingdon Gleaner. . . Mrs. Sellar died at the ripe old age of 93. She is survived by two sons, Adam Sellar, present publisher of The Gleaner, and Watson Sellar, Auditor General of Canada, also a daughter, Mrs. N. W. Sparrow.

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Notice from M.P.

Philippe Valois, M.P., wishes to advise the electorate and friends that he is now situated at 628 Paquin Avenue, Lachute — and with the re-opening of Parliament he will be in attendance at his office on Saturdays only during the legislative session.

Miss Mary Lockhart, R.N., of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Titman. Mrs. J. B. Sewell, of Toronto, was a visitor this week.

Lachute Couple Celebrate Their Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dion of Lachute celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on Wednesday, November 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Dion were married in Lachute by the Rev. M. Menard of Montreal on November 4, 1903. They have resided in Lachute since that time; they have nine children and ten grandchildren.

A reception in their honor was given by their family, last Saturday at their home. The honored couple were presented with a purse of money. They received gifts and many flowers.

Among their children attending from out of town were Mrs. M. Trudeau (Leah) of Montreal, and Kenneth, of St. Sauveur, accompanied by his wife.

Flash-Bulbs, Reporters, as Convent Receives One Of Famed Quintuplets

By Bernard Dufnesne

Quebec, Nov. 10 (CP) — A dark-haired teen-age girl who became famous at birth, has shut herself from the world in a cloister here. She is Marie Dionne, one of the 19-year-old Callander, Ont., quintuplets.

She entered the convent of Les Servantes du Très Saint-Sacrament amid the clatter of camera flash-bulbs and questions of reporters.

At New Thabor convent, Marie will spend her time in prayer and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, community work and the making of priests' altar vestments.

The press was waiting when Marie arrived in a black car to be greeted and receive the kiss of peace from six of 43 nuns living in the convent.

She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Oliva Dionne, three of the four other quints — Yvonne, Annette and Cecile — and two other sisters, Pauline, and Mrs. Maurice Girouard of Waterloo, Que. The fifth quintuplet, Emilie, was not present for the last tearful good-byes.

The Dionnes saw Marie dressed in a postulant's black robe and white veil just before a wooden grill descended, closing her off for a life of prayer.

After her first six months, Marie will become a novice for two years. Then for three years she will take vows of poverty, chastity and obedience. If after that time she wishes to continue in the order, she will take perpetual vows.

Marie and other members of the family declined to answer questions of reporters.

Later, Marie knelt in the chapel for benediction of the Blessed Sacrament while her family drove away in the car. Near the end of the ceremony, a nun led Marie to a "prie-dieu" at the left side of the chapel where the girl prayed.

While nuns sang unaccompanied the Litany of the Virgin Mary, Marie knelt before the altar briefly then disappeared towards the interior of the convent with two other postulants.

25th Wedding Celebration Held at St. Sauveur

St. Sauveur des Monts — On October 24 Miss Joyce Fisher entertained in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Fisher, on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary. Refreshments were served at their residence, followed by a buffet supper at the Pow-Wow Lodge. Approximately 60 guests attended.

Among those from out of town were the Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Baugh, Miss Jean Laurin, of Morin Heights; Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kerwood, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, Mr. R. Murray, Mrs. E. Murray, Miss W. Mace, Miss M. Lebeau (formerly of Montreal, now of Miami), Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Leadbetter and family, and Mr. W. Leadbetter, all of Montreal; the Misses Beverley and Doreen Laurin, of Lachute; Mr. and Mrs. W. Clayton, of Shawbridge; Mr. and Mrs. W. Hiscock and family, of Cornwall, Ont.

Big Ford Motors Depot For Suburban Montreal

Windsor, Ont. — A parts and accessories distribution depot with a floor area of 100,000 square feet will be built on the outskirts of Montreal, next spring, by Ford Motor Co. of Canada, Ltd.

Theodore J. Emmert, executive vice-president, said the depot is made necessary by the rapid growth in the company's business, and intended to serve more than 150 Ford-Monarch and Mercury-Lincoln-Meteor dealers in Quebec and Eastern Ontario.

The depot is to be erected on an 8½-acre site on Cote de Liesse Road, just west of Decarie Blvd., in the Town of Mount Royal. It will be 240 by 413 feet in dimension, of steel construction, with walls of brick and asbestos siding.

Provision is being made for receiving and shipping facilities, offices, and lunch rooms for employees.

It is hoped that clearing and grading of the site will be done this fall, and construction will start in the spring. The building will be finished by next fall. The company expects to employ between 75 and 100 persons at the new depot.

Although the orange tree is supposed to be the only tree with fruit and blooms at the same time, Hildred Stoddard picked apples at Hantsford, N.S., on October 7 which had fruit and blooms at one time.

SHOP AT HOME!
Support the merchants who support your town.

APPRECIATION
(St. Matthew's, Grenville)

We wish to thank all parishioners and others for their contributions and help in making the turkey dinner a success. We only wish that we had had the facilities to serve the second two hundred in the same manner as the first two hundred.

— Rev. P. R. Stote, Rector

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A&P NECTAR TEA BAGS - - pkg. of 50 59¢
ROBIN HOOD WHITE CAKE MIX - - 14-oz. pkg. 29¢
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LARGE, FIRM HEADS GREEN CABBAGE - - - - - - - head 12¢
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Prices effective until Saturday, Nov. 14th
A&P Super Markets

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Want or For Sale advertisements 10 cents per line each insertion. Minimum 50 cents. If billed, 60 cents. If replies are directed to Watchman Office, 25 cents extra.

Deadline, Wednesday, 5 p.m. (Payable in advance)

For Sale

1936 PLYMOUTH sedan, in good condition, new battery. — Phone Lachute 880-J. N12.2p

FOR SALE — several wood ranges at bargain prices. — Phone 4467, Brownsburg. -xc

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UNDERWOOD — typewriter, in excellent condition, $75. — Phone 606-W. -x

DINING ROOM SET — table, 4 chairs and buffet, also studio couch. — Phone 2716, Brownsburg. -1p

FOR SALE — studio couch and drapes. — Phone 1395, Lachute. -1p

FOR SALE — large combination bookcase and writing desk; 12 7-inch stove-pipes, new; pair 6-ft. skiis; pair 5-ft. skiis; pair 4ft. skiis; canning machine, complete. Apply 481 Bedard Blvd., tel. 1019-R Lachute. -1x

FOR SALE — maple cord wood, $6 cord ex premises, cash. — Tel. Lachute 1476. -1p

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DRESSMAKING SHOP — plain and fancy dressmaking; alterations of all kinds. Mrs. A. E. Cook, 633 Robert Street; tel. 1103-J. N12.2p

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Miscellaneous

CHRISTMAS — all year-round. The lasting gift — magazines. Special gift-rates folder available. — Tel. 165, or write P.O. Box 465, J. F. Gorman, Lachute. -x

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EMPLOYMENT — wanted by experienced bookkeeper; correspondence, French and English, knowledge of typewriter. Will also consider part-time work. — Phone 449, Lachute, between 6 and 7 o'clock. -1c

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ROOM AND BOARD — available for one person. — Phone 2575, Brownsburg. N5.2p

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For Rent

4-ROOM APT. — at Ayersville. — Phone 1135, Lachute. -1p

HOUSE to let, Main Street, East Ward. — Apply W. M. Scott; tel. 79. -xc

HOUSE—3-room house to let on Mitchell St. — Phone 43, Lachute. -1p

APT. — 3 rooms, at 525 Meikle St. — Phone 874-J, Lachute. N12.2p

2 APTS. — one 6-room and one 2-room, on College St. — Phone 432-M, Lachute, G. Gunn. N12.2p

HOUSE to let — George St., 3 rooms. — Phone 1135, Lachute. -1p

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Size 66 x 99 ft. Price $2,000.
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$1,200 available now on your property.
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Rotary Club TURKEY BINGO
LACHUTE AUDITORIUM, FRIDAY, NOV. 13, 8 p.m. sharp.
Tickets 50 cents for 10 Bingos
YOUR CHANCE to help this Club maintain its Park and Swimming Pool.
-1c

BAZAAR AND TEA
The Ladies' Aid Society, Lachute United Church, will hold their annual bazaar on Friday, Nov. 20. Novelties, home-cooking. Afternoon tea served.
S17N12.19.3c

LADIES' CURLING CLUB
The Lachute Ladies' Curling Club will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting Monday, Nov. 16, 2 p.m., in the clubroom. -1c

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church, Lachute, will hold their annual Christmas bazaar on Friday, Nov. 13, 3 to 6 p.m. Fancy work, aprons and home-cooking for sale. Afternoon tea will be served. N12.2c

4-H CLUB DANCE
— To be held in the Legion Hall, Lachute, Nov. 27. Music by the Silver String Trio. Adm. 50c. Everyone welcome. N19.2c

MILITARY WHIST
— To be held in the Kilmar Community Hall, Wednesday, Nov. 18, sponsored by the Kilmar J.O.L. Refreshments served. Admission 50c. Please bring your own cards. -1p

TEA & SALE, BROWNSBURG
The Junior Woman's Association of the Brownsburg United Church are holding their annual tea and sale of fancy work, home-cooking and candy, on Saturday, Nov. 14. Tea served from 3 to 5 p.m. -1c

OYSTER AND BEAN SUPPER
— For members and friends of Knights of Columbus Council 2752, Lachute, 7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 17, at the Legion Hall. $2 person, $3 couple. Reservations, tel. 1167-W. -1c

LIONS CLUB TURKEY BINGO
— Saturday, Dec. 12, Lachute Auditorium, commencing 8 p.m. Keep this date in mind, for another pleasant and profitable occasion. N26.3c

L.O.L. COUNTY MEETING
The annual County meeting of the L.O.L. will be held Nov. 21 in the L.O.B.A. hall, Lachute, at 8 p.m. All members are invited to attend. N19.2p

ST. ANDREW'S CONCERT
Keep the date open for the St. Andrew's concert and dance at MacIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Saturday, Nov. 28. -1p

DANCE, GRENVILLE
L.O.L. No. 58 and L.O.B.A. No. 210 are holding a dance in the Grenville High School at 8.30 p.m., Friday, Nov. 27. Music by Mrs. Ed Trineer and boys, and two Air Force pipers. Door prize. — Adm. 50c. N19.2p

Fan-Roar Demotes Ranger Defenceman

SPORTS CAMERA
By Gerry Lougheed, Canadian Press Staff Writer

Victim of some of the toughest sport fans in the world, Allan Stanley has been booed out of the National Hockey League into the minors.

One of hockey's better defencemen, the Timmins, Ont., native has been doing a pretty fair job with New York Rangers this season. But a noisy group of New York fans made conditions intolerable. General manager Frank Boucher bowed to their demands and shipped him off to their Vancouver farm club.

"As far as I'm concerned the big guy hasn't played a bad game for me this season", Boucher said recently when his team visited Toronto. "But the fans are on him all the time. It's brutal."

Stanley got off on the wrong foot with the New York fans from the start, through no fault of his. The Rangers announced in December, 1948, that they had purchased the good-looking, 185-pound rearguard from Providence Reds of the American Hockey League for $70,000.

When Stanley didn't score a goal or two every game the fans figured the Rangers were gypped. Actually that $70,000 tag was a bit of window dressing, perhaps a lure to draw out more New York fans.

The Big Build-Up

That amount of money wasn't handed over to Providence. The Rangers tossed in a few players — valued at their own figures and well above their price tag on an open market — and some cash.

But the Ranger publicity man probably figured $70,000 was a nice round figure that would command attention. And Boucher said after the deal was completed: "He may rank with the great backline men of hockey history. . . He's a natural."

With all that build-up, the New York fans went out looking for a hockey marvel. Instead they found Stanley was no colorful super-star but a quietly efficient performer with a deceptive pace that made him appear slower and less effective than he really was.

This year some of the fans hung banners over the balcony at Madison Square Garden proclaiming "Stanley Must Go". Spectators booed him in pre-game warm-ups.

"It's even got so now they give it to me when I'm not on the ice", he said a few days before he was shunted to Vancouver. "The other night I played only about 30 seconds and I was sitting on the bench and still got it. The team was playing well, too, but they didn't seem to notice that.

"I won't say I didn't notice it. . . Anybody would be bothered by it. It's reached the point where I'm wondering what's the use."

But Stanley says the fans haven't seen the last of him.

"I'm coming back and make those guys eat those boos."

Lachute Girl Guides

The third meeting of the 1st Lachute Girl Guide Company was held in St. Simeon's hall on Tuesday evening.

There are 11 new girls in the company this year, namely, Beverley Evans, Joan Cowan, Muriel Lang, Leilanie Elder, Diane Elder, Carol Parker, Joyce Davis, Betty Underhill, Carolyn Muir, Flora MacDonald, Brenda MacDonald and Carol Tomalty, making a total of 34. The Guides are divided into the following four patrols — the Scarlet Tanager (leader, June Pollock), Bluebird (Joan Dwyer), Oriole (Heather Jones), Blue Jay (Audrey Copeland).

Lost & Found

LOST — Tuesday afternoon on Main Street, Lachute, between the Bank of Nova Scotia and post-office, a sum of money. Finder please phone 1280-J-2. Reward. -1x

FOUND — among pasture cattle, a black and white heifer. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this notice. — Phone 580 or see Hector Charlebois. -1p

Auction Sale

At the home of —
W. COPELAND,
R.R. 3, Lachute,
on Nov. 21, at 1.30 p.m.

Piano, chesterfield set, radio, beds, lamps, piece-goods, women's clothing (some new—coats, slacks, and dresses), children's clothes, household appliances.

Terms, cash.

— Geo. MacKenzie, lic. auctioneer -1p

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LARGE attractive dwelling — 69 Clyde St.; double corner lot 65' x 175'. Spacious living-room with fireplace, dining room, kitchen, sitting room, 5 bedrooms and bathroom. Full cellar with Timken oil heating system. Garage and garden. Very reasonably priced.

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Progressive company. Good chances of advancement for qualified man. (Automobile essential.)
Write BOX 611, LACHUTE, Que., giving age, address, experience, etc.

SPORTS AND JUVENILE ACTIVITIES

Annual Meeting Of Baseball Shareholders

At the annual shareholders' meeting of l'Association de la Jeunesse Sportive, sponsors of the Lachute Tigers (this year's champions of the Laurentian circuit), J. René Laurin was unanimously re-elected president. Others on the directorate are:

Mozart Carriere, 1st vice-president; Dr. J. P. Dorion, M.V., 2nd vice-president; Gérard Lefèbvre, Claude Tessier, Roland Husereau, Raymond Laurin, Romain Beaulne, Paul Jobin, Clarence Ambeau, Fernando Lamarche, Antonio Laurin, directors.

Secretary-treasurer, Paul Jobin.

Administrator, Gérard Lefèbrve.

Recording secretary, Gabriel Valois.

Business manager, Ted Vachon.

Opinion was re-affirmed in favor of the Laurentide League seeking entry into the circle of organized baseball.

Several of the local directors conferred recently with Mr. Simon, Montreal, secretary to Frank Shaughnessy, president of the Professional Baseball Association, and derived much benefit from a general discusison in which the seven clubs of the Laurentide League were all represented.

Shares in l'Association Sportive are available at $100, and all sports-minded citizens are invited to participate. The organization has various projects afoot to swing Lachute into a successful season next year.

The meeting was held in the Laurentian Hotel.

Chantecler Hotel To Have 3-Sheet Curling Rink

Workmen are rushing to completion a three-sheet artificial-ice curling rink on the Chantecler Hills Estate, Ste. Adele, so that the sport of curling may be introduced to the Laurentians during the holiday season. When the rink is completed, The Chantecler will be the first resort hotel in Canada and the United States to offer curling, estimated by authorities to have more participants than any other sport in Canada.

The front section of the new building, of French-Canadian architecture in local field stone, houses the entrance, lounge and lockers. The rink section of steel, cement block and white stucco may be converted into an air-conditioned room within a matter of hours through the installation of an ultra-modern refrigeration and heating system. Competitions will be held each week, with Players' Laurentian International Mixed Bonspiel at the end of the season.

1st Lachute Pack
WOLF CUB NEWS



By "Akela"

The 1st Lachute Wolf Cub Pack met in the High School basement Monday evening with 45 Cubs present.

The "Opening Howl" was given by Cub Rodger Titman, of the White Six, followed by inspection and collection of dues.

A skipping contest was held, in which the White Six were the winners, gaining five points for their Six. (All Cubs must be able to skip as this is one of the tests for their First Star.)

The Cubs who have joined this year were taught how to make the "reef knot".

Bob Giles, Jr., gave the boys a course in semaphore signalling.

The 1st Lachute Pack marched in a body at the Armistice parade held at St. Andrews East last Sunday.

Next meeting will be held Monday night as usual.

Citizenship Badges were presented to 15 Scouts of Sault Ste. Marie recently at a Junior Chamber of Commerce "Citizenship Night". The badges were earned through weeks of intensive instruction in federal and municipal government. Oral examinations for the badge were conducted by two Sault lawyers.

The average Canadian eats 35 candy bars each year.

Lady Golfers Held Closing Meeting

Lachute lady golfers held their closing meeting of the season on Wednesday evening, November 4, with Mrs. A. George Leggett in the chair.

Miss Margaret Scott, president-elect for 1954, and Mrs. Jack Archer gave an interesting report of the C.L.G.U. meeting which they attended in Montreal on October 29 for the Ladies' Branch of the Lachute Golf Club. Members were pleased to learn of the appointment of Mrs. L. Collinge, who is well known to golfers in the district, as National Tournament Manager.

Special mention was made of the long-term service of Mrs. Bert Rigg as treasurer of the Lachute Ladies' Branch; Mrs. Rigg is retiring this season.

A hearty "bon voyage" was expressed by all members to Mrs. Frank Pring, favorite lady of the locker room, who sails for England with her husband on December 8.

Progress in Organizing 'Les Canadiens', Lachute Hockey Team

The "Canadiens" hockey organization is moving along slowly, since the lack of artificial ice will not permit actual hockey for at least another month. The financial end of the venture has been reasonably covered by the sale of advertising in a souvenir program to be sold at the games. Meanwhile several players have accepted the terms of team membership. . .

These terms are very simple. All players to be iced this winter will do so for their love of the game; no player is getting paid. If the crowds are large enough to allow a surplus at the end of the season, that surplus will be equally split between the team and the players. The directorate of the team think it is the best and only way to operate successfully under present circumstances. Brownsburg Bombers operated under that system last year, and were so well satisfied that they are adopting it again this year. All players of Lachute and vicinity who wish to play on these conditions are asked to give their names to Jean-Jacques Dupré at the Sport Shop, Rio Theatre Building. A practice on artificial ice is planned for early December, when the framework of the team will be selected.

Eight new advertisements have been contributed to Les Canadiens hockey program, bringing the total of advertisers to 89 and proceeds of $1,415 subscribed to the team's funds. The additional advertisers are:

Arc Supply Ltd. $30, R. Bourgeois (Brading & Carling) $30, J. L. Belanger (Molson) $20, J. R. Desjardins (Wishing Well) $20, Bedard Ltée $5, Dominion Shuttle Ltd. $30, E. Laurin & Fils $20, Lachute Farm Equipment $10.

Grenville High School News and Activities

By Willis Young

On Friday afternoon, November 6, the school received a visit from Mrs. A. Pattison, who is the District Guide Commissoner for the Laurentian Region. While at the school, Mrs. Pattison enrolled six new Guides, as well as presenting seven proficiency badges. . . She also enrolled 19 Brownies. (There are still two more to be enlisted.) Mrs. Les Cowan, who has assisted in Brownie work, was warranted and presented with a Brown Owl pin for her accomplishments in that field.

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On Friday evening, the basketball players held a practice game with Hawkesbury High. A good game was reported, the score resulting in 31-14 in favor of Grenville. A similar game is being organized this week.

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Keen disappointment was felt when unfavorable weather prevented the trip planned to Ottawa last Saturday. We are hoping, however, to go at a later date, if good weather permits.

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The organizers are encouraged with results of the Poppy sale this year. When all the money was brought in and counted, the total amounted to $55.

Some birds' body temperatures are as high at 110°, says the Reader's Digest. In others, the heart beats normally at the rate of 500 times a minute. A bird inhales air much more deeply than humans do, for its lungs are connected with additional air sacs some of which extend into the bones.

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name, by my wife Blanche Godin, or anyone else, on and after this date, Nov. 2, 1953.

— Gustave Godin,
General Delivery,
Kingston, Ont.
N19.3c

Morin Ski Club Plans Program Of Entertainment

The "Newsletter" of the Morin Heights Ski Club states:

Your Executive feels that a wider program of entertainment for club members and friends is in hand. The new chairman of entertainment, Bill Lightbound, has planned various social activities for the coming season, and this year the competitive and non-competitive skier should have a much fuller program of fun than ever before.

First organized event of the season is planned for January 1, 1954.

The letter briefly reviews the recent annual Turkey Shoot, which was a highly successful affair.

Membership dues in the club are: adults $2, children $1, family $5, club crest 50c.

Officers of the Ski Club this year are: Albert Basler, president; Inky Kneeland, secretary-treasurer (Edith Morrow, assistant); Skoot Morrow, trails; Bill Lightbound, entertainment; Bunny Basler, instructor; Colin Cameron, memberships; Barry Ormston, publicity.

Brownsburg Becomes Hockey Conscious With Colder Weather

By John Molloy

The recent spell of winter must have started most of us thinking about our national sport — hockey. Although our big heroes take the stage in October, the small-town heroes — hockey's life's blood — must wait till Mother Nature says "let's go".

Last week, she flashed the "get set" sign, and the wheels in all the small towns started to turn. In this district a four-team league was formed, the combatants being Brownsburg, Lachute, Hawkesbury and l'Orignal. Each team is scheduled to play three games at home, and three away against each of the others.

Under the new ruling, only covered rinks may participate, so Brownsburg and Hawkesbury will be the venues for all games. All four teams will compete in the play-offs.

In Brownsburg the new club was formed last week, with Bill Brown elected president. Omer Carrière was elected secretary-treasurer, and Noel Racine, coach. Other duties were distributed among Don Todd, Léon Tessier, Charlie Harding and John Molloy.

The most important subjects for debate were the equipment and players. For both of these, help would be appreciated. For equipment, they need money, so if you'd like to be part of the team, a contribution to Omer Carrière would do the trick.

More important even than equipment, is talent. Each team is restricted to its own area. If you live in the Brownsburg area and are eager for a regular game of organized hockey, contact Noel Racine. If you make the team, transportation to Hawkesbury will be provided for away games. If you show any promise, you will be given another chance to make the team.

No practice can be scheduled until we have ice, but prospective players are invited to attend the next meeting of the club on Tuesday, November 17, at Brownsburg Social and Athletic Club.

(Noel Racine may be contacted at 2606, or in office hours at 2301, local 61. Omer Carrière may be contacted at 2301, local 69, during the office hours, or at 4459.)

Passenger: "Is smoking permitted, conductor?"
Conductor: "No".
Passenger: "Well, where did all these cigarette ends come from?"
Conductor: "From people who didn't ask questions."

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Dr. Cherrier Re-elected Baseball President

Dr. Alfred Cherrier of St. Jerome, was re-elected president of the Laurentide Baseball League for a third term, at a league meeting last week.

All other members of the league executive were returned to office with the exception of the first vice-president. The post will be filled next year by Hervé Bedard of Lachine. He succeeds Ulderic Lemay of St. Eustache.

Other executive members who will be back in 1954 are René Laurin, of Lachute, second vice-president; Dick Brayley of Montreal, publicity director; and Ernest St. Onge, of St. Jerome, secretary-treasurer. Camille de Martigny, Q.C., was appointed legal advisor for the league.

The Laurentide League, which hopes to add an eighth team to arrange a balanced schedule, has applied for acceptance into organized baseball with a class "C" rating for next season.

Stade Store Reports Result of "Whopper Fishing Contest"

A six-pound grey trout was top-weight fish entered in the Stade Reg'd "Whopper Fishing Contest" which closed recently. The fish, 26 inches long and 15 inches in girth, was caught in Otter Lake by Edgar Monette, of St. Andrews East, who also placed second in this section of the contest. His second "grey", 4 lbs. 11 ozs., was 24 inches long and 12 inches in girth. Both were caught casting in Otter Lake, Huberdeau.

A. Beaven, of Calumet, took top honors in the Red Trout competition with a two-pound fish that measured 16 inches in length and 10 inches in girth, caught in Grenville Lake. Second place went to Syd Drew, of Lachute, who turned in a 1 lb. 13 oz. "red", 17 inches in length and 9 inches in girth. Both reds were caught by various casting techniques.

A 3 lb. 6 oz. bass measuring 16 inches in length and 17 inches in girth, also caught by Syd Drew while casting, was the largest in this competition. Second prize went to Ken Graham, also of Lachute, whose fish was exactly one pound lighter. No measurements are given for the latter fish, which was caught in Lake Louisa.

A similar competition is planned next year by Stade Reg'd, sporting goods store on Main Street.

Curling Club Reopens With Large Attendance

A social evening at Lachute Curling Club started the season's activities on Tuesday evening, and some 200 members and guests were present to enjoy a buffet supper in which the ladies, as usual, excelled.

During the summer months extensive changes have been made to the clubrooms, which now rank among the best to be found anywhere.

Mr. R. Cairns, the president, extended a hearty welcome to all and expressed his appreciation of the splendid turnout, with special thanks to Mr. Jas. MacKimmie for his arduous work in preparation of the ice, and to the ladies for the excellent meal.

During next week the First Bonspiel will be on and you are invited to attend. Meals will be served by the ladies, as on previous 'spiels.

A social evening was spent in cards and dancing, with everything pointing to a most successful year.

4-H Club Meeting

A meeting of the Lachute 4-H Club was held in the Science lecture room of Lachute High School last Friday evening with Vice-President Joan Oswald in the chair. Plans were made to hold a dance later this month.

Alex Bothwell, Agronomist, gave a short talk on the project he had planned for this season's work, which included the judging of potatoes and grains.

Films which proved both interesting and educational were shown by the club leader, Ross Oswald.

LATE BERRIES

Peterborough, Ont. (CP) — Mrs. Ward Boyce was picking strawberries in her garden here in the last few days of October.

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"SILVER NIGHT"
Every Thursday night the new management of the Rio will buy your special ticket, for the sum inscribed on the disc you have selected. (Special payment if you select the disc with the star.)
This Week, $290

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Jean Simmons, Stewart Granger
YOUNG BESS
Technicolor
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HALF A HERO

Every weekday 7.15 to 11.30 p.m.
Continuous performance every Sunday from 2 p.m. to 11.30 p.m.
Chaque jour de la semaine de 7.15 hres. à 11.30 hres. p.m.
Programme continuel le dimanche de 2 hres. à 11.30 hres. p.m.

SHOWS AND ENTERTAINMENT

"High Powder" — New Top-Notch Ski Film

With the approach of the winter season, ski clubs across the country are laying plans for their forthcoming activities. Races, competitions, excursions and social outings are now being decided upon so that these may be put under way as soon as snow and weather conditions permit.

An excellent film for pre-season screeing before such organizations is our "High Powder", in sound and color. Having distinct audience appeal to beginner and expert alike, this motion picture was made in the Banff and Lake Louise regions of the Canadian Rockies with the co-operation of the General Tourist Department. While designed primarily to show the first-rate facilities and opportunities available to the winter visitor, this movie also emphasizes the fact that the Canadian Rockies is one of the finest areas in North America for skiers of all standards of proficiency.

Clubs desiring film for local screeing, should apply to the CPR General Pasesnger Agent, Montreal. A 16 mm. sound projector and the services of a qualified operator are essential.

Montreal Violinist Wins Medal in London

London— Montreal-born violinist Arthur Davidson, 30, was presented with the Canada Medal by Princess Marie Louise at the final concert of the annual Festival of Commonwealth Youth sponsored by the Over-seas League in London on October 30th. (Premier award of the Festival, the Forres Medal, went to Mr. Davidson's accompanist, Geoffrey Parsons, from Australia). Mr. Davison studied under Camille Couture and was a pupil of Issaye and of Maurice Ouderot, winning numerous scholarships and awards, and eventually becoming concert-master of the Montreal Concerts Symphoniques des Jeunes. The Canadian Scholarship of the Associated Board of Royal Schools of Music enabled him to go to London to study at the Royal Academy of Music. At the moment he plays in the Philharmonia Orchestra, often considered the best in Britain, and in various chamber music ensembles. As a hobby, he is assistant conductor and leader of the Essex Symphony Orchestra and conductor of the Marylebone Youth Symphony Orchestra, now one of the best of its kind in Britain.

The Asylum Superintendent saw an inmate writing a letter.

"Who are you writing to?" he asked.

"I'm writing to myself", came the reply.

"And what are you writing to yourself?" he queried.

"How the deuce should I know", shouted the inmate. "I won't get this letter till tomorrow."

Rawhide Show Direct from Yukon

Radio station CFWH at Whitehorse in the Yukon Territory will play host next week to Rawhide, his boys and his listeners. Rawhide's three programs, at 6.35 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, will be the first ever to be sent direct and "live" from CFWH to the CBC Trans-Canada network.

Whitehorse lies far from the path of network operations and there are no regular network lines connecting it with Edmonton. The programs will reach the network by telephone circuits, and listeners may detect something of a "party line" atmosphere.

Radio Week in Whitehorse is an annual affair and it is for this occasion that the CBC announcer is making the trip. Each year at this time everyone within the signal area rallies round the station to celebrate. And CFWH belongs to its listeners perhaps in a more intimate way than many other stations do. It is staffed by volunteers and its operating expenses are covered by funds raised during Radio Week.

The transmitter belongs to the Department of National Defence and is one of a number which have been set up at far northern outposts where there is a military establishment. CFWH prepares its own program schedules and uses the CBC Transcription Service for its basic stock of recorded entertainment. The CBC supplements this service with a daily shipment of six hours of tape-recorded programs, prepared by the CBC's Troops Boradcast Service. Tapes are made in Montreal and Winnipeg and flown by RCAF Transport Command to 11 Canadian and overseas stations, including station CFWH.

The Whitehorse station serves its 8,000 listeners for 14 hours a day. For trappers and prospectors it provides the only form of entertainment (and even of contact with the outside world) during a good part of the year.

Large Audience Sees Coronation Pictures and Canadian Travel Film

Walter L. Payne Apt Commentator on Canadian Progress

St. Simeon's Parish Hall was filled to capacity last Thursday evening for a motion picture program presented by Walter L. Payne, of St. Andrews East, under auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Chief attraction was the official technicolor film, "A Queen is Crowned", depicting the Coronation of Elizabeth II. The audience, however, fully appreciated the second item on the program, "Canadian Pattern", a comprehensive picture in color, of life, scenery and industry in Canada's 10 provinces.

Mr. Payne explained that the films, projector and projectionist were provided by courtesy of the Canadian Pacific Railway Department of Public Relations. He remarked that Saturday, November 7, would be the 68th anniversary of driving the last spike on the completion of Canada's first transcontinental railway, and since that time the C.P.R. had spent large sums annually in publicizing Canada throughout the world. "Canadian Pattern" is the latest of a series of across-Canada films which this company has produced over the past 50 years, said Mr. Payne. He recalled that the first film of the series — a black and white, silent film — was entitled "A Honeymoon Trip through Canada" and was projected on a machine which had to be cranked by hand.

Referring to the astonishing development in Canada over the last two decades, the speaker said that the traveller today sees much evidence of that development. Communities have sprung up in locations that once appeared devoid of any industrial resources whatever; the one time "bald-headed" prairie seems to have vanished, now farm houses nestle snugly amid tall trees and well-trimmed hedges, while groves of trees dot the skyline. Many western towns and cities have doubled their population. Outstanding in this is Calgary, which has felt the benefit of the new oil fields to the North. Oil companies, finance companies and banks have erected new office blocks and branches. In the past eight months of 1953 expenditures for new construction, alterations and repairs in business sections totalled $31,000,000, as compared with $24,000,000 in 1952. There was also an increase in family dwelling construction, from $13,000,000 in 1952 to $15,000,000 in 1953. Population increased from 75,000 in 1929 to approximately 150,000 in 1953.

Progress is apparent in many other ways, such as scrapping of street cars in favor of trolley-buses, new residential districts, new churches, libraries, theatres and stores.

Referring briefly to the tourist traffic, Mr. Payne mentioned Banff as the greatest mecca for tourists from all over the American Continent, situated at the eastern side of Banff National Park, this little town has modernized its business section to cope with the ever-increasing number of visitors from all classes of society, yet has preserved the picturesqueness of its marvellous mountain setting.

In concluding, Mr. Payne remarked that he was anticipating a capacity audience on Friday evening in the school auditorium, at St. Andrews East, where he found that French-speaking Canadians were just as keen on seeing the Coronation film and more of Canada in "Canadian Pattern", as their English-speaking neighbors.

The speaker was introduced and thanked by the Rev. C. R. Lang, rector of St. Simeon's.

Little Symphony



The Little Symphony Orchestra of Montreal, with its permanent conductor Roland Leduc, was organized by the CBC French network, and the concerts were so warmly received in Quebec that that they were soon carried to the rest of Canada. The success of these Sunday-evening broadcasts has been due partly to the orchestra's initial policy of tracing the development of modern symphonic music from its origin in the seventeenth century. Leduc's reputation has been established largely through the Little Symphony; before doing this he was first 'cellist with Les Concerts Symphoniques de Montréal. Today he is regarded as one of Canada's foremost conductors.

GOOD RUNS

Nelson, B.C. (CP) — A better-than-average run of redfish was reported in October in the streams emptying into Kootenay Lake.

Lady: "What's your cat's name, little boy?"
Boy: "Ben Hur".
Lady: "That's a funny name for a cat. How did you happen to pick such a name for it?"
Boy: "Well, we just called him Ben until he had kittens."

Teacher: "If your mother has a package delivered C.O.D., what do the initials mean?"
Bright boy: "Call On Daddy".

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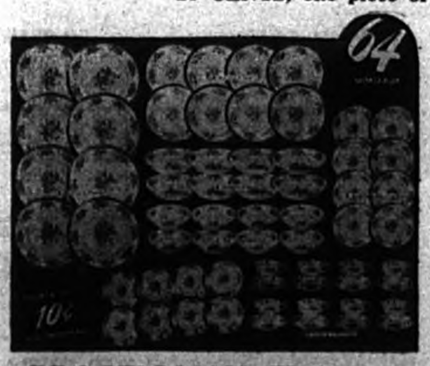
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By MARGUERITE

At Home

An Armistice Day thought. . . Once a year we pay our tribute to those brave and noble boys who did not remain to grow old "as we who are left grow old". It seems so little to do. And yet we know that in our hearts we honor them constantly.

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We came across a clever gift idea this week. This one is for grandparents, and is practically guaranteed to please. All you have to buy is a small-sized photograph album. The front of the album may be inscribed "My Grandchildren". In it you paste pictures of the children from birth to the present, or in any arrangement which is suitable. You will get plenty of ideas when you start. Captions under the pictures will make it more interesting. Any doting grandparents (and aren't they all?) will be thrilled with it. Such a perfect way to show off those incomparable grandchildren.

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Here is the next in the series of quick and easy main-dish recipes which we promised last week. A slip of the typewriter almost made that "man-dish" — which is true of this one.

Mexican-Style Steak — Mix 1 teaspoon of Chili powder, ½ teaspoon of salt and ⅛ cup of flour. Pound this mixture into one pound of round steak. Fry one chopped onion and one clove of garlic (minced) until tender. Add the steak and brown on both sides. Add 1 cup of tomatoes and simmer, covered, until the steak is tender. Remove the steak and use the remaining mixture to make delicious gravy.

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Around the Town

Sad story. . . There is a certain five-year-old in town who is quite expecting to be fatherless within the near future. Having learned to count, she was very interested in her father's exact age when he celebrated his birthday recently. After counting up to thirty-six several times, she solemnly decided that anyone who had lived for THAT many years, could not hope to live more than a few months longer.

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Speaking of fathers, one of our local ones has a favorite quotation. His wife says that he can be heard muttering it after his third trip to the children's rooms at night, carrying glasses of water. "Nothing makes a child thirstier than going to bed".

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Sidewalk supervisors. . . Did you ever realize how many Lachute ladies are keenly intersted in construction? We have seen any number of them lined up watching the progress of the new Post Office building. Of course, the fact that they have a fascinated child or two with them, may have something to do with it. In fact, we strongly suspect that it has, as we watch "mom" trying to get the children to leave the scene and proceed on down the street.

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The last word. . . Our children are just at that "difficult age" — from one to twenty-one.

See you next week.

HOSTESS TO QUEEN ON AUSTRALIA TOUR



—Central Press Canadian

Air hostess to Queen Elizabeth during her 1954 tour of Australia will be Sister Gay Bury, nurse of the Royal Australian Air Force. She will attend to the personal needs of the queen throughout the trip.

Housewife's Special, Playroom Clean-Up

Comes that annual opportunity for mothers of growing children — to round up the outgrown toys and games their families no longer need, and hand them over to the Scouts' Christmas Toy Shop.

This "annual good turn" is getting under way — the collecting, painting and renovating of toys to provide cheer for less-privileged children in Lachute and suburban areas, when Christmas comes around.

If you have anything to contribute to this effort by the Lachute Boy Scouts, please contact Scoutmaster Basil Riddell (1013-M) or Asst. Scoutmaster Fred Stansfield (37-J), at the earliest date.

Fashions



The wool dress has taken over with the advent of wools that are supple, light, and tissue-thin. Sheer wool in a rich chocolate brown is used in a very wearable daytime dress. It is well molded to the figure, with a waistline that is beltless yet nicely defined. Flapped pockets at the hips and bodice are slanted and form the background for jeweled buttons.

W.I. Program Manual Shows Courses Available

A revised Program Manual of services offered by the Quebec Women's Institutes has just been released. Not much change has been made in existing courses, with the exception of more fixed rules relating to registration and attendance. Greater stress is also laid on the thought that the courses are to be considered a community service, made possible to all women through the local Institute.

A five-day course in clothing and textiles has been continued and two courses of two days each in Foods and Nutrition. These are under the supervision of Miss Elizabeth Campbell, who introduced the classes in Painting, which are growing in popular appeal to an amazing degree in all sections of the province.

A course in Hat Remodelling has been added to the craft section but will not be available until the fall of 1954, when the Handicraft Technician, Miss Ida Bruneau, will be returning from her year's leave of absence. Miss Bruneau, who is serving with the Red Cross Corps in Japan, is finding it an exciting and stimulating experience, and her letters paint a vivid word picture of her life and work in that country. Miss Nellie Hazel, of Assiniboia, Sask., a graduate of the Handicraft Department, Macdonald College, is carrying on her work for the Q.W.I. during this interim period.

Kelowna Students "Run" Civic Jobs

Kelowna, B.C. (CP) — High school students in Kelowna have been given a first-hand view of civic and business problems in this Okanagan valley centre.

Sixty-two carefully-screened students "ran" the city for several hours recently under a Rotary Club Administration Day program. It proved so successful the club plans to make it an annual event.

The students started the day by attending a city council meeting. They had no voting power, but took part in discussions of civic problems.

Four students assisted in editing the bi-weekly Kelowna Courier, others took over some broadcasting duties at radio station CKOV. Still other students were placed in various business offices and assigned administrative tasks during the day, while a few spent a day at the firehall, helping the regular firemen polish brass and clean up the hall. The students on duty at the firehall also piled into the truck and accompanied firemen when a call came in for a chimney fire.

L. A. N. Potterton, Rotary committee chairman in charge of the program, described the experiment as an "outstanding success". He said the club planned to make it an annual event.

The unique plan was designed primarily to assist senior students in choosing a profession when they enter the business world.

Harris Tweed Gift For Tongan Queen

Stornoway, Scotland (CP) — As a gesture of goodwill from the Hebrides to the Friendly Islands of the South Pacific, a length of ice-blue Harris tweed has been woven for Queen Salote of Tonga.

While touring Scotland during her visit to Britain for the Coronation Queen Salote expressed her admiration for Harris tweed and a skilled weaver here was asked to start work on a length.

The weaver, who has had her name put on the label of the Queen's tweed, is Mrs. Christina Nicholson. It was woven on her domestic loom. She was chosen by Mackenzie Tweed Mills Limited, of Stornoway, because of her long association with the firm.

Now 48 years old, she started in the mill when she was 17 and was responsible for teaching the original weaving staff — some 30 crofters' daughters selected from villages throughout the island of Harris.

Judge Blames Parents For Children's Actions



—Central Press Canadian

In jammed courtroom at Chatham, Ont., Magistrate Ivan Craig, seen above, lashed out against "lack of parental guidance" which led to 29 youths, three juvenile girls and one juvenile boy appearing before him on 44 charges under the criminal code. Only three parents were on hand in court with their children, who were charged after a two-day teen-age spree in a farmhouse in nearby Tupperville. Their acts included vandalism, thefts and juvenile delinquency. The three girls were charged with incorrigibility. The magistrate declared he was astounded to see the young people alone in the courtroom and he warned that the parents will wish they had been present before all the cases are dealt with.

Widens Knowledge On Canadian Trip

"Advisor" to Irish Emigrants Sees Country for First Time

Montreal (CP) — For seven years Mrs. S. H. Aickin of Londonderry, Northern Ireland, has given hundreds of Irish men and women advice on Canadian life. This month she saw Canada for the first time herself.

The genial English-born widow learned all she knew about North America through the pages of travel folders and immigration pamphlets — she is owner of a busy travel agency in the Irish city.

Every year, since she went into business with her husband at the end of the Second World War, Mrs. Aickin has helped 250 Irish emigrants find a new life in Canada. With the aid of Canadian immigration authorities and transatlantic shipping companies she briefed them on what to expect wherever they decided to settle.

"But we never gave anyone a rose-tinted picture of life here", she said". People are well informed on the situation here but, if anything, the information is a little on the cautious side. They get the minimum wage scales and they are told about the housing difficulties in Canada."

When Mrs. Aickin decided to visit Canada on a "combined pleasure and business trip" she didn't miss the chance to look up some of her former clients.

In Montreal and Toronto she found 10 of them, "all doing very well".

Mrs. Aickin, who has lived in France and knows Europe well, thinks North America is "tops" as a place to live. But its too far for most Irish people to take a holiday.

Few people could afford the cost of a trip until travel expenses drop. Until then they have to be content with nearby Britain and the continent of Europe.

Wife Preservers



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FOR PARENTS ONLY...

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training

THOSE FIRST TEETH

— By NANCY CLEAVER — (Copyright)

"Fluorine in the water as an added protection for children's teeth seems to be a good idea — but what worries me is how slow my baby is getting his chewing-machine!" a new mother said anxiously. "If he is a year and is still toothless, ask your doctor about it. But in the meantime you are giving him the best of care and a variety of the right sort of food, so don't fuss!" her friend advised, "Tommy had his six front teeth for his first birthday, while Janie had only two teeth at a year. There's no one time schedule for first teeth for every child."

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This mother was quite right in pointing out that children vary greatly in their 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 teeth until towards the end of their first year. There is no relation between a child's "I.Q." 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 fortunate whose baby follows this pattern! So is the baby!

Other babies suffer a good deal of pain getting the first set of 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.

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 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 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.

Mother will have a constant occupation if she tries to keep things out of 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 fruit 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 fretful time for baby, but the healthy child should get through this period without too much trouble. Rubbing baby's gums is sometimes soothing. Don't be afraid of spoiling him by picking him up and holding him if he is miserable!

A baby's teeth are among his most precious possessions. Give him the best of care when he is teething. Once he gets his baby teeth, look after them well so that he will be ready for a fine set of permanent teeth.

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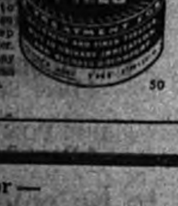
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DANGEROUS PRANK

Halifax (CP) — The surburban Fairview ratepayers' association voted to petition for a by-law banning sale of fireworks. Householders complained children were putting lighted firecrackers into the front-door letter slots.

HOSPITAL INDUSTRY

Winnipeg (CP) — The executive director of the Canadian Hospital Association says hospitals are one of Canada's biggest industries. Dr. A. L. Swanson said the industry here compares to that in the United States where it is the country's fifth largest.

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Avoca

Miss Joyce Bates, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore, the former a Baptist student here, vitited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs and Mrs. James Arthurs recently.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arthurs' over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Arthurs and infant daughter, of Niagara Falls, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burwash and children, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Andrews, and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Young, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Provencal on Sunday.

Mr. James Bates and sons, of Lachute, visited his brother, Hugh and Mrs. Bates, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Bates and Mrs. Thos. J. Young, of Montreal, spent the week-end in Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Truhine and family, of Montreal, visited the latter's sister during the week-end.

A number from here attended the turkey supper held by the ladies of St. Matthew's Guild, Grenville, on Saturday evening; all reported an enjoyable occasion.

The Rev. A. Penman would like to remind members of the Church of St. Andrew, and friends, that Sunday service will continue in the morning, at 10.30.

Messrs. John and Tom Provencal and Leo Lamarche visited at their home during the week-end.

Cushing

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dougall, of Cote St. Luc, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Graham on Sunday. Miss Elsie Graham, who had spent the week-end with her parents, returned to Montreal with them.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. McGain, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their summer home here, having Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown as guests.

Mrs. A. Graham and Mrs. W. H. Canning visited friends in Lachute on Monday.

Mr. C. Edgerton gave an interesting address here on Meats — choosing the different cuts, the time of cooking, and how to tell the different grades. A large number of the members of Frontier W.I. were present on Tuesday evening to enjoy this talk, also to give their pet household hints as a roll-call.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. H. Gardiner and son, Manly, of Brownsburg, also to Mrs. J. Reid and the brothers and sisters of the deceased Mrs. Gardiner, formerly Sarah Donaldson, of Chatboro.

Sympathy is expressed also to the relatives of Mrs. H. A. O'Brien, who passed away recently — many of whom are residents of this community. Funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Wilson Bridge, in Lachute United Church on Monday, November 2. Mr. J. S. Giles, as soloist, sang "No Night There".

Mr. J. Phillips and son, John, were at their cottage on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Heatlie, of Ogdensburg, on Sunday.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Wednesday afternoon, November 18, at the home of Mrs. Archie Graham.

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Weir

Mrs. P. Dubeau spent the week-end visiting friends in Knowlton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell and family, of St. Eustache, were recent guests at Mr. and Mrs. Harold Craig's.

Miss Nora Marion was home from Montreal to spend the week-end here.

Mr. Richard Kirby, of Ottawa, spent a few days recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mrs. Chas. Mountain, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Mountain, are spending the present fortnight at their cottage here; they had as guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mountain and Mr. B. Dyer, of Montreal, also Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Christianson and daughters, Cheryl and Joan, and son Stuart, of Uplands, Ont.

Recent guests at Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams' included Miss T. Hussey, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Williams, and Mr. Victor Williams, all of Montreal.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Owen on Thursday evening, with an attendance of eight members. The Rev. and Mrs. P. Busing were present, and it was with regret that the gathering heard from Mr. and Mrs. Busing that they will be leaving Weir very shortly.

Sgt. Carl Craig left on Thursday for Petawawa, where he expects to spend the next few months.

Messrs. Thos. Owen, of Lachine, Jas. Owen, of Beaurepaire, and Geo. Owen, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, due to the illness of their mother, Mrs. R. B. Owen.

Mr. Donald Morrison returned home recently from the West, where he spent some time in different parts of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bowie, with their daughter Carole, accompanied by Master John Craig, of Valois, visited "Santa Claus Village" at Val David recently.

St. Andrews East

Miss B. Hadrill left last Friday to attend the marriage of her nephew, which took place on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sheppard, of Toronto, spent last Sunday with Mrs. Jas. Burwash.

Mrs. Jackson, of Franklin Centre, Que., is staying with Miss Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Entwistle returned home Monday from a trip to Washington, D.C., Atlantic City and other eastern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Howell spent the week-end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Davidson and family, of Lachine, Que., were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hall.

Mrs. Jas. Burwash is spending this week in Montreal with Miss Walsh.

Reception Held

The members of Christ Church held a reception last Friday evening at the home of Mrs. I. N. Draper, in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Spriggs.

Mr. Dawson Burwash presented them with a purse of money, to which Mr. Spriggs suitably replied.

Mr. Walter Payne showed color pictures of St. Andrews East. Refreshments were served by the ladies, and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

Morin Heights

The Guild of Trinity Church held their November meeting in the Red Cross room last Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. F. T. Watchorn as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Bonsar and family, of Montreal, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Vine, on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bell, of Verdun, who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Bell.

The Morin Heights fire brigade held their 6th annual dinner at the Bellevue Hotel on Thursday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. Horace Baugh were in Lachute on Thursday attending the funeral of the latter's uncle, the late John Cunningham, whose death occurred on Monday of last week.

Messrs. W. R. and Graeme Bell spent the week-end with their family. Miss Barbara Anderson was also a week-end guest at the Bell home.

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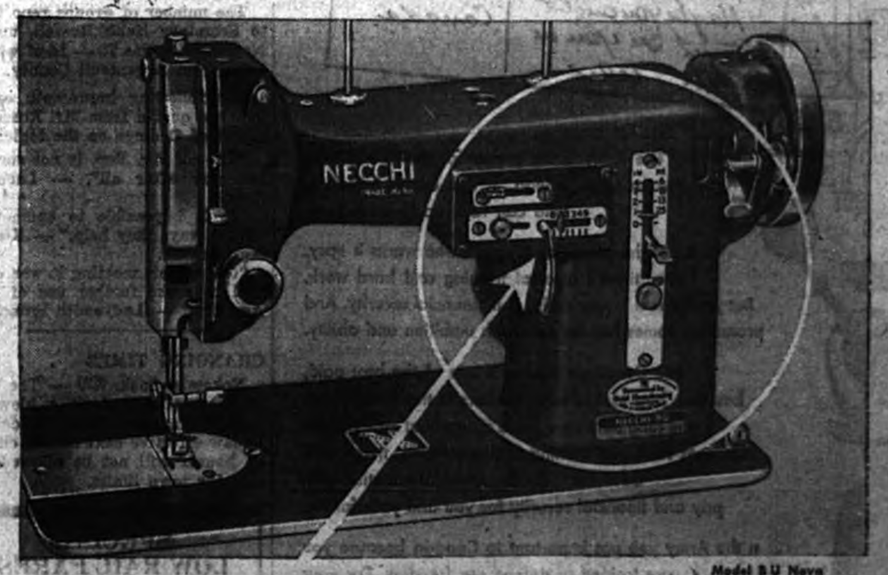
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Mrs. Smith (who has misread the clinical thermometer): "Oh, doctor, come at once, my husband's temperature is 120 degrees."

Doctor: "My dear lady, you had better call the fire department."

Public Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 25th day of November, 1953, at 10 o'clock a.m., Walter Kelly will apply to one of the Judges of the Superior Court of the District of Terrebonne at St. Jerome for the obtention of a judgment in recognition of absolute title of ownership based on the possession of ten years with title and good faith, concerning the whole lot, number twenty-seven-B (27-B) in the sixth range of the Township of Grenville, County of Argenteuil.

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Principal's Report At Brownsburg School Opening

Expresses Wholehearted Approval of Local Home-School Association

Extracts from Principal King Amos' report at the Brownsburg school opening ceremonies, covered by our correspondent in last week's issue, are given hereunder:

Attendance

"Our attendance this year is at present 298 — a decrease from this time last year but an increase over the June figure. All grades are quite large. This year's Grade 10, with 18, is twice as large as last year's. There are 69 pupils in the High School grades.

Subjects

"A word about subjects in the High School grades: Last year in Grades 8 and 9, students had the option of taking General Science or Agriculture. This year there is no such option. Last year Grade 10 had Geography as an optional subject, but the inspector felt that we were attempting too much by offering this course. Therefore we have dropped the Geography in Grade 10. As matters stand now, Grade 10 have one option when they take the full course consisting of 10 subjects.

Music

"We are attempting to carry on the regular music course in the Elementary grades as well as a Junior Choir and Glee Club. There is the usual interest and enthusiasm in the singing, but interest in instrumental music seems to be lagging. All instrumental music is carried on after school hours.

Teachers

"This year we have only one new member on the staff. Having almost the whole staff intact from the previous year cuts the problem of administration to a minimum. I feel this year that our school got underway more smoothly and faster than in other years. But there is something I wish to add here: I feel very strongly that we have an excellent staff of teachers. They are conscientious, efficient and co-operative. I have complete confidence in their ability to carry out the jobs assigned to them.

"Open House"

"I now wish to supplement the invitation of the Home and School regarding its meeting of Wednesday, November 18, with an invitation from the teachers and myself to attend that meeting. The main feature is the "open house". This means that most of the evening will be given over to conferences between teachers and parents. The teachers will be in their classrooms and will be ready to give parents information regarding their children's progress and perhaps make suggestions.

"It is important that parents realize how their children are getting along. Christmas Examinations will begin only a few weeks after that meeting, and results may be improved when teachers and parents pool their efforts.

"I have long had the feeling that teachers and parents often did not unite their efforts to any great degree in this business of child education, and that misunderstandings arose because one side did not understand the actions of the other or appreciate the efforts put forth by the other. Therefore I have strongly encouraged the formation of a Home and School Association in Brownsburg and have been very anxious to co-operate to the fullest extent. However, up to the present time, most parents have not been willing to join the Association. There are approximately 175 families represented in this school. Last year possibly 40 of those families became members of Home and School. The remainder of the memberships came from families or individuals who have no children at school. These people have made a valuable contribution — and I am sure many of them are wondering why so few parents show interest. I am told that a number are sympathetic but refuse to become involved even to the extent of attending meetings. I wonder why. Let me ask this question: What is more important to you than the education of your children?

"At a meeting at the Teachers' Convention, a Toronto school principal said that 90% and more parents attended Home and School meetings in his area. Many major issues regarding the school are decided at meetings, and matters of great importance to parents and pupils are transacted there."

Argent'l County Opinions on Agronome Service

From Reports on Recent Farm Forums Topic

The Mabel and Brownsburg Road Farm Forums, reporting on the November 2 topic, "The Ag. Rep. and the Farmer", say that the Agronome's office in Lachute should be moved back to Main Street, and should be on the ground floor. They feel its present location is inconvenient to the farmers, with the result that the Agronome's services are not being fully used.

The Forums which reported, say that their Agronome has been of great help to them in buying and selling breeding-stock, in obtaining rebates for purchases of lime, stock, and for bulldozer work. They point out that he is a useful source of advice, and has been of great assistance to 4-H Clubs and Fairs in the County.

They feel, however, that they need still more help from the Agronome, and suggest that by inviting him out to their Farm Forum meetings, he may come in closer contact with the farmers and their problems.

The group in Arundel say that government rebates on bulldozing are so slow no one will do any bulldozing on this basis.

The number of groups reporting to Secretary Keith Russell, up to November 7, was 76 — 14 of which were from Argenteuil County.

The following impromptu opinions are quoted from Mr. Russell's report of findings on the topic:

"The old Ag. Rep. is not such a bad guy after all". — Lachute Road.

"It is impossible to enumerate all the ways they help." — Kingscroft branch.

"Out of this meeting it was decided to make further use of our Ag. Rep." — Ladysmith branch.

CHANGING TIMES

Nokomis, Sask. (CP) — The tide of progress has dealt a blow to chicken fanciers here. Under a by-law effective next Jan. 1, chicken houses will not be allowed inside the town limits.

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THOUGHTS AND DEEDS

By M. V. Trayers

Epitaphs

There was a door to which I found no Key;
There was a Veil past which I could not see:
Some little talk awhile of Me and Thee
There seemed — and then no more of Thee and Me.

In some of the Old Country churchyards in England, browsing among the tombstones can be a rewarding experience. It has its saddening effect too, for as we read the epitaphs we wonder if the promise of life was fulfilled, or if it was shadowed by the mistakes of over-anxious youth or the experience of sorrow. We also wonder what the destined end of him who lies buried reflected on the mirror of youthful aspirations and ambitions. In introspect we travel along the pathway of life we ourselves have followed up to date, and most likely find the reality so very different from the hopes we cherished in our childhood.

The Moving Finger writes; and having writ,
Moves on: nor all thy Piety nor Wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a Line,
Nor all thy Tears wash out a word of it.

If we come upon the resting place of a friend and read the simple inscription which marks it, we see not the crumbling dust beneath our feet but the vital form associated with memories of the past. This thought has been well described by Moore: "I feel like one who treads alone some banquet hall deserted, Whose guests have fled, whose garlands dead and all but he departed. Well I remember all the frineds so linked together, I've seen around me fall, like leaves in stormy weather."

But what of those who reached out beyond the grave to tell us of themselves, or their desires, in perpetuation of their memory. Of the cowboy who longs to be buried "out in the lone prairie, where the coyotes howl and the wind blows free." Mark Twain left no record for future generations to read over his resting-place, but for his wife he had "Green sod above lie light, lie light — Good night, dear heart, good night, good night." Alexander the Great, who stood on the pinnacle of power to mourn the loss of other worlds to conquer, has now to be content with the simple epitaph, "A tomb now suffices him for whom the whole world was not sufficient." But on the monument of Sir Christopher Wren in St. Paul's, London, whose architectural genius is the wonder of the age, is the appropriate inscritpion, "If you would see his monument, look around". On the headstone of the gentle Keats one not so appropriate: "Here lies one whose name was writ in water."

Printers, newsmen and editors who spend their life eulogizing the deeds of others and recording their triumphs for posterity, receive very little recognition themselves. Benjamin Franklin was an exception in this, as he was in many other things, for he prepared for his tombstone: "The body of Benjamin Franklin, Printer, (like the cover of an old book, its contents torn out and stripped of its lettering and gilding), Lies here, food for worms; But the work shall not be lost, for it will (as he believed) appear once more in a new and more elegant edition, revised and corrected by the Author."

I could go on to quote many other epitaphs, some wise, some gay, some long, some short, like the self-conceived one by Dorothy Parker, "Excuse my dust". But the last we shall consider at this offering is one which has not yet been written. Why? Let me quote the reason in the deceased's own words: "I have but one request to ask at my departure from this world, it is — the charity of its silence. Let no man write my epitaph; for as no man who knows my motives dare now vindicate them, let not prejudice or ignorance asperse them. Let them and me rest in obscurity and peace; and my tomb remain uninscribed, and my memory in oblivion, until other times and other men can do justice to my character. When my country takes her place among the free nations of the earth, then and not till then, let my epitaph be written." — Robert Emmet in his speech from the dock, 1803.



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Council Favors $15,000 for New Fire Equipment

Including New Pumper Truck of Capacity 500 Gallons A minute, and Additional Hose

Three-Ton Tractor and Equipment Also Debated

Fifteen thousand dollars worth of new firefighting equipment will be acquired for Lachute Town in 1954, if Council plans are followed through. An enquiry is to be submitted to the Provincial Fire Commissioner through W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., as to exactly what grant the department would make in the event of Lachute spending this amount on the much-needed apparatus.

The equipment — which will include a new fire truck with a pumping capacity of 500 gallons per minute, 1,500 feet of new hose, five complete new uniforms, and five salvage covers for placing over merchandise, furniture, etc., to minimize water damage — was requested by Fire Chief Geo. Y. Deacon.

"If we receive a 50 per-cent grant from the Provincial Government, we will be in a position to guarantee St. Jerusalem and Ayersville the best possible fire equipment available at the same cost as they are now paying for the services of our auxiliary truck," Mayor Lafleur said during the discussion. "It will be better protection for everyone."

The adjourned meeting was held in the Auditorium on Tuesday evening. All members of the Council were present with the exception of Ald. W. S. MacKimmie and Ald. R. Morrissette. Business tabled from the previous meeting was dealt with.

Further discussion on the town insurance was heard, and it was decided to allow Rodrigue Labonté in on the pool which is handled by Deslauriers & Rozon Inc. These agents handle all the insurance of civic property, effects, liability, etc., and apportion the business with other agents. "There are over 275 towns in this province which follow this plan, and it is the best means of protection possible", stated Ald. Georges Beaulieu.

Due to controversy on the subject of the sidewalk in front of Perley Murdoch's property, the Council decided to credit Mr. Murdoch with the old sidewalk and charge him for the difference in widths. This is to be calculated and adjusted by the roads committee and the secretary.

Following a discussion on various sewers and waterworks on private properties, it was decided by the Council that the Town Officer and his men be forbidden to work on private properties. "This work should go to the local plumbers", stated Mayor Lafleur. "Our 11 men have too much work to do without running around answering these complaints which are actually none of our affair."

The Mayor and secretary-treasurer were authorized to sign the deed with Geo. Gunn who, after consideration, had decided to transfer five feet of his College Street property to the Council for the nominal sum of $1. Work has started on the widening of this street.

Aldermen W. Cousineau and G. Beaulieu were appointed to visit Gatineau Power Company and see an addressograph in operation. They will report at next regular meeting, at which time the purchase of a similar machine for the Town Office will be given further consideration.

It was moved by Alderman D. G. MacRae, seconded by Alderman Beaulieu, that the budget be prepared for the first meeting in December. The chairmen of the various committees are holding an informal meeting, at which time the committee estimates for the coming year will be discussed to aid the secretary-treasurer in preparation of the overall budget.

Rolland Brunet, of Laurion Equipment Co., Montreal, was present at the meeting and showed a film on the Huber Maintainer, a tractor machine weighing three tons that can be used for all types of road work.

Town Officer Jos. Senecal observed, "I have seen a similar machine in operation, and it is very good for everything needed of it. I think it would be satisfactory for conditions under which it will be needed in town." He added that there were several men on the town crew capable of operating the machine. Discussion followed on various aspects of this outfit, and it was decided that if the Council did decide to purchase this or a similar machine, it would have to be equipped with a grader, snow-loader, bulldozer blade and snow-plow, which would bring the cost in the vicinity of $7,500.

Alderman D. G. MacRae, chairman of the Roads Committee, stated: "Before making any purchase, I think we should see a similar machine in operation. There are not too many working parts to go wrong with it, but it is possible that it might not be heavy enough for our work."

"We need it mainly for snow removal; it should be satisfactory for that", said Alderman Beaulieu.

"We can't leave it at that, it is just what we need for patching our pavement, as a roller can be purchased later along with any other necessary parts", Alderman MacRae answered. It was decided to inform Mr. Brunet of the Council's decision after next meeting.

The session was adjourned until the joint meeting of the Lachute Town Council and the Council of the Parish of St. Jerusalem, to be held in the Auditorium tomorrow evening (Friday) at 8 o'clock, at which all interested citizens are invited to be present.

Brothers Receive Medals For Creditable Service



Recently the RCAF Station at Greenwood, Nova Scotia, was the scene of an impressive ceremony in which a group of officers and airmen received the Coronation Medal. Above, receiving the medal, is Warrant Officer Stanley S. Langille, from Lachute. At left– Group Captain C. C. W. Chapman, DSO, CD, Commanding Officer of Station Greenwood. Group Captain Chapman presented the Coronation Medal, which is for recognition of services rendered.

— RCAF photograph

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Sgt. Allen Langille, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, stationed at Niagara Falls, was also honored recently when he was awarded the RCMP medal for long service and good conduct. The presentation was made at Toronto by Deputy Commissioner J. D. Bird, of Ottawa. Sgt. Langille has served over 22 years in the force.

Allen and Stanley are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Langille, Brownsburg Road, Lachute.

Sentence in Connection With Local Robberies

Jean Paul Lefebvre, of Montreal, was arrested at his place of residence by Provincial Detective Maurice Lamoureux. Charged with theft, Lefebvre was sentenced to six months in jail by Judge Eugene Lafontaine at St. Jerome last Friday.

Lefebvre had victimized merchants in different parts of the province by selling them advertising in a magazine and then, if the opportunity presented itself, robbing them. A revolver and other articles, stolen in Lachute, were later sold in Montreal along with other loot. Nothing of any value was recovered in the search of the house.

Detective Gravel, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Police, has been spending considerable time in this district while completing investigation into the local station robbery.

Many Co-operated, Scouts' Paper Drive

The Boy Scouts, collecting waste paper in Lachute last Saturday, were rewarded with a gratifying total of 31,075 pounds of saleable waste.

Scoutmaster Basil Riddell thanks the public for their co-operation in this effort, and also extends special appreciation to the following business firms: Boyd's Lachute Express, for free transportation; Lachute Motor Sales, Geo. Y. Deacon, Robitaille Motors, Pollock & Graves, and North River Motors, for loan of trucks; and Edward M. Jones for cash donation to provide refreshments for the Scout workers.

Unusual Aspects Of European Life In Travel Pictures

Interesting Presentation At Rotary Club

Brownsburg — John Chalmers, general manager of Canadian Safety Fuse Company at Brownsburg, showed pictures of highlights of his recent trip to Britain and France, at last week's meeting of Brownsburg Rotary Club. Mr. Chalmers was attending the biennial technical conference of the safety fuse industry, held this year partly at each of the two safety fuse factories in Britain. He made use of the occasion to travel quite extensively through England and Scotland, and to make a short visit in France.

Members of the Rotary Club enjoyed the pictures of this trip, which were chosen to show aspects of life in Europe which people in North America would find unusual — such as modes of travel and types of building construction. In addition, many famous scenes were shown through the eyes of the candid camera.

Mr. Chalmers was thanked for his presentation by Larry Pressault.

On Friday evening of last week, a very successful turkey bingo was held in the Lachute Auditorium under the direction of Linton Armstrong. Stewart Jones and Jean Belanger were masters of ceremonies for the evening and about 500 pounds of turkey were awarded to the lucky winners.

Red Letter Day — No Speedsters

St. Jerome — Last Friday, for the first time in the 16 months he has presided in Court of Sessions here, Judge Eugene Lafontaine was not faced with a motorist accused of speeding.

The number of speeding and reckless motorists was increasing at an alarming rate several months ago when Judge Lafontaine threatened jail sentences in addition to fines and long suspensions of driving permits.

Since then he has enforced his policy and many irresponsible motorists, including bus drivers and taxi drivers, have found themselves behind bars.

After the court session Friday, the shortest he has had in many months, the judge said he was happy his campaign was paying off.

"After all", he stated, "I do not like to put people behind bars. However, when the safety of the public is at stake the law must take its course."

Juvenile Astray, Aided by Police, Pastor, Lions Club

The Lachute Lions Club and the Rev. Wilson Bridge, Lachute United Church minister, combined their efforts to assist local police in taking care of a 16-year-old Ontario girl, who was taken into custody here Tuesday evening for her own protection.

The girl, who was hitch-hiking from Toronto to a small town in the vicinity of Quebec City, was picked up in a local all-night restaurant where she was "waiting for a ride". Prior to this, she was provided with a meal by two local girls, who happened to converse with her on the street. She told police later that this was her first meal since leaving her sister's home near Camp Borden over 36 hours earlier. . . She had her first sleep in a much longer period in the local cells, where she was well looked after and fed.

Poorly clothed, the girl appeared extremely timid and refused to answer any questions. Ultimately she gave local police officers sufficient information so as they could notify her family, who, upon receipt of the phone call, appeared unconcerned and disinterested.

The girl stated she was of the United Church denomination and the Rev. Bridge was notified. It was decided that the best thing possible would be for her to return home. The local Lions Club agreed to pay for her rail ticket to Toronto, at the same time giving the girl money to purchase her meals. She was placed on the train Wednesday morning and arrangements were made with the train officials, Ottawa Police and Ontario Provincial Police to see that she returns home — as she stated she wished to do.

Appearing to be mentally distraught, the girl has been under care of the Canadian Iinstitute of the Blind for two years.

Farm Forum Findings Can Have Important Influence, Claims 'Guide'

"What happens to the Forum findings? Do they ever lead to action?"

People often ask these questions wondering if their Farm Forum opinions ever get beyond their own group. According to the current Farm Forum Guide — these findings reach far beyond the group and very often they lead to action. The resulting action, however, may not take place immediately and it cannot always be traced back directly to the findings.

Something that happens right in the community, like a local action project, can very easily be traced back to the one Forum. But when it comes to action on a wider scale, such as the passing of a new law, usually many factors are involved.

A good example is the Old Age Security Act of 1951. This is the Act by which every Canadian gets a pension of $40 a month on reaching the age of 70.

The Forums discussed the question of old age pensions on December 4, 1950, under the topic "A Pension for Everyone". About 75 per cent of the Forums favored an old age pension at 65 or 70 without a means test. Copies of the National Summary of Forum Findings were sent to top government officials. The next year, the Old Age Security Act was passed.

There is no doubt but what the government welcomed the expression of opinion from the Forums which represent an important section of the farm public. But the Act was not passed solely because of the Forum findings. It was passed because public opinion, urban, as well as rural, had swung in favor of old age pensions without a means test.

Public officials are always glad to hear what farm people are thinking and they welcome reports of the Forum findings. Last February, 86 per cent of the Forums went on record as saying that they thought their own regions would benefit from the St. Lawrence Seaway. This was reported to Robert H. Saunders, Chairman of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission. He was impressed and quoted extensively from the Forum findings in an address he made in March, on the St. Lawrence Power Project, before the Port Arthur Rotary Club.

Provincial and National Summaries of Forum findings are prepared after every Farm Forum discussion. Copies are always sent to officials of farm organizations, government departments and other interested people. Sometimes reports are sent to the papers. Always there is the Provincial Secretary's newscast on Monday evenings.

Thus thousands of people hear about the Forum findings. And thus the Forum findings make their contribution to public opinion on which the laws of the land are ultimately based.

Since National Farm Radio Forum is not a pressure group or action body, action on the Forum findings on a provincial or national scale can only be taken by other agencies.

Sentenced for Non-Support

Fernand Desjardins, 28, of Lachute and Valleyfield, was arrested in the latter town last week and formally charged with non-support. Brought to Lachute by Det. Maurice Lamoureux, he was transferred to St. Jerome, where he stood trial on Friday. He was sentenced to one year at hard labor by Judge Eugene Lafontaine.

Seasons All Mixed, Flowers in Bloom

A reader reports having picked purple violets while walking in the woods on November 15.

Yesterday at Brownsburg, Mrs. Wm. MacRae picked several snapdragon and dandelion blooms in her garden.

New Fence Erected At Barron's Bridge

Minor repairs to Barron's Bridge have been completed, and at present a crew of men from the Provincial Department of Public Works is busy erecting a wooden fence, which is to be well marked and treated with phosphorescent paint. The bridge-approach at this spot has been the scene of frequent accidents in the past years.

The fence, which is not in the correct position according to the property line, is said to be a temporary one, and it is rumored that a new bridge is planned by the Provincial Government for the not too distant future.

Que. Farm Forum Council Meeting Held at Macdonald

The Quebec Farm Forum Council met last Saturday at Macdonald College to deal with business that had arisen since the September meeting, and to lay plans for future action. The total attendance of 25 included a number of guests, among whom were Mrs. Le Baron, president of the Quebec Women's Institutes; Mrs. Ellard and Mrs. Taylor, also of the Q.W.I. Other guests included Dr. Brittain, Dr. Haviland, and Prof. Hamilton, of the Macdonald College faculty.

The president, Mrs. Gilbert Telford, conducted the meeting. The main points of policy considered and acted upon were as follows:

1—The Quebec Farm Forum Association are urging the Government of Canada to give still greater support and leadership to the F.A.O., that their policies may be fully implemented.

2—A joint committee of the Q.F.F.A., Q.W.I., and Macdonald College will consider the needs for, and the problems involved in, further extending Agricultural education in the secondary schools of Quebec. This committee has been authorized to take whatever action is necessary to fulfil their aims.

3—The Tri-County Leadership Forum, so successful at Compton, was fully discussed, and plans initiated for others of its kind in other parts of the province.

4—Farm Forum Council members and visitors drafted a policy for the Canadian Federation of Agriculture regarding price supports and the disposal of food surpluses.

Premier Duplessis Would Aid Universities Through Personal Income Tax

By Peter Buckley

Quebec, Nov. 16 (CP) — Premier Duplessis put a stamp of finality on his government's policy of refusing Federal grants to universities when he challenged the Federal Government to prove "sincerity" by putting into practice a law enabling provinces to make larger grants to these institutions.

Mr. Duplessis told his weekly press conference the Federal Parliament adopted a measure in 1948 authorizing the provinces to collect five per cent of personal income taxes, which would mean some $10,000,000 to this province.

However, he said, Quebec would not collect since national revenue officers cannot divulge contents of income tax returns. This was the subject of an exchange of letters between the Premier and Prime Minister St. Laurent, who told Mr. Duplessis that other provinces would have to be consulted before any step could be taken.

"If the Federal Government is sincere about this five per cent, it only has to make it possible for the province to get the money."

He said no one "can reasonably doubt" that education is a provincial right and "it is only right that the rights of the province in education include the means to apply them."

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Quebec City was the scene last week of a unique conference.

Called "Canada's Tomorrow", it was sponsored by Canadian Westinghouse Co., and featured talks on what is in store for Canada in the future by educators, business men and other prominent figures.

This country was also told of its responsibilities. Douglas W. Ambridge of Toronto, president of Abitibi Power and Paper Co., Ltd., said Canada should lead underprivileged peoples of the world toward a better way of life. Dr. Donald Creighton, professor of history at the University of Toronto, warned that Canada should take a world, rather than simply North American, view on international affairs.

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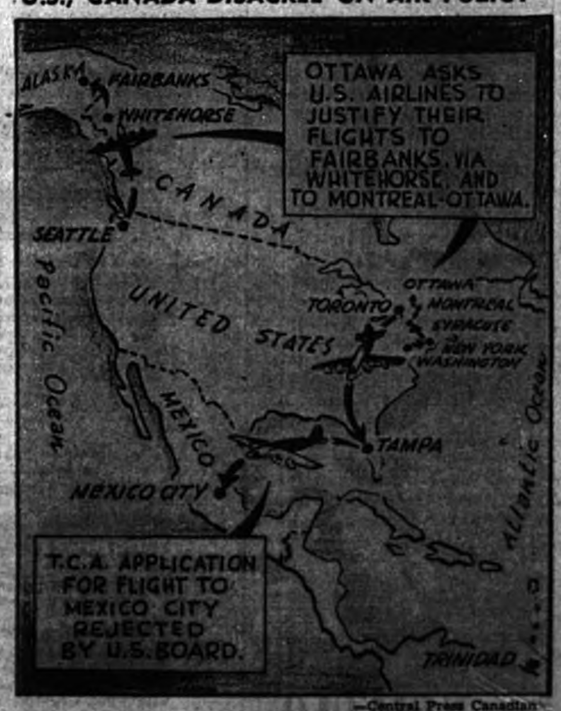
A lack of rain in many sections of the province resulted in Protestant and Roman Catholic clergy of Quebec City asking that prayers be said for rain.

Quebec Agriculture Department said farmers in many parts of the province were forced to carry water from streams and lakes because wells and other sources of water had run dry.

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The Chamber of Commerce of Matane and Rimouski, on the St. Lawrence River south shore, both protested to Premier Duplessis about failure of the Lower St. Lawrence Power Company at Rimouski to effect restoration of electric power after a fire two weeks ago damaged the company's plant.

U.S., CANADA DISAGREE ON AIR POLICY



—Central Press Canadian

When the U.S. aeronautics board refused to allow Trans-Canada Airlines to operate a single service from Toronto to Tampa, Florida, to Mexico City, Canada retaliated by suggesting the same ruling would apply to U.S. lines operating single-plane service from Seattle to Whitehorse to Fairbanks and from New York to Montreal to Ottawa. The U.S. civil aeronautics board said the original order banning TCA's proposed method of operating from Tampa to Mexico came from the department of state. The single-plane service is used in most TCA schedules throughout the world and its abolition would cause many airlines to drop routes that now are close to being unprofitable.

Central Board Clears Up Financial Dealings With Local School Bodies; Now Acting Only in Advisory Role

Budget Approved for Year Ending June 30, 1954; Seek Authorization to Issue $275,000 Bonds

Local Protestant School Boards have been authorized to borrow sufficient funds to carry on this year's operation pending receipt of grants and taxes, providing they submit a balanced budget. This was decided upon at the Central School Board meeting held in Lachute High School library on Monday, November 9, in order to implement the resolution passed by the Central Board last June. With this authorization, the Central Board has severed all direct contact with the local boards and, as of November 1, is acting in an advisory capacity only, as far as new business is concerned.

Following discussion, it was moved individually that the balance sheets and budgets submitted by T. C. Corry, Chartered Accountant, through Gordon Tabrett, for the individual boards, be approved subject to the ratification of the local boards concerned.

Messrs. W. M. Cottingham, M. P. Reilly, G. M. Strong, James W. McGibbon and D. E. F. Watts, all members of the Board, were present at the meeting presided over by W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., chairman. Others present included representatives from the local boards of Gore, Lachute, Rouge River and Lake of Two Mountains.

Minutes of the regular meeting of October 12 were read and adopted.

A letter dated October 14 from the Canadian Legion at St. Eustache was presented, registering a protest regarding the imposition of school fees at the Lake of Two Mountains High School. The secretary-treasurer was instructed to reply to this letter.

A copy of a letter dated October 19 from Canadian Refractories Limited to the School Boards of Grenville and Rouge River was presented, advising that it would be necessary to terminate their agreement for renting the annex at Kilmar as a school building, effective June 30, 1954.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to advise Canadian Refractories Limited that as the majority of children involved come from the School Municipality of Rouge River, the Central Board would refer the matter to that Board so that they may take the necessary steps to arrange for other facilities for September, 1954. The secretary-treasurer was also instructed to advise the local Board of Rouge River to take immediate action to provide other school facilities for that area for September 1954.

The secretary-treasurer advised that the following grants had been received:

Household Science: Lake of Two Mountains $800, Lachute $800. (Total $1,600.)

Transportation: Arundel $4,105, Brownsburg $2,305, Grenville $4,075, Lachute $5,220, Morin Heights $3,080, Lake of Two Mountains $3,555. (Total $22,340.)

The minutes of the special meeting of the local Board of Brownsburg were presented, containing a resolution authorizing the chairman and secretary-treasurer to purchase a One Thousand Dollar bond issued by the Protestant School Commissioners of Brownsburg, dated March 1st, 1951.

Mr. James W. McGibbon moved that the Central Board approve the action taken by the local Board of Brownsburg in purchasing the bond issued by the Protestant School Commissioners of Brownsburg.

Mr. James W. McGibbon moved that the Central Board name Lachute High School as the official place for the posting of public notices.

Various members of the Board moved that, based on the authority vested in the Central School Board, the Board authorize the following Protestant School Boards to borrow the indicated amounts in anticipation of the collection of taxes and the receipt of grants:

Lake of Two Mountains — $75,000. Out of this amount $14,265.59 is to be refunded to the Central Board for current operations to date.

Montcalm — $5,000 ($1,483.63 is to be refunded as above.)

Morin Heights — $20,000 (with $4,906.57 to be refunded.)

Gore — $5,000 (with $1,107 to be refunded.)

St. Andrews East — $5,000 (with $102.34 to be refunded.)

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W.I. Branches Report Meetings For November

Jerusalem - Bethany branch of the Women's Institute had 12 members present at the November meeting. The members answered the roll-call by buying a Remembrance poppy, and wearing it. The program consisted of a tour of the "Watchman Office" to view the process of printing a newspaper. The branch made plans for its Christmas meeting.

Frontier Women's Institute heard an instructive talk on the different cuts of meat, their food values, freshness, or otherwise, time for cooking, and most healthful and economical way to use them — given by Mr. C. Edgerton, Dominion Food Supply Supperintendent for Canadian International Paper Co. The ladies were told of a quilt pieced by an elderly lady and a letter of thanks was read, from an equally elderly lady, overseas, who had received the quilt.

Lachute had an attendance of 24, answering the roll-call with the name of a favorite school subject. The county president, Mrs. G. Cooke, visited the branch at this meeting. Mrs. Sosnkowski, from Poland, now living in Canada, gave an exceptionally interesting talk on her home life in Poland and Russia, telling the experience of two of her relatives in a concentration camp in Siberia, in winter weather, and of her own escape to England; also the heroic part the Polish women played during the war, in a country of 32 million people who have now lost their independence.

Pioneer members heard a very interesting talk by Mr. Robert A. Giles on his recent tour of England, France, Belgium and Holland. Thirteen members and one visitor were present. A parcel of food was sent overseas by this branch, and $10 was donated to the County Fund.

Upper Lachute - East End had 25 members and one visitor in attendance. Only a short meeting was held, as a card party had been arranged for the same evening; 29 tables of members and friends played cards, while several people helped in the kitchen. All reported an enjoyable time.

Lakefield, with 11 members and two visitors, had as their roll-call, a "pet economy". A plant had been sent to a member in hospital, and a letter of appreciation was read for same; also letters acknowledging a sympathy card and a wedding gift. Names were drawn for Christmas gifts. A Christmas box was sent overseas. A "military whist" was held, and a Hallowe'en party at the Gibb Hall.

At Brownsburg W.I., the Agriculture convener, Mrs. Zimmer, read a paper on "Varieties of Potatoes". Guest speaker was the Rev. Dr. W. H. Reid, who gave an interesting travalogue on the Maritime Provinces and the Gaspé Peninsula showing beautiful pictures he had taken. The branch planned to cater for a wedding in November. A wreath for Remembrance Day was placed at the cenotaph, and members made cookies to be sent to Ste. Anne's Military Hospital for November 11. The splendid donation of $10 worth of cookies was made to the annual Hospital.

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Further Complaints Of Bogus Solicitors

It is reported that arrests have been made in Montreal of certain promoters of a pseudo-religious publication, working without authorization, who have collected moneys from advertisers in this locality — indicating once again the inadvisability of subscribing to out-of-town solicitors without proper authority or credentials.

Any merchants having been thus victimized should give their names to Lachute Chamber of Commerce, as efforts are being made to recover the money taken in on this project.

Fined for Speeding In Cushing Village

Georges Pommeville, of Oka, was fined $50 plus costs or 30 days in jail for driving 55 m.p.h. through the village of Cushing. He was charged on August 27. Trial was held in St. Jerome last Tuesday, when numerous local motorists paid fines — in some instances for driving with one license plate or driving without a permit.

Gatineau LINES

Saving Electricity

Rainfall and hydro-electric power are closely related. Water is stored for use during the months when runoff is normally low.

In a dry period, such as that experienced during the past summer, water must be drawn from storage and used at a greater rate than in normal years.

Electricity wasted requires water from storage. If the water now in storage is depleted through uneconomic use or waste of electricity, it won't be available later when the normal runoff is insufficient to generate all the electricity required for normal use.

You can do something about this:

People go out and leave lights on; radios are allowed to play when there is no one in the room, and electrical appliances are allowed to stand running although they are not being used.

Don't waste your Most Valuable Servant!

GATINEAU POWER COMPANY

332 Head Imported From Britain

London — A record total of 332 head of stock — cattle, sheep, pigs and goats — was exported from Britain to Canada in the three months ending September 30. Largest group of any one breed was that of 200 Shorthorns. Other shipments were 10 Aberdeen-Angus, 3 Galloway, 2 Red Poll, 2 Hereford.

SENIOR VETERINARY

Charlottetown (CP) — Dr. E. S. Notting, former senior veterinary inspector of the P.E.I. agricultural department, died in hospital at age 60. He retired from his post in 1951 due to ill-health after 33 years' service.

Seasonal Farm Topics



Federal - Provincial Agriculture Conference

Ottawa — The 15th annual Federal-Provincial Agricultural Conference will open in Ottawa on Monday, November 23, it is announced by the Rt. Hon. James G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture.

Sessions will last three days, November 23, 24, 25 and will be held in the Railway Committee Room of the House of Commons under the chairmanship of Mr. A. M. Shaw, chairman of the Agricultural Prices Support Board.

As in other years, representatives of the Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture and of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture will meet to review the past year and discuss possibilities for the coming one.

Burning New Land In Eastern Canada

Ottawa — Burning new land during clearing operations often greatly reduces the cost and the labor involved, and it has become a widely adopted practice in Eastern Canada. Controlled burning may sometimes improve the land, but careless burning frequently causes considerable damage to the productivity of th soil, says soils specialist P. C. Stobbe, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

On wooded soils the organic matter is confined mainly to the leaf mat on the surface of the soil, rather than being distributed throughout the upper layers as is the case in grassland soils. This layer of organic matter is rich in soil humus, nitrogen, lime, phosphorus and potash. The best results are obtained when this organic matter of wooded soils is incorporated into the soil when the land is broken. If well-drained land is severely burned during dry seasons most of the organic matter is destroyed and it may require many years of intensive farming to correct the damage done by burning and to raise the productivity of the soil. On such well-drained land the brush and slash should be burned when the leaf mat is wet. This practice not only saves the valuable organic matter but it will also reduce the danger from forest fires, which cause much damage annually.

Poorly drained land in Eastern Canada often has a layer of muck or raw peet on the surface. Where the layer of moss peat is more than 6" to 12" thick, controlled burning of the upper part of the peat will usually improve the land. Well decomposed black muck may be seriously damaged by burning, particularly if it is to be used for the production of truck crops.

New Breed of Cows For Glengarry County

If in years to come Glengarry's rich pasture lands no longer nurture the familiar Holstein and Ayrshire cow, you can blame it all on Omer Poirier, Lochiel.

Two Brahman calves arrived at the Alexandria Commission Auction barns recently, a six-months-old bull and heifer — Mr. Poirier purchased them from a Florida breeder.

The "sickly white" colored beasties attracted much attention while parked in a truck at Alexandria. Far from handsome-looking, the calves were finding the Glengarry November air cold — much colder probably, than would it be in their native habitat, India.

Mr. Poirier states he bought them "just for fun". If they prosper and multiply it may turn out to have been a very practical joke.

World's Largest Agriculture Exhibition

London — The Smithfield Show and Agricultural Machinery Exhibition, largest agricultural show of its kind in the world, takes place in London, December 7-11. The world's finest livestock — more than 2,000 — cattle, sheep and pigs — and countless exhibits of machinery, supplies and equipment for farmers all over the globe, will be shown in 250,000 feet of floor space. The Trades Section numbers 370 exhibitors. An innovation in this year's program will be demonstrations of breeding and feeding by reference to carcases displayed. The Cattle Championships will be judged this year by Dean Arthur D. Weber, of Kansas State College, a famous judge of livestock who will go to London from judging at the Chicago Stock Exposition.

EARLY TOMATO

Lethbridge, Alta. (CP) — The dominion experimental station here reports it has developed an early-ripening tomato. The strain now is being improved in hopes of starting a commercial tomato canning industry in southern Alberta.

Days Are Numbered For "Lovable" Crow

Vancouver (CP) — Sammy, the lovable crow of nearby Deep Cove, has become public nuisance No. 1, and his days of freedom may be numbered.

Sammy was "adopted" by Deep Cove kids when school closed for the summer holidays. Tamed, he would ride on the shoulders or bicycles of his young friends, hop along the beach while they went swimming, or strut with them down the main street of the resort town.

But last month, his chums went back to school and Sammy went right along with them. "Bedlam resulted" said harassed school officials.

Sammy, chased from the school, bombed the place through open windows, seizing chalk, crayons, paper, pencils — anything in sight. When he wasn't taking revenge on the school, he was whiling away his hours pecking holes in tarpaper roofs of buildings under construction.

An ultimatum was issued by teachers and this, plus complaints from owners of articles peeked off clotheslines, has put Sammy's name in the RCMP complaint book.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1—Which province had the greatest percentage gain in population from 1941 to 1951?

2—Which is our fastest-running wild animal?

3—In 1939, more than 658,114 Canadians were employed in manufacturing. What is today's total?

4—The cities of Fredericton, N.B., Regina, Sask., and Victoria, B.C., have what in common?

5—Federal government tax revenue was $45 per capita in 1939. In 1952 was it $76, $192 or $284?

ANSWERS: 5—$284 per capita in 1952. 3—Almost exactly twice the 1939 total. 1—British Columbia, a gain of 42 per cent. 4—Each is capital of its province. 2—The pronghorn antelope.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada).

B'burg Mayor Insists, Will Not Boost Water Pressure for Fire Protection At Risk of Impurity and Health Hazard

Fire Chief Brings Question to A Head, Demands Dictum

Further Proceedings at November Council Meeting

(Continued from last isasue)

Police Report

The Police Chief reported that he had received hundreds of complaints of a man being seen who attacked a girl, but there was no foundation for the complaint. He had to get assistance to run the rumors down. It was even rumored that he (the Police Chief) had been shot in the hand and that he had resigned.

Secretary: "We have an application from Florima Foucault for your job!"

Mayor Donaldson: "This hysteria caused the Chief to use his car so much that we should consider granting him some assistance to pay for the gas." A sum of $10 was allowed the Chief.

The police report contained particulars of the arrest of three young girls, juveniles (previously reported in this paper). The Mayor strongly condemned laxity in both hotels and theatres in observing the law respecting juveniles, and he hoped that something would be done to tighten the controls. Councillor Lupien was for sending notice to the owners, but Councillor Lavoie countered that it was the Provincial Police who should be notified.

Poison, Yes or No?

Councillor Sam Rose reported that the chlorinator in the company's property was "finished". It is used only very occasionally and this fact is responsible for it being subject to more direct corrosion than if it were in constant use. An engineer was called and he is at present looking into the matter of repairs; and also, as this is an expensive and complicated machine, the possibility of some more simple way of introducing the chlorine in perhaps another form is to be investigated. "It is possible there is a cheaper way. Now the question arises, if the pump is needed we will have to pump raw water into the lines and take steps to notify the people of its contamination."

Mayor Donaldson: "Now is the time for us to consider putting in a pump of our own and not depend on C-I-L."

Coun. Rose: "This is not a major repair, but if there is a fire we could pump without chlorine. We had been drinking water without chlorine and never knew it, before this."

Mayor: "The water we were drinking was good, as our tests can prove, but what kind of water would we have if it was pumped in from the dam where there is an inch of scum from the sewerage of Chenierville on top of the water?"

Coun. Rose: "We could notify the people to boil it."

Mayor Donaldson: "If a fire took place at night, how could we notify the people?"

Coun. Rose: "The total cost of running that pump since we started was not $2,000, so before we start talking about expenditures of $15,000 or $20,000, let us take another look. We might have to do a lot of things to get away from C-I-L — like an 8-inch line which we use belonging to them, and all our sewerage outlets are on their property, as well as our septic tank, and our fire protection warning."

Mayor Donaldson: "We should not be dependent on them for those things, and they would not be sorry if we took the responsibility off their hands."

At this stage, Fire Chief Robbins accused the councillors of not having the fortitude of deciding whether the raw water should be pumped in if a fire occurs. The Chief added, "It was left for Robbins, and no matter what he decided, he was held to be wrong".

Mayor Donaldson heatedly denied he was evading the issue. The pump would not be used without chlorine; he was not going to take the responsibility of endangering people's lives by pumping in sewage, no matter what fire took place.

Councillor Rose strongly disagreed. The chances of an epidemic of disease were negligible and the raw water could be cleared in short time. Meanwhile everyone could boil it. "Who are you coddling?". . . The Mayor's decision stood.

Notice of a by-law to tax farmers selling their own produce, was given for next meeting.

L. Jolicoeur was granted permission to install his own waterline and sewerage by connecting to the town lines.

OBITUARY

Former Lakefield Man Became Prominent Mason, Church Worker, in Mont'l

Late Wm. Arnott Rogers

William Arnott Rogers, prominent mason and churchman, died at the Royal Victoria Hospital, in Montreal last Saturday. He was in his 78th year.

Born at Lakefield, he attended Lakefield School and Lachute Academy.

In 1896 he joined W. H. Scroggie Limited in Montreal where he remained 17 years and rose to the position of department manager and European buyer. He also opened a purchasing office for the firm in London, England. After 17 years he established his own firm on Park Avenue at Fairmount.

He was a life member of the Royal Edgard Lodge No. 90, and Fairmount Chapter and Meleta Preceptory, and for the past 25 years was on its permanent committee. He was also a member of the Canadian Order of Odd Fellows and Past Master of Mount Royal Lodge, I.O.O.F.

He was a member of the Church of the Ascension on Park Avenue where he served on the Select Vestry, as People's Warden, and a member of the men's association.

He is survived by his widow, the former Alice M. Jenkins, and a brother, George, of Lakefield.

Funeral service was held at the Church of the Ascension on Tuesday, followed by interment at the Mount Royal Cemetery.

One of the best ways to make your old car run better is to learn the price of a 1954 model.

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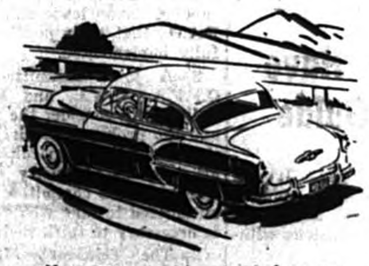
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Sounding Board

IT HAS been frequently stated by our civic councils and school boards, both at public meetings and through the press, that they desire the public interest and a knowledge of the taxpayers' needs. These, they claim, are the safest guide to policy in fulfilling the wants of those who elect our representatives to office.

The same councils and boards have not been notably successful in attracting public attendance at meetings to give expression to these views. However, from time to time the taxpayers have voiced their opinions through the local newspaper — as one reader has expressed himself in a letter on this page. . . Writing to the Editor is perhaps the easier way; for some folks it may be the harder way. Yet obviously is precludes all opportunity for immediate discussion and contrary viewpoint afforded by the personal approach; and there are always two sides to any question. But the opinion is there, and in the final analysis it's the result that counts.

Result? . . . Numerous editorials and letters on this page were totally ineffective to stir the local council in a righteous protest against nighttime noises on Main Street. Perhaps our councillors do not read the paper. It took a petition from the residents concerned to arouse the least cognizance of this situation. We feel it should not be necessary to frame a petition in such obvious instances of abuse.

Anyway, here on this page is a representative opinion for the attention of our Protestant School Board. We have received verbal approval of our recent editorial from various other sources, so we believe the viewpoint IS representative. Let the commissioners therefore take note.

We welcome letters on matters of such public concern. (Postscript: Ladies, don't rush with replies to this week's offer from Geoff, our adjacent columnist.)

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City Forgets the Farm

A SOMEWHAT surprising aspect of development in the last 50 years has been the growing gulf between urban and rural populations. In the old days each group knew all about the other's way of life because of close family relations.

A great many urban adults had been brought up on a farm and the usual place for city children to spend their holidays was back on the farm where their parents had been raised and which an uncle was still operating.

Now, these old close contacts have been broken, observes The Financial Post. A fairly large proportion of our Canadian children have never even visited a farm.

That is true not only for children but for a considerable number of urban grown-ups as well. These people have driven past farms or flown over them. To them a herd of cattle or a flock of sheep or an orchard in bloom are merely interesting subjects for their color camera, not an investment of several thousand dollars which may or may not prove profitable.

It is not good for any country, and particularly for a young democracy like ours, to have two major population groups with so little knowledge of each other's life and problems.

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Nature's Balance

JACK MINER, the late Canadian naturalist, never subscribed to the philosophy now being taught in certain quarters "that no matter how much game man shoots, nature will balance itself."

He would say that perhaps if man was not allowed to shoot over a period of 100 years, nature might come back to a balance or happy medium, but when man shoots a deer for food, or a pheasant, quail or partridge for food, man upsets nature's balance if man does not reduce these birds' and animals' enemies to the same proportion. . . To illustrate his point he would say, "God created the weeds the same time as he created the flowers, our vegetables and other valuable grain, but if man does not take the weeds out, then that is all the brains God gave him."

A prairie farmer visiting the Jack Miner Sanctuary recently and commenting on Jack Miner's philosophy said, "I own a large section in the prairies of Western Canada where I grow wheat", and added: "you should have seen my wheat fields when God had it alone!"

Dr. Albert M. Day, former Chief of the U.S. Wildlife Service, said, "Nature will never balance itself until man rockets to the moon."

Mr. Harold Titus, that great outdoor writer, said recently, "When the first steamship went up the Mississippi and blew its whistle, it interfered with nature."

Game Commissions throughout the U.S. are beginning to believe what Jack Miner preached regarding control of predators is true; the Game Commissioner of one of the most successful game-managed States recently said, "If we can control the predators, and I am including the human ones, we could close our game farms."

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Thought on Civic Elections

THE YEAR-END brings an important time of decision in many of Canada's organized municipalities — its cities, towns, villages and townships. The election for Lachute comes around in February, but inasmuch as our Council conducts the civic business all year round, it is not too early to start thinking.

Canadian householders face the task of choosing at annual elections the men and women to whom they will entrust the administration of municipal affairs.

These are Canada's "grass roots" elections. In the towns, villages and rural townships particularly, the voters know all the candidates personally. They know their qualifications for office, their faults and failings. To their credit, they usually choose men and women of good character with administrative ability and a keen business sense.

Importance of municipal elections is greater year by year. They are important simply because of a growing basic problem for which Canada sooner or later must find a solution — a mounting demand for more and better municipal services of all kinds clashing with limited sources of revenue.

Simply because they are close to the people and their daily lives, municipalities are called on for more and more expenditure. In a township it may be digging a ditch, in a village hiring an extra policeman, in a town paving more streets. In all, there is an insistent demand for better educational facilities.

But their basic source of revenue is real estate. In most areas, the rate of tax on real estate is about as high now as property owners can pay. The only possible growth in revenue comes from new buildings or other forms of property improvement.

Most provincial governments in Canada have sought to meet the problem with increased grants to municipalities for education, police and fire protection, and so on. But they frankly recognize this practice as a temporary measure, not a final solution.

The better the men that win election, the better the chances of developing from the municipalities themselves sound proposals for a way out of their taxation squeeze.

The better men will come through a quickened interest in municipal voting — every man and woman eligible should observe, think deeply, and get out to mark a ballot.

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Tariff Barriers

CANADIAN TRADE Commissioners and others who waste time telling businessmen in this country that more aggressive selling is all that is needed to sell more Canadian goods in the U.S. market, would be well advised to consider what D. W. Ambridge said a few days ago to a distributors' conference in Boston. . . The Fort Erie Letter Review draws attention to a statement by Mr. Ambridge that the barrier to Canadians wishing to sell in the U.S. market is not a lack of aggressive salesmanship, but rather the deliberate and ingenious methods used by Americans to keep out Canadian goods through administrative techniques in the tariff.

Citing use by the U.S. Customs of an instrument called a "glarimeter" to test smoothness of paper, which enters the U.S. duty-free only when classed as not too smooth, Mr. Ambridge states: "I doubt if there is such an instrument in any paper testing laboratory on the whole continent."

A number of other "gimmicks" described by Mr. Ambridge intimate that the U.S. is using all sorts of subterfuges to hamper Canadian imports and provide hidden protection far in excess of that provided by actual tariff rates.



ALL ABOARD
With G. E. Mortimore

Truck drivers from all over Canada will compete in the national "roadeo" in Toronto this month. The drivers who earn the first three places will receive bronze statues, nicknamed the "Oscars" of the trucking industry.

I propose to award an Oscar carved from cheese for the three worst drivers of the year, truck, or passenger vehicle.

Several marks toward a cheese Oscar will be awarded the driver of the car or truck who waves you to pass him, even if that means crashing head-on into a bus which is just rounding the corner out of sight.

The judges will look favorably upon the man who speeds past you at 50 in a 30-mile-an-hour zone, then settles down to a comfortable 20 in the middle of the road.

A very high rating will go to the woman who signals a turn with her arm bent up, down and backwards, like the limb of a gnarled old tree.

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The City of Victoria, B.C., has been flaunting its climate in the face of the nation again.

A businessman urged that Victoria Chamber of Commerce members visit Calgary and Edmonton by chartered aircraft on a goodwill tour next April, and announce their arrival by dropping showers of daffodils. The daffodils would draw attention to Victoria's early spring, said the proponent of the idea.

A few questions come to mind. First of all, is it safe? Objects fall quite fast from a height. The terminal velocity of the human body is 200 miles an hour — meaning that the human body will fall at 200 miles an hour, if you give it enough time. I don't know what the terminal velocity of a daffodil is. Enough to catch a groundling a stiff whack on the head, at least.

How would an Edmontonian or a Calgarian feel with a daffodil buried itself to the hilt in his skull?

Victoria has a pleasant climate, certainly. But if you are looking for sunshine, Venezuela, for example, is a better place. Will the Caracas Chamber of Commerce send a goodwill delegation in a chartered plane to drop coconuts on Canadian cities?

If Victoria goes through with the plan to drop daffodils on Calgary and Edmonton, the prairie cities can retaliate by dropping wheat on Victoria, preferably in 100-pound sacks.

All parts of Canada might show off their resources in similar style. The Maritimes and B.C. could rain codfish and salmon on the provinces in between. Industrial centres in Quebec and Ontario could strike back with showers of heavy machinery, stocks and bonds.

The Unlighted School — "Closed Shop" Policy Of Local Commissioners

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

Your timely editorial of last week on "The Unlighted School" indirectly stressed the need of a Home and School organization in the town of Lachute. It is impossible for the school commissioners to know the thoughts of an important cross-section of the community, unless there is a strong co-operative unit of the Home and School.

The need of playgrounds in Lachute has been urgent for many years, and as stated in the editorial, it is a shame for such a fine, centralized ground to go to waste in the community.

Regarding the lighted school aspect . . it must be remembered, that when Dr. Percival, the Director of Protestant School Education, was in Lachute prior to the building of the new high school, he stated before the meeting of taxpayers, that he wanted the new school to be used at night as well as by day. He said: "This is your school, use it for all purposes . . . make it a 'lighted school'."

As one who had been interested in the Lachute String Ensemble for many years, we used the school for our rehearsals, and in turn, we co-operated with the school authorities at their school concerts and openings. We felt that there was a need in the community for such a group, and we encouraged students to join us, so that there was a nucleus for continued musical interest.

This year, we again requested the use of the music room in the Lachute High School for the String Ensemble, and without any stated reason, we were refused by the commissioners.

This "closed shop" policy of the commissioners is certainly contrary to the policy advocated by Dr. Percival, and I trust, for the sake of the community, a change will take place in the minds of these respective gentlemen.

— Musica

At Cooksville, Ont., Benny Burt, 4, gave the community a scare when he was lost for two and a half hours; search parties finally found him — at the show.

MONTREAL — MAELSTROM AND MILLSTREAM

By GEOFF.

"Other Papers, Please Copy"

This is not an obituary . . . but it may be the beginning of the end for a perennial bachelor. I'm organizing a competition, open to all young spinsters across Canada — **and the prize is me!** What more could any girl ask?

Of late, I have noticed an urgent desire among my friends to get me married off, as soon as possible. In fact, the determination of these well-wishers leads me to believe they have organized a concerted campaign for the purpose. It is quite plain that all have pledged themselves to push me, willy-nilly, to the altar.

I first became aware of this nefarious scheme about two months ago. In early September, I got a call from an elderly matron in Westmount. She invited me to a cocktail party which she was organizing to fete a visiting niece.

"I do hope you'll come", she gushed. "My young niece from Vancouver will be here, and I just know you two will hit it off wonderfully together."

The old girl was right. Prissy and I fought from the moment we met. As a result, I have had no further invitations to meet others on the matron's list of relations. Pity, too! I hear her second cousin's eldest daughter is really a smashing dish of tea. . . But I'm straying.

About two weeks after the encounter with the niece, the minister's wife entered the picture.

"Seems to me", she informed me after service one Sunday, "that it's high time you had a wife to look after you. Guess I'll just have to get one for you. I'll find one; you leave it to me!"

Well, as directed, I left it to her; and what has happened? Nothing! She's had the assignment for over a month now, and still no wife in sight. Of course, she's also looking for suitable mates for her twin sons, so perhaps I'm scheduled to play second or third fiddle until they've been disposed of.

In addition to these well-meaning females in the metropolis, my two sisters are busy combing their respective hamlets for likely talent. And, in case they fail, other interested friends have undertaken to cull their respective districts for suitable material. So, the work has been going on apace — everyone striving tooth and nail to get me engaged, wedded, domesticated and subdued, as soon as they possibly can. Yes, everyone has been hard at it — everyone, that is, but me!

If I have not joined in this frantic search for a mate, I must make it clear that I have not been idle, nevertheless. If the concerted efforts of my pals have done nothing else, they have made me think. You see, I've reached that happy stage of life when dear old ladies forget that they knew me when I was "so big". Now, after a moment's gaze, they enquire — with feigned innocence — about my dear wife's health. Then, when I break the sad news that I'm still a bachelor free, they go all coy, flutter their eyelashes, and twitter:

"Ooh hoo! How silly of me. Now where on earth did I get the idea that you were married?"

Then, they pass on to the question they've been dying to pop right from the outset:

"Any prospects?"

Well, old dears, let me say here and now that I have got prospects. Some, not many; but good ones, nonetheless. Found them all by myself, too, and, on looking over the selection, I'd say I have done pretty well. However, I'm always willing to give everyone a fair chance. So ladies, the field is open. Here following, is a list of qualifications. First, what you're getting; second, what I want. Do with them what you will, but, please . . . no fighting!

The unforunate female that gets me gets a gent in his early 30's, complete will all his faculties, endowed with few assets and a reasonable number of relatives. You also get a furnished apartment in the city (complete with etchings) and a prospective husband who is willing to try anything once . . . even marriage. As for me, the girl I want must be anywhere from 23 to 33. (I say this, knowing full well that the 10 best years of any woman's life are 28 to 30.) She should be in full possession of her faculties and be able to carry on the normal duties of a housewife. A pronounced inability to talk would give any girl an edge over her competitors. As for relatives, she can have as many as her little heart desires, provided, of course, they all have homes of their own and hate visiting other members of the family, especially us.

Well, there you are, girls! A real bargain, isn't it? But you'll have to act fast. As far as I'm concerned, the contest is open to any spinster in Canada — even Toronto. Just remember to stake your claim early, though. If you don't, I may have flown the coop before your application reaches me.

You see, I should mention that the gal I hitch up with must love Old England. She must be just as crazy about that "gem set in a silver sea" as I am. I'm a Canuck, so enamoured with Britannia, that I'm heading back there as soon as I can. And, what's more, I'm going to stay.

I'm sure you'll all agree that if the marriage is to work at all, I'll have to tote the wife along too. And, if she's not prepared to go, well, she must be a grass widow and I a bachelor again. . . And maybe I should stay that way. Somehow, I think it would save an awful lot of bother all around.

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P.S. — Since this column rarely deals with Montreal, I've asked the noble Editor to make a change. He has agreed, good man that he is, and, as a result, next week's column will appear under the heading:

"GEOFF'S JOURNAL"

See you then!

Page Ripley: When Douglas Beaton, 23, and John Beaton, 25, not related to each other, but both of Mabou, Nova Scotia, joined the Powell River, B.C., Company's townsite department the same day, the following facts came to light: Doug's father, Alexander Beaton, is married to the former Mary MacDonald; John's father, Angus, is also married to another Mary MacDonald. Of John's four brothers, two are called Alexander and Donald, the former, 32, the latter, 30; of Doug's three brothers, two are likewise called Alexander and Donald; only the former is 30, the latter, 32. John's sister, Janet, married Angus McDonald. Doug's sister, Mary, married Allan McDonald. Both couples live at Port Hood, N.S. To add to the confusion, Douglas and John share the same room in Powell River's Walnut Lodge and look alike enough to be brothers.

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OBITUARY

Old Townsman Here Was Widely Related

The Late John Bradford

John Bradford, a long-time resident of Lachute, passed away last Friday in Montreal. He was in his 66th year.

Born in the North River Settlement in 1888, he married Annie Tompkins. A carpenter by trade, the late John Bradford had been retired for several years prior to his death. He was a member of the Lachute United Church, and was widely related in these parts and elsewhere.

Left to mourn his loss are his wife, a son, Ernest, of Lachute, and six daughters, Mrs. Sanford (Olive), Mrs. Mooney (Pearl), Mrs. Sheney (Christine) and Mrs. Harvey (Winnie), all of Montreal, Mrs. Crooks (Hazel), of Grenville, and Mrs. Becca (Doris), of Ontario.

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LACASSE - ALLARD — At the Providence Hospital, Lachute, on Nov. 9, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Lacasse (Jeannette Allard), a daughter, Marie Jeannette Sylvie. Both well.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

BRADFORD — The family of the late John Bradford wish to express their sincere appreciation for floral tributes and kindnesses extended in their recent bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

CROOKS — In loving memory of Willis C. Crooks, who passed away on November 19, 1949. — Ever remembered by his family.

CROOKS — In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Eliza Crooks, who passed away Nov. 26, 1950; and my dear father, Mr. Louis Crooks, who passed away April 3, 1929. — Always remembered by Gladys, Clarence and Norma.

"Memories are treasures none can steal,
Death is a heartache nothing can heal.
Some may forget you
Now you are gone,
But we will remember,
No matter how long."

CUNNINGHAM — In loving memory of John Raymond (Jock), dear son and brother, who passed away Nov. 20, 1946. — Ever remembered by Mother, sisters and brother.

"Seven years ago a message came
From God who thought it best
To take him from this weary world
To a life of peace and rest.
Someday we hope to meet him,
Someday we know not when,
And clasp his hand in that better land,
Never to part again."

MARTIN — In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Charlotte Seary, who passed away Nov. 18, 1950. — Sadly missed and ever remembered by her husband, Percy, and children, Beverly, Donald and Jimmy.

MARTIN — In loving memory of our dear sister, Charlotte, who died Nov. 18, 1950. — Ever remembered by her sisters, Margaret, Maud, Elizabeth, Winnifred, and Dad.

"Beautiful memory of a loved one so dear,
We cherish it still with love sincere —
A day that comes with sad regrets
And one that we will never forget.
We miss her love, her cheering ways,
With her we spent such happy days,
Still in our hearts she is living yet,
Too dearly loved to ever forget."

McKINNON — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, who passed away Nov. 20, 1941. — Always remembered by his wife and family.

"Years are quickly passing,
But still we can't forget,
For in our hearts that loved you
Your memory lingers yet."

NIXON — In memory of my beloved wife, Rhoda, who passed away, Nov. 18, 1949. — Ever remembered by Eddie.

"I lost my life's companion,
A life filled with joy,
And all that's left is memories,
As I walk through life alone."

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Northern Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bradshaw, of Ottawa, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Champagne.

Mrs. S. J. Grondin and Miss Annabelle Dewar, of Manor Park, Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens.

Mrs. N. McCallum, of Montreal, visited friends in this vicinity on Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Brazeau spent Sunday afternoon in Montreal visiting her aunt, Miss Inez Dewar.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. Thos. Hoare, Sr., who observed his 84th birthday last week.

Mrs. Mary Morgan, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hoare, Sr., during the summer, returned Sunday to her home in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Matthew and son, Walter, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett. Other visitors at the Bennett home were Mrs. Thos. Bennett and Mr. Ray Bennett, of Calumet.

Miss Mavis Crookes, of Ottawa, spent the week-end at her home here.

Misses Bernice and Gwendolyn Hoare visited their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fife, at Lanark, Ont., recently, and also accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John McDougal, of Ottawa, to Mississippi Lake, near Lanark.

Mrs. Bob Trineer and family left Wednesday to join Mr. Trineer in Kitchener, Ont., where they plan to reside. Friends wish them success in their new surroundings.

Miss Elsie Cousins, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents.

Mrs. Fred Cousins, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Morley Bennett of Calumet, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Copeland at St. Hermas.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McIntyre were — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods and Wendy, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Scott MacLean and Bruce, of Harrington; and Mr. Percy McLennan, of Hagersville, Ont.

Mrs. Wyman Young and Mrs. Reg Bennett, accompanied by Mrs. Jas. Stonehouse and Mrs. Christie, of Hawkesbury, attended a nylon demonstration at Mrs. Ken McHardy's, Calumet, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Dinelle visited Mr. and Mrs. Ovilla Presseault, of Ayersville, and Mr. and Mrs. Rosario Bellefeuille, of Lachute, on Sunday.

Lake Keatley

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

Messrs. Fred Parent, Ken Ford and a guest from Montreal, spent the week-end at "Oak Bend Cabin".

Mrs. Howard Jones and family were guests last week-end of her mother, Mrs. Dave MacVicar.

Miss Enid Stewart, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stewart.

Messrs. Dave MacVicar, Fred Atkinson and Howard Jones, of Lachute, spent the week-end at Sixth Range Lake, with D. Boyd, Sandy and Richard Jones as their guests.

The Ladies' Aid of Harrington held a quilting party on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Sanford MacVicar.

Mrs. Fred Broomfield is out of hospital, much improved in health, and is staying with her sister, Hattie, for the winter months.

Dr. Owen McDonald, of Montreal, spent the week-end at his cottage, "Three Pines".

IN MEMORIAM

NIXON — In loving memory of my dear mother, Rhoda, who passed away Nov. 18, 1949. — Lovingly remembered by daughter, Reta.

"Peacefully lies one of the best,
In God's own garden, now at rest.
You left me suddenly, your thoughts unknown
But you left a memory I am proud to own.
As long as I live, I will cherish your name,
In memory I see you just the same —
Still in my heart you are living yet,
For I loved you too dearly to ever forget."

NIXON — In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Rhoda Nixon, who passed away Nov. 18, 1949. — Loved and missed by son Alton, Ethel and grandchildren.

"Your memory to us is a keepsake
With which we will never part,
God has you in his keeping,
But we have you in our hearts."

Morin Heights

The Guild of Trinity Church held a successful afternoon tea and sale of work in the Red Cross room last Thursday afternoon; $127 was realized from the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Weir, of Montreal, have taken over the "T-Bar" formerly operated by Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Mrs. L. Aumais and Mr. Miles Aumais were with them over the week-end. The latter has just returned from service with the armed forces in Germany.

Mr. Graeme Bell, accompanied by Miss Barbara Anderson, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, at St. Andrews East.

LAC. John Gillingham, of the RCAF at Foymount, Ont., is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gillingham.

The Morin Heights Intermediate School basketball team played the Air Force here last Friday night; the school team won 54 - 47.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lucas and children spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Mrs. Ernest Thompson, of Verdun, Que., spent the week-end with relatives.

Mr. John Goodfellow spent the week-end with his parents.

Brownsburg

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Donaldson were in Montreal on Sunday.

Misses Edith Brown and Eleanor Tomalty were in Montreal last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. Charlton and children are visiting at the home of Mrs. Charlton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kettyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family, of Carrying Place, Ont., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. MacAdam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Simpson and family, of Verdun, were Sunday guests of friends in Lachute and Brownsburg.

Mrs. Norman Reading and daughter, Pamela, of Windsor, Ont., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hosgood.

Legion Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Brownsburg Legion held their November meeting in the hall last week, with Mrs. M. Williams, the president, in the chair. Some of the activities for the next few weeks are — Saturday morning, November 21, TV show of the Santa Claus Parade; November 27 at 8 p.m. sharp, bridge and "500" party in the hall; also a Christmas party on December 19. The annual meeting and election of officers will be December 14, at 8 p.m. . . The branch sent cookies to the Queen Mary Hospital.

Bell Falls

Mr. W. H. Warren spent a few days in Ottawa last week, returning to spend the week-end at his home in Bell Falls. This week Mr. Warren leaves for a two or three weeks' trip through Ontario.

Morin Heights

Mrs. J. E. Seale left last week to spend the winter at Lake Worth, Florida. She was accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Seale, who are her guests for a short time.

Mr. Frank Watchorn, of Victoria, B.C., arrived recently to spend a few months with his sister, Mrs. J. H. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nesbitt moved into their new home over the week-end.

Miss Margaret Johnson spent a long week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton.

Having sold her residence on Main Street to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fitzpatrick, Mrs. J. H. Davis moved into one of her apartments on Saturday.

Miss Pauline Hurtubise, of Montreal, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hurtubise.

Keith Nesbitt and Bobby Pasmore spent the week-end here at the former's home.

Mr. Allan Buxton sustained an injury to his leg while working at the RCAF Station at Lac St. Denis recently, and is confined to bed for a few weeks. Friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Pauline Dastu left here for Dorval last Tuesday after spending the past five months at Rockcliff Inn.

ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE PRESENT CORONATION RIDE IN NEW YORK



The coronation ride of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police was a popular pageant at the evening of the 65th National Horse Show in New York. This troup performed in London and Edinburgh this year as part of Queen Elizabeth's coronation ceremonies.

— Central Press Canadian

Mabel

Mr. and Mrs. M. Flynn, of Thurso, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beauchamp.

Miss Eunice Warwick left Sunday for Montreal, where she is now employed.

Mrs. J. Black, Mrs. Perley Clark, Mrs. H. Beauchamp and Mrs. Geo. Lawson motored to Montreal on Monday with Mrs. L. Plummer.

Miss Jean Tomalty, R.N., of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark, John and Jean Clark, also Mrs. M. MacKenzie and Miss J. MacKenzie, of Brownsburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Herb Tassie at Montebello on Sunday.

Farm Forum

The regular Farm Forum meeting was held at Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark's on Monday evening. The topic for discussion was "The Challenge of Dairy Substitutes". Dairy farmers must produce products of a high quality at the lowest possible cost if they are to meet this challenge — was the conclusion arrived at by this group.

Arundel

Mrs. S. K. MacArthur has returned from a visit with friends and relatives at Lachute.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simon spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hollomby and daughter, Susan, were week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Morrison.

Messrs. Ken Bovington and Aubry Taylor, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of Valleyfield, Que., spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Staniforth have returned from a two weeks' vacation in Florida.

Mr. Leslie May was the week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. James May.

The Misses Rose and Annie Cooke were week-end guests of their mother, Mrs. Wm. Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley James and daughter, Judy, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth.

A memorial service, conducted by the pupils and open to the public was held in the school auditorium on Armistice Day.

Mr. John Mair and Mr. Adrian Blanchette, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Graham.

Christening Ceremony

An impressive christening service took place in Grace Church on Sunday, November 15, when the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Flanagan was given the names John Michael Baile Flanagan. The service was conducted by the Rev. Paul Ensing. Miss Noreen Mercer, of Toronto, is the baby's godmother, and the godfathers are Mr. William Ritchie of Montreal and Mr. Bruce Lloyd of Toronto.

After the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served to 28 guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Henry, which was attended by the baby's grandfather, Dr. J. C. Flanagan, of Westmount, and his great-grandfather, Mr. J. O. Baile.

Women's Institute

The Women's Institute held an interesting and instructive meeting on Wednesday, November 11, when Miss Florence Martineau, demonstrator for the Department of Fisheries at Ottawa, gave a demonstration on the preparation and cooking of fish.

GOODWILL IS KEY

An important thing to remember is that the relations between farmers and town people must be founded on a willingness for fairness and a policy of give and take. Business is developed not alone on prices but on goodwill and service.

— Fort Macleod (Alta.) Gazette.

APPRECIATION

We take this opportunity of thanking our many friends and neighbors for cards, flowers and gifts of fruit and candy, also for many kind inquiries, and to Pastor Tuck and Merrett for their visits after our unfortunate accident and during our convalescence.

— Mr. and Mrs. John Kettyle N26-2c

QUESTIONABLE HONOR

The ceremonies of making visiting dignitaries "blood brothers" or "chiefs", usually done under the request of officials or groups, are insulting to the members of the Canadian Indian tribes. The practice should be stopped.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Bible Soc'y Service At Lachute United On Sunday Evening

The annual service for the British and Foreign Bible Society will be held this year at the Lachute United Church, next Sunday evening at 7.30. The speaker will be the Rev. M. W. Booth, B.A., B.D., of Montreal.

The devotions will be led by the church minister, the Rev. Wilson Bridge, and the business session of the society will be chaired by the local president, the Rev. G. T. Spriggs. Interesting films will also be shown.

All choirs of the various churches are asked to unite for this service, with the choir members arriving at the church not later than 7.15 p.m.

Que. Temperance League Executive Meeting

On Monday, the Rev. G. T. Spriggs, representing Argenteuil County, attended the monthly meeting of the Quebec Temperance League in Montreal. In attendance were most of the executive officers; also the Rev. J. Linton, of the Dominion Temperance Federation.

The treasurer reported that there was considerable improvement regarding finances, and the League was in a good position. The film strips are in much demand for use in public schools throughout the province.

Plans are progressing for the forthcoming Dominion Conference, at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, on December 2 to 4.

The League is examining the possibility of circulating the Ontario Temperance Advocate among the ministers of churches in Quebec.

Around the Country

Jim Greenblat

Taber, Alta., folk are somewhat surprised at a demand from the Alberta Government Telephones; those who require phone installation must have their house numbered — or no phone; workers have a heck of a time finding homes, so the government says.

Danny Smith, sportsman of Hanna, Alta., has seen everything now; wounded a goose; his dog kept steadily moving closer on goose in a circle, while goose kept twisting its neck to watch him; when dog got close enough to grab him, it wasn't necessary; goose had wrung its own neck!

At Lumby, B.C., there were red faces, when vice-principal George Brisco of the school turned in an alarm to test the brigade efficiency; the alarm sounded, crew men dashed for their helmets and gear — then the truck wouldn't start; but the kids got out in 45 seconds flat.

A heavy loss for Ray Jones at Tilston, Man., when fire destroyed his barn, hen house, pig pen, two granaries, 3,000 bushels of wheat, 100 tons of hay, $1,000 worth of grain cleaning equipment; having 80 head of cattle, the winter feed loss is tremendous.

At Indian Head, Sask., Jack Wilson bagged a raven with a four-foot wing span, and 4-inch beak. . . At Almonte, Ont., Earl Caldwell, R.R. 2, tells of seeing a moose 100 feet from his barn, which was chased away by his horses.

South Peel, Ont., Board of Education has been advised it set a pattern for all of Canada with building costs of $13,000 per room.

The name of Prefontaine has been associated with politics in Carillon constituency of Manitoba since 1903; in that time they have been defeated at the polls only twice, once by seven votes. The total time they were out of office amounted to only three years.

Celebrated Golden Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dion, of Meikle Street, Lachute, who were 50 years married on November 4. On the following Saturday, November 7, a reception in their honor was given by their family, many relatives and friends gathering at their home to extend good wishes.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Walker, of Rosetown, Sask., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Robinson on Sunday, while on their return from a trip to Scotland. They were accompanied here by Mr. and Mrs. J. Walker, of Verdun, Que.

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LAC. Otis Stewart, stationed with the RCAF in Kamloops, is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stewart, Lachute.

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Bill Steeves, a student of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, spent the week-end here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard M. Steeves.

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Mrs. Stanley Boyd and son, Mr. Roy Boyd, have been spending the past week in Detroit. . . Mr. Stanley Boyd left on Tuesday for Toronto.

Mrs. J. L. Kennedy, of Pine Hill, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacRae, in Niagara Falls.

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Mrs. A. E. Swail, of Arundel, is spending the present week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Campbell, Mrs. J. MacKimmie and Mrs. J. Warwick visited friends in Ottawa last Saturday.

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F/O. Willis Morrison left Dorval Airport by plane for North Luffenham, England, where he will continue his training with the RCAF.

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Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Kirkpatrick, of Mille Isles, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lyster Ward over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hartley and children, Doreen and Sidney, spent Saturday here and visited Mrs. Hartley's mother, Mrs. Geo. Armstrong.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pillage and family visited the former's sister in Verdun, last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Steen and daughter, Judy, of Sherbrooke, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swail. Mr. Steen was formerly C.P. Express agent here in Lachute.

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Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Trudeau, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dion on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

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Mrs. Stanley Jackson, of Lachute, spent a few days recently visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lister, in Mille Isles, and attended the Firemen's Banquet in Morin Heights.

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Leading Seaman Bruce Hewitt, presently stationed at Lauzon, Que., has been spending several week-ends with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hewitt, prior to being assigned to his new ship, the Gaspé, a mine-sweeper, which will be commissioned next Tuesday. It is expected that he will be sailing for parts unknown a few days after the commissioning ceremonies.

Stanley Alexander, of Bishop's University, Lennoxville, spent the week-end with his parents here.

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

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Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers and family, of Pointe Claire, also Mrs. William Vickers, of Verdun, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McRae.

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Attended Funeral

Those from Lachute and district who attended the funeral of the late Mr. Wm. Arnott Rogers in Montreal on Tuesday were — Mrs. Geo. L. Rogers and son, Percy, of Lakefield; Messrs. Ernest and Roy Evans, Mrs. Lorne Dawson, Mrs. Norma Rogers and Mrs. Geo. Tucker, all of Lachute.



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There are many Canadians herding cattle today, but the shooting, guitar-playing cowhand, the symbol of the old West, belongs more to the United States.

Other Canadian trades are well endowed with the raw stuff of romance. Farms, mines, fisheries and steel mills are all rich in story material, but no Billy the Kid or Lone Ranger will ride forth from them. We are unlikely to see a dude wheat farm, a dude oil well or a dude hydro-electric plant.

The logging industry shows the greatest promise for the making of a legend. It has conflict, danger and the sad quality of things that are passing away. The age of giant trees and giant men is near its close. Forests are turning into tree farms, managed with an eye to the unborn who will inherit them. Rip-roaring good-time loggers are being replaced by family men.

Before the traditional logger is quite dead, let's preserve his likeness. Story-tellers have already started the job. Now that Hollywood and the Saturday Evening Post have discovered the lumberjack, we can be sure he hasn't long to live. We should open a dude logging camp before it is too late.

Thrill-seekers and tired millionaires should be happy to pay $30 a day for the privilege of wearing caulked boots, blistering their palms on axes and having their skulls caved in by falling snags.

The logging camp is almost the last North American stronghold of the square meal. The food is good, massive and simple. A cook who tried to spice up some leftover steak would be grilled on his own range. A cook who served lobster thermidor or any such fancy dish would be run out of camp on a rail.

Eating is serious business in a logging camp. "Eat, Don't Talk" signs have been posted on cookhouse walls in quite recent times. Such a sign in a dude logging camp would stop customers trading stocks and bonds over the dinner table, and stave off ulcers for a while.

After years of the hamburger-and-aspirin routine, city stomachs would quiver at the sight of a mountain of pancakes, a platter of roast turkey or an inch-thick steak.

Several picturesque Scandanavians and a homely philosopher or two would have to be recruited to lend atmosphere. A constant feud would be kept brewing between the tough, nasty woods boss and his young, clean-living rival for the hand of the owner's daughter. Every week-end the feud would explode into a fight, the way it does in the Saturday Evening Post.

A small logging operation would be carried on as a sideline. But with all those novices stumbling over one another, there wouldn't be much work done.

Timber-r-r-r!

A motorist complains that you have to get into the middle of an intersection before you can see the sign posts. On the other hand, there are lots of motorists who get into the middle of sign posts before they see the intersection.

Central School Board Now In Advisory Role

(Continued from page 1)

Arundel — $20,000 (with $2,859.46 to be refunded.)

Rouge River — $15,000 (with $4,421.24 to be refunded.)

Grenville — $30,000 (with $6,371.90 to be refunded.)

Brownsburg — $25,000 (with $6,038.37 to be refunded.)

Lachute — $50,000 (with $10,452.02 to be refunded.)

Commissioner G. M. Strong moved that the secretary-treasurer be authorized to refund the local Board of Dunany the surplus of $1,686.27 as shown on the balance sheet, previously presented and approved by the Central Board.

Commissioner M. P. Reilly moved that the secretary-treasurer be authorized to refund the local Board of Harrington No. 2 the surplus of $1,503.40.

Commissioner D. E. F. Watts moved that the secretary-treasurer be authorized to reimburse to the following local boards the funds held on their behalf in a special account for the payment of bond redemption and interest as follows:

Arundel $3,808.76; Brownsburg $4,337.77; Grenville $1,155.94; Lachute $18,511.43; Lake of Two Mountains $3,048.89; and Morin Heights $642.35.

Commissioner M. P. Reilly moved that the secretary-treasurer be authorized to reimburse the local Board of Grenville the amount of $696.85 which the Central Board is holding on their behalf, representing the surplus in their capital construction account.

A letter dated October 27 from the Quebec Municipal Commission was presented regarding approval of the budget of the Central Board for the year ending June 30, 1954.

The budget of the Central Board for the year ending June 30, 1954, as presented at the meeting, was duly approved.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify all local boards which have to make payments to other local boards for tuition charges and sharing of expenses on buses, etc., of the payments due and the date they are required to make such payments.

Commissioner James W. McGibbon moved that the Superintendent of Education be asked to recommend to the Provincial Secretary and the Minister of Municipal Affairs that they approve the issuing of promissory notes to the Central Board by the following local boards in the following amounts:

Arundel $55,271.92; Brownsburg $22,686.31; Grenville $11,786.92; Gore $3,625.26; Lake of Two Mountains $13,828.04; Montcalm $5,446.23; Morin Heights $29,211.95; Rouge River $14,062.33.

Commissioner McGibbon also moved that the Superintendent of Education be requested to recommend to the same authorities that they approve issuing of bonds by the Argenteuil and Two Mountains County Central School Board in the amount of $275,000.

The secretary-treasurer was instructed to notify the principals of all the schools under the jurisdiction of this Board that the Central Board has an amount of $300 in its budget to cover Education Committee Expenses, and that accounts for travelling expenses to Education Committee meetings will be paid by the Central Board after they have been approved by Mr. F. H. J. Royal.

Commissioner G. M. Strong moved that the secretary-treasurer be authorized to turn over bonds held by the Central Board on behalf of the local board of Morin Heights in the amount of $42,500, on receipt of a resolution of the local Board of Morin Heights giving full instructions as to time and place of delivery of these bonds.

Commissioner McGibbon moved that the accounts presented at the meeting for payment, be returned to the local boards for settlement by them.

Mr. C. Turner, chairman of Lake of Two Mountains board, moved a special vote of appreciation on behalf of his board to W. M. Cottingham, chairman of the Central Board, for the time and effort he has devoted towards assisting with education problems in that area.

ALCOHOL COSTLY

Cornwall, Ont. (CP) — Prof. Joslyn Rogers of the University of Toronto, medico-legal expert, told a meeting here that 95 per cent of murders and 20 per cent of traffic fatalities in Ontario are caused by over-indulgence in alcohol. Most murders now, he said, result from "drunken brawls".

MAKE HOME ON BARGE

London (CP) — A young couple, Richard and Shirley Hopewell-Smith, have escaped the housing shortage by settling on the Thames in the hold of a barge. Work has started on a luxury lounge, panelled hall, bedrooms and a modern kitchen.

BIG PROJECT

Dauphin, Man. (CP) — Nick Britsky of Ochre River, Man., had a real moving job. Using two 100-foot Douglas fir timbers, a pair of rubber-tired wheels and a truck, he moved a 110-foot barn, weighing 25 tons, from the Dauphin fair ground to a new location.

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9.30 a.m. H.C. Holy Trinity.
10.30 a.m. S.S.—Holy Trinity.
11.00 a.m. M.P. St Matthew's.
3.00 p.m. S.S.—St. Matthew's.
6.30 p.m. E.P. Kilmar.
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TEA AND SALE

The Ladies' Association of the Grenville United Church are holding a tea and sale of home cooking, candy and sewing, on Saturday, Nov. 28, 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ulysses Beauchamp. N26.2p

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— To be held in the Legion Hall, Lachute, Nov. 27. Music by the Silver String Trio. Adm. 50c. Everyone welcome. N19.2c

L.O.L. COUNTY MEETING

The annual County meeting of the L.O.L. will be held Nov. 21 in the L.O.B.A. hall, Lachute, at 8 p.m. All members are invited to attend. N19.2p

DANCE, GRENVILLE

L.O.L. No. 58 and L.O.B.A. No. 210 are holding a dance in the Grenville High School at 8.30 p.m., Friday, Nov. 27. Music by Mrs. Ed Trineer and boys, and two Air Force pipers. Door prize. — Adm. 50c. N19.2p

CARD PARTY

— The Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 71, will hold a bridge and "500" at the Brownsburg Legion Hall, on Friday, Nov. 27; time 8 p.m. sharp. Adm. 50c. (Please bring cards). Door prize to be drawn 8.15 p.m. sharp. N26.2c

BAZAAR AND TEA

The Women's Guild of the United Church, St. Andrews East, will hold a bazaar and tea in the church hall on Saturday, Nov. 21, 3 to 6 p.m. Afternoon tea, adults 40c, children 25c. -1p

PROGRESSIVE MILITARY WHIST

— To be held Wednesday, Nov. 28, 8 p.m., in the Legion Hall, Lachute, auspices Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 70, B.E.S.L. Adm. 50c. (Please bring playing cards.) Door prize drawn at 8.15 p.m. Refreshments. -1c



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— Antonio Laurin, Sec.-Treas., Lachute Town Corporation N26.2c

NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in my name, by my wife Blanche Godin, or anyone else, on and after this date, Nov. 2, 1953.

— Gustave Godin,
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Plans, forms of contracts and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Postal Station "H", Montreal, P.Q., and at the Post Offices at Sixteen Island Lake and Lachute, P.Q.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on, or according to these printed forms supplied by the Department, and in accordance with conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, or Bearer Bonds as specified in the form of tender, for 10% of the amount of the tender.

Note: Upon application to the undersigned, the Department will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $20.00, in the form of a certified bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on the return of the blue-prints and specification within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

— ROBERT FORTIER, Secretary.
Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 9, 1953. N26.2c

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SPORTS AND JUVENILE ACTIVITIES

1st Lachute Pack
WOLF CUB NEWS



By "Akela"

The 1st Lachute Wolf Cub Pack met as usual in the school basement Monday evening. "Baloo" and "Bagheera", leaders, were both in attendance.

The "Opening Howl" was given by Blue Sixer Sandy Jones, followed by inspection and the collection of dues. There were 46 Cubs present.

A game involving tying of the reef knot was won by the Blue Six, who thus gained five points for their Six.

The Cubs reviewed the signalling instruction which they had recieved the week before, and repeated the Cub Law and Promise. A game of "snatch the handkerchief" and a singsong concluded the program.

Next meeting will be held Monday evening.

Grenville High School News and Activities

By Willis Young

Last week it was stated in this column the total sale of poppies amounted to $55. Further sales, however, have brought the total to $60. Following is a list of those who canvassed for this effort:

Grade III, Douglas Knights and Frankie Stote; Grade IV, Jerry Smith and Jeremy Druce; Grade V, Murray Mills, Graham Murphy and Calvin Rourke; Grade VI, Douglas Dubord, Danny Stote and Robin Andrews.

We take this opportunity of thanking and congratulating these boys.

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A Remembrance service was held in the school gym on November 11. Heather-Anne Lessard, Betty Beauchamp and Barry Bankley, all of Grade VI, spoke on the meaning of Remembrance Day. Beverley Young, of Grade VII, read a portion explaining why we observe Armistice. Grades VIII and IX then gave a choral recitation of "In Flanders Fields". Penny Foreman, Grade IX, recited "The Spires of Oxford", and a prayer was led by a pupil in Grade IX. The service was concluded with an appropriate hymn and "God Save the Queen."

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On Saturday, the basketball players motored to Ste. Agathe, where good games were enjoyed by both the boys and girls.

The score for the boys' game was 32-25 for Grenville, while the score for the girls was 22-9 in favor of Ste. Agathe. Although the latter did not win, they hope, with continued practice, to be more successful next time.

The players extend their thanks to Mr. Gerald Beauchamp, Mr. Thos. McMichael, Mr. R. C. Whinfield and Mr. A. J. McGerrigle, who provided transportation.

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Orders have been taken for Red Cross calendars. We hope this sale will prove as successful as the poppy campaign.

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The annual School Opening exercises — including the distribution of books and prizes for scholastic standing, as well as prizes for the School Fair, the track meet and other functions — were held Wednesday evening, November 18. A report will appear next week.

REAL WHOPPER

Meaford, Ont. (CP) — Reports of a giant rainbow trout in Meaford harbor aroused interest here. Most accounts said the elusive fish is about 20 pounds in weight, and one fisherman who saw it rise said it was at least 40 inches long. The largest caught this year were around eight pounds.

Keener Fan-Support With Hockey Participation In Small-Radius League

By John Molloy

Brownsburg — This coming hockey season promises to be a great one for Brownsburg fans. All six games against Lachute will be played here in Brownsburg. Rivalries are a necessary part of any sport, and between these two towns, normally so friendly, the war is on when the whistle blows. Six renewals of the age-old fued in as many weeks, ought to keep Brownsburg warm this winter.

One big advantage of a small-radius league, is that away games are easy to attend. This establishes a keener competition among all teams. If the attendance at a game is 20 to 1 for the home team, the rooters have no challenge and a few half-hearted cheers for a goal is the extent of fan participation in the game. But reduce the odds to 3 to 1, and the visitors, encouraged by their fair representation, make themselves heard. The home fans now have the spur they needed, and they try to overshout the others. The fervor is transmitted to the players and the game is played at a much higher level than its classification Every player is striving to win, some to be the hero of the fans, others to be just one of the winning side. But no matter what the motive, the pressure is on and everyone puts out that little bit extra.

The fact that there are two Quebec teams against two Ontario teams, may arouse another rivalry, in which case Lachute and Brownsburg will be mutual admirers in cross-river battles, and ardent foes in their own games. It might be nice to have the two Quebec teams top the league, and also play off the finals.

Badminton Club Elects Officers

The annual meeting of the Lachute Badminton Club was held in the Auditorium recently, when the election of officers for the coming year was the main point of business.

The new officials are Mabel Prophet, president; Lyle Carkner, vice-president; Mary Priestly, secretary-treasurer.

Sonny Ogilvie, Bob Dixon, Don McFaul, Winnie Tabrett and Bobbie McFaul were named to the Match Committee, while the Refreshment Committee consists of Ruby McFaul, Rollie Maxwell, Joan Dixon and Marion Deacon.

New members will be welcome at any or all of the meetings, which are held every Tuesday and every second Thursday evening in the Auditorium.

Young English Girl Now Expert Skater

Windsor, Ont. (CP) — An 18-year-old English girl who had never skated until she came to Canada to live six years ago, is to train with an ice show.

Ether Hawkins of nearby Belle River decided to try skating when she discovered many of her new friends enjoyed the sport.

She later became a pupil at a local skating club and spent her summers in Guelph, Ont., so she could skate on artificial ice provided there. While training at Guelph last year she accepted a contract as figure skating instructor at Collingwood, Palmerston and Fergus, where she directed the skating activities of 360 pupils.

Because she had signed, she later had to turn down an offer from a United States ice show. However, a show which tours Canada and the U.S. during winter months, offered her a contract this year and she accepted.

Flin Flon, Man. (CP) — Mrs. Ernest Brown played hostess to a porcupine and more than half the children in the neighborhood. The kids swarmed to see the porky, which wandered into the Browns' back yard. Police returned the animal to the woods.

THE OLD HOME TOWN — By STANLEY



STRONG CONTENDER



—Central Press Canadian

Edmonton will have a strong contender for the Grey Cup, even if their football team doesn't travel eastward to step into the grid arena with the eastern champs. The contender is Betty Strong, high school student, who will vie for the "Miss Grey Cup" title.

Big Teams Bear Up Under Diminutive Triumphs

SPORTS CAMERA

By Gerry Lougheed,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Been feeling blue because your favorite team hasn't been bringing home any championships? Take heart — things could be worse!

Take Chicago, for instance. The second largest city in the United States has five teams in big league sports. None has won a championship in the last six years.

The newspapers there, as well as the fans, are really depressed. The Chicago Daily News reported in big black headlines one day recently: "Blue Monday: Bears, Cards, Hawks lose."

The Chicago Bears of the National Football League had just lost their third game in four starts. Making the pill even more bitter was the fact that the Bears dawdled away a 21-0 lead and lost 35-28 to San Francisco 49ers.

The fans are still an optimistic breed, though. More than 40,000 were on hand.

Other Fans Cool

The Cardinals, the city's other representative in the NFL, recently dropped their fourth straight game under the latest of a long line of coaching personnel. Attendance this year is well down at Comiskey Park, the Cards' home.

The crowds have also been shrinking at Chicago Black Hawks' home games. The spectators, who used to turn out 16,000 strong each Sunday to watch National League hockey, are down around the 7,000-mark.

At least some of the fans have been turning out to razz the last-place team. Some of the crowd stayed around Chicago Stadium two minutes after the game a few Sundays back to boo the club.

Only two Hawk teams have won the Stanley Cup since they entered the NHL in 1926.

They made it first in the 1933-34 season. Coached by Tommy Gorman, that team included Chuck Gardiner, Taffy Abel, Paul Thompson, Johnny Gottselig and Mush March.

The Hawks clicked again in 1938, when they were led by Bill Stewart. Mike Karakas, Earl Ecibert, Gottselig, March, Doc Romnes, Thompson and Carl Voss were among the players that year.

Chicago's baseball clubs, the White Sox and Cubs, have had a rough row to hoe, too.

The Sox were a disappointing fourth-place finisher in the American League after a good early-season showing.

The Cubs battled to keep out of the National League cellar, a struggle they've had over the last several years.

Chicago had its last championship squad in 1947, when the Cardinals won the NFL title.

The years since have been bleak. Chicago fans have been living on their memories.

HUNTER'S TARGET

Amherst, N.S. (CP) — Royal Canadian Mounted Police are investigating the shooting of a valuable cow in the Tidnish area, where a number of hunters have been seeking deer. The cow was said to have been the best animal in the farmer's herd.

Both Parent Fish Guard Young

A mudcat is one of the most devoted of all fish. Both the male and female guard the young. These tiny fry, black in color, look like a herd of cattle, with the parents acting as cowboys, circling the swirling mass of young. The parents keep the fry in shallow water for their protection from other fish.

Grey Cup "On Stage"

Varsity Stadium, Toronto, will be jammed to its 27,000-plus capacity when Toronto plays host to the greatest single sporting spectacle on the Canadian scene — the annual Grey Cup classic.

That this traditional battle has captured the imagination of Canada's 14,000,000 people is evident wherever people congregate. Housewives and debutantes, Canadians from six to 60 have made it the highlight topic.

People who "couldn't care less" about sports in general last month, today are "football experts". Conservative citizens, who ordinarily wouldn't bet on Joe Louis in his hey-day, plank down several dollars on their favorites, for they, too, are caught up in the maelstrom of excitement that surrounds the event.

Coast to Coast

Hundreds of thousands of homes from the Rockies to the Gaspé will have their radios tuned in when kick-off time rolls around; tens of thousands of TV viewers will huddle around available sets like bees on a hive to witness and hear what they have been waiting for all fall.

With but 27,000 ducats to the game itself available, fantastic prices will be offered for these precious bits of pasteboard. Even $50 is not an unheard-of figure. Citizens of Toronto who are not on the city team's subscriber list have written to friends in the West beseeching them to get an extra one and mail it down.

That the game has arrived as an event of national importance since its shaky start back in 1919 is easy to see. An annual Grey Cup parade has been instituted, a comely Miss Grey Cup will be picked from the nominees of the senior football teams of Canada. The pomp and pageantry surrounding the struggle approach comparability to that which accompanies America's gridiron extravaganza, the Rose Bowl game.

Few Abstainers

Some caustic Canadians may say, "Phooey! I can't get worked up over a silly game of football", but they are sure to be few. They may argue that the game is "crass commercialism", in which there is some truth, but they will be missing the point.

The Grey Cup game is a symbol of Canada's "coming of age". It has grown side by side with the Dominion over the last 44 years, and like the country itself has yet to reach its full potential. Its history is intertwined with the history of Canada, and Canadians of the future will look back and say, "That was the year, 1953, when the . . . beat the . . . for the Grey Cup".

RECORD INFLUX

Toronto (CP) — Thanks to the warm late summer, a record entry of 190,000 tourist vehicle entries from the United States was shown in Ontario during September. This was 38 per cent higher than the same month last year.

ALL THE COMFORTS

Bassana, Alta. (CP) — A contingent of Calgary pheasant hunters provided their own accommodation when they found hotels full. They installed bunks in a special bus, travelling to different areas and sleeping in it in the fields.

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BOOKS, SHOWS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Fine Recital In Community Concert Series



David and Maria Lloyd, husband and wife who played at Lachute High School in the Community Concert last Wednesday, were heartily acclaimed by their large audience.

From their first renditions, this tenor and violin team established a certain sympathy with their listeners and drew prolonged applause.

Maria Lloyd's mastery of the violin found expression in technique interpreting to perfection the moods of her pieces. She excelled both as a soloist and as accompanist to her husband. Both were repeatedly called back to the stage, and responded generously with encores.

David Lloyd proved himself a brilliant vocalist. His interpretation of Verdi's "Rigoletto" and Godard's "Berceuse de Jocelyn", two favorite selections, proved notably popular. A lighter characterization from Stravinsky's opera inspired by Hogarth's picturization of an 18th century Englishman, was entitled "Tom's Philosophy" — in which the tenor revealed his superb aptitude to this variety of work.

Paul Jackson, at the piano, accompanied the two artists with perfect sympathy and understanding, and proved a dexterous musician in his own right.

The general reaction among members and friends of the Community Concerts Association who heard this program, was that it had been a distinct privilege to enjoy these artists in Lachute, whose performance is in such popular demand among U.S. audiences. It was also agreed that their recital was well balanced and appealing to all tastes.

New Outstanding Juvenile Books

By Nancy Cleaver
Author of "For Parents Only" Feature

Clip this list and use it in your Christmas shopping. Every child should receive a book present from his parents! . . .

For Little Folk

"The Doll in the Window", by Pamela Bianco; "Tim in Danger", by Edward Ardizzone; "The Boy Jesus", by Pelangi Doane — charming illustrated books published by Oxford Press.

A Top-Notch Hockey Story

"Boy on Defence", by a Canadian writer, Scott Young, who deserves his wide-spread popularity. — McClelland and Stewart, Publishers.

New Editions of Old Favorites

"The Wind in the Willows", by Kenneth Grahame (S. J. Reginald Saunders), an imaginative classic for young and old.

"With Wolf in Canada", by G. A. Henty (Thomas Nelson), a thrilling story.

With Historical Background

"Breastplate and Brechin", by George E. Tait (Ryerson Press), a very readable book by a Canadian who has made the stories of the early explorers very real.

"Drums of Niagara", by Eric Acland (Thomas Nelson), a fine account of the United Empire Loyalists.

"The Scarlet Force", by T. Morris Longstreth (MacMillan and Co.) the colorful story of our "Mounties".

"Famous Canadian Stories", by George E. Tait (McClelland and Stewart), a splendid book for the family bookshelf.

For the Nature Lover

"All About the Sea", by Ferdinand C. Lane (Random House).

"Wonders of the Woodland Animals", by Jacquelin Berrill (McClelland and Stewart).

The above are two most attractive books for young and old, with distinctive illustrations.

"The Rucksack Book", edited by T. W. Myers (Copp Clark Co.), was written especially for Girl Guides, but it would be a real asset to any summer cottage or holiday bookshelf.

Fiction for Girls

"Delia Daly of Galloping Green", by Patricia Lynch (J. M. Dent & Son), is a charming Irish story; and "Penny Triumphant" by A. Stephen Tring (Oxford University Press), is a sparkling English tale.

The male half of a new dance team was pleading with a producer.

"You never saw anything so sensational", he raved. "At the finish of our act I take my partner by the hair and whirl her round for 20 spins. Then I wind up by heaving her through an open window."

The producer paled. "Heave her through an open window?" he repeated incredulously. "Do you really mean to say you do that at every performance?"

The dancer shrugged. "Well nobody's perfect", he admitted, "Sometimes I miss!"

French-Canadian Music Lovers Form Group Here

A group of music lovers here have latterly formed a branch of the Jeunesses Musicales du Canada (J.M.C.). Gilles Lefèbvre, talented violinist and director of the Canadian organization, was in Lachute last week to affiliate the local branch, and was also, incidentally, speaker at the Richelieu Club on Thursday.

Officers of the Lachute J.M.C. are: Mlle Françoise Bélanger, president; Mme Armand Brisson, vice-president; Laurent Beaudry, secretary; Mlles Pierrette Danis and Juliette Guay, publicists.

It is planned to present a concert December 6 at the St. Julien School, featuring Blanche Tarjus, noted French violinist, with Andrée Desautels as commentator.

The "Jeunesses Musicales du Canada" was founded in 1949, and is affiliated with la Fédération Internationale, of European origin.

CBC to Cover Royal Visit to Jamaica

The CBC has completed plans to bring Canada's radio listeners commentaries and reports on the three-day visit of Queen Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh to the Island of Jamaica.

When the Royal Couple arrives in Jamaica on November 25, a CBC party of three commentators and three engineers will be on hand. Commentator Thom Benson will report on the visit to the CBC's Trans-Canada network; Judith Jasmin will report to the CBC's French network; and Maud Ferguson will record talks and interviews for "Trans-Canada Matinee", the women's interest program heard Monday through Friday on CBC Trans-Canada.

Reports consisting of narration and actuality will be broadcast on the Trans-Canada network on the 25th, 26th and 27th at 6.35 p.m. EDT. Reports will also go to the CBC's French network on the three days. "Trans-Canada Matinee" will carry four-minute reports on the 26th and 27th.

The arrival of the Royal Couple on Wednesday in Jamaica will be reported by a CBC crew located on top of the airport building at Montego Bay. The big events on Thursday will be a military parade and a rally of twenty thousand school children. On Friday, the last day of the visit, the Queen will officially open Jamaica's new Senate House, and the occasion will be marked by Her Majesty's first official speech of the visit.

Canadian radio listeners will also hear on Friday a description of the departure of the Royal Couple aboard the S.S. Gothic for the Pacific islands of Fiji and Tonga. The Gothic will arrive in New Zealand shortly before Christmas, and it is from Auckland that the Queen will broadcast her Christmas message to the peoples of the Commonwealth.

An actress came off the stage after a successful first night, and was surprised when the manager handed her a beautiful bouquet and a packet of marigold seeds.

"The bouquet is from a gentleman in the stalls, and the packet of seeds from a Scotsman in the gallery", was his explanation.

THOUGHTS AND DEEDS

By M. V. Trayers

Of A Speech

"Time has a doomsday book, on whose pages he is continually recording illustrious names. But as often as a new name is written there, an old one disappears. Only a few stand in illuminated characters never to be effaced." Longfellow wrote thus as a thought on Fame, but fame can be very fickle; as Rousseau said, "Fame is but the breath of the people and that often unwholesome." . .

This, however, is the story of a speech. A very famous speech. Parts from it have been quoted more often than any other piece of literature we possess. I can't think of anything written or spoken, except perhaps the Bible, which has provided more apt abstracts for the speechmaker than this short address. It contains only 265 words and was delivered in five minutes. But its impact on the thinking and actions of a whole nation has in great measure led that nation to the pinnacle of power. How the progress of that nation might have been affected if that address had not been delivered, I do not know. But if it were not for the high office of the speaker which demanded his presence there, there were many who questioned his ability to deliver a message appropriate to the occasion. In fact, it was only as an afterthought that Lincoln was invited to attend the dedication of a National Soldiers' Cemetery at Gettysburg; the only invitation he did receive was a printed hand-out, and even that was not settled upon until about two weeks before the exercises.

At that time Lincoln was not popular in many quarters. There was a strong movement to have him ousted as a "dead card" in the political deck. When the floor leader of the House was told Lincoln was asked to attend, he remarked, "The dead going to bury the dead!" and some newspapers complained the President was going to make a stump speech over the graves of the Gettysburg dead as a political show.

On such a solemn occasion, convention demanded the President be in attendance. No matter how his political opponents figured it, as President, he had to be present. How did Lincoln feel about it? When he arrived a little late to take his place with the presidential party, one of his escort remarked that they had better hurry. Lincoln replied that "he felt like a certain man who was on his way to the gallows to be hanged." Along the way the crowd kept pushing ahead to get a good view so that the condemned man had difficulty keeping his place. At last he said "Boys, you needn't be in such a hurry; there won't be any fun till I get there."

Now, such is "Fame" or "Fate", however you want it. The speaker of the day was not President Lincoln, but one of the greatest orators the United States had produced up to that day. Edward Everett was the all-American classical orator. He was Governor of Massachusetts, Ambassador to Great Britain and, President of Harvard University. His speeches filled volumes. His lectures on Washington alone brought a fund of thousands of dollars, with which he bought Mount Vernon and offered it to the state as a shrine. His great speech delivered before 15,000 people at Gettysburg lasted for two hours, covering the whole story of the three days' battle of Gettysburg, and depicted the manner in which the Greeks cared for their war dead as an example of how the sacred soil around him should be preserved as a sepulchre of illustrious men. It was the greatest effort of his speaking career. The applause lasted for minutes, and as Lincoln stood up to speak, many of the crowd turned to go; the show was over.

Holding a couple of sheets of paper in one hand, which he never glanced at, and his steel-rimmed spectacles in the other, he delivered his address, and before a photographer, who was bustling about, could get his head under the cloth to focus for a photograph, the President was finishing the last of his nine sentences, "and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth." The applause was faint in respect to his high office. The audience thought his effort a "flat failure".

Next day the newspapers condemned the address as vapid mouthing. The Patriot and Union wrote, "We pass over the silly remarks of the President; for the credit of the nation we are willing that the veil of oblivion shall be dropped over them and that they shall be no more repeated or thought of." The Chicago Times ranted, "The cheek of every American must tingle with shame as he reads the silly, flat and dishwatery utterances of the man who has to be pointed out as the President of the United States." The staid London Times also failed to place its worth: "Anything more dull or commonplace it would not be easy to produce". It took an unknown reporter for the Chicago Tribune to use the prophetic phrase, "The dedicatory remarks of President Lincoln will live among the annals of man." . . . And so they have — while the elaborate speech of Mr. Everett has been lost and forgotten with its author.

In the Cash!



Two lucky Foto-Nite patrons at local theatres in the past week — (left) Miss Yola Rivière, Main Street, Brownsburg, who received $130 for her portrait at the Vic Theatre, and (right) Kenneth Derouin, of Water Street, Lachute, who was presented with $280 at the Cinema Lachute. Foto-Nite, on Thursdays and Fridays respectively at these two theatres, creates high interest and attracts big crowds.

Japan Prospers in Camera Industry

Japanese camera manufacturers are enjoying prosperous business, in striking contrast to large segments of Japanese export industry. Cameras have figured as a major export for the past few years and foreign and domestic sales are steadily increasing. Manufacturers are optimistically planning further expansion and carrying out new marketing programs.

Wars Spur Production

Some types of cameras were produced in Japan before the turn of the century and it was natural that the Japanese, who are careful, dexterous workers, should rapidly acquire the skill and precision which made the growth of the industry possible. World War I deprived Japan and other countries of access to German optical goods and presented her manufacturers with a challenge that was accepted. By 1937 production of cameras was significant and these cameras were on an industrial and technical level comparable to that in European countries. Post-war development was rapid; small wartime ammunition factories were used to meet the demand from photo-conscious occupying personnel with money to spend.

Receive Wide Publicity

The greatest fillip to the industry was the publicity attending the "discovery" of Japanese lenses by Korea-bound Time and Life cameramen. The experts fully tested their new equipment under battle conditions and their favorable reports on results obtained received widespread coverage. Some cameramen believed they had discovered the best equipment obtainable from any source when they combined a Japanese lens with a German shutter and camera body.

"What has become of Yonson?"
"He went to America and has made a name for himself there."
"How?"
"He calls himself Johnson now!"

Teaching by TV

London — A new method of teaching students was shown during the opening ceremonies of the National College of Rubber Technology, London, England, on November 3. An industrial television camera was installed in the Rubber Show on the ground floor of the new college and the pictures were viewed on a 27-inch monitor installed in the Lecture Theatre. There, an audience of 180 were able to see clearly details of the processes and machinery which normally can only be seen by four or five students at a time, standing round the machine. Questions asked in the Lecture Theatre were answered by means of a talk-back system and the answers were illustrated by the demonstrator in the Rubber Shop.

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WOMEN
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Feminine Interests with The Local Touch

By MARGUERITE

At Home

We have not started counting the shopping days, but we feel sure that Christmas is not too far away. Have you noticed an improvement in the behaviour of the Santa Claus set? One mention of that good gentleman's name is usually a guarantee of at least an hour of virtue.

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Speaking of Christmas, here is another idea for a quick meal to serve during the busy days ahead. It's a variation of corned-beef hash which is sure to please. You will need — 1 cup of cooked corned beef, 1 cup of cold, sliced potatoes, ½ cup of diced beets and a little milk. Chop up the corned beef. (It can be combined with any left-over meats). Put the chopped meat, sliced potatoes and beets in a bowl. Season and moisten with milk. Melt butter in a very hot frying pan. Spread the mixture evenly in this, reduce heat, and cook slowly until well-browned underneath. Fold over like an omelet and turn out on a platter. Serves four.

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Around the Town

This is the time of year when the golf widows take time out to sympathize with the hunting widows. But, as one of them pointed out, the season is so much shorter.

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True Story. . . Have you ever tried to dispose of that ever-present basket of clothes to be ironed, in a hurry? One of our friends, in a last-minute tidy-up rush, carried her basket from one end of the house to the other, without finding a place where she could put it out of sight. When the doorbell rang, she was standing in the bedroom still holding the basket. So she tucked it under the bed. The moral of this story (if any), is: there's a place for everything in the well planned home, except a basket of ironing.

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Signs of the times. . . We know of one local family who started making plans for their annual outing to Montreal to see the Santa Claus parade. They were brought up short by their seven-year-old, who informed them that it would be much more comfortable to sit in the living room and watch it on Television! Her parents still don't know whether to be amazed or amused.

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A mother's definition of a good neighbor . . . one who does not get any more angry with your children than with her own.

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Someone asked us this week why those threats about giving this country back to the Indians, are never made during Indian summer.

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Gone are the days . . when a big nickel was gratefully accepted by the children for any task, from running an errand, to cleaning out the basement. Nowadays, you are likely to have the nickel handed back to you with a comment on the cost-of-living.

See you next week.

Inward-opening wooden shutters lend an atmosphere of quaintness to a breakfast nook or a kitchen. Such shutters need not be made of wood. They can be painted on the wall. The French call it "trompe-l'oeil", which means optical illusion. Use straight, single lines with a little shading to make the shutters stand out from their background. The pages of almost any home decorating magazine will provide a model to copy.

Lamb -- Quality Tips

Homemakers spend about one-quarter to one-third of the food budget on meat and it is for this reason that it is most important that they know how to shop for meat. Many consumers say in reply to this statement: "But how do we learn to shop for meat?" There are several ways that each homemaker can help herself. First of all, the Department of Agriculture in Ottawa has available, free of charge, meat charts showing the retail cuts of beef, lamb and pork and also a bulletin on beef describing the various cuts, where they are located and how to cook them. The Department is always glad to send these charts and the bulletin to consumers.

Another way that Mrs. Homemaker can help herself is to talk to her butcher. Of course, not at the time when he is very, very busy, but sometime when he has not too many customers, she should go to him and discuss her meat problems with him. He is always glad to help too. A butcher likes to feel that when a homemaker buys a roast of meat, she is buying what she wants. So often a woman goes into the butcher shop and just asks for an oven roast. She does not know what cut she wants or whether it is the least expensive or the most expensive cut. The poor butcher has to guess what his customer wants and hopes that he makes the right choice. Would it not be much better if we were all well-informed consumers and when we went into the butcher shop we asked for exactly the kind of cut we want, knowing approximately what it will cost?

With the help of the meat charts and the bulletin on beef which describes the different cuts of beef and how they may be served and with the information which the butcher can give, homemakers should be able to select the cuts which meet their needs at the lowest cost.

August to November are the principal months of peak production of lamb in Canada, and what better time to write about buying lamb that when it is plentiful. The meat sold in the shops as lamb usually comes from animals which are up to approximately 12 months of age. If the animal is over 12 months, it is spoken of as mutton.

Lamb is not graded for quality in any province in Canada except Saskatchewan and in that Province, in the cities of Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon and Prince Albert, lamb must be graded and ribbon branded as Grade A, Grade B, Grade C or Grade D. The signs of quality in lamb are fat that is creamy white and brittle, lean meat that is pink in color and bones that are red and porous.

Probably the best known roast of lamb is the leg of lamb. There is no need to describe what part of the animal it is cut from. There are other cuts of lamb which are just as delicious and just as nutritious when roasted as leg of lamb but which are less expensive. One of them is a shoulder roast. It naturally is cut from the shoulder of the animal and it may be boned and stuffed in a most attractive manner or it may be rolled and roasted as rolled shoulder of lamb. This shoulder roast of lamb, if rolled, includes the breast of lamb. The other cuts of lamb which the home economists of the Consumer Section recommend for roasting are loin and rib roasts. The home economists say that you roast lamb as you do any tender meat, that is, roasted on a rack in an open pan, add no water and keep the oven temperature slow, about 325°F. throughout the entire cooking time. Be sure to turn the roast from time to time for even cooking. Boneless roasts will take a few minutes longer in the oven for each pound than roasts with the bone left in, but generally speaking, the times are 40 to 45 minutes per pound for boneless roasts and 30 to 35 minutes per pound for roasts with the bone in.

Any of the cuts of lamb which are sold as roasts may be cut for chops or steaks. For instance, the shoulder may be cut into shoulder chops, the loin into loin chops and the leg into leg steaks. These chops and steaks may be pan fried, broiled or baked. It is important to remember that lamb chops like beef steaks are often sold in different thicknesses. Some are about half an inch, others may be about one inch and just as with steak, the cooking times differ with the thickness. The home economists say that it takes about seven to eight minutes to pan fry or to broil lamb chops that are about one inch thick and about three to five minutes for lamb chops that are half an inch thick. To bake lamb chops, first brown the chops one minute on each side on the top of the stove using a heavy frying pan. Then place the chops in the oven on the centre rack and bake until tender in a slow oven, 325°F. This will take about 14 to 16 minutes for one inch chops and 8 to 10 minutes for half inch chops.

The roasts and the chops take in practically the whole carcass of the lamb and all that is left is the neck, the flank and the shank. These are ordinarily sold for stew meat or ground up and sold as lamb patties. Many retailers now sell lamb fronts as "lamb in the basket". This "lamb in the basket" is a front of lamb which is sold in two different ways. It may contain shoulder roast, about three shoulder chops and the neck and breast for use as stew meat. Or it may contain blade and shoulder chops, the neck and breast for stew but no roast. Lamb riblets are also sold by many butchers. These are the rib bones which have been removed from roasts sold as rolled roasts. The riblets are certainly a very inexpensive cut of meat and if they are prepared similar to spare-ribs with barbecued sauce, they are really delicious.

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Scotch Stew

3 pounds lamb shoulder (cut in serving-size pieces), ½ cup barley, 6 medium onions (whole) ¼ cup chopped celery, 2 tablespoons chopped parsley, ½ teaspoon thyme, 1 tablespoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 4 cups water, 6 medium potatoes (sliced), 6 medium carrots (whole) 2 cups green beans (1 20 oz. can), 2 tablespoons flour.

Wipe meat and trim fat. Brown well in heavy pan. Add barley, onions, celery, seasonings and water. Cover closely and simmer for 1 hour. Add potatoes and carrots and cook until done, about 45 minutes. Add green beans and cook about 10 minutes before serving. Thicken gravy with flour. Six servings.

Barbecued Riblets

3 Pounds lamb riblets (cut in 2-rib pieces), 3½ cups Barbecue Sauce.

Place lamb riblets on rack in shallow baking pan. Bake in 425°F. oven 30 minutes. Drain off excess fat. Remove rack and pour Barbecue Sauce over riblets. Reduce oven temperature to 325°F. and continue baking, 1 hour. Six servings.

Barbecue Sauce

2 Tablespoons brown sugar, 1½ teaspoons dry mustard, ¾ teaspoon chili powder, 1 teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 1½ tablespoons spicy meat sauce, 3 tablespoons vinegar, ¾ cup finely chopped onions, 3 cups canned, sieved tomatoes (1 28 oz. can).

Mix dry ingredients and add meat sauce and vinegar. Combine with onions and tomatoes rubbed through sieve. Mix thoroughly. (3½ cups).

Lamb Kabobs

18 1-inch cubs lamb shoulder (about 1-pound), ¼ cup chopped onion, 2 tablespoons salad oil, 2 tablespoons vinegar, ½ teaspoon mustard, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 clove garlic, crushed, 1 teaspoon curry powder (optional), 3 medium tomatoes, 3 medium onions, 12 fresh mushrooms.

Mix onion, salad oil, vinegar, mustard, salt, garlic and curry powder (if desired). Add lamb and let stand in marinade for at least 1 hour. Cut tomatoes in quarters and onions in thick slices. Make kabobs by filling 6 metal skewers loosely with alternate pieces of lamb, mushrooms, tomatoes and onion slices, ending with lamb. Brush vegetables with marinade, sprinkle with salt and pepper. Preheat broiler 5 minutes. Broil Kabobs 3 inches from heating unit, 5-7 minutes on each side or until well browned. Baste Kabobs with marinade while broiling. (Makes six Kabobs).

Scouts' Toy Shop -- You Too Can Help!

The Boy Scouts' Toy Repair crew is in operation, renovating and repainting discarded toys, for distribution among children of the locality to whom gifts come less lavishly at Christmas time.

If you have games or playthings discarded by your children, or surplus toys no longer used around your home, won't you please help the Boy Scouts in this annual Good Turn?

Donations will be gladly called for. Please phone Scoutmaster Basil Riddell (1013-M) or Assistant Scoutmaster Fred Stansfield (37-J).

Mrs. Gordon Graydon Hopes to Become M.P



—Central Press Canadian

Mrs. Gordon Graydon, widow of the late member of parliament, will stand for nomination at the Progressive Conservative convention of Nov. 20 to run as candidate for his Peel county riding. For the past 15 years, Mrs. Graydon was almost as active as her husband in political affairs. She says she hopes to continue her late husband's policies.

W.Inst. Efforts for Children in Korea

Members of the Quebec Women's Institutes who have been knitting for the children of Korea, will be interested in this item appearing in the last bulletin of the Women's Voluntary Services, Montreal, through whom the project is carried on. A letter has just been received by the president, Miss Jean Bovey, from Dr. Lun Chung Do, Director of the Seoul Hospital, a most decorative and inspiring document, beautifully written in Chinese characters. Fortunately a translation accompanied it, which reads as follows:

"Miss Jean Bovey — Your gifts to this hospital are very much appreciated. The friendship and effort from your country will never be forgotten. Hereby we present this letter of thanks to you.

— Dr. Lun Chung Do."

The Q.W.I. office is still asked occasionally if knitted squares and baby clothes are still being sent to Korea. The answer is, yes, and in this same bulletin Miss Bovey goes on to say that for the special Christmas delivery other articles would be most welcome, such as soap, powdered milk, barley and soup mixes, picture books, stuffed toys and doll's clothing.

"Another bad egg from the grocer, George."

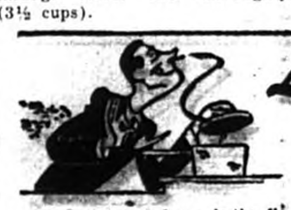
"Well, can you beat it?"

"I can, but I'm not going to."

"These new fashions are absolutely freakish", said Mr. Robinson. "Every time I look at that new hat of yours it makes me laugh."

"That's splendid, darling", replied his wife. "I'll hang it up where you can see it when the bill arrives."

Let's Eat



BY IDA BAILEY ALLEN

"Exquisite, Madame, is the flavor given by nature to fresh apricots. It is fortunate that, when dried and properly prepared, they keep most of this beautiful taste."

"Especially, Chef, if they are prepared by the no-cook method we've just worked out in the taste-test kitchen."

No-Cook Dried Apricot Sauce

Turn the contents of a one-pound package of dried apricots into a glass refrigerator dish or casserole. Pour in boiling water to cover; stir and drain. Then again pour in boiling water to cover; put on a lid and let stand until cold. Refrigerate 24 hours —then taste, and if desired stir in a little honey to sweeten.

"What are the calorie and vitamin values, Madame?"

"Six small soaked unsweetened dried apricots rate 80 calories, and about 125 calories if sweetened; they contain 2220 International Units of Vitamin A—a veritable food treasure!"

Tomorrow's Dinner

Cream of Green Pea Soup
Sausage, Sweet Potato and Broccoli Platter
Tomato-Lettuce Salad
Apricot-Raisin Pie
Coffee Tea Milk

All Measurements Are Level
Recipes Serve 4 to 6

Sausage, Sweet Potato and Broccoli Platter

For each person, cook and peel 2 medium-sized sweet potatoes. (Or use canned sweet potatoes or yams.) Separate 1 lb. link sausages and place in a baking pan. Stick each in 2 places with the tines of a fork. Add boiling water to the depth of ⅛ in.

Next, place sweet potatoes in a well-oiled pan and brush all over with salad oil. Dust with salt, pepper and a little cinnamon. Bake both sweet potatoes and sausages in a hot oven, 400 degrees F. until brown, about 20 min. Turn once to brown evenly.

To serve, arrange the sweet potatoes down the center of the platter; surround with the sausages, and broccoli arranged in bundles. If desired, top the broccoli with chopped egg and green pepper cream sauce.

Apricot-Raisin Pie

Put 1½ c. raw dried apricots and ½ c. raisins through the chopper. Add 1½ c. water, 1 c. sugar, ½ tsp. salt and 1 tbsp. fresh, canned or frozen lemon juice. Bring to boiling point. Then stir in 1 tbsp. butter or margarine blended with 1 tbsp. enriched flour. Cook and stir 2 min. Spoon into a 9-in. pie plate lined with pie pastry and dusted with 1 tsp. fine dry bread crumbs. Cover with a lattice top. Bake 10 min. in a hot oven, 425 deg. F.; then reduce the heat to 400 deg. F. and bake 20 min. longer.

Trick Of The Chef

Let diced tomatoes stand 2 hrs. in liquid from dill pickles for interesting flavor.

Once every six weeks is often enough to replace the nutrients which potted ferns absorb from the soil. If the fertilizer is in powder form, measure out one level teaspoonful and mix it into the top soil. Ferns should not be overfed.

Pot Bulbs Now For Spring Blooms

Its getting toward last call for potting bulbs to flower in the house in the spring, as it takes about six to eight weeks for the root system to develop.

Hyacinth, tulip, daffodil or narcissus are the bulbs most generally grown in the house though there are others of lesser importance. The soil is not very important, but it should contain a fair amount of sand. Peat or leaf soil may be added, but barnyard manure is best omitted unless very well pulverized with age.

After potting, water well and keep the bulbs in a cool dark part of the basement. During the six to eight weeks while the root system is developing, keep the soil moist but avoid dryness or saturation.

When the top growth is about an inch long, the pots should be moved to a light place in the basement and should remain there until a slight change in color from yellow to green occurs.

From then on the blooms may be forced in a room that is colder than the living room — often the hall or a cool, but not draughty, window is a suitable place. The bulbs should remain there until the leaves expand and the flower buds appear. At that time they may be safely moved into a warmer temperature. The full blooms will last longer if kept out of direct sunshine.

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FOR PARENTS ONLY...

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training

Young Canada's Book Week



(Copyright) — By NANCY CLEAVER —

"There are far too many special weeks and special days!" — Is that what you are protesting? "It is just a commercial scheme to make more money!". . . What about Young Canada's Book Week? Is this one particular week which should be ignored?

This special week is celebrated in libraries and in public schools. Attractive posters announce its arrival. Handy book marks with short reading lists for different age groups are distributed. Librarians and teachers do their best to interest boys and girls in reading good books. But this task of giving children a liking for books belongs to parents too!

No one can complain that book publishers are making vast fortunes or that authors are becoming millionaires in Canada! Often it is difficult for either to make a good living. Whether or not you are keen about marking a specific week as "Book Week", there is no finer gift that you can give your child than a love of literature.

"If your son or daughter enters Collegiate with a love of reading, this will be of very great value to him in making a success of the work here", the Vocational Guidance teacher told the parents of the scholars who had just graduated from Public School. He went on to point out the emphasis in education on the communication of ideas in the spoken and also the written word.

At the conclusion of his talk, he asked the searching question, which every parent should consider, "Are you satisfied with the number and variety of books in your home which your child is reading? Does he own attractive books suited to his age and tastes? Since he was small has he been exposed to the good infection of a genuine love of books in your family circle?"

Teachers are keenly aware of the importance of books. So are librarians, or they would never have chosen their vocation. But a child's reading is the responsibility of parents too!

Reading must struggle for a place among so many other fascinating leisure time activities in our modern world — radio, movies, TV — Canadian books must compete with books published in other countries, especially those from our neighbor to the South.

But the sentence which was once posted above the shelves in Boys' and Girls' House, the library building for juveniles, in one of our largest Canadian cities, is still true — "What you read, when you can read what you like, determines what you will be, when you can't help it!" Good books build character. Every parent, who wants the very best for his children, desires that they should appreciate the written word.

There are several things which mothers and fathers do to encourage a taste for reading. You can take a critical look at your child's collection of books. See if it is possible to add a new book at this time. If this is hard to do, budget for a Christmas book gift. The book list at the end of this article is helpful to you in making a wise choice.

Mother should see that there is a comfortable place for reading where the light is good. Dad might make a new bookcase or book shelf in Junior's room. There should be provision for books to be kept in an orderly fashion in a convenient spot. One inexpensive plan is to paint two orange crates. Then place them upright side by side to form a double book case.

If a new book is being purchased, why not visit a book store with your son or daughter? Do plan to make a special trip to the Boys' and Girls' Section of the Public Library. Take time to speak an appreciative word to the librarian. See the wide selection of books and watch your child as he makes his own choice.

If mother and dad love reading and spend part of their salary and leisure on books, it is very likely that the children growing up in this kind of a home atmosphere, will follow their example. A love of books is "caught not taught"!

The movies, comics, even TV will never completely replace the enjoyment of literature for youth in a civilized country. This is a taste which can be cultivated at any age. If as parents, you have been "too busy" to do much reading for a long time, why not make a fresh start at fitting books once again into your time schedule?

Fashions



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DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Weir

Mr. Wilfred Morrison is spending the present week at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Dubeau, of Ottawa, are spending a few days as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, with their son Keith, of Montreal, spent the week-end as guests at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaven's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kerr and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kerr.

Mrs. Geo. Clifton was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Robt. Williams, for a few days last week.

Miss Irene Clifford, of Montreal, spent the week-end as a guest at the home of Mrs. Chas. Mountain.

Week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morrison's included Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Morrison and family, and Mr. Royce Morrison, of Montreal; Mrs. D. MacKimmie, daughter Linda and son Billy, also Mrs. Earl Tomalty, of Lachute.

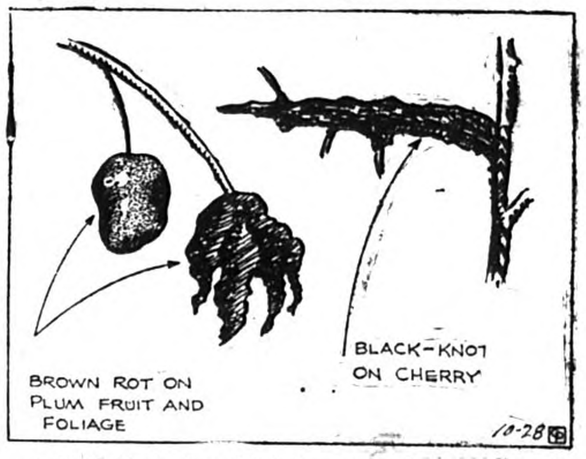
Mr. Stanley Langdon, of Normetal, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett's last week-end.

Flowers on the altar last Sunday in the Church of the Redeemer were in loving memory of the late Alma R. Purcell, placed there by the family.

It's almost impossible to overstuff a boy with food, says Judith Chase Churchill in Reader's Digest. A survey of 13 to 17-year-olds at St. Paul's School, Concord, N.H., showed they made good use of 5,000 calories daily — three times their basal energy requirements. Don't worry if your kid seems to overeat.

By DEAN HALLIDAY
Released by Central Press Canadian

Garden-Graph



A fall health check-up of fruit trees on home grounds is important at this time, especially on plums and cherries.

Plums are susceptible to brown rot, a disease which affects fruit and foliage, as shown in the accompanying Garden - Graph. A fungus appears as soft gray spore masses on the fruit. This causes the fruit to "mummify." Watch also for withered leaves clinging to a plum twig, as illustrated.

Black-knot is a fungus disease characterized by the development of black, rough swellings on the branches of plum or cherry. An infected cherry twig is illustrated.

Best protective measure against brown rot or black-knot and other diseases of fruit trees is sanitation. If you have detected brown rot, rake up and burn all "mummified" fruit found on the ground. Remove and destroy any such fruit remaining on the tree. Dust ailing trees with sulphur during the growing season.

To control black-knot, cut out and burn the diseased parts. This operation is best done in the fall after the leaves have dropped and the "knots" are clearly visible. The cuts should be made four to six inches below the individual knots to remove all internally diseased tissues.

Trees should be sprayed thoroughly with Bordeau mixture before the buds begin to swell next spring. Treated trees should be inspected soon after growth starts to make certain that all the knots have been removed.

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Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bates were Mr. and Mrs. Elden Bates and family, Mr. Evan Bates, Jr., and Miss Flora MacLeod.

Messrs. Elmer and Claude Andrews spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan McPhee visited their daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Kelly, in Aylmer last Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Bates entertained at a dinner party for her husband and his twin brother, James, of Lachute. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gill, of Grenville, and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Bates were present.

Service will be held at Mr. and Mrs. Allan McPhee's on Sunday, November 22, at 2.30 p.m. The Rev. Mark Beaufoy, M.A., will conduct the service.

Grenville

Mr. Clarence Dawson, of Carrying Place, Ont., who has been visiting with relatives here for a month, left on Monday for Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harkness and daughters, Diana and Sheila, of Lachine, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Villeneuve. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Villeneuve and Mrs. A. Daniels, of Kilmar, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gensis and son, Paul, and Mr. E. Coppens, of Toledo, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Gensis are on their way to a new home in Nova Scotia; while here they called on other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mimee spent last week in Montreal, returning here for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Seguin, of St. Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Trottier, of Alfred, Ont., were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dupuis.

Cushing

Miss Gloria Conliffe, R.N., of Barbados, was a week-end guest of Miss A. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Burton and son, John, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Miss Alberta Cleland.

Miss E. M. Graham, of Verdun, was the week-end guest of her parents, and on Friday was also the overnight guest of her aunt, Mrs. Albert Scott, Lachute.

Mrs. T. W. Weir, Mrs. Roy Dobbie, Mrs. L. M. Gaston, Mrs. A. Graham and Miss A. Davidson enjoyed the afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. G. Anderson, Brownsburg, held on Friday under auspices of the Baptist Church.

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

The sincere sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. L. D. Smith in the death of her brother, John Bradford, also to Mr. Bradford's other immediate relatives.

Mr. E. Raymond and daughter, Suzanne, and son, Eugene, of Montreal, were in Cushing on Saturday and attended the Community Club supper in Elliott's Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Fuller were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Croll of Hudson Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Gensis and son, Paul, of Toledo, Ont., were callers on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas, Chatboro, en route to their new home on the outskirts of Truro, N.S., where Mr. Gensis will be engaged in placing settlers from his homeland on farms. Mr. and Mrs. Gensis were former residents of Stonefield and regular attenders of St. Mungo's Church; friends in this community wish them success in their new work.

Guests at "Stonehaven", the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Coney, were Mr. and Mrs. C. Hooper and son, Kenneth, of Ville La Salle, last week-end; and on Sunday Mr. Lorne Martin and daughter, Patricia, of Montreal, also Mr. and Mrs. T. Morris and son, George, of Maisonneuve.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hooper, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Canning on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Minshall, of Pointe Claire, were their guests on Sunday.

Mr. Jas. Coney, of "Stonehaven", motored to Fort Erie, Ont., for a day during the past week.

Miss Suzanne Raymond was a week-end guest of Mrs. D. Leclair.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Pitt and daughter, Edith, also Mr. Douglas Taylor, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the Pitt summer cottage.

EAGER TO LEARN

Montreal (CP) — Evening courses at the University of Montreal are proving extremely popular. Prof. Leon Lortie, head of the extension department, reported attendance had reached the 4,000 mark in October.

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St. Andrews East

Capt. C. C. Clattenburg and son, Bruce, spent the week-end at their home here.

Mr. P. Clattenburg spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Louise Seymour was the guest of the Misses Wales for the long week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. McCanlish, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Payne and were entertained to tea by Col. and Mrs. Scott.

Miss Janet Ryan visited her mother over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parker and little son, Gregory, Pointe Claire, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Parker.

Mr. John Webster and Miss Kay Whiddon, of Mount Royal, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hall.

Lost River

Mr. and Mrs. R. Chisholm spent Friday of last week visiting at Maxville, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacTavish and children, of Niagara Falls, Ont., spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacMillan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacDonald, of N.D.G., spent the week-end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

Miss Rhoda MacMillan, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents.

Misses Helen Dewar and Audrey Dewar, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dewar.

Misses Jean and Shirley Richie, and Catherine Henderson, of Montreal, visited friends over the week-end.

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(Intended for last issue)

Miss Flora MacLeod, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. Peter Beaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacDonald, of N.D.G., spent the week-end visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

Miss Katie Louden, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Dewar.

Miss Helen Dewar, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dewar.

Week-end visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Rod MacMillan's were Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCrimmon, and Mr. Earl MacCrimmon, of Three Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCluskey spent the week-end visiting Mrs. F. Champagne in Arundel.

Miss Rhoda MacMillan, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. MacMillan.

Miss Catherine Henderson and Miss Shirley Richie, of Montreal, spent the week-end visiting with friends in Lost River.

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Bell Falls

(Intended for last issue)

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nixon, of Grenville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Carruthers, of Montreal, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Page.

Mrs. A. I. Brown, of Lachute, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCallum for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bennett and Mrs. W. McMahon called on friends at Howick and Rockburn recently.

Mrs. John McMahon has been spending some time with Mrs. J. Lewis in Ottawa.

Miss Janet McNeil underwent an operation for appendicitis recently at the Smiths' Clinic, Hawkesbury.

Mrs. Clarence McMahon and Lewis McMahon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLean.

The Women's Association supper, held recently in the Campbell Hall, was well attended.

Mr. Nolin McLean was the recent guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David McLean.

The Remembrance service was held Sunday in the Harrington United Church. A beautiful wreath of poppies was placed on the altar by the Sunday School, in remembrance of the young men who sacrificed their lives from this community — in World War I, Pte. Alex McVicar, and in World War II, Fusilier Harry McVicar and Pte. Evan Fox. Two minutes' silence was observed, after which the student minister preached his sermon entitled, "The Voice of A Dominion".

Harrington

(Intended for last issue)

The Harrington and Lake Keatley ladies are sponsoring a supper in G. Campbell's Hall on Friday evening, November 20—proceeds to go to the Kilmar Home and School Association.

The Harrington Ladies' Aid met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Sanford MacVicar, Lake Keatley.

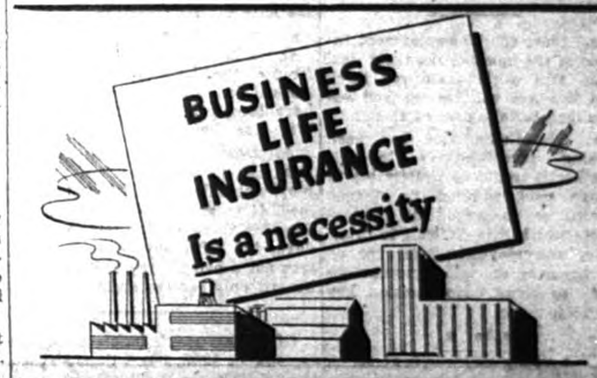
Brownsburg

(Intended for last issue)

Sympathy is extended to Mr. H. Gardiner and family, and other relatives of the late Mrs. Gardiner, who passed away at her residence here recently.

Mrs. Perley Clark and Mrs. N. E. Smillie were joint hostesses for the November meeting of the Maple Avenue Baptist Mission Circle, which was held at the home of Mrs. Smillie. Mrs. Howard Dixon gave an interesting talk on Baptist Missionary work in Bolivia.

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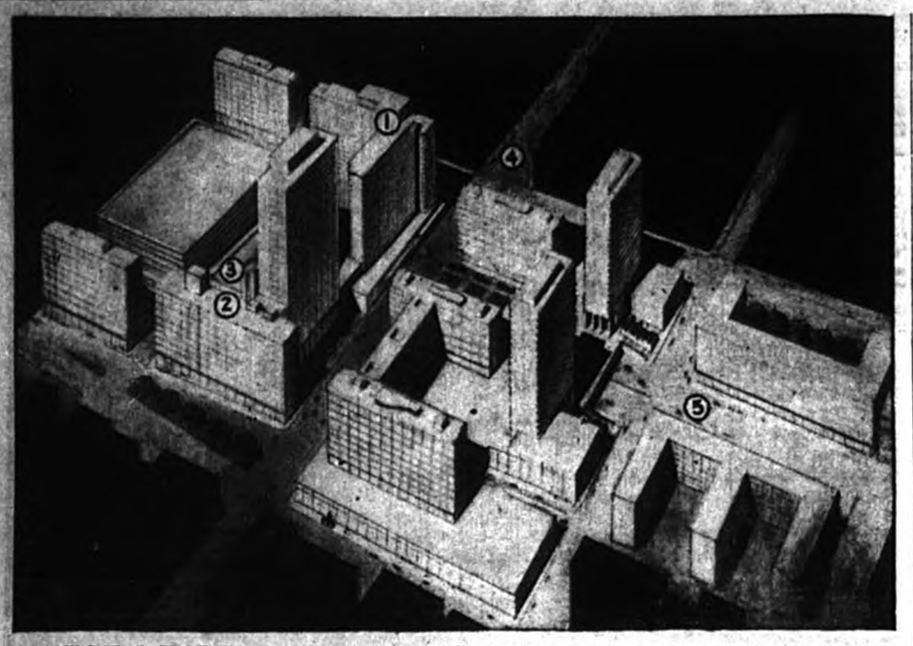
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PLANS FOR A VAST development project in the Central Station area at Montreal—twice as large as Rockefeller Center in New York—were detailed by Donald Gordon, president of the Canadian National Railways, last week at a press conference. Above is a bird's eye view showing a scale model of the project. The new 20-storey hotel (1) will cost $20,000,000 and have upwards of 1,000 rooms. It will accommodate 2,500 persons at banquets and more than 4,000 at meetings, and make Montreal one of the most important convention centres in North America. Construction is expected to begin early next year and be completed within three or four years. The International Aviation Building (2) was opened in 1951 and flanks the proposed 28-storey railway office building. Central Station (3), Dorchester Street (4) looking west, and the new enlarged McGill College Avenue (5) show the layout of the plan. The other structures indicate how the overhead rights in the area can be developed by private capital into a magnificent shopping, theatre, office and apartment district.

Have You A Question ON UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE OR EMPLOYMENT?

In this column we publish questions about unemployment insurance and employment, together with answers received from the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

If you are uncertain about any point do not hesitate to send your question to your district Unemployment Insurance office. We will obtain an answer and publish it in this column.

Q. Since the Unemployment Insurance Commission does not deal with farm workers, do you think that the Act will be changed before long to take care of them?

A. The Commission has been making investigations to see whether it would be practicable to insure paid workers on farms. Agriculture is one of the employments which it is difficult to bring under unemployment insurance, as the handling of claims presents so many problems. No decision has yet been made.

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Q. A young girl who is about to be married left her job because she was moving to another place. Is she entitled to benefits?

A. No. In the first instance she would probably be disqualified for the time being because she was not available for employment. In addition she would be unable to qualify for benefit during the two years immediately following her marriage until she had given evidence of continuing attachment to the employment market by a record of 60 days' employment under a contract of service subsequent to the date of her marriage.

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Q. I have been receiving benefit for the last three weeks. I worked four days last week and I have been paid for only one day. Why was that?

A. Benefit is not paid for the first day in any period of unemployment unless the claimant's immediately preceding employment was for three or less consecutive days, the fifth day in that week was not a benefit day and you got benefit only for the sixth day.

Of 164,000 people immigrating to Canada in 1952, more than 86,000 went to Ontario.

The Electron -- Link Between Mind - Matter

Specially Contributed By Norman Thorburn

The ancient philosopher Socrates used his trial to propagandize the very ideas for which his countrymen were condemning him.

Reasoning that, if there was no life beyond the grave, he would not suffer, and if there was, he would be rewarded, for he had led a good life — he drained the deadly cup of hemlock while a few of his devoted students and friends looked on.

Socrates died because he dared to question the validity of the ancient Greek religion.

Socrates was not able to prove with mathematical or scientific certainty that there was life beyond the grave, although he believed there was.

If we were to ask Albert Einstein for proof today, he, too, would probably say that there is nothing with which he could make an equation, no place where he could draw an angle, beyond the River Lethe, the river of death.

The finest and most delicate of scientific instruments cannot define the flight of the soul, once it has left the body. . . Yet we know a little more perhaps than Socrates.

Since the time the famous Jewish scientist, Albert Einstein, enunciated his theory that energy is equal to mass times the square of the speed of light, we have come to see that matter is by no means the dead, inanimate substance we had thought it to be. There is spirituality in the materials of Nature.

The famous English poet William Wordsworth spent a long life preaching this. "'Tis my belief the trees enjoy the air they breathe", he wrote.

Certainly, some plants have a primitive nervous system, such as the fly-catcher plant. There is also a plant which catches mice and has digestive juices to dissolve them.

There is no sharp division between animals and plants. Certain of the minute algae have some of the properties of animals, some of the properties of plants.

Certainly, there is much mystery in inanimate Nature. The meson rays, products of atomic disintegration, do not respond to any known scientific laws, and they baffle even Einstein. They seem to have the power of disappearing and appearing at will. They have been partly explained by adding a fifth and sixth dimension to Einstein's fourth — time.

Life obviously could not exist without the atom. Without the atom, there could be no light. There is no light in the ethereal void.

The electrons that revolve around the atom, are the magical messengers of the Universal Intelligence.

By means of the electron man has radio, television, thinking machines and countless others. The electron actuates even man's own thinking.

The world-famous Montreal neuro-surgeon, Dr. Wilder Penfield, in an experiment inserted an electrode into the brain of a patient and touched the optic centre in the brain. The patient saw bright red flashes. Touching the auditory nerve centre, the patient heard the tinkling of bells. Then touching the photo-sensitive cells in the seat of memory in the brain, his electrode caused the patient to remember clearly an event of his youth.

The great doctor believes a master switch controls the whole brain.

There is no death in the universe; even the atoms and electrons are seemingly alive.

Einstein bases the whole of Nature upon electro-magnetism, the power of the electron. It is extremely unlikely that our souls, on leaving the body, can long escape contact with the atoms and electrons that generate life.

William Wordsworth believed that we have lived many times before this life, but we return to the Great Spirit of Nature at death. His philosophy is akin to Pantheism. . . Wordsworth had a mysterious sense of oneness and affinity with the material universe.

John Locke, the English philosopher, first showed the part the material environment of man played in man's thinking, when he enunciated his famous dictum, "All knowledge comes from sensation and reflection."

For this he was criticized by Descartes, the classical French philosopher, who said, "Je méprise Locke" (I distrust Locke). Locke had abandoned the ancient deductive system of philosophy, which he thought had outlived its usefulness.

Locke laid the cornerstone of the great modern science of psychology.

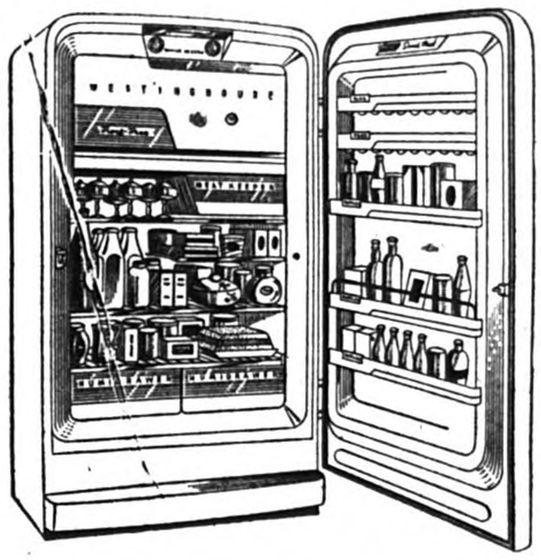
To the great dictum of John Locke we can now add that both sensation and reflection are generated by the electron.

It says in Holy Writ that God is everywhere. It is quite possible the ubiquitous electron is His means of seeing, hearing, and so forth, all that transpires in His universe, if the electron actuates all intelligence.

For without an all-seeing eye, and an all-hearing ear, etc., the universe would be a meaningless monstrosity.

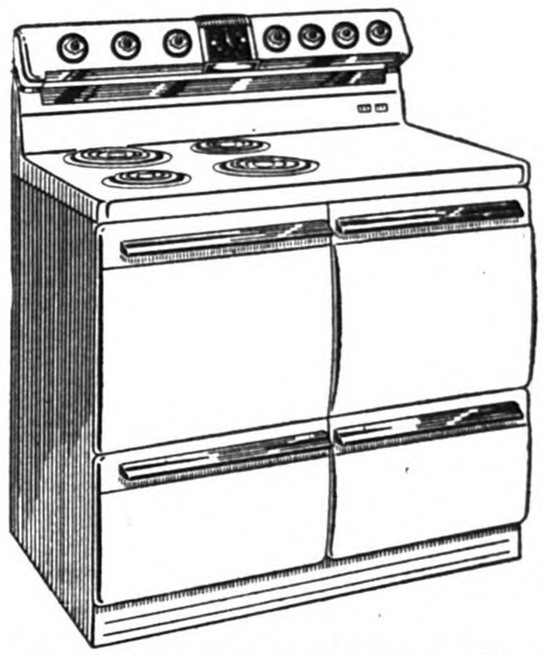
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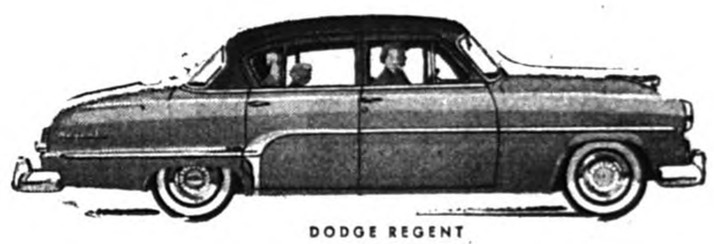
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Inter-Municipality Discussion on Problems Concerning Lachute and St. Jerusalem Parish

Recent Health Department Order Requiring Mains and Sewerage in Jerusalem Subdivision, Brings Lachute Into Picture for Water Supply

The need for more water both in Lachute and surrounding municipalities — a new dump site — Barron's Bridge — the town boundaries — and possibility of procuring a grant for new and modern firefighting apparatus, were items discussed at the combined meeting of Lachute Town Council and the Parish of St. Jerusalem Council, held in the Auditorium here Friday evening. Purpose of the meeting was to discuss a new water contract between Lachute and St. Jerusalem, in order that the latter municipality may supply all residents with water and sewerage facilities.

W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., Mayor of St. Jerusalem, in stating his case told the Lachute Council, and a few interested St. Jerusalem taxpayers who were present, that his Council had been instructed by a provincial ordinance to install water and sewers, with Lachute to supply the water.

Water Supply

The main discussion of the meeting was centred on water and the lack of it. The Parish of St. Jerusalem will require 100,000 gallons a day — 75% of this going to the Lachute Golf and Country Club. "As you can see by this, it's the Golf Club that will use the majority of our water, for their greens", Mr. Cottingham said. "We have been considering a pipe direct from the river to supply the Golf Club, and with that, we would be able to supply them with fertilizer as well as water!"

Proposed sites for the connecting of the water mains were discussed, and verbal agreement resulted on these points.

Mayor Dr. Jules Lafleur, in replying, said that the town surveyor, Seraphin Ouimet, was presently working in the vicinity of Lake Sir John and the upper lakes, to see if water would be available in case the level of the present intake became so low as to be considered dangerous. "We will be able to supply you with the water but it may cost us more than $300,000, as the pipes have been there since 1935. At the present time, it provides us with a flow of water — not always steady, or clear — but we have water."

"You can't give us what you haven't got", Mayor Cottingham replied. "If the supply of water is not sufficient, it becomes a matter of Public Health. . . Give us your proposition in writing, as far as the water is concerned, and we will give you our answer. As for the sewers, we will have that determined and approved by the Public Health authorities, as we do not want to do anything that might not be good for Public Health in general."

In closing the water discussion, Mayor Dr. Lafleur said that a similar contract as that which was drawn up with Ayersville would be sent to the Parish Council, and if they took the water it would be "as is", with the color, taste, smell and multitude of other defects, along with the existing pressure. He added that the price of the water would remain the same as in the past — 11 cents per 1,000 gallons.

Continued discussion and suggestions for the present waterworks system, and the proposed system, were brought forward, so that the Parish of St. Jerusalem Council was as familiar with the problems facing Lachute, as the Lachute Council was aware of the Parish problems.

Site for Dump

The subject of a new site for a dump was then brought before the Councils. "The present dump is a 'rat city', although Jos. DeBellefeuille does a wonderful job. There are people for miles around who bring dead animals and just about everything else under the sun, and leave them on our dump, and it is impossible to have a man watching it 24 hours a day", said Mayor Lafleur. A new site was proposed, also approved by Mayor Cottingham and Parish Councillors Herbert F. Gordon and Ernest McOuat, who were present at the meeting. The new site presently under consideration is part of lot 1715 on the Gore Road, just off the road to Dunany, three or four miles from Lachute. The bush lot, which incidentally belongs to the present garbage collector, is about the best possible spot located so far by Ald. W. Cousineau, who has been on the look-out for a dump site for some months past. The dump, if located there, will be fenced all around; the road leading to it, which will have to be built, will have a locked gate on it, with only interested parties in possession of a key. "In the interest of both communities (as we will want to dump there ourselves) I will supply the gravel for the necessary road-building free of charge", Mayor Cottingham offered.

Henry Street

The fate of Henry Street was next under discussion. Half of this street belongs to Lachute and the other half to St. Jerusalem. "How about giving us all of Henry Street?" Mayor Lafleur asked.

"Personally, I have no objections to that, but you would have to amend your charter", replied Mayor Cottingham. "And if you take that much, why not go all the way to the Golf Course?"

"If you'll let us, we will", Mayor Lafleur ventured.

Costs and methods of opening Henry Street were debated for some time, and various solutions were suggested. It was decided that the street would have to be kept open this winter and this cost is to be shared by the two Councils.

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Ch. of Commerce Meeting Held At Morin Heights

(Our District Correspondent)

Morin Heights — The general meeting of Morin Heights Chamber of Commerce was held last week with President A. Basler in the chair and 14 members present.

The secretary reported that 1,000 Rainbow Trout fingerlings, received from the government hatchery at St. Faustin, had been placed in Geo. Hamilton's stream and that this had been screened to give them protection. Signs had also been posted.

It was reported that work on the ski-jump was progressing, but there was considerable rock that would have to be blasted out unless permission could be obtained to move the run over sufficiently to by-pass them.

The president made mention of his attendance at the meeting held in Ste. Adele and said he had obtained a night during the Carnival to organize some event here in Morin Heights.

The treasurer reported that membership fees were coming in steadily and that the Chamber's finances were excellent after meeting all obligations.

Lateness of opening the meetings came under discussion and the president appealed to members to be present and punctual.

Argenteuil County Declared Accredited Area By Dept. Agriculture

The Federal Department of Agriculture has declared the County of Argenteuil an accredited area until June 1, 1955. The percentage of bovine tuberculosis in Argenteuil has always been very small, and at the present time it is practically nil.

Priest Appointed To Rouyn Retreat

The Rev. Father Louis-Roger Lafleur, O.M.I., who has latterly served as priest in the Parish of Ste. Famille, Ottawa, has been appointed director of the closed retreat establishment of the Oblat Order at Rouyn.

Well known in this community, the Rev. L. Roger Lafleur was born in Lachute, the son of Mr. Louis Lafleur, now of l'Institut Agricole at Oka, and of the late Mrs. Lafleur. He is a brother of Mayor Dr. Jules Lafleur. He has been in the priesthood for 22 years, and before serving in the Ottawa parish, was organizer of the Cap de la Madeleine pilgrimages.

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Mammoth Lemons Grown By Local Horticulturist

Three lemons, all exceeding one pound in weight, have been cut from a small lemon tree planted by Lem W. Hammond, Main Street, about two and a half years ago. The trunk of the tree, which is about half grown, is barely 5/8 inch in diameter, but being hardwood, it did not bend in the least with the total weight of fruit, in excess of three and a half pounds. The largest lemon measures 14 inches in circumference and weighs a pound and a half.

At the present time additional fruit is forming, but will not mature for another 10 or 11 months. The heavily perfumed blooms, which are presently on the tree, appear three or four times a year.

Appearing with these gigantic lemons now on view in Wilson and Gordon's store window, Main Street, is a perfectly shaped potato weighing 2 pounds 9 ounces, which was dug from Mr. Hammond's garden.

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Industrial Tour Instructive Fare For Rotary Club

Brownsburg — Members of the Rotary Club spent an interesting afternoon on a guided tour of the Canadian International Paper Company's Research Laboratories in Hawkesbury last week. Divided into small groups of three or four, each accompanied by one of the technical staff of the laboratories, the members were shown in detail the various steps in the manufacture of both rayon and cellulose acetate yarn: The highly specialized machines for testing materials in various stages of the process, including the finished product, were shown to the visitors, and their function and operation was described in detail.

Following dinner at the Abinaki Golf Club, Dr. Warren Beasely, assistant manager of the laboratories, summarized briefly the pilot plant operations carried on in Hawkesbury. He told of the attempts being made to utilize a greater proportion of the material in wood, by developing new uses for by-products of the cellulose fibre and pulp manufacturing operations. When asked of the effect of synthetic fibres on the textile industry, Dr. Beasely pointed out that world consumption of rayon was still only one-quarter that of cotton, while it was six times that of all other synthetics, such as nylon and dachron combined. In his opinion there are uses for all types of synthetics without any one appreciably affecting the market for any of the others.

Mr. S. Wang, manager of the laboratory, and Messrs. Dosne, Wilson and Cotton, department heads on the company staff, were also on hand at the dinner to answer questions regarding the various operations and to voice opinions of trends in the wood pulp industry.

Dr. Beasely was introduced by Art Lapp and thanked by Barry Bourne.

Officers Elected for County Orange Lodge

At the County Orange Lodge annual meeting, held last Saturday, the following officers were elected:

Master, Stanley Holt; Deputy Master, Dennison Swail; Chaplain, Lawrence Tomalty; Secretary, R. Hugh Morrison; Treasurer, Nelson Morrison; 1st Lect., Victor McVicar; 2nd Lect., Scott MacLean; Tyler, Stanley Donaldson.

The reports were very encouraging and showed an active interest.

Arrangements were made for the celebration of the Centenary of the County Orange Lodge of Argenteuil.

Asbestos Mineral Of Stategic Value To Canada

Lions Club Hears Speaker, Sees Revealing Film On Mining, Manufacture

Paul A. Filteau — Bachelor of Applied Science, Mining Engineer, and presently Public Relations officer for Johns-Manville Corporation in Canada — brought a film on the asbestos industry which provided an interesting diversion for Lions Club members, at their meeting Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall.

Vice-President Roger Regimbal was chairman in the absence of Edward M. Jones, president, who is in hospital for medical observation. There was an attendance of around 35 members — the season's attendance being reported by Lion Rod Carreau at a creditable 73 per cent.

Herb Graves, committeeman for the turkey bingo on December 12, discussed plans for this public event, emphasizing that proceeds would be for the club's annual Christmas treat to local schoolchildren.

Recommendation was made by Leopold Carrière for a donation on behalf of a west-end school rink.

Dates for future events are: next regular meeting, December 1; Lions' family Christmas party, December 15; Santa's visit to schools, in Christmas week.

Mr. Filteau's introduction to the industrial film had a touch of philosophy concerning the wealth, tangible and intrinsic, to be found at our own back doors; and the illusion of fortunes coined in far-off fields. He looked back to the initiative of H. W. Johns who, in 1859, started research on the possibilities of a little-known mineral, asbestos; and a man named Manville in the United States, who with his sons experimented in producing compounded building products. How the two later combined their knowledge and their methods, to form a company which today produces—not only roofing and siding and fireproof insulation — but no fewer than 500 lines of products.

The J.M. Corporation mines one of the world's most valuable materials, asbestos. For Canada it is a highly strategic material: this country controls three-quarters of the world production, and to date there has been found no substitute for its fire-resisting qualities in blankets for jet aircraft engines.

Asbestos, Que., where the mineral is produced by open-pit and underground excavation, has the largest mine in the world, yielding more than 50 per cent of the entire Canadian production.

Johns-Mansville Corporation was cited as an example of free enterprise developing this country's resources; providing employment for Canadian workers under safe, healthy and happy conditions; manufacturing products for human comfort, convenience and utility, and maintaining the living standard of Canadians and Americans at its unequalled level.

Mr. Filteau was introduced by Ian Gordon and thanked by Léopold Carrière.

Brownsburg School Financing Reviewed At Home and School Assocn. Meeting By Local Board Chairman, M. P. Reilly

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — The monthly meeting of the Home and School Association was held in the school cafeteria on the third Wednesday of the month, as usual. When Dave Atkins called the meeting to order a very full attendance answered the call. The secretary, Miss E. Hanson, accompanied the members in "O Canada", after which a short session of routine business was transacted.

It was decided that at future meetings a nominal fee of 10 cents be charged to meet the costs of refreshments and that members wishing to help with donations of cookies or cakes contact Mrs. Clark, the social convener; any assistance in this direction will be of great service to the Association and serve to make the meetings more enjoyable.

In welcoming the members and others present, Mr. Atkins said he was pleased at the overflow attendance. At the present time the membership was in excess of last year, and many had yet to be contacted, so that the work of the Home and School had commanded the support and, he hoped, the approval of parents and teachers alike. The executive had decided that the usual monthly meeting would not be held in December, but after that five monthly meetings would be held and the program-planning committee had lined up an instructive and interesting series of sessions. The work of those meetings would be of considerable importance to the parents and teachers, and he advised members to show by their attendance that they had the interests of their children at heart, and the interests of education as a whole.

The president referred to the night's meeting as of importance to those whose burden it was to pay for education. The chairman of the school-board, as well as the members of the board, were present and an opportunity was thus provided for a heart-to-heart talk on their difficulties and work, and the problems they were called upon to solve. Mr. M. Pat Reilly would talk of those problems and lay the facts before the meeting to consider and approve. If some points were not clear the members of the school board would be available after the meeting to answer questions or clear misunderstandings. Mr. Atkins then called upon Mr. Reilly to present a statement on school affairs from the financial viewpoint.

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Safe Robbery At Co-op Store Nets $4,000

The second $4,000 robbery in less than a month occurred over the week-end, when thieves entered the local co-operative store, La Ruche de Lachute, which is just inside the Lachute town limits. Cheques and other non-negotiable currencies in the safe were not touched.

The entry and robbery is believed to have taken place late Saturday evening or early Sunday morning, as witnesses saw a car parked beside the store at this time. The auto was described as similar to the one that was seen outside the C.P.R. station the night of robbery there, but there is no definite proof that it was the same car.

The thieves gained entry into the building through a small window in the basement, by removing a wire-mesh screen. They carried the safe from the office to the basement of the building, where they set it on a couple of bags of potatoes to deaden the noise. "The safe was opened by experts, as it was a beautiful job", Det. Nick Anderson of the Provincial Police robbery squad said after examining it. "It was opened from the back by someone who knew what they were doing; it would be imposible to open it by way of the door without knowing the combination."

The loss, which is believed to be covered by insurance, was reported Monday morning and Police Chief Donat Villeneuve, accompanied by the local officers, made the first investigation prior to calling in Det. Maurice Lamoureux, who notified headquarters to send their specialists in this type of sleuthing.

Several different gangs are under suspicion, and a few local men are believed to be involved, although no positive development is reported in the investigation to date.

Garage Fire At Ayersville

Considerable damage was caused by fire in a one-car garage owned by R. Leroux, of Ayersville, around 8.30 p.m. last Saturday. The building, which was completely gutted, was used by the owner as a workshop.

The cause of the fire is not known. Several oil drums were stored in the building, and these fed the blaze for some time. The Lachute fire brigade, who answered the call, were on the scene for close to an hour, fighting the blaze with a single line of hose and the booster pump on their truck.

The building, although still standing, is damaged beyond repair.

Arrest Follows Illegal Possession of Firearm

A 23-year-old Ayersville man was arrested Tuesday night by Constable Oscar Sabourin and later charged for illegal possession of a revolver. The man was exhibiting the gun to fellow customers in a local establishment, and the police were notified after he left the building. He was later arrested in a pool room here.

Held in the local cells Tuesday night and all day Wednesday, he was handed over to the attention of Provincial Detective Maurice Lamoureux, to be escorted to St. Jerome for arraignment.

CROWN TRINKET BOX PRESENTED TO QUEEN

London (CP) — The Queen recently received a belated birthday present from the Royal College of Art here. It was a combined trinket box and pin cushion in the shape of a crown made in the college's silversmithing and jewelry school.

Set with pearls and turquoises with crimson velvet for the pin cushion and topped with a small enamelled gold strawberry plant, the box can be locked and unlocked by rotating a jewelled ring.

At Steinbach, Man., Ed and Fred Wurzburger bought a piece of property from a real estate agency, Reimer Company, for which they plunked down $.200 twenty-five cent pieces; $00 had already been counted out before as the down payment.

Local Servicemen Arrive in Korea

(Our District Correspondent)

Brownsburg — Word has been received by relatives of the following young men that they have arrived in Korea: Pte. Ronald Elliott, Pte. Stanley Grealy, Pte. Ross Decoste, and Pte. George Tuttle of Lachute.

LAST OF PULPWOOD RACES TO PAPER MILLS BEFORE FREEZE-UP





—Photos by Malak, Ottawa

Last of Canada's annual harvest of 10,000,000 cords of pulpwood is being hurried down rivers, streams and chutes to reach the mills before the freeze-up. Parliamentary towers form a background for this view of the Ottawa river, laden with pulp, that began its journey in the timber-rich areas stretching hundreds of miles from the capital. The chute, right, takes the logs around a power dam just north of Ottawa. When the freeze-up comes, the chugging of the tugs ceases, the shouts of the lumbermen are stilled, but farther north, in the forests across the Dominion, men start out to begin the cycle all over again.

End of Free Competition, Says Drew, On Refusal of Airlines Cargo Request

Prime Minister Replies Publicly-Owned Air Service Adequate for Freight Needs

"THE WEEK AT OTTAWA"
By Don Peacock,
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Ottawa, Nov. 28 (CP) — As the Commons got down in earnest to the debate on the speech from the throne, Opposition Leader Drew called the Liberal Government policies "socialism in a silk hat", and Prime Minister St. Laurent denied the government is wearing such headgear.

The week drew to a close with the spotlight on the issue raised by a Calgary newspaper, questioning the use of a Commons member's franking privilege which permits him to send letters through the mails without stamps at certain times.

Trade Minister Howe also told parliament that the government feels there is no necessity to loan farmers money on grain stored on farms because of this year's bumper harvest.

Airlines Issue

Progressive Conservative Leader Drew's reference to the silk hat highlighted an argument between Mr. Drew and Mr. St. Laurent over cabinet decision denying Canadian Pacific Airlines' application for a Vancouver-Montreal cargo service. Mr. Drew said the denial indicated a policy "which means the end of free competition where the government has entered any business."

Mr. St. Laurent replied that the government believes in competition "when competition is apt to provide what it normally provides — a stimulus to better service". The cabinet had decided, however, that the publicly-owned Trans-Canada Air Lines was carrying efficiently all air cargo available and would be able to handle any increase in the foreseeable future.

Mr. Drew said: "The policies being followed by this government and now enunciated so clearly do constitute socialist doctrine. This is socialism in a silk hat."

Replied Mr. St. Laurent: "I suppose I should tip my socialistic hat to him (Mr. Drew) on this occasion. . . . I think we are all belivers in competition." But this did not mean unlimited competition.

Later, the air transport board approved reductions in TCA's air freight charges, cutting present tolls by as much as 50 per cent in some cases. The new rates are expected to come into effect January 1.

The Franked Letters

Edward T. Applewhaite (L-Skeena) asked in the Commons if the government was investigating an "abuse" of the franking privilege. The use of the frank on documents received by the Calgary Herald had been questioned in one of that paper's editorials, reprinted in the Ottawa Journal.

State Secretary Pickersgill then said that the government was trying to identify the member of Parliament whose franking privilege was used.

Later, in an interview outside the House, John Blackmore, Social Credit member for Lethbridge, said his secretary used his free mailing privilege without his knowledge to mail three "anti-Communist and anti-Semitic" documents to the Calgary paper November 5. The House opened November 12.

The secretary, Doris A. Moore, said Mr. Blackmore gave her authority to use his frank last spring on material that was relevant to the parliamentary work of the House of Commons". She said "if anti-Communism is not relevant to the work of Parliament, then we had better close up this whole place of Parliament and go home."

Mr. Blackmore said most members of Parliament entrust their secretaries with the use of their frank, which permits members and senators to send unstamped letters through the mail during sessions and within 10-day periods preceding and following a session. He said Miss Moore used the frank to mail the documents on the assumption she had that right following his return to Parliament in the last election. He, however, was not in Ottawa when the documents were mailed, Mr. Blackmore said.

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SHIPPING CLOSE

Cornwall, Ont. (CP) — The Cornwall canal will be closed to shipping from December 5 of this year. Current figures showed 766 ships passed through the busy artery in October with 1,044,369 tons of freight.

Discuss Prov'l Rights In Education Field

Quebec (CP) — Quebec's royal commission on constitutional problems, and particularly on provincial rights in the field of education, held a two-day sitting in Quebec, the highlight of which was presentation of a brief by the Conseil de la Vie Francaise, a French-speaking cultural group.

The council urged provincial governments to consider their own obligations before protesting on encroachments of the Federal government in provincial fields.

However, it warned that centralization had placed an onerous task on the Federal authority which resulted in Senators and elected members being unable to cope with the task, and left "to an army of civil servants not responsible to the people" the job of administering the country.

"Since the beginning of the current century we are witnessing constant regression of provincial autonomy, a fading out of regional character benefitting the central authority, particularly since the last war. We believe there is reason to be alarmed about this. . ."

Ste. Therese Police Officers To Face Court Charge

The Ste. Therese town police force is short three men this week, as a lieutenant and two constables were placed under arrest recently by officers of the Provincial Police.

The infraction with which they were charged was throwing paint remover on two automobiles on the night of September 5. This act on the part of the three officers was allegedly the outcome of a long-standing disagreement concerning municipal elections, between the policemen and Messrs. Gaston Blanc and M. Ethier.

The three arrested were Lieut. Adrien Lavallée and Constables Adrien Yelle and Aimé Charron. They will be tried tomorrow, Friday, in St. Jerome Court.

With the three men relieved of their duties, Chief R. Danis was forced to hire three temporary officers to police the town.

GROWING UP



—Central Press Canadian

Little Prince Charles celebrated his fifth birthday in the usual way—he had his picture taken. Soon he will start the strenuous training that attends his royal position.

CANADIAN SCOUTS INVITED

Canada has been invited to send representatives to two Scouting events in other countries in 1954: To the First Phillipines National Jamboree to be held from April 23 to 30 near Manila; and to the First Brazilian International Patrol Camp at Sao Paulo, Brazil, from July 27 to August 3rd. Enquiries should be directed to Provincial Scout Headquarters, which in turn will pass them on to Canadian Headquarters.

Gatineau LINES

Service Improvements

During the last few months extensive additions and improvements to transmission lines and high tension substations have been completed.

The Company's 32 mile 110,000 volt transmission line from Lachute to Cedars went into operation in September 1953.

A completely new 26,400 volt line, 19 miles long, was built from Dorion to St. Polycarpe in 1953 and is now serving the central and western parts of the Company's Vaudreuil Division.

This year 12 miles of 26,400 volt line have been erected on the new highway between Low and Kazabasua, to replace the line, built in 1926, on the Gatineau River road between these two places.

With the completion of the Dorion 15,000 kva 110,000 volt substation, the Company now has in operation four 110,000 volt substations in the eastern part of its territory.

GATINEAU POWER COMPANY

BIGGER SHEEP SHOWS

Harbour Grace, Nfld. (CP) — More than 200 sheep and 80 lambs were entered at the first sheep show here. Experts estimated that sheep in Newfoundland have increased more than 40 per cent in the last three years and good entries were also seen at Carbonear and Shoe Cove.

Seasonal Farm Topics



Numerous 4-H Contests

Hundreds of 4-H members have already registered in the 16 contests opened to them every year. The 4-H movement groups together about 10,000 members in different parts of Quebec. These contests have been organized in view of giving the 4-Hers an opportunity to improve their knowledge in every branch of the natural sciences and of making them conscious of the importance of the natural resources of our land.

The contests, dealing with the use of electricity, forest protection, handicraft, reforestation, embellishment, embroidery, sewing, cooking, etc., bring the provincial winners some scholarships of two hundred dollars and gold medals. These rewards are given by many sponsors, and are presented to the winners at the 4-H annual Provincial Convention which takes place in August, 1954.

Good Prices for Ayrshire "Stars"

At the "sale of stars" in Toronto last week, six Ayrshire bulls sold for $3,550, with the top price of $850 going to R. O. Biggs, Dundas, on the imported junior calf, Burton Perfect Jim, from A. B. Everett. Biggs also consigned the top of the sale, the three-year-old imported cow, Threave Mirthful Miss, which brought $1,050 from G. M. Brawley, Clairmont.

Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec buyers were active bidders. Several head went to the U.S., two to Mexico, as well as individual purchases from nearly every province in Canada.

J. H. Black, of Lachute, consigned the second highest female, Cowgrove Brown Kate, which was also purchased by A. B. Everett for $975.

Now over four million cows are bred artificially each year in the United States. The first breeding associations were formed in 1938.

Macdonald Economist Urges Farm Policy

Dr. W. E. Haviland, marketing specialist with the Department of Economics at Macdonald College, stated in an interview recently that farmers are consistently plagued with rapidly fluctuating prices and chronically low relative incomes.

Dr. Havilland was commenting on the 12% drop in Canadian farm income forecasted for this year by federal agricultural economists. This is the second successive annual decline since 1951. Farm people are naturally disturbed and want to know what kind of farm policies are needed to stabilize the farming industry.

Dr. Haviland made it clear that working out details for an overall, long-range farm policy is no easy matter. He stated, however, that any agricultural policy should be based on the basic principles of greater stability and greater equality of income through increased efficiency.

The growing concern of organized farm groups all across Canada serves to emphasize the need for developing a farm policy. It was noted that the Quebec Farm Forum Council spent a large part of a recent meeting considering farm policy with respect to price supports and disposal of food surplusses.

Agricultural Institute To Hold Joint Meeting

Members of the Montreal Branch of the Agricultural Institute will be guests of the Macdonald College Branch today (Thursday).

The program will consist of an afternoon tour of points of interest at Macdonald College and barbecued chicken in the main dining hall at 6.30. In the evening the two groups will get down to business on their plans for the 34th National Convention of the A.I.C. which will be held next June at Macdonald College.

Dr. G. R. Smith, National president of the Agricultural Institute of Canada, and Mr. Lorne Hurd, National secretary, will be guests at the meeting.

Beef Cattle Improvement

Ottawa — Do beef animals vary widely in their rate of gain and in the amount of feed needed to make a pound of gain? If so, will the progeny of the more efficient animals also make more rapid and cheaper gains than the progeny from the less efficient animals?

Some information on the first of these questions is available from a test carried on at the Experimental Farm, Nappan, Nova Scotia, states C. D. T. Cameron, Animal Husbandman, (Breeding and Nutrition), at that Institution.

A total of thirty-three Shorthorn bulls, heifers and steers were started on test upon reaching an individual live weight of 500 pounds, and continued on test until each animal reached 900 pounds live weight. Each animal was fed separately and a record was kept of the amount of hay and grain consumed.

The most efficient bull gained 400 pounds live weight in 155 days and consumed 1,540 pounds of meal and 1,075 pounds of hay. The least efficient bull took 237 days to gain 400 pounds and required 2,440 pounds of meal and 1,336 pounds of hay.

Corresponding differences occurred among the steers and heifers in their rate and efficiency of gain.

One of the more efficient bulls and the least efficient bull were retained in the herd and the prformanc of their progeny will be tested in the same way. If these trials show that beef cattle that have made rapid and efficient gains, can pass this ability on to their progeny, then it may be possible to develop a more efficient strain of beef stock through selection on this basis.

FAMED COW

Summerland, B.C. (CP) — Summerland Standard Flo is dead. The 18-year-old Jersey cow which set numerous milk-producing records and became a lifetime Jersey butterfat champion, had to be slaughtered after contracting disease.

A mechanical corn picker wastes on the average 10% of the corn harvested, according to work done at the University of Illinois.

School Financing Reviewed at B'burg Home and School

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Mr. Reilly, chairman of the Protestant School Board, then outlined the financial position of the Central Board and the Brownsburg board, with particular reference to the latter. (As a considerable amount of the detail in connection with the Central Board was published in The Watchman last week, the figures given by Mr. Reilly are not repeated here.) With regard to the local board, Mr. Reilly explained how Brownsburg had entered the Central Board in 1949 with a surplus of $3,400. After the 1950 operations, a surplus of $412 was registered; both years the tax rate was established from figures supplied by the municipal councils. In 1951 an effort was made to establish a uniform tax rate in the two counties of Argenteuil and Two Mountains, and for this purpose the firm of Wanklyn and Lobley were engaged to report on the difference between valuations. Shortly after this report was submitted, difficulties were encountered in getting the various school boards to reach an agreement. One of the results of this difficulty was that tax bills could not be issued at the normal time and accounts began to come in late. The 1951 balance showed a deficit of $3,000, and 1952 showed this deficit increased to $10,300. The financial situation improved the next year, when a balanced budget showed a surplus of $300.

Although, under the Central Board's method of financing, there was a paper balance of $300, the net result of the five years' operation under the Central Board showed that the Brownsburg Board had an operating deficit of $14,000. In addition to this, there was a capital deficit of $6,500 which arose from the loss in sale of the local $180,000 bond issue made necessary by the new addition to Brownsburg school. Therefore the present total deficit is $20,600 in round figures. This sum is covered by bank loans. Negotiations are at present under way to have the deficit converted into a bond issue payable in five years, of which the first payment will fall due in November 1954. As from the first of this month the control of financez has reverted to the Brownsburg board, with the result that financing current operations has required that the board borrow from the bank until tax returns and Government grants come in to relieve the situation. To minimize this expense, prompt payment of the tax demands now being issued would be of considerable help in balancing this year's budget and avoiding high interest payments.

Mr. Reilly then went on to make a comparison between the present tax bills and those of last year under the Central Board. Under the Lobley - Wanklyn valuation estimate of 100% valuation, 8 mills would, when compared with Brownsburg's valuation of 45%, be equal to $1.78 per $100. Added to this was a 1-mill special tax, or .22 per $100 actual valuation, giving a total tax of $2 per $100 valuation.

This year the municipal valuations have been increased on an average of approximately 10%. Based on this valuation the Brownsburg board has struck a tax rate of $1.85 per $100, plus a special rate of .05 cents, making a total of $1.90, compared with last year's rate of $2.00 as equivilated above. Or, as an example on a $2,000 property:

Last year the tax was 2,000 x 2.00/100, equal to $40.

This year the tax was 2,200 x 1.90/100, equal to $41.80 or an increase of 4½ per cent.

The special tax of .05 is, of course, to cover the cost of the new school, and this figure may change from year to year until it is written off in 15 years. Unless some help is forthcoming in the form of increased government grants for next year, it will be necessary to set a rate of about $2.50 per $100 valuation to cover the cost of current operations and start paying off the deficit, which as previously stated is covered with five-year bonds. The school board has received promises from the Government of payment of 66⅔ of the cost, or $140,000, payable at the rate of $28,000 per year for five years. The balance of one-third must be paid by the board, as well as the financing of the whole amount.

Mr. Reilly concluded by remarking that it takes $50,000 a year to run the school. At the present time there is an amount of $5,450 in arrears on tax payments, which if collected would run the school for one month. Approximately 45% of revenue is derived from taxes and 11% comes from school fees and rentals, etc.

Mr. Atkins thanked Mr. Reilly for his lucid explanation of the financial set-up of the school, after which those present visited the various classrooms, where the respective teachers were in attendance to answer the parents' questions relating to their children's progress. Returning to the cafeteria, a delightful repast was enjoyed, after which the Home and School session adjourned.

Discuss Problems Concerning Lachute And St. Jerusalem

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Grant for Fire Equipment

Mr. Cottingham was then approached as Member of the Legislative Assembly, and the question of a grant for fire equipment was brought up. He stated that he had presented a request for a grant three years ago, which had been kept under consideration. "I'll present it again, and if we can prove our need for it — which we can — there is no reason why we shouldn't get it in the next budget."

"We are hoping that by spending this money we will be able to reach all of Lachute, Ayersville and most of St. Jerusalem with hose, and in this way insure good fire protection all over", Ald. Beaulieu explained.

"We should check with the Fire Commissioner to see if the $15,000 requested is enough for this district, as we want to be sure the Golf Club is adequately protected, since this may be classified as one of our main 'industries'," Mr. Cottingham stated.

Government Garage

When questioned about the moving of the Government Garage, Mr. Cottingham said that it was moved out of the residential area, and that the old building would be sold for demolition, at public auction. The Government will sell the necessary land to the town for completion of the street there, for the sum of $1.

Barron's Bridge

The question of Barron's Bridge was then raised by Ald. Beaulieu, who asked about a possible grant for a new bridge. Mr. Cottingham replied that when the Government builds new bridges, it pays for them completely. "All we want is the old bridge and a right of way if the location has to be changed."

"We'll give the old one away for a new one, you can be sure", Mayor Lafleur interposed.

"If we get the bridge, there will be something else that we don't get — and I think that Route 31 is more important, as it brings people and trade into the area; and the prosperity of Lachute is the prosperity of the district", Mr. Cottingham said. In closing he thanked the Lachute Council for their co-operation.

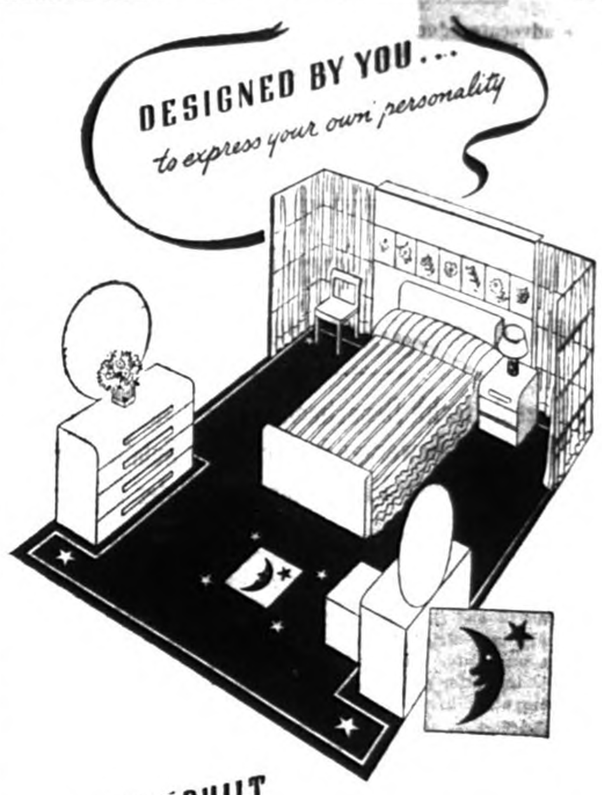
"In this district, we are concerned with Lachute, Ayersville and St. Jerusalem — but on the map, there is only Lachute. We have to think of all three when considering a project of any size", Mayor Lafleur said in conclusion.

Lachute Council Affairs

At the close of these discussions Mayor Cottingham and the members of his Council left the assembly, and the meeting of Lachute Council was reconvened — all councillors being present with the exception of Ald. W. S. MacKimmie and Ald. Gibeault.

It was moved by Ald. D. G. MacRae, seconded by Ald. E. O. Pollock, that parking be prohibited on all public streets in the town from midnight to 7 a.m., and that there be no parking at any time on Bethany Street from Main to the C.P.R. tracks. This goes into effect December 1 and continues until the end of March. Discussion as to the possibilities of parking meters on the centre of Main Street followed, and this was tabled for further consideration.

The meeting was then adjourned.



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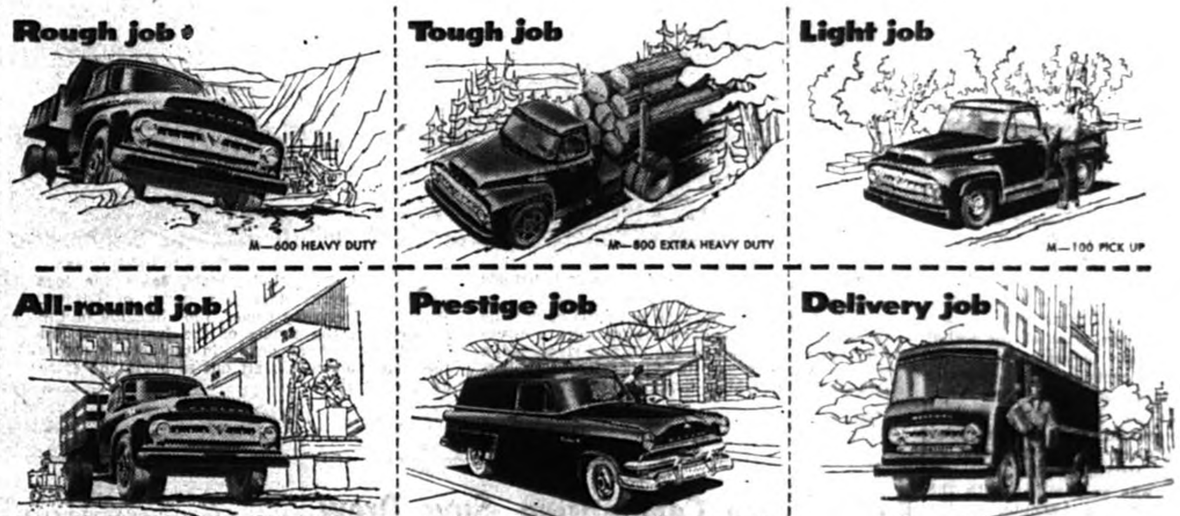


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Tribute to Scotland

THE SCOTS, who pioneered many a community in Canada, come into the limelight on the last day of November when the Feast of St. Andrew is celebrated. Canada of course is not the only land that owes a great deal to the energy and ability of the Scottish race.

In these years of the "cold war" it's curious to reflect on the peculiar link between St. Andrew and Russia, where he was long revered for having brought the Gospel there. There must still be religious groups in Russia who can forget for a moment the enmities of the present day and join with others all over the world in tribute to Scotland's patron saint.

Andrew was the brother of St. Peter and the first disciple of Jesus. Andrew preached the gospel in Scythia, Thrace, Asia Minor and in Greece, as well as Russia. Tradition says he was crucified at Petrae in Arabia on an X-like form of cross, now known as St. Andrew's Cross. The traditional anniversary is November 30.

Apart from Scotland, he is best remembered for his teachings in Russia. In pre-Communist times the Order of St. Andrew was the highest honor in Russia, the decoration established in 1698 by Peter the Great being given with few exceptions only to those of royal blood. St. Andrew's Cross, which forms part of the Union Jack, was the emblem of the old Russian naval flag.

Scots will gather to sing the praises of their patron saint. The glories of Scotland herself will be recalled; the grandeur of the highlands; the beauty of the lochs;, the sweep of the lowlands.

Canadians of other origins can well join their fellow-Canucks of Scottish descent in tribute on St. Andrew's Day. Without the hardworking, brainy Scot, who has earned honors in many fields of endeavor, this country would be a poorer place in which to live.

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Speed Limit Bill on Legislature Agenda

SIXTY miles an hour is fast enough for anyone to drive on the highways, especially in this district where so many have been killed through speeding and dangerous driving. The present session of the Quebec Legislature is considering a bill to make a highway speed limit effective for the first time in the history of this province.

The new law, if passed in the Legislature, will forbid the following indulgences, among other restrictions:

1—A speed in excess of 60 miles per hour on hard-surfaced highways having no bordering dwellings or establishments.

2—A speed in excess of 50 miles per hour on hard-surfaced roads bordered by dwellings or establishments.

3—A speed in excess of 40 miles an hour on mountain roads or on gravel roads affording good visibility in a straight line.

4—In cities, towns and villages, a speed in excess of 30 miles per hour on any street or public highway bordering groups of dwellings.

5—A speed in excess of 20 miles per hour on winding mountain roads, in dangerous curves and commercial districts, in front of schools, at intersection of roads or streets or at level railway crossings.

Municipalities are still empowered to regulate traffic within their territory, but in no case can they allow speeds in excess of those provided for in the above legislation.

In addition, the bill provides more severe penalties for driving a car while the driver's license is cancelled or suspended. Anyone caught doing this shall lose for one year all right to the issue of any license whatsoever to drive as from a first conviction, for two additional years as from a second conviction, and forever as from a third.

Anyone whose driving permit is cancelled or suspended, whether it be a chauffeur's or driver's license, who obtains another under his own name or a false name during the period of cancellation or suspension, will be liable to a fine of $500 to $1,000 or to imprisonment for 30 to 90 days.

The new law will further provide that cancellation or suspension of a permit will apply to both a chauffeur's license or regular driving permit, in the case of a person holding both.

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A clause that might well be added would provide for the erection of signs where fatal accidents occur. This plan, which is carried out in several counties across the border, works as follows: Immediately after an accident, a sign is erected saying, "There were — people killed here in a highway accident caused by reckless driving." State troopers say the cars slow down considerably when the drivers see these signs.

This new law will be fine if the traffic and municipal police enforce it, and if the guilty drivers receive punishment as they should. The police officers hereabouts, both provincial and municipal, have proven their worth in this past summer season. Here and there offenders have inevitably attempted to have their tickets "fixed", which they found impossible to do, with the result that a number of quite prominent citizens now have their names on police records because they disregarded the law. The police, for doing their duty against speeders, dangerous and lawless drivers, may have fewer friends than they had before; but tickets are still being handed out, and drivers are generally slowing down.

This region, during the past season, has been fortunate in having Justice Eugene Lafontaine as the presiding judge at St. Jerome, where all local traffic cases are tried. He saw that the traffic police and other officers received proper judgment when they presented their cases. When the police have a magistrate with determination to curb abuses, they feel more confident in arresting offenders, knowing that both sides will get a fair hearing. In pursuing this "get tough" policy Judge Lafontaine has no doubt saved countless lives.

Montreal has been staging a "Courteous Driver" campaign, and many have remarked on the improvement that has slowly taken place. This campaign might well be emulated throughout the province, but it will be more effective if it works both ways. By all means, give the driver an award if he deserves one, but if he deserves a ticket and penalty of the law, don't let him off.

The Chamber of Commerce has suggested Lachute Town should engage a traffic officer. This suggestion has its merits, as there are few drivers hereabouts who do not proceed just a little faster than the law allows.

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"In Brownsburg"

BROWNSBURG authorities, please note. . . It is not conducive to best observance of the law when transient motorists, crawling along at 25 to 30 miles an hour in compliance with the traffic signs, are blithely passed by speeding local drivers; this has been our personal experience repeatedly during the season. The locals have the dubious advantage, perhaps, of knowing where and when the police officer is likely to be on duty; but we feel they should be setting a better example.

There's a Biblical quotation about a mote in the eye and a beam in the other fellow's.

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Sales Resistance

DO YOU indulge in self-recrimination, at times, over your lack of sales resistance? When the bank balance hits a precarious low, do you wonder why you fell for that last long instalment scheme, only to mortgage your peace of mind for a new car or an ultra-perfect refrigerator?

Cheer up, you're human — and by way of comfort, let's remind you there's a vast phalanx of merchandising experts stacked against you. What one can't think of, the other will, until your every argument is counter-argued, your resistance reduced to nil.

Consider the sales ingenuity behind these recent demonstrations, quoted from the current issue of "Marketing":

A tape company bet $1,000 on the adhesive qualities of its new cellophane tape. The tape with a "new exclusive ingredient" was used to hold $1,000 in an envelope to the side of an airplane flying from Chicago to New York. If the bill tore off, the finder would be $1,000 richer. It didn't.

Stymied by the television taboo on showing a live model parading in a girdle, a manufacturer of that product worked on the problem until he came on a perfect solution. A method of showing the garment in action, and with propriety, was devised. He had a blonde girl put on a girdle, which was coated with phosphorescent paint, over some black tights. Filmed under black light the effect is of a girdle walking and twirling, seemingly under its own power.

To demonstrate the shock-resistant and waterproof qualities of one of his watches, a manufacturer sent four of them over Niagara Falls during the height of the tourist season this summer. Each watch was attached to a weather balloon sufficiently deflated to keep the watches immersed. Three of the watches were recovered, all ticking merrily. The fourth had become detached from its balloon.

A different touch of drama was used recently by a company making vacuum cleaners. The theme for a November drive was "Break Your Record". A few cartons of used photograph records were bought. These were broken up and a piece enclosed with an appropriate message to distributors.

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Hear Ye!

SPEAKING at a meeting of the American Dairy Association, B. E. Stallones, a director of the association, declared: "If the dairy farmers themselves would eat butter instead of oleo, half our surplus problem would be licked. A farmer who would eat oleo ought to get down on his knees and beg God to save his soul."

MOSCOW: 'ROLL, JORDAN, ROLL!'





ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

The person ahead of me in a bank lineup is always a man or woman with a problem. If there are other lineups in front of other wickets, the people in them are normal bank clients who simply put their money in or take it out. But the man in my lineup has to be different.

The nature of his problem is hard for a layman to understand, but it certainly has the staff running around. The customer points to a bit of paper and mumbles something to the girl teller, who stares at him in bewilderment.

The customer mumbles a bit more. The teller riffles through a file, comes back looking even more puzzled.

There is a further conference. Meanwhile several frowning people have been added to the lineup behind me. If there are other wickets, customers flow past them at assembly-line speed. The more intelligent customers have jumped from my lineup to another, but I refuse to fall into that trap.

I know quite well that if I move to another lineup, another person with a problem will appear in it.

The girl teller who is trying to cope with the problem customer in my lineup now seeks help. She buzzes around the office like a small bumble bee, stopping at intervals to consult solid, competent-looking men who shrug their shoulders or shake their heads stiffly.

At length the teller finds a grim-faced executive who seems to know what to do. They both stride back purposefully to the wicket and produce some papers which the customer has to sign. Then they pay the man his $1.25.

Another specimen that often appears in my lineup at the bank is the company treasurer. He staggers to the wicket under the burden of several account books (which must be audited) and a bag full of coins of small denominations, which must be counted.

As far as I can make out, this man does none of his work at the office. He saves it all to do in the bank.

The company treasurer may not be, strictly speaking, a man with a problem. He knows what needs to be done. However, he is a man who wants special treatment. People who want special treatment should deal at a wicket of their own or even at a branch bank of their own, so that they don't obstruct busy people.

What irks me most, however, is the slow service I get when I ask the teller to do some quite ordinary service for me, like advancing a small loan or cashing a draft on the Venezuelan State Bank.

HONORS AUTHOR

Brantford, Ont. (CP) — Thomas B. Costain, Canadian-born author of best sellers, returned from New York for the opening of a new public school here named after him. Mr. Costain, who wrote such books as "The Silver Chalice" and "Son of a Hundred Kings", and "Son old North Ward School here as a boy.

Says U.S. War Veterans Would Like Pen-Pals

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Mechanicsville,
Iowa, U.S.A.

Editor, Newspaper,
Brownsburg, Quebec,
Canada.

Dear Sir:

I am an American Legion member, I found your place on a Canada Road Guide, and I thought that I would write you. I would like to hear from a war veteran from your city. Send me a copy of your newspaper.

We have a fine, active town — population 850 — on Lincoln Highway 30; 25 miles to Cedar Rapids, Iowa; a rich farming section and hog center of the U.S.A.

Our Legion Post is building a new $65,000 Memorial Building on our main business corner; money and lot were donated to us by a number of people. Edith B. Helme of our Legion Post is a disabled World War I overseas nurse — can't walk — likes to get letters from other folks as pen-pals. Leon Ralston likes to hear from World War II veterans. Everett Ferguson, World War I, likes to hear from old veterans. Rev. Melcher, Methodist Church, Lisbon, Iowa, U.S.A., likes to hear from ministers.

Please publish this letter in your newspaper. I thank you very much.

— Louis Nickles.

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• Geoff's Journal •

"Time Out With A Lady"

Long weeks ago, I wrote a treatise on Beatrice Lillie. It was, you'll recall, to be continued but, unfortunately, it got short-changed by good manners, bad manners, public relations and a search for a mate. Now, with my spleen back to normal, I can turn my attention to the sequel to the article on Lady Peel. Sorry to have kept you waiting!

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Stage-door Johnnies are, in the main, a frustrated lot. They wait in heat and cold alike at stage-doors all across the land. Some come with corsages; others with diamonds. All are bent on one thing — a moment with a star. And, sad to say, some never get it. Stage-door attendants know what hores these taggers-on are and, if numbers warrant it, they are quick to inform the stars that it might be best to quit the theatre by some other avenue of escape. Then, when the actor or actress is well out of range, they announce with fiendish glee that the idol has departed for points unknown, and the disappointed fans melt into the night from which they came.

Realizing that Bea Lillie might be subject to such a stage-door grilling, and being loathe to send my article to a busy star during the half-time respite of the intermission, I arrived at Her Majesty's Theatre well in advance of curtain time. I had decided to see her, if possible, before the show. I would stalk up to the stage door and demand to see her — and see just how far I'd get. But I never thought for one second that I'd get as far as I did, for, before I knew it, I found myself standing in the dressing room, face-to-face with the star I sought.

There had been no guardian at the stage-door; I walked right in. Two gents were holding a heated discussion backstage and I took the liberty of asking where I might find Miss Lillie.

"Ask George at the sound box there", one replied and returned to his argument. I sought out George.

"Don't believe she's come in yet", he said, in response to my query.

"Yep, she's in", said a friend.

"Well, in that case", George offered, "try her dressing-room — over in the corner there."

In the dimly lighted corner of the stage, close to the curtain, I found the door with a large gold star pinned to it. I knocked.

"Come in", a voice invited.

I opened the door and barged in. There I found a lady's maid and, reclining on a divan, the artiste herself.

"Oh, my goodness", the maid gasped, "we thought it was someone we knew. Would you mind talking to me outside, please?"

She led me back into the gloom and closed the door. For a brief moment, I thought I'd lost all on an unfortunate blunder.

"Now", the maid said, as she adjusted her uniform, "what can I do for you, sir?"

I knew it was useless to ask if I might see Miss Lillie. So I fished the article out of the envelope in which I had placed it.

"Would you give this to Miss Lillie", I said, "and ask her if I may have her o.k. to publish it?"

"Certainly, sir", the maid replied, "just wait here, will you?"

The old dear disappeared behind the door again, and I waited. I reflected on her pleasant manner and realized that here was a charming woman — far removed from the type of costume maid portrayed in Hollywood movies. She was a wonderful woman and a joy to deal with.

My reflections were interrupted at this point. The door of the dressing-room reopened and there, vivacious and charming, stood Beatrice Lillie.

"Did you write this?"

I admitted I had.

"Why, it's lovely. Thank you so much."

Then she talked of that wonderful old revue, "All Clear", of England and a hundred other things, and talked as though we were the best and oldest of pals. And, she gave me, too, the autograph I wanted to replace the one that had been lost. Then, excusing herself, she retired to the dressing-room again to get ready for curtain-time.

As for me, I wandered goggle-eyed to my seat, to await the curtain. I wasn't star-struck, because Bea Lillie makes you feel completely at ease from the moment you first meet her. No, what impressed me most about my interview with her was the ease with which I had accomplished it. I had anticipated all sorts of dire distresses with stage hands and managers, et cetera. Instead, they hadn't hindered me one bit; in fact, they had even helped me.

And I'm still trying to figure it out — almost two months later!

He that would master others, first should be the master of himself. — Philip Massinger

How to Guard Against Pickpockets

The pickpocket is likely to be present wherever there is a crowd. How they ply their trade and how to guard against thm are told in a December Reader's Digest article.

Pickpockets possess not only a remarkable dexterity but an unerring ability to know what the victim will do next. Choosing his prey in a crowd, the skilled pickpocket learns two vital facts at once: the exact position of the wallet he is after, and whether his intended victim has any suspicions.

On a cafeteria line a man will hesitate to drop a tray full of food to grab for his pocketbook. Among crowds at sporting events, particularly in a ninth-inning rally or the finish of a horse race, men momentarily forget their wallets in the excitement of the moment. In such places, cautions Reader's Digest, it is well to be alert.

Pickpockets at county fairs have been known to shout a warning to the crowd: "Look out for pickpockets". Immediately nearly every man will slap at his wallet to make sure it is safe, and the thieves then know where the money is.

Sometimes as many as five or six pickpockets, including a woman, will work together. Only one may do the actual stealing. The others act as decoys or have various supporting roles in plots cleverly conceived and executed.

The Digest article offers this general advice: "Carry only what money you need and don't flash it. If you're a woman, don't let your handbag dangle; hold the bag itself with your hand over the clasp. For a man, an inside pocket is safer than an outside one; a wallet in a hip pocket is the easiest picking. Above all, be suspicious in crowds. Move instantly when jostled."

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But memories of you will never die."

MacRAE — In fond and loving memory of a dear husband and father, Malcolm R. MacRae, who passed away Nov. 11, 1948. — Ever remembered by his loving wife, Catherine, daughters, Ethel and Dorothy, and son, Russell.
"Each dawning day our thoughts of him,
At evening-tide a prayer,
And in the hearts that loved him
They always will be there."

MacRAE — In fond and loving memory of a dear dad and grandfather, Malcolm R. MacRae, who passed away Nov. 11, 1948. — Sadly missed by his loving daughter, Maude, son-in-law, Joe, and grandchildren, Virginia, Brenda, Brian and Malcolm.
"Fond were the ties that were broken,
Dear is the one that is gone,
In memory we shall keep him
As long as the years roll on."

ROGERS — In loving memory of our dear father, Samuel T. Rogers, who passed away Nov. 27, 1950. — Always remembered by his family.

STEELE — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, David George Steele, who passed away Nov. 21, 1945. — Ever remembered by his wife and daughter.

TURNEY — In loving memory of a dear dad, who passed away Nov. 28, 1949. — Always remembered by his daughter, Eva, Jim and Jimmie.
"Like falling leaves the years slip by,
But memories of you will never die."

DISTRICT NEWS FROM OUR COUNTY CORRESPONDENTS

Grenville

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Scharf, with their son Bruce and daughter Sandra Ann, of Ottawa, were week-end guests of Mrs. G. C. Conway.

Miss Pearl Dawson, of Stonefield Heights, has been spending a few days with Miss Eva White.

Mrs. Laura Whytock and Mr. Gordon Matthew, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Matthew.

Mr. Hartland Dewar, of Pointe-aux-Trembles School, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dewar.

Mr. Garth Dawson and daughter, Barbara, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Densmore are visiting in Ottawa for a few days.

The Farm Forum meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McGerrigle on Monday evening.

Mrs. H. D. Welden, daughter Helen and son Kenneth, were in Montreal on Saturday for the Santa Claus parade, and also visited with Miss Inez Dewar.

Mabel

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Craig and little son, Fraser, of Grenville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beauchamp.

Master David Murdoch, also Misses Joyce, Dorothy and Mary Murdoch, were in Montreal to attend the Santa Claus parade on Saturday.

Miss Eunice Warwick, of Montreal, and Miss Lillian Warwick, of Lachute, spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mrs. Robt. Black, also Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mahon at Calumet on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie at Cushing.

Northern Grenville

Mrs. Wm. Hanlon, with her two sons David and Thomas, of Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mott.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roy and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. L. Boyd and family.

Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cousins' were — Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNeil, of Hoffer, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dunning, of Buckingham; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Copeland and family, and Mr. S. Rainey, of St. Hermas; Misses Elsie Cousins and Minnie Rainey, of Ottawa; and Mrs. Wm. Gauley, of Rawcliffe.

Mr. Fraser Carson, of Ste. Agathe, called on his sister, Mrs. L. Carriere and Mr. Carriere, on Sunday.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Reg Bennett's were Mrs. Thos. Gray, of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gauley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Young and family spent the week-end at their farm in Avoca.

Mr. Reeves Bradshaw, of Kingston, Ont., spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. L. Champagne and Mr. Champagne.

Mr. Russell Owens accompanied by Mr. Ronnie Cavanagh, motored to Montreal on Sunday.

Those from this district who attended the recent "military whist" at Kilmar, reported a very enjoyable time.

Please keep November 28 in mind for the tea and sale to be held at the home of Mrs. Ulysses Beauchamp under auspices of the Ladies' Association of Grenville United Church. See "Coming Events".

UNPOPULAR LABEL

Apart altogether from religious sentiments, "Xmas" to describe the coming season is phonetically harsh, crude and meaningless.
— Prince George (B.C.) Citizen

Arundel

Dr. and Mrs. R. Ward and family, of Hampstead, were week-end guests of Mrs. James May.

Mrs. George Robertson and son, Peter, have returned to Montreal after a brief visit with Mrs. Robertson's mother, Mrs. Reginald Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Swail and family, of Truro, N.S., are guests of Mr. Swail's mother, Mrs. Val Swail, Sr.

Congratulations are extended to Miss Rhoda Simon, of Hudson Heights, Que. (whose parents are natives of this district) upon winning the National Junior Cattle Judging Championship at the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Flanagan are in Montreal to attend St. Andrew's Ball.

Miss Viola Moncrieff, of Montreal, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Moncrieff.

Mr. Elmer Ronalds, of Goose Bay, Labrador, paid a brief visit to relatives in this district recently.

Mrs. Percy Gordon has returned from a visit with relatives in Lachute and Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Moore have returned from a visit with relatives in the city, and had as their guests for the week-end Miss Pat Joiner and Mr. Gordon Moore, of Montreal.

Mr. Elwood Swail and Mr. Earl Graham have returned to their work after spending a three weeks' vacation at their respective homes.

Presentation

The Rev. and Mrs. Paul Busing were the recipients of a beautiful table lamp, presented to them by Farm Forum Group I, upon their departure from Arundel to take up new duties at St. Matthew's Church, Hampstead.

Miss Ann Edgeley and Miss Madeleine Swail were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swail.

Miss Ethel Morrison has returned from a brief visit with friends in Montreal.

Mrs. William Graham has left for an extended visit with relatives in Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. James Smellie and son, Donald, of Montreal, were week-end guests of Mrs. Margaret Smellie.

Mr. Richard Kirby, of Ottawa, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Staniforth.

Best wishes are extended to Miss Marilyn Gray, who has been a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Brownsburg

Mrs. T. Williams and children, Alan and Mary, of Buckingham, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mason.

A large number of children — and older children — were in Montreal on Saturday for the Santa Claus parade; all report a very interesting show.

Mr. Wm. Duncan, of Montreal, was a recent guest of relatives here.

Christmas Feature

The regular meeting of the W.I. will be held in the school on December 3 at 7.30 sharp. . . A special Christmas program will be presented by the W.I. in the United Church on December 10 at 7.30 p.m., entitled "The Story of the Nativity". Visitors are cordially invited to attend.

Cushing West

Miss Helen and Mr. John Rayson, of Montreal, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rayson. Mr. John Rayson left by plane from Dorval on Sunday for Northern Quebec.

Mrs. T. W. Weir is spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Staiker in the Town of Mount Royal.

Passing of Old Friend

Friends in this vicinity are sorry to hear of the death of late Mrs. Simon Whelehan, formerly Mary Elizabeth Finnegan, of Valleyfield, Que., who passed away November 18 in Montreal. Service was held from St. Patrick's Church on November 20, and burial took place at Valleyfield.

The late Mrs. Whelehan spent several years in Cushing West, before moving to Montreal for the latter years of her life.

Steamer Argenteuil To the Rescue

Montreal — The government steamer Argenteuil freed a small Netherlands-owned yacht on Tuesday from a sandbar near Lachine, where she had been stranded for over four days.

Two brothers, Walter and Harry Coenders, of Amsterdam, both unfamiliar with Lake St. Louis, were taking their boat to winter quarters when it became fast.

After sailing the Atlantic the brothers planned to leave their boat near Montreal for the winter and to continue their voyage in the spring.

The yacht will be examined for possible damage.

Toy Purchases Require Care

Toronto (CP) — Here are some tips for the Christmas toy shopper:

Keep in mind the age, capacity and interests of the child who is to get the gift. Otherwise he will soon tire of the present.

Don't give expensive gifts and then say: "Be careful, it's expensive". Children shouldn't be required to give more than ordinary care to their toys.

Splurge on basic playthings—blocks, building sets and durably built toys. Make sure they will stand the strain.

Buy to extend play. If your child is interested in dolls, buy other things that will go with them and expand her interests.

Buy to stimulate imagination—passing such things as modelling clay or paints.

Remember, boys would rather have a small but genuine saw and hammer from the hardware department than the imitation kind from the toy section. Girls like to cook in real dishes. The same holds true for art supplies and musical instruments; wherever possible, give children the real thing.

These suggestions are from Mrs. S. A. Mackay Smith, head of the toy-testing committee of the Canadian Association of Consumers.

Sandy and Mac were having dinner together when, to Mac's disgust, Sandy calmly helped himself to the larger fish on the platter. "Fine manners you've got, Sandy," Mac admonished. "If I'd been in your place, I'd have taken the smaller fish."

"Well", replied Sandy with his mouth full, "Ye've got it!"

— The Reader's Digest

At Claresholm, Alta., Ezra Carey was admitted to hospital after an argument with a cow which draped him over a fence.

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(C.P.R. photographs)



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Government and other public securities not exceeding market value	188,137,706
Other bonds and stocks, not exceeding market value	51,454,357
Call loans (secured)	42,927,750
Other loans and discounts (after full provision for bad and doubtful debts)	405,405,556
Liabilities of customers under acceptances and letters of credit (as per contra)	19,158,871
Bank premises	23,364,099
Other assets	561,185
	$905,025,573

LIABILITIES

Notes in circulation	$ 32,810
Deposits	885,421,085
Acceptances and letters of credit outstanding	19,158,871
Other liabilities	1,049,984
Capital paid-up	15,000,000
Reserve fund	33,000,000
Dividends declared and unpaid	805,716
Balance of profits, as per Profit and Loss Account	1,065,307
	$905,025,573

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

Parish Sunday at Weir, Gathering, Presentation To Departing Minister

(Our District Correspondent)

Weir, Que. — The quarterly Parish Sunday service, held in the Church of the Redeemer on Sunday morning, was well attended by members from the four churches, namely, Rockway, Arundel, The Glen and Weir. The Rev. P. W. Busing gave an inspiring sermon and expressed his regrets at leaving this parish.

After the service the congregation adjourned to the hall adjoining, where a buffet luncheon was served by the ladies and a social get-together was enjoyed.

This being Mr. Busing's last Sunday in the parish, a presentation of a beautiful mantel clock was made from the congregation of the Church of the Redeemer, Weir, and also envelopes from Rockway and The Glen.

Mr. Busing expressed thanks on behalf of himself and Mrs. Busing for these gifts, and also for all kindnesses and good wishes extended to them during their stay here.

The good wishes of the community accompany the Rev. and Mrs. Busing and family in their new field of labor in Montreal.

Former B'burg Minister, Rev. S. J. Pike, Preacher On Remembrance Day

At the recent civic service for Remembrance Day at Bowmanville, Ont., the Rev. S. J. Pike, newly inducted minister of the Newtonville charge of the United Church, gave the Remembrance Day message.

The service, held in the Newcastle Community Hall, was conducted by civic officials and members of the local clergy. The Newcastle and District Veterans attended in a body.

Local Branch of Bible Society Held Annual Assembly

The annual meeting of Lachute branch of the Bible Society was held on Sunday evening in the United Church. The Rev. W. Bridge conducted the service, assisted by the Rev. Dr. W. H. Reid.

The brief business meeting was under the direction of the president, the Rev. G. T. Spriggs. The secretary, Mr. Angus Taylor, and the treasurer, Mr. Burns Kingsbury, submitted their reports. The meeting re-elected the present officers for another year.

When the final figures are available, a report of the 1953 financial statement will be submitted for publication.

Thanks were extended to the collectors; to the pastor and session of the United Church; to the organist and choir; to Mr. A. Taylor and Mr. H. B. Kingsbury.

The Rev. W. M. Booth, secretary of Montreal Auxiliary of the Society, gave a most interesting address on Bible Society work; 1954 is the 150th year since the Society was organized, and during that time the Bible has been continually distributed all over the world without note or comment in many languages; at the present time the number is 818. Mr. Booth also showed sound films depicting the work of the Bible Society.

It is hoped that any persons who have not been called on for donations for the Society will hand their subscriptions to Mr. H. B. Kingsbury as soon as possible.

Maureen Forrester To Give Recital In Lachute Church

On Sunday evening, December 13, Miss Maureen Forrester, one of Montreal's leading vocalists and CBC songstress, will give an all-sacred recital in the Lachute United Church.

Engaged by the United Church Choir, Miss Forrester will sing during the church service, and following the devotions will give a selective program suitable for Sunday evening. In order that members from other churches may hear her if they so desire, the recital will commence about 8.45 p.m.

FIREFLY-LIT ALTAR AT PIONEER SERVICE

Montreal (CP) — Fireflies once were used in place of candles in an open-air religious ceremony here.

Records at city archives show that on May 18, 1642, fireflies were gathered and placed in bottles to act as lights before the altar during an open-air Mass.

The pioneers are said to have found the fireflies a good substitute for candles.

"The Week at Ottawa"

(Continued from page 1)

The documents mailed to The Herald, he added, included the September, 1953, issue of the American Mercury containing a story entitled "The Truth About Joe McCarthy", written by Harold Lord Varney. Two pamphlets advertised the books "While You Slept", by John T. Flynn and "The Iron Curtain Over America", by John Beaty.

The Herald editorial said the magazine article praised McCarthy, Republican senator from Wisconsin, and that the main object of the books advertised in the pamphlets was apparently to show that both President Roosevelt and President Truman had been subject to Communist influence in their policies.

Mr. Pickersgill, in announcing the government's investigation of The Herald's question, said "I assume, of course, from the article that it (the frank) was used improperly."

Mr. Blackmore, describing Miss Moore as "an independent young woman, aggressive and alert and deeply interested in the welfare of her country", said he is "in no way responsible for what she does, especially with her own time, occupying herself with her own personal interests."

"Neither myself", he added, "nor the Social Credit party are responsible for what she has done."

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New Ambassador to France

The government announced that Jean Desy, 60-year-old Montreal career diplomat, will take over as Canadian ambassador to France at the end of the year, replacing Maj.-Gen. George P. Vanier, 65, who is retiring. Maj.-Gen. Vanier became the Canadian ambassador in 1944.

The new ambassador was educated at Montreal and the University of Paris where he taught for some time. He has served in the diplomatic services at Paris and in Belgium and Holland, besides being ambassador to Brazil and Italy. He is a former chief of the international services of the CBC.

Bank of Nova Scotia Assets at New Peak, Annual Statement Shows

The 122nd annual statement of the Bank of Nova Scotia, just released, shows assets at a new high of $965,628,000 as at October 31, 1953. This is an increase of $51,248,898 over last year's figure.

Total deposits stood at $895,421,000 compared to $841,283,000 last year. Total loans amounted to $538,331,000, an increase of $93,908,000, and total holdings of securities were $209,562,000. The Bank's liquid position continued strong, cash and deposits with central banks standing at 11.02 per cent of public liabilities.

The Bank's statement shows a profit of $7,141,000 before depreciation and taxes, estimated taxes at $2,750,000, and net profits at $3,011,000. Dividends of $1.60 per share and an extra distribution of 20 cents per share, amounted to $2,700,000, compared to $2,391,000 last year.

Transferred from the profit and loss account to the reserve was an amount of $3,000,000 bringing the reserve to $33,000,000 and leaving a balance of $1,063,000 in the profit and loss account.

CONSERVATION PROJECT

A new public service project was launched recently when Boy Scouts of Belleville, Ont., planted 4,000 trees on the Moira River Conservation Authority Forest east of Actinolite. With the approval of the Moira Authority, the Belleville Scout Committee plans to have the Scouts continue the plantings in the same area annually.

Social and Personal

Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Danforth, and son, Douglas, of Watertown, N.Y., were recent guests of her mother, Mrs. R. Picken.

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Mrs. Hugh Martin spent a few days recently in Rosemere as the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bouck.

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LAC. and Mrs. J. Young, and daughter, who were spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Underhill, left recently to take up new residence at Clinton, Ont.

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Jim Campbell, student at the Babson Institute, Babson Park, Mass., is spending the American Thanksgiving holidays with his mother, Mrs. K. Campbell, and his brother, Bobby.

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Mrs. J. T. Griffith is spending the winter months with her niece, Mrs. T. Fisher and Dr. Fisher, in Ottawa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Noble, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Connelly and Brent, and Mrs. P. MacVicar, spent a few days visiting in Niagara Falls and Brantford, Ont.

Mrs. John Cunningham is spending the winter months with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lamarche, at Hawkesbury.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gates of Montreal, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Townsend, of Lachute, motored to Gower to attend the funeral of the late P. McGibbon, who passed away on November 19.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allan Biggar and children, of Ste. Agathe, visited here last week-end with Mrs. J. H. Mason.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ward, of Lachute, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Boyd, of Louisa, motored to Brantford and Port Colborne, Ont., and on their return were accompanied by Mrs. E. M. Boyd, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyd in Port Colborne.

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Congratulations !

Mrs. Elizabeth Bartlett, Main Street resident, attained her 89th birthday last Saturday — still comparatively active and in fair health.

2nd Lieut. Bob Gordon, of Longue Pointe, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie B. Gordon, and left Sunday to take a two weeks' course at Barriefield, Ont.

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Winner in "Contact" Fall Photo Contest

James A. Dixon-Smith, of C-I-L Ammunition Division at Brownsburg, has been awarded first prize in the hunting section in the C-I-L "Contact" photo contest for 1953. The awards, announced in the current issue of "Contact", were based on the two categories, Outdoors and Hunting. The $25 cash prize and special award certificate was presented to Mr. Dixon-Smith for a close-up shot of a black bear.



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Boy Scouts The World Over



WORLD JAMBOREE

Jackson Dodds, CBE, of Montreal, Deputy Chief Scout for Canada, has ben named Camp Chief for the Eighth World Scout Jamboree to be held in Canada from August 18-28, 1955, by the Executive Committee of the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association. Eli Boyaner, of Saint John, N.B., Provincial Commissioner for New Brunswick, has been named Deputy Chief for the Jamboree.

TWO GOOD TURNS

Using wet moss because no water was available, Wolf Cubs of the First Shearwater, N.S., Pack, while on a ramble recently, put out a fire they discovered burning the wall of a valuable hunting cabin. . . In Vancouver, B.C., two Boy Scouts thwarted a suspected arson attempt when they extinguished a fire in a garage wall. They found a shirt and can of inflammable solvent burning against the wall.

ONE OF "ORIGINALS"

The recent death in Ottawa of Col. R. J. Birtwhistle, 80, severed another link with early Scouting history in Canada. Col. Birtwhistle was a member of the Canadian General Council of the Boy Scouts Association at its incorporation in 1914. Prior to that, at the request of the then Governor-General, Earl Grey, he had played an important role in the organization of the Scout Movement on a Dominion basis.

CHIEF SCOUT PRESENTS NINETEEN AWARDS

Gallantry and service awards were presented to 19 recipients at a special investiture at Government House, Ottawa, at 11 a.m., November 23, by His Excellency the Right Honourable Vincent Massey, C.H., in his capacity as Chief Scout for Canada.

Including one posthumous award, presentations were made to one Wolf Cub, four Scouts, one Lone Scout, two Scouters, and 11 other adults.

YUKON SCOUTERS' TRAINING COURSE

Indicative of the steady expansion of Scouting in Canada is the report that a Scouters' Training Course was recently held at Whitehorse, marking the first time such a course has been conducted by Field Commissioner James Blain. One of the trainees, Mrs. N. Tanner, of Whitehorse, received the ten thousandth certificate issued by Canadian Scout Headquarters for a Cub Leaders' Preliminary Course.

Conquering the Far North

Lynn Lake, Man. — The ringing echo of a nickel mawl driving home a nickel railway spike in Northern Manitoba recently announced the completion of one of Canada's biggest railway construction projects of recent times — the CNR's 144-mile line between Sherridon and Lynn Lake, where the new mine site of the Sherritt-Gordon Company is located.

Wielding the mawl in the brief ceremony at Lynn Lake was Donald Gordon, CNR chairman and president. Attending were some 500 officials and employees of the railway and Sherritt-Gordon Company, and representatives of the federal and provincial governments.

With the line officially opened, Mr. Gordon said: "One of Canada's greatest storehouses of natural resources has been linked with the rest of the world by the completion of this railway line. It joins Lynn Lake to every point on the Canadian National System, to every point served by the 475,000 miles of railway in North America, and to the rest of the world through the seaways that lead from our ports on the Atlantic and Pacific."

Mr. Gordon said that the new line demonstrates that only the railway can provide reliable low cost volume transportation necessary for the development of frontier communities. He paid tribute to the Sherritt-Gordon officials for their "initiative, courage and vision" and he lauded the Canadian Government for its "wholehearted assistance to the undertaking to ensure that the target date could be met."

The new mine site will produce approximately $14-millions worth of nickel, copper and cobalt annually.

Padre Holds Service In Observation Car

Winnipeg (CP) — The story of a church service on a passenger train rolling eastward through Saskatchewan was told here by Mrs. Edward Stokes at the presentation of the collection money.

Mrs. Stokes was returning with her daughter Joan last summer from a holiday in Vancouver, and the Sunday service followed a conversation on the observation car with Rev. J. A. Roberts of Esquimalt, B.C., a navy padre.

It was Mrs. Stokes' idea, the padre thought it was a good one, and word was passed along through the cars. The next morning close to 50 passengers gathered in the observation car for the service.

By agreement the collection was held by Mrs. Stokes to be turned over to a deserving cause in her home town. She chose the Association for Retarded Children in Manitoba.

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7 p.m. Evening Prayer.

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11 a.m. Morning Prayer.

Lachute Baptist Church

Rev. D. C. Merrett, Pastor
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7.30 p.m. Evening Worship.
Wed. 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting.
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11 a.m. Morning Worship.
Thurs., 8 p.m. Prayer meeting.
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Rev. Horace G. Baugh, Rector
Saint Sauveur, 9.30 a.m.
Morin Heights, 11 a.m.
Mille Isles, 7.30 p.m.

Parish of Grenville

Rev. P. B. Stote, L.Th., Rector
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11 a.m. H.C. St. Matthew's.
7.30 p.m. H.C. Kilmar
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MILITARY WHIST

— To be held in Reeves' Hall, Friday, Dec. 4, sponsored by Calumet Athletic Badminton Club. Refreshments served. Adm. 50c. (Please bring your own cards.) -1p

ST. ANDREW'S CONCERT AND DANCE

— At MacIntyre's Hall, Grenville, Saturday, Nov. 28, 9 p.m. . . A good program of Scottish songs, pipers, highland dancers, tap-dancers, also Frank and Helen Yarwood, of New York and Montreal, popular comedians and dancing team, and Mr. Chas. Hemsley, baritone singer of Montreal. . . Ottawa Melody Boys with Art Simpson and his steel guitar, Oscar Ducharme, champion square dance caller and m.c., also popular local talent. N26.2p

HOLSTEIN ANNUAL MEETING AND DANCE

— To be held at Legion Hall, Dec. 4, 8 p.m., by the Lachute Holstein Club. Music by the Silver String Trio. Door prize. Adm. 50 cents. Everyone welcome. D3.2p

CARD PARTY

— The Ladies' Auxiliary, Branch 71, will hold a bridge and "500" at the Brownsburg Legion Hall, on Friday, Nov. 27; time 8 p.m. sharp. Adm. 50c. (Please bring cards). Door prize to be drawn 8.15 p.m. sharp. N26.2c

TEA AND SALE

The Ladies' Association of the Grenville United Church are holding a tea and sale of home cooking, candy and sewing, on Saturday, Nov. 28, 3 to 5 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ulysses Beauchamp. N26.2p

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MILITARY WHIST

— To be held in the Community Hall, Kilmar, Monday evening, Nov. 30, at 8, in aid of the Anglican W.A. Adm. 50c. Refreshments and prizes. (Please bring your own cards.) -1p

CHRISTMAS SALE

— The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will hold their Christmas sale of fancy work, home-cooking, and afternoon tea, on Nov. 28 from 3 to 5 p.m. -1p

RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the Margaret Rodger Memorial Presbyterian Church are holding a rummage sale on Dec. 5 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at 252 Main St. (Rio Theatre Building). -1p

ANNUAL POLICE CONCERT

The annual entertainment sponsored by Lachute Police Department will be held in the Lachute Auditorium on Monday, Dec. 21, at 8.30 p.m. Vaudeville, acrobats and jugglers will be featured, along with other entertainment. A prize of $50 cash will be awarded to any person present at the event who has previously turned in a program from the 1952 concert. Please keep this date open and plan to attend. D17x

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Royal Yacht 'Bluebottle' To Race in Canada

London — The Royal Dragon class yacht "Bluebottle" will enter Canadian races at Toronto and Montreal next summer. It will be shipped to Canada early in June and will be at each city for about two weeks. It has not yet been decided whether a British crew will go with the yacht or whether a Canadian crew will join her. In any event, Lt. Cmdr. R. Hewitt, "Bluebottle's" sailing master, will be at the helm. The Duke of Edinburgh recently presented a cup to the Canadian Yachting Association for the annual competition by Dragon class yachts.

PIONEER HORSEMAN

Calgary (CP) — Pioneer rancher, horseman and business executive, Ernest D. Adams has probably done more than any single individual to aid the horse breeding industry in Alberta.

In 1925, the first year records were compiled, 85-year-old Adams was leading thoroughbred breeder in western Canada. He is known as the father of the thoroughbred breeding and racing industry on the prairies.

He is a life director of the Alberta Horse Breeders Association, honorary secretary of the Alberta Thoroughbred Horse Association, secretary of the Alberta Clydesdale Association, steward representing the Prairies Thoroughbred Breeders and Racing Association and chairman of the finance committee of the Calgary Exhibition and Stampede.

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Lost & Found

LOST — on Princess Street, an American Cocker Spaniel, 10 months old, answering to name of "Farrow". Finder or anyone knowing of its whereabouts, please contact Dr. R. Lavigne, phone 322. (Reward.) -1p

GOAT FOUND — owner must claim same within seven days of this notice, or animal will be sold to pay expenses. — R. S. (Norman) Boa, R.R. 3, Lachute. 1p

SPORTS AND JUVENILE ACTIVITIES

Two Practice Games For Local "Canadiens" At St. Jerome Arena

By Jean-Jacques Dupré

Lachute's "Canadiens" of the Quebec-Ontario Hockey League will stage two practices on the artificial ice at St. Jerome Arena before the beginning of the regular season, on December 30, against Noel Racine's powerful Brownsburg Bombers. After contacting Mr. Lacasse, manager of the St. Jerome Arena, the directorate of the local team booked the ice for Sunday, December 6, and Sunday, December 13, prom 6.30 to 7.30 p.m. All hockey players of Lachute and district who would care to have a try-out with the Canadiens are requested to give their names to Fred Atkinson or Jean Jacques Dupré as soon as possible, so that sufficient automobiles can be procured to take them to the Arena. These two practices will be important in the formation of the local team. It is planned to give Lachute boys a chance to make the team, before asking any help from outside players. They will have their chance to show what they can do at these practices.

The souvenir program is now in the hands of the printers, Giles Publishing House Ltd., and copies should be passed along to the advertisers in a couple of weeks. The red, white and blue colors of the Canadiens have been featured throughout.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. Roy, owner of the Lachute bus service, to provide for transportation of local fans to the Brownsburg Arena, where eight games will be staged. The bus will leave the Leonard Hotel, Ayersville, at 8 o'clock and will proceed to the Rex Restaurant, leaving the latter place at 8.15. Games will start at the Arena at 8.30. The bus will leave Brownsburg immediately after the games. Fare for the return trip has been set at a low of 35 cents. Season tickets are available for all who desire them, for the price of $3.00.

Following is the schedule of games in which Lachute Canadiens will play this season:

Home		Away	
Wed., Dec. 30	Brownsburg	Sun., Jan. 10	L'Orignal
Fri., Jan. 8	L'Orignal	Wed., Jan. 13	Brownsburg
Fri., Jan. 15	Hawkesbury	Sun., Jan. 17	Hawkesbury
Wed., Jan. 20	Brownsburg	Sun., Jan. 24	L'Orignal
Fri., Jan. 22	L'Orignal	Wed., Jan. 27	Brownsburg
Sun., Jan. 31	Hawkesbury	Fri., Jan. 29	Hawkesbury

HOME RINKS:
Hawkesbury and L'Orignal, at Hawkesbury
Lachute and Brownsburg, at Brownsburg.

18 Prospective Players At Brownsburg Bombers Organizing Meeting

By John Connolly

Brownsburg —

At a meeting of Brownsburg Bombers hockey club last week, 18 prospective players turned up. It was encouraging to the committee to see such enthusiasm so early, and we're quite confident of being able to ice a first-class team. It was decided at this meeting to list, in the official program, the names of those who contribute to the club without advertising.

At last week's league meeting, Ray Bertrand of l'Orignal asked permission to scout Hawkesbury for nine players. It was agreed to allow Doyle, Maisonneuve, Van Stone, Sauvé and Whalen, plus four other players over 21, to play for l'Orignal.

The l'Orignal sweaters this year depict a bulldozer in action. Maybe Canadiens and Richports can be swept off the ice, but we think Bombers can push harder than Bulldozers.

Two representatives from Papineauville were refused permission to enter a team in the league. The schedule was approved by all teams and provides that Brownsburg's home dates will be Wednesday and Sunday. The first Brownsburg game will be an "away" game against Lachute on December 30.

The rivalry between the Quebec and Ontario teams was evident at the league meeting when an interprovincial all-star game was suggested. It was decided that in mid-season a two-game series be played, one at Hawkesbury and the other at Brownsburg. The Brownsburg - Lachute rivalry showed up in the good-natured banter between representatives of the two clubs.

VETERAN HUNTER

Lunenburg, N.S. (CP) — W. S. Sarty, 79, who has bagged his deer limit every year since he started hunting, says his ambition is to "get another crack at a moose before I'm too old to travel." Moose hunting has been banned in Nova Scotia for some years.

Local Curling Activities Away to Good Start

In preparation for the winter season of curling and social activities, some major changes were made to the local clubrooms. An extension to the building was added for locker space, and rearrangement of the upstairs, with added space and a new kitchen, now gives ample room for entertainment and the serving of meals.

The regular Fall Mixed Bonspiel closed Saturday evening with a large attendance. After more than a week of keen competition between local and outside teams, Aubrey, Lachine, Montebello and Lachute were left with the four highest scores to battle for final honors and the coveted trophy. In the afternoon Dr. Biron, of Montebello, was matched with S. Drew, of Lachute. The last stone played resulted in the former's downfall and placed him in the Consolation game. On the other rink, C. Taylor of Lachine was defeated by K. Robb of Aubrey.

Finals in the evening game between Robb and Drew, were most interesting to watch; both teams were so evenly matched that it was anybody's game until the last stone with the score on the ninth end a 7-7 tie. Drew was lying shot but Robb replaced it with his own granite, to win by one point.

In a somewhat one-sided game Dr. Biron won in the Consolation against Skip Taylor.

The trophy was presented to the winners by Mrs. Robt. Cairns, and the players of the four games had a choice of the numerous prizes according to their standing.

President R. Cairns expressed his gratification at the success of this bonspiel, thanking the ladies, the various committees and all present for their co-operation.

Competition for the Match Committees Prize started on Monday, and is now well under way, while the regular Saturday mixed 'spiels will start this week-end.

The four rinks in the Annual Bonspiel finals were as follows:

Aubrey	Lachute
Mrs. Reddick	Mrs. Stein
Mr. Reddick	F. Stein
Mrs. Gruer	Mrs. Jamison
K. Robb, skip	S. Drew, skip

Consolation

Lachine	Montebello
Mrs. Burns	Mlle St. Denis
J. Burns	Mr. Robert
Mrs. Taylor	Mrs. Biron
C. Taylor, skip	Dr. Biron, skip

Grenville High School News and Activities

By Willis Young

Main event in the school news this week is the trip to, and tour through, the C.I.P. pulp mill at Hawkesbury last Wednesday. Mr. A. J. McGerrigle took a group by car, while the rest followed by taxi. The pupils were cordially received by Mr. H. S. Young, head of the Personnel Department, and were then met by their guides, Mr. Seguin, who conducted the seven lads in Grade XI, and Mr. Grant, and Mr. Pretorious, who accompanied two groups of five in Grade X. Many interesting things were explained — the "cooking" of the wood chips, and the rollers where the cooked and bleached chips are dried and pressed to make the raw product for rayon. The pupils are very grateful to those who arranged this trip.

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Another highlight was the annual School Opening Exercises, held Wednesday evening, November 18. The school gym was crowded with interested parents and friends to witness the distribution of prizes. The opening prayer was given by the Rev. Mr. Watson, followed by the singing of "O Canada". Grade II then presented "A Song of a Riddle", and Mr. McGerrigle gave a report on the progress of the school. Grade III and IV then sang a short song. The distribution of prizes then took place, with the Rev. A. Pennman, of Avoca, handing out the awards and congratulating each pupil. Mr. Les Cowan presented the prizes for the plowing Match, while Mr. A. Bothwell, County Agronomist, distributed awards from the School Fair. Before the track meet awards were given out, the Rev. P. R. Stote gave an interesting talk on his career in racing at University, and encouraged the track spirit in the school. Previous to this, the Rev. H. Baugh had spoken about Perseverence in the school, and how necessary it was for scholars to complete their education. Grades V, VI and VII sang a song, and the evening concluded with the National Anthem.

An interesting feature of these exercises was the presentation of $11.50 in Fair prize money to Hannah Keatlie, by Mr. Bothwell. Hannah is in Grade VII, and has justified her title as the "Farmer of the Year".

The sunflower was introduced into Europe about the middle of the 16th century. It is native to America.



Public Notice

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Argenteuil

Notice is hereby given by the Corporation of the Town of Lachute, that an application will be made at the present session of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, or as soon as possible, for an act to delete a servitude affecting the easterly part of lot 914, of lot 915, of the westerly part of lot 916, of the easterly part of lot 912, of the westerly part of lot 917, part of lot 911 in favor of lot 907, all of the official plans and Book of Reference of the Parish of St. Jerusalem, County of Argenteuil, District of Terrebonne.

This servitude concerns a land presently occupied by the Auditorium in the Town of Lachute and prohibits the use of the present land to serve as a municipal town office and for other public services.

This servitude was established by a deed of sale dated September 8, 1924, and registered at the registry office in the County of Argenteuil under Number 38269 from Thomas J. Barron et Al, to the Lachute Town Corporation.

— Legault & Legault,
Attorneys for the
D17.4c Town of Lachute

Public Notice on Parking Restrictions

To facilitate the removal of snow from the streets of Lachute, parking will be prohibited from 12 midnight to 7 a.m., as of December 1, until the end of March. . . . All vehicles obstructing the removal of snow from the streets will be towed to a local garage at the owners' expense.

Parking on Bethany Street, from the post office on Main Street to the C.P.R. tracks, is prohibited at all times from December 1 until the end of March, due to the limited width of this street.

These laws will be strictly enforced.

— Antonio Laurin, sec.-treas.,
D3.2c Lachute Town Corpn.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Lachute Town Corporation will no longer be responsible for executing any type of work on private properties. Instructions have been given the Town Officer, effective immediately, that the only repairs to sewers and water mains to be done will be those which are already partially completed.

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LACHUTE HIGH SCHOOL NEWS AND ACTIVITIES

By Beverly Sanford

Basketball

Last Saturday the Intermediate boys' and girls' basketball teams travelled by bus to Hudson. They were accompanied by their coach, Mr. Peterson, along with Mr. Bailly and a few supporters.

The girls played the first game and were defeated by a score of 38-20. In the first quarter, Betty Underhill scored 6 points, and Pat Stansfield and Shirley Pollock each won 2 points for their team. In the second quarter, Betty Underhill shot another 5 baskets, which made her the star scorer of the game with 16 points. There was no further scoring for Lachute in the remainder of the game.

Top scorers for Hudson were E. Wright 14, S. Rattray 11, and J. Brown 8.

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In the first half of the boys' game the Lachute team was leading, and although the teams appeared evenly matched, in the last half Hudson came out on top with a score of 39-34.

Highest scorer for Lachute was B. Tomalty with 13 points followed by R. Elliott 6, while Duncan MacTavish and Brent Steele each scored 5. Other scorers were K. MacTavish, D. Dawson and Scott Taylor.

The best basket-throwers for Hudson were D. Hunter 25, J. Hulbert 8, and B. Thomas 4.

Although both teams from Lachute were defeated, the players were not discouraged, and all seemed hopeful they would be more fortunate next time.

At the close of the games lunch was served in the gym by the Hudson girls.

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Two senior basketball games were played in the Lachute gymnasium Saturday evening.

The senior girls' team met the Y.W.H.A. from Montreal. The home team proved much superior throughout and the game ended with a decided victory for Lachute, 42-12. This was indeed an honor for the Lachute girls, as the visitors were rated as top basketball players.

Two sets of rules were used in this game. The girls' rules in the first half, the boys' rules in the last half. This was decided upon since the Y.W.H.A. were more familiar with the boys' regulations.

Ann Singerman of the visiting team very kindly scored 2 points for Lachute when she sank a basket in the wrong net.

The three highest scorers for Lachute were Audrey Copeland 17, Marilyn Mitchell 13, Frances Laurin 8, followed by Heather Jones 2, Joyce Davis and Ann Hazel, each 1.

Referees for this game were Bill Cribb and Irving Altiman.

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The second game of the evening was an exhibition event between the senior boys and the town team. This proved a victory for the latter, 36-28.

R. Seary of the seniors made a total of 16 points, J. Gordon 6, R. MacAdam 4 and D. Thompson 2.

The high scorer for the town team was Mr. R. Bailly 14, followed by C. Berry 8, Mr. R. Burton 7, Mr. A. Peterson 6 and R. Douglas 1.

This game was refereed by Brent Steele and Ken MacTavish.

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Students' Council Activities

Last Friday evening, the Students' Council held the second High School party of the season, chaperoned by Mr. Bailly and Mr. Martin. The master-of-ceremonies was Scott Taylor, who also operated the gramophone. D. Jackson called the square dances. The party lasted till midnight and everyone reported a good time. Proceeds amounted to $12.80.

British Football Team Invited to Tour Canada

London — An invitation has been received by the Wolverhampton Wanderers to undertake a tour of Canada and the United States. If the club accepts, the team would leave England at the end of the present season. The tour would last about six weeks and include nine games. The Wolves have played in almost every European country and were the first English team to tour South Africa. They have never visited North America as a team but several members of the club have played here in English representative teams.



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CURRENT SHOWS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Query – What Makes Canadians Laugh?

Comedy Script Editor Bill Harding Has a Pretty Fair Idea, Trying It Out with TV

A world without its funnymen would be like a diet of junket. But to be continually amusing is one of the toughest jobs going. Anyone can tell a risque story and get a laugh, or raise a snicker with a jest that slaps the face. Presenting humor that's clean, original and rib-tickling without being cruel is another matter. Unlike other forms of art, where evidence of hours and days of painstaking work on the subject is often obvious, comedy must look and sound absolutely spontaneous — and fresh.

To help preserve the freshness and the variety of humor featured on CBLT shows, a Canadian who reached the "big time" in British TV and radio comedy writing in his early thirties, has come home to Toronto to head a CBC-TV variety script department which will encourage new humorous writers and help mold promising comedians into star material.

He is Bill Harding who says that comedy, to him, is as personal as a toothbrush. Using your own line is more pleasant than jerking some classic witticism out of its context and trying to cover its decrepitude with a veil of originality. He wants to give a boost to humor with a characteristic Canadian flavor. He suggests that potential writers and comedians turn to the works of such Canadian humorists as Stephen Leacock and Eric Nicol to see what he means.

"Canadian humor isn't based on the wisecrack and insult, as many American jokes are", he says. "Our funnymen are fewer, but I think our standards are higher. We're half-way between the subtle British variety of laughs and the more blatant American kind. But we have a mischievousness, a racy kind of glee and a tenderness all our own. I'm hoping that new Canadian writers will send us TV scripts and short sketches on Canadian subjects that will distinguish themselves quite definitely from British and American comedy. If they don't quite hit it on the head the first time, I'm here to suggest improvments."

Harding is in a position to speak with authority about comparisons in English-spoken comedy. Before returning to Canada last summer he wrote scripts for the BBC's Bebe Daniel's - Ben Lyons TV show for three-and-a-half years. Readers may remember Bebe and Ben as the Hollywood film stars who went to England a couple of decades ago and settled down as radio and TV entertainers. Their show is a domestic comedy about some Americans living in Britain, so the humor they dished out has to combine British rib-tickling with American expansiveness, in situations along the lines of the "Ozzie and Harriet" show in the States. So successful were the scripts that, before Harding left, the show was being made into movies, a comic strip, and even books.

"But it got so big and involved", he says, "that it wasn't funny any more. I'm finding more satisfaction now in breaking new ground."

Grey Cup Broadcast To Overseas Forces 48 Hours After Final

Montreal — The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation announces that arrangements have been completed to present the play-by-play descriptions of the Gray Cup Final to Canadian Forces Personnel in Japan and Korea, within 48 hours of the actual play.

The CBC's Canadian Forces Broadcast Service is providing recorded versions of this program and also the "Grey Cup Cavalcade" which will immediately precede it. During the course of the Grey Cup Cavalcade, the Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, Prime Minister, will send a greeting to the Canadian Forces abroad.

The RCAF's Air Transport Command, which usually transports 30 shipments per week of recorded program material to Canadian defence outposts in the far North and to Canadian military, air force, and naval stations abroad, will carry this special shipment from the Sea Island Airport, Vancouver.

The program material will be recorded at CBU-Vancouver and, assuming the game will be over at 4 EST, it should be ready shortly after 1 p.m. PST., to catch the regular air transport command plane bound for the far East at 2 o'clock. Within 48 hours, the program material will be rebroadcast from the British Commonwealth Base Broadcasting Station, Kure, Japan, and from Crown Radio in Korea. It will also be sent by short wave to the UK, France and Germany.

This operation is part of a continuing plan designed to keep Canadians abroad up-to-date. The CBC's Canadian Forces Broadcast Service with the co-operation of the Department of National Defence is presenting all major sporting events as well as programs of general interest — the best from all three networks — at the rate of about 6½ hours per day.

SCOTTISH CHOIR'S CANADIAN TOUR

London — The Kirkintilloch Junior Choir will fly from Prestwick November 27 to make a tour of 11 Canadian cities. These will include Montreal, Toronto, Niagara Falls, Kitchener and Ottawa. Ages of the full choir range from six to 20, but on this tour the youngest singer will be nine. The choir is conducted by Mrs. Metta Macpherson.

I got lost in the bush during a fishing trip last summer, but finally picked up a trail which led me to a group of cabins and a small general store.

"How quiet and peaceful it is in the country", I said to the owner; "so different from the mad pace of cities. No people and traffic pushing you around."

"Well", he replied politely, "I wouldn't know whether you're right or not. Fact is, I've never lived in the country — I've always lived right here in town."

— The Reader's Digest

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

Betty-Jean Hagen Wins Coveted Award

Miss Betty-Jean Hagen, known and related in these parts, won the Carl Flesch Medal, one of the most sought-after awards for solo violin playing, in London, England, recently. Miss Hagen, 23, of Toronto, competed with violinists from South Africa, France, Britain, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Italy and the United States. Miss Hagen, already well-known as a violinist, is the first Canadian to win the award. She started playing the piano at the age of three and began her violin studies when she was seven, in Edmonton, where she was born. She has also studied at the Royal Conservatory, Toronto, and in New York.

Are you having troubles? Let a Want Ad help you solve them!

Ask Gifts for Legion Christmas Tree Campaign

Montreal — An appeal for 9,000 gifts will mark the 10th anniversary of the Canadian Legion Christmas Tree Campaign for gifts for war veterans who will spend Christmas in hospital.

The drive will open on Friday, when the first gifts will be placed beneath the Legion tree in Ogilvy's department store in Montreal.

Since 1944, when the campaign was founded, 60,000 gifts have been collected at the Legion's tree and distributed to vets in hospital.

The appeal asks the public for inexpensive gifts. They may be placed beneath the tree or sent by mail to: "Canadian Legion Christmas Tree, Ogilvy's, 1307 St. Catherine St. W., Montreal."

Most suitable gifts, according to Clem Hampton, committee chairman, are: handkerchiefs, scarves, sweaters, socks, slippers, cigarettes, pipes, tobacco, playing cards, games (except jigsaw puzzles), fountain pens and writing materials, razor blades, shaving kits, toilet articles, billfolds, photo-frames, books (except pocket novels), candy and biscuits.

The gifts are distributed at Christmas to veterans in D.V.A. hospitals in Montreal, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Senneville, and St. Hyacinthe, city hospitals and nursing homes in Montreal, Dieppe House at St. Hilaire, and the T.B. sanatoriums at Ste. Agathe and Prefontaine.

Carbonear, Nfld. (CP) — Finding a $20 bill in the post office, 12-year-old Gordon Harrington promptly turned it over to postal officials. The owner received the bill and gave Gordon a reward.

BIG FESTIVAL

Brockville, Ont. (CP) — The Brockville Theatre Guild will again be host to the Eastern Ontario Drama League Festival here February 22-27. Entries are expected from Ottawa, Kingston, Peterborough, Cobourg, Belleville, Trenton, Port Hope and Deep River, as well as Brockville.

The Gino Silvy Singers



Grouped around their smiling leader are the Gino Silvy Singers, noted for their lush vocalizations on many of CBC programs of popular music. The members of this smooth-sounding group take their work seriously, and their melodic arrangements are equally pleasant singing background music for a soloist, or when featured in the spotlight themselves. That's Gino in the front, between the two girls.

Thinking of Home

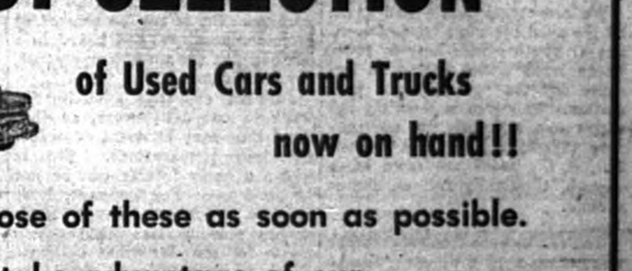


A pretty girl with a lovely song brings thoughts of home to these soldiers of the 25th Brigade in Korea. The boys got together and dug an amphitheatre out of the side of a Korean hill and Wendy Cox, a Vancouver vocalist, travelled over eight thousand miles to perform in it. By the intent look on the faces of her audience it was a successful meeting.

— National Defence Photo

The Micmac name for Prince Edward Island was Abegweit, meaning "home on the wave".

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Women's Interests -- The Homemaker's Section



WOMEN
THIS WEEK

Feminine Interests with The Local Touch

By MARGUERITE

At Home

The handwriting on the wall. . . Have you heard about "Crayoffs", the completely washable crayons? With a package of these, Junior can go about putting murals on all the walls and you merely follow him with a cloth and swish off the artistic efforts.

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Your Christmas shopping may not be going so well, but we are willing to bet that the Christmas hinting is well under way.

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Have you ever tried potato pancakes to add interest to an ordinary menu? Here is the recipe: 2 cups of grated raw potatoes, 1 tablespoon of grated onion, 2 eggs (unbeaten), 4 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt and ⅛ cup of shortening. Combine grated potatoes with the onion, eggs, flour and salt. Drop the mixture from a tablespoon into the frying pan containing the hot shortening. Flatten each cake with the back of the spoon. Fry to a golden brown on each side. It makes about 8 pancakes. Mm-mm-good!

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Around the Town

Santa Claus came to Lachute on Saturday via the Television screen. The children were just as enthusiastic as if they had been on the sidelines of the parade. The only note of regret we heard, came from a little girl who wished that Santa had worn his red suit instead of the black one.

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Have you seen the hedge on Foundry Street, which is actually showing new green leaves? And we know of one local citizen who is hoping to make his fortune with a new song entitled "Green Christmas". And he may have a hit, even if there are two feet of snow at Christmas time. After all, it takes a lot of green stuff to finance Christmas these days.

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Local girl makes good. . . One of our young matrons and her husband attended a Military Ball in Montreal last week. Said young matron became engaged in a contest which involved throwing olives into the mouth of a gentleman across the table. One olive which went astray landed on the head of a dignitary seated at the head table. The dignitary involved proved to be none other than Mr. Brooke Claxton, who must have been impressed. He invited our young matron and her husband to join him.

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We are struck again and again by the need for some type of teenage or youth centre here in town. There is so little offered in Lachute for the "growing-up" population. This idea is certainly not a new one, and it is not our purpose to campaign in this column. But, if the seeds are sown often enough, they may fall on fertile ground.

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You can be sure that this remark was not made by a woman: "Slacks is a garment that, if some women knew how they looked wearing them, wouldn't."

See you next week.

"What you need, my girl, is a little sun and air."

"But doctor, I'm not even married."

"Your baby is a cute little rascal. Does he take after his father?"

"Well, yes and no. His father is not so cute, but more of a rascal."

Freezing of Baked And Prepared Foods

Everyone is used to being warned to plan for a rainy day, but homemakers might change that to planning for a busy day, for now that so many have either locker space or home freezers, it is possible to spend a day baking when it is convenient and freeze the foods for use when a busy time comes along. In fact, a freezer can become an "emergency shelf" where a complete meal can be stored, ready to take out when unexpected guests arrive. The home economists of the Consumer Section have some very good suggestions for freezing prepared and baked foods in their latest bulletin, "Freezing Foods". They advise you to use only ingredients of the best quality and to be sure to follow a standard tested recipe. In the same bulletin they indicate that meringues, macaroons and other small cakes made with egg whites do not freeze well. And, since some icings do not freeze well, (many of them crumble during storage), they suggest that cakes be frozen uniced.

Seasonings change in storage and must be added in slightly different amounts, than when foods are to be used fresh. For instance, salt loses some of its strength so a little more is added. Spices, such as pepper and cloves become stronger and a little less is used.

As for packaging baked foods, they should be thoroughly cooled before wrapping. If baked cakes, cookies and pies are to be stored in a home freezer, it is easy to freeze them first and then wrap them. Once they are wrapped in freezer wrappings, or bags, they should be placed in cardboard cartons so that they will not be damaged in storage.

With the busy-ness of Christmas preparations getting closer, those who have locker space or home freezers should be planning how best to avoid a last minute baking rush. Actually, it is not too soon to make the mince pies.

The Consumer Section points out that pies freeze well and that they are very easy to freeze. The home economists say that in preparing a pie to be frozen, it should be made in the usual way and put in a regular pie plate. Though fruit pies may be frozen, either baked or unbaked, it is better to freeze mince pies unbaked. There is one point to remember here, whn a pie is to be frozen unbaked, no slits are made in the top crust. It is easier to freeze the pies quickly and then wrap them immediately after freezing. To prevent possible damage put a cardboard plate over the top of the pie and place the wrapped pie in a cardboard box.

When the mince pie is taken from the freezer, it can be baked frozen in a hot oven 425°F., for 35 to 40 minutes. Or, it can be thawed at room temperature, and baked in a hot oven, at the same temperature, for 35 minutes.

Just now everyone is looking for ways to cut daily work, so that more time may be spent on actual Christmas preparations. This is where a home freezer can be put to good use. For instance, it is possible to freeze enough sandwiches now to last until school closes for the Christmas holidays. Fresh or day-old-bread should be used for making sandwiches that are to be frozen. They recommend using fillings made of meat, poultry, cheese or nuts, but they have found that egg and vegetable fillings are not suitable for freezing. If salad dressing is used in the sandwiches, use it sparingly as it might seperate and soak into the bread. Sandwiches are not cut, nor are the crusts trimmed before freezing. The sandwiches should be wrapped in freezer wrappings immediately after preparing. If the sandwiches are to be for the school lunch it is more convenient to wrap them in a quantity suitable for each child. Then, the packages can be taken from the freezer in the morning and the sandwiches will thaw in the lunch box in plenty of time for lunch.

Brief on Protection of Farmers and Consumers

The Quebec Women's Institutes are co-operating with the Canadian Association of Consumers, English-speaking Branch, in preparing a brief to be presented to the Commission of Inquiry for the Protection of Farmers and Consumers.

A request was received by the Montreal Council of Women, with whom both organizations are affiliated, for this action, and it was felt by the Council president, Mrs. R. G. Gilbride, that these two societies would be in a position to give practical assistance to the Council in this study of the consumer's angle of the "problems relating to the production, sale and distribution of agricultural products and to the protection of the respective legitimate interests of farmers and consumers", to quote from the Act establishing this Commission.

Mrs. H. Ellard, of Ottawa, 2nd vice-president, has been appointed to represent the Q.W.I. on the committee being set up by the Montreal Council of Women to prepare the brief, which is to be submitted by January 15, 1954.

Bring Out the Toys!

Twenty-eight more days till Christmas! If you mothers and housewives have not yet culled the cupboards for unwanted toys, games, puzzles and picture books, please do so now. The Boy Scouts are busy at their Toy Repair Shop, painting and renovating playthings for less lucky children around Lachute this Christmastime. The boys need material to work with. . . You, too, can help in this Annual Good Turn.

PARENTS HELP

Regina (CP) — Jack Staples, director for Regina, says parents are starting to supervise recreation activities of their children. In the past, he said, they were too prone to let the church and other organizations look after children's recreation needs.

AIDS YOUNGSTER

Lipton, Sask. (CP) — When 17-year-old Gordon Huber lost all his fingers in an accident with a combine, his school decided to do something about it. They staged a community dinner which netted Gordon more than $570.



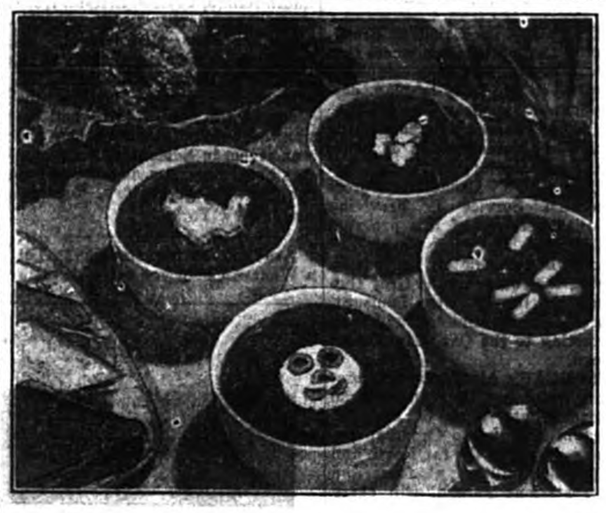
Young Witch Flies Ocean

A charming young witch recently flew to the United States. No broom was used for her trans-Atlantic crossing and there was nothing evil in her mission.

A Welsh weaver, made witch-like by the hat and cloak of her national costume, 19-years-old Ivy Lewis was on her way to the John Shillito store in Cincinnati, Ohio, to demonstrate on her hand loom how she makes men's socks, the type of work that makes British products so popular the world over.

Left: Ivy on her arrival in New York by T.W.A. airliner from London, England. Top: Close-up of the hat of her national costume and the dainty can worn under it.

Fix Warming Lunches for Cool Days



BRISK and breezy fall days turn thoughts about food towards satisfying hot specialties like steaming soup. Just what your youngsters appreciate for lunch.

After all the morning activity, the school-agers are plenty hungry. Oh boy, it's good to sit down to a big bowl of vegetable soup and a sharp cheese sandwich. They may need seconds on both soup and sandwich to fill all the hollows; but they're well filled with nourishing food after this kind of meal.

Luckily good hot soups of many kinds are at your command. Just reach to the shelf for any of the "21 kinds" of condensed soup. And you can mix one flavor with another too. Try tomato with beef noodle soup.

Fun too is the way you can garnish a bowl of hot soup so it really catches the eye. How about fluffy white popcorn or a toast animal (cut with cooky cutter) atop tomato soup. Or make a funny face with a cracker to float on soup; spread cracker with cheese (use olive bits or nuts for eyes, ears and nose). These are fun for parties as well as everyday meals. Perhaps your gang will like soup with funny-faces on Halloween

Soup 'n Sandwich Lunches
(Eat at home or tote to School)

Tomato Soup (popcorn garnish); Egg salad sandwich; Apples, Doughnuts.

Vegetable Soup (crisp bacon garnish); Tuna salad sandwich; Apricots; Ginger cookies.

Bean with bacon soup (sliced browned franks for garnish); Cheese-olive sandwich; Banana; Chocolate brownies.

SOUP SCOOPS

Win prize with Tomato Macaroni: You'll carry home the prize from the potluck supper if you take a casserole of Macaroni and Cheese—made with tomato soup. There are two easy steps. Make sauce by blending 1 can (1¼ cups) condensed tomato soup with ½ cup milk and 1½ cups shredded sharp cheese. Heat over low heat till cheese melts. Blend sauce with 4 cups cooked macaroni. Pour all into a buttered 2-quart casserole. Top with more grated cheese and buttered bread crumbs. Bake 20 minutes in hot oven (400°F.). 6 servings.

Serve a Bean Banquet: Skillet browned, juicy ham and a helping of beans and pork makes a supper that's a banquet. To make 4 servings, brown a 1-pound slice of precooked ham in skillet; cook some fruit (apple wedges, canned peach halves and/or sliced bananas) along with the meat. Remove meat and fruit from pan. If there's an excess of fruit juice, pour off all but ½ cup. Pour into skillet 2 cans of beans; heat till bubbling hot. Serve with ham. Crisp cabbage slaw with chopped green pepper completes this meal.

Kindly Policewomen Make Many Friends On Montreal Patrol

Montreal (CP) — The newsstand owner gave the policewoman the book requested — and wondered if he would be prosecuted.

For Constable Hilda Beaucage planned to take it to police headquarters to check if the cover was violating a city by-law. Before she did, however, this Juvenile Prevention Bureau patrol-woman and her colleague, Pacquelin Pigeon, had a two-square-mile beat to pound.

Mrs. Beaucage and Miss Pigeon were starting a routine day in the life of a Montreal policewoman.

Every hour, on the hour, they report to their station from callboxes on the route.

They report visiting a restaurant here, a store there, a theatre to check on children playing hookey from school. Miss Pigeon stops to ask a cafe owner how the wife and new baby are getting on. Mrs. Beaucage talks to some tiny girls. For the women know most of the families in their districts and are interested in their welfare.

At the end of the day the constables make the beat report at headquarters. It was a quiet day but not dull.

Says Miss Pigeon: "There's something new each time, no matter what."

Always Prepared

Whether working as school officers, helping out welfare societies with family cases, or on special assignment with male police where a woman is involved, the policewomen always have to be prepared.

The force was started seven years ago by Inspector Ovila Pelletier and since then only one woman has left. She resigned because of poor health. It is that type of work, a woman cop will tell you. "You feel your job is tops and its a great feeling to have helped some unfortunate family or individual."

Some of the force, like Mrs. Beaucage, have deep-rooted associations with police life. Her father was a policeman for 25 years and her husband was killed while serving on a homicide case.

Inspector Pelletier says the women know their districts well now. At first they had to follow a strict set of rules and report every detail, but they have learned by experience, just what to do about a certain pool hall, or restaurant, or theatre.

Grocers and druggists tell how the policewomen often go beyond their duty to help families. The policewomen carry bursting bags and groceries and candy into poor homes every Christmas.

It's the unanimous verdict of all who come in contact with them that these guardians of the law try to be as friendly as possible to all people they meet.

Wife Preservers



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— Buxton

Specially designed for infants and toddlers who pop everything into their mouths, are new "chewable" toys that are completely non-toxic, will float in the bathtub and can be cleaned with luke-warm soap suds. They are moulded of flexible polythene and are almost indestructible.



FOR PARENTS ONLY...

A Weekly Feature of Helpful Hints on Child Training

Maps Are Fun!

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Did you ever wonder who drew the first map? Perhaps a cave man took a pointed stick and sketched on the ground a rough drawing for his mate to see where he had gone on his last hunting expedition. Maybe a fighter scratched on a soft stone a picture to show where he thought the enemy of the clan were hiding. In days of peace and in times of war, from the dawn of history, maps have played a vital part.

The earliest maps which are in existence were scratched on clay tablets by Babylonian merchants around 2500 BC to show their estates. In the 5th Century BC the Greeks drew the world which they knew around the Mediterrean on bronze plates. It was the Greeks who first conceived the idea that the world was not flat but a sphere. Later this was doubted by the conquering Romans.

The Romans were practical soldiers and they drew maps to show their conquests. Their network of roads made an impressive map. These roads were constructed into the lands overcome by Alexander the Great. On their maps the Romans depicted the earth as a flat disc surrounded by water.

In the middle of the thirteenth century, one Englishman, Matthew Paris, worked on a map of his homeland for the use of travellers. Three centuries later, Elizabethan England was the first country to conduct a survey and publish a National Atlas.

Interest was awakened in Cathay or China and other parts of the Far East by Marco Polo's voyages. His new discoveries were shown in an atlas issued in 1375. It was the sailing men who were convinced that the old Greek idea of a spherical world was correct. In the sixteenth century Johann Schoner became famous for his wooden globes with paper "gores" appliqued on their surface.

The discoverey of line engraving in copper gave a great impetus to map drawings. First Italy and later Netherlands took the lead in the production and distribution of maps.

There was no standard mile until late in the eighteenth century. The different countries could not agree on the position of the meridian. Even the English who first placed it in the Azores, moved it to St. Paul's, London and later to Greenwich — (where it remained).

There are a vast number of maps of our earth's surface with its over fifty million square miles of land and twice as much water. With aerial photography, a new era in map drawing has been born.

How great is the variety of maps in today's world! In Israel, where the rainfall is so scanty, their map of dew fall is most important. Daily maps of weather conditions in other parts of the world are studied by experts to guide them in their weather forecasts. Geologists find maps indispensable in searching for new mineral finds. How many millions of holiday travellers pour over road maps to plan their trip each vacation!

Learning about maps can be great fun. They are a fascinating part of our modern life. Their collection provides an absorbing hobby for many people — and in the story of the art of map making is found one of the most interesting records of the growth of knowledge and civilization.

Ask the librarian at the Public Library about books on Maps. Three which are written for school children which are worth buying are The Map That Came to Life by Deverson (Oxford University Press) and By Map and Compass by Mustard (Macmillan Co. of Canada) and "Down to Earth" by David Greenhood (S. J. Reginald Saunders Publishers).

Start your collection of maps by investing in a map such as the new map of Canada (50 cents, Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, Ottawa). A good map on a wall adds greatly to the atmosphere of a living room or den. It can be mounted on heavy cardboard or framed like a picture. A map or globe in a child's room can kindle his interest in geography. Good maps, like good books, should form part of the furnishings of a real home. Are there any on your walls?

He: "Since you do love me, why did you refuse me at first?"

She: "I wanted to see your reaction."

He: "But I might have run down those stairs and out of your life forever."

She: "Oh, no. I tied a rope across the top of the stairs."

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Theatres, Shows and Church Bazaars; City's Noise – and Soothing Memories

"EXILE FROM SUNNYACRES"
By Margaret Cook

— Not quite such an exile as we have been the last four years; now that the head of the house has returned to us, and now that Sunnyacres once more rests on a firm foundation, we are often able to be at the old place of a week-end. We return, rested and refreshed, to be caught up in a matter of a few hours in the ceaseless activity that passes for life in the city. To many people, that is life, so that they moan after a week in the country, "If only there were a little LIFE around here." One woman, in her agony, walked a mile to a local emporium, just to hear the radio. All around her, flora and fauna and just plain man, enacted their parts in the drama that is life — but radio had so clogged her ears, and movies her eyes and mind, that she could see none of it. We come back from all the beauty and quiet of the country and are once more a part of the ugliness and noise of the city. The sad part is, that after a few days, we, too, begin to think that we are in the centre of things and cease to think of Sunnyacres until some chance remark, scent or sight, reminds us that we are away from home. This week it is the moon, an almost-full moon, ranging high in the sky, that nightly reminds us of the glory of the countryside at these times. We think, "now the moon is just clearing the top of the big maple on the hill — now it is shining in the bathroom window — now it is over the orchard", and so on, until one of us breaks and a trip to Sunnyacres is planned. . . So it is this week-end. But, in the meantime, we must compose this article lest our faithful readers begin to wonder if we have forsaken them.

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During the "silence", we have pursued our usual fall avocations. With thousands of others we have completed the canning, preserving and pickling routine, have attended a few of the offerings of the world of theatre, and are just entering the season of those abominations, the church bazaars. The sooner we forget the preserving orgy, the better, but the theatre should be remembered. Like our fellow-contributor, Geoff, we went to see and hear the inimitable Beatrice Lillie. Inimitable is the word, certainly, for her art is strictly hers, in spite of the well-known music-hall overtones. Zany, witty, petite, vulgar, subtle, sparkling, clever — all these could be applied to our Lady Peel, but none describes the essence of her spirit. The reaction of the audience (we were happy to recognize an old Lachute friend among it) was varied. Several ladies to whom we talked were disappointed, but it was because they had come with a clutch of preconceived ideas that had absolutely nothing to do with Beatrice Lillie. Some expected to see a drama, instead of a revue; some felt that a lady of 50 should be more dignified; some had no experience of music-hall comedians and were unprepared for the broad humor. On the other hand, the men, particularly the older ones, were very happy; a nice rotund papa, sitting next to us, with a wreath of white hair around an expanse of pink skull, so enjoyed every "crack" that he doubled our enjoyment.

More recently, we have seen the current English comedy, "Genevieve", and laughed so much that we emerged with the stomach muscles sore. The picture is named for the 1900 model of a car, supposedly a Derrick (a fictitious name we presume). The plot revolves around the obsession of two young men with these decrepit bits of mechanism. As one disillusioned female in the play says, "He thinks of only two things; the car and the other thing." True; and they both make good comedy material.

As for the church bazaars, we hesitate to comment, since they probably reach the heights or depths, quite as frequently in the country as in the city. We think we told of the lady who laid down her silk scarf at a table and returned to find it had been sold for $1.50 — bargain price, because it was slightly soiled. This happened at our table, a friend of ours being the red-faced saleslady. It is a commonplace to see a Christmas present turn up on a gift or white elephant table. Many of the articles could be equally well bought at any department store and the others are generally just too quaint for words. As Dorothy Kilgallen so plaintively wrote recently, "Dear Santa: I don't really need a trivet for Christmas, really I don't." The only things that have our wholehearted support are hand-knitted baby things. This is a very prolific district and such articles are a necessity. In fact, if we could knit with any degree of efficiency, and were not so lazy, we would open a shop, stocking hand-knitted baby clothes and, as a side-line, operate a children's exchange for used clothes. It would make money. We offer the idea free to any progressive females in Lachute.

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We return to our preparations for that week-end at Sunnyacres. If the sun shines, we shall walk over those ancient hills and enjoy the wide panorama; on good days, we can see Oka. This is a fine time of year for seeing. All kinds of hidden things are revealed. Little houses nestle in folds of the ground, to be discovered when the leaves are fallen. We particularly remember the thrill we got, the day we walked over a rise and, looking down, discovered "Scottlands", sitting in its hollow, a wisp of smoke lazily reaching skyward. Although Scottlands is not a small house, it looked tiny in that setting. We had an eerie feeling, as if looking at the embodiment of one of Hans Christian Andersen's houses. That house and the mauve-brown November day are securely hidden away in our album of memories, and when things get too grim, it is one of the pictures we take out and gaze at, to sooth the heated brow. Another favorite recollection is that of the panorama of fold upon fold that can be seen from Route 30, where the old Riddell homestead used to be. As we have urged before, the authorities ought to place benches and trash baskets at such points for the tourist — or just for the neighbors, like us. We seem to be like a proud mother who does not want her offspring advertised but hates having her ignored.

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Which reminds us, along with the hilarious British film was shown a beautiful technicolor of Quebec Province. It is high time that our lovely and historic province received a little publicity other than that which tends to make the world believe that we live in continuous enmity with our compatriots and that we are both living under a dictatorship. As for me, I like the effervescent Gallic character and nobody hampers my way of living. And, as the film neatly points out, Duluth, Duquesne, St. Louis and Detroit are not American words. . .

We seem to have wandered and it is the tea-hour. As it says in the operetta, "Everything stops at four for tea."

Ecuador Wages War Against TB



Ecuador is waging a scientific fight against an age-old scourge of humanity—tuberculosis. Two United Nations agencies are cooperating with the country's medical authorities in this attack against TB. The World Health Organization and the U.N. International Children's Emergency Fund have contributed experts and equipment. This month-old baby is being inoculated with BCG by a visiting nurse.

Premature Retirement Result of Superstitions

There are many false beliefs still widely held about the ability of the older worker, notes J. B. McGeachy, associate editor of The Toronto Globe and Mail, in the latest issue of Health. It is necessary to make the facts much better known among those responsible for personnel policies in Canadian industry if our economy is not to suffer severely from premature retirement and wasted manpower.

"The older man, admittedly, has less physical strength than the younger one; but he makes up for this by a gain in endurance", explains Mr. McGeachy. "Up to age 60 there is no loss in power of learning or adaptability.

"The employment of older workers does not mean a loss of production. Men in their 50's or early 60's are absent fewer days in a year, and lose less time through accidents, than men in their 20's and 30's. These statements are the result of expert surveys in factories and other business enterprises; and they paint a picture very different from popular legend.

"The truth is", concludes Mr. McGeachy", that most of the prevalent views about the older worker — who may be anything from 40 to 70 — are just superstitions."

Kiddies and Parents In New Friendships

Young Migrants Spread Goodwill For Newcomers to Canada

Edmonton (CP) — Immigrant children are showing their parents how to make friends in Canada, says a visiting authority from The Netherlands.

Mrs. H. M. Evers of The Hague, on a Canadian tour, found that the children of Dutch families were the first to make friends. They became chummy with Canadian kiddies "the first day they arrive as they have a way all their own of understanding each other immediately."

As the only woman member of the advisory committee to the Netherlands immigration service, Mrs. Evers is visiting Canada to study the circumstances of Dutch families who came to this country to live.

Besides reporting her findings to the immigration board on her return, she will also prepare other Dutch families for their journey to Canada.

Contented Settlers

Mrs. Evers, who came to Canada with 475 settlers from her homeland, said that most new Canadians she has visited are "quite content", despite a hard time in the beginning.

Language difficulties, lack of housing and loneliness were cited as the chief bugbears. Some immigrant families are living in cramped quarters unknown in their native land, she said.

Mrs. Evers hopes to gather information that will make more pleasant the lot of other Dutch women who come here with their families.

Besides her immigration work, she is a member of the international board of the YWCA; the International Council of Women, the International Corporation of Dutch Country wives and the Associated Country Women of the World.

West's Boom City Rides High on Oil

Black Gold Discovered Gave Edmonton Third Big Lift

Edmonton (CP) — This city could well be called the "boom town" of the West — it has had three booms and the last shows no signs of slackening.

The first rode in on rumors that a transcontinental railway was to be built and would pass through Edmonton. The second followed news of the gold discovery in the Yukon, and the third came with the flood of oil from northern Alberta fields.

Early settlers flocked to buy land near the old Hudson's Bay Company post in the '80s when it was reported that a railway was to be pushed through to the west coast.

The railway came all right, but it missed Edmonton by 200 miles, passing through Calgary and the Bow River Valley and through the Kicking Horse Pass to Vancouver. The CPR built a branch line from Calgary in 1891.

Things were quiet for a few years and then the word "Klondike" flashed around the world.

Thousands of men pulled up stakes and started the long and dangerous road to the Yukon and its gold. Some went by boat from Seattle and Vancouver. But others travelled via Edmonton.

From Edmonton the trail went north along the Athabasca River, Great Slave Lake, the Mackenzie and Liard Rivers, over the Great Divide and down to the Klondike.

Boosted Overnight

Edmonton's population that year — 1897 — was counted in the hundreds. Almost overnight thousands flooded into the city which became an outfitting post for the gold-seekers.

Merchants reaped a rich harvest. Everything — from candles to shoelaces — was in demand and prices shot up. Among the thousands making the long rail ride to Edmonton were many who saw a gold mine in trade. They stayed and cut themselves in on the cake.

Life returned to normal during the years that followed, highlighted by the First World War and dimmed by the depression. The Second World War came and was followed by the cold war.

Then, in February, 1947, a drilling crew at Leduc, about 20 miles south of Edmonton, brought in a gusher. The third and biggest boom was on and is still going ahead full-steam.

That first well brought oil companies rushing into northern Alberta to stake claims. Supply companies sprang up; men who had handled nothing bigger than a plow for years started playing the stock market; and thousands — estimated at 10,000 persons a year — started arriving at Edmonton to take jobs in related industries.

Big manufacturing firms, attracted by the cheap natural gas in the area, constructed plants and the oil firms started to put up their huge refineries.

In time, a pipeline was built eastward across the prairies to Superior, Wis., to move Alberta oil to market. This year, another pipeline was thrown across the Rocky mountains to the west coast to meet the demand in that area.

New Advance Made In Heart Surgery

Montreal (CP) — The skill of heart surgery today often eliminates the tragic dilemna of either saving a mother's life, or the life of her unborn child.

This statement was made recently by Dr. Dwight E. Harken, surgeon at Peter Brent Brigham Hospital, Boston, and assistant clinical professor of surgery, Harvard Medical School.

The well-known American heart specialist, here to deliver a lecture, reported that rheumatic heart disease is the most common heart trouble responsible for loss of life during pregnancy.

Until recent years, when surgery was applied to help solve the problem, doctors had to decide whether to interrupt pregnancy and sacrifice the life of the unborn infant, or risk the loss of life of the mother, and perhaps of the child, too.

Now, because of heart surgery, there is no need to interrupt pregnancy.

Patients suffering from rheumatic heart disease often are almost completely incapable of the slightest amount of exercise. But surgery brings dramatic recovery to many of them.

CANADIAN SCHOOL MADE IN BRITAIN

London — A school made in the U.K. will soon be in use near Toronto. The complete shell, constructed by a West Bromwich firm, has just been shipped, only a month after receipt of the contract. The school will have 13 classrooms, a kindergarten and two large playrooms.

Watchman Want Ads bring results.

IT'S NO SECRET, FELLAS, THEY'RE SMARTER, THAT'S ALL



—Central Press Canadian

To the men who train the women recruits, the WRENS, of the RCN, it's painful to admit—but it is a fact, they say—that the girls catch on to navy practices faster than men. About 700 have been trained for various duties since the Wren training establishment was opened at Cornwallis, N.S. Their training includes everything from gunnery to office routine. Here Chief Petty Officer George Bussey of Dartmouth gives a lesson to Verna McDougall, Calgary; Serana Antoine of Mille Roches, Ont., and Lily Collins, Edmonton. Those are 11½-pound bombs they are studying.

RARE WEAPONS

Yorkton, Sask. (CP) — Now something of a rarity, three ancient dirks have been obtained from Scotland by W. J. McDonald here. Many of the relics of ancient Scottish feuds were destroyed after 1746.

AIRFIELD PROJECTS

Saskatoon (CP) — A total of $8,500,000 will have been spent on the RCAF station here by next year as part of the air force expansion program. In all Saskatchewan, the total estimate is $16,828,000.

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This year — as always — the B of M, through its 600 branches, kept your money hard at work with Canadian enterprise of every description and size. The following are some of the important highlights:

DEPOSITS: At the end of the Bank's year, October 31st, 1953, two million Canadians had $2,226,960,333 in deposits with the B of M. Although much of this money belongs to institutions and business firms, well over half of these deposits represent the savings of everyday Canadians — savings that, day by day, are working for you . . . and for Canada.

LOANS: Your bank is playing an important role in our expanding economy by means of loans to Canadians of every calling — farmers, miners, fishermen, oil men, lumbermen, ranchers — to industrial and business enterprises and to Provincial and Municipal Governments. As of October 31st, B of M loans totaled $857,762,561 — the highest figure in the history of the Bank. In a thousand ways, these dollars played their part in maintaining full employment and in sustaining — or bettering — our standard of living.

INVESTMENTS: At the close of the year the B of M had $864,057,948 invested in high-grade government bonds and other public securities which have a ready market. This money is helping to finance government projects for the betterment of the country and the welfare of Canadians at large. Other securities held by the Bank — mainly short-term credits to industry — bring total investments to $982,490,826.

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Morin Heights Police Advise Public to Check Solicitors for Subcriptions

(Our District Correspondent)

Morin Heights — Local authorities and the Provincial Police are investigating the activities of two individuals who have appeared in this district using the name of the local parliamentary representative, W. M. Cottingham, M.L.A., for furthering their aims. It is reported their method of approach is by indirect inference. Subscriptions are being asked for, and as others in Argenteuil County may be contacted, the Police Department of Morin Heights wish to advise that all such approaches should be refused. Mr. W. M. Cottingham, when advised of the above solicitations, immediately asked that it be known he has given no such authority to anyone, nor has it in any way been given his approval. Mr. Cottingham asked that the investigation be continued, therefore the Provincial Police were called upon to assist.

B of M Annual Report Confirms Rapid Pace of Canada's Development

Striking confirmation of the extraordinary pace of Canada's development is found in the Bank of Montreal's annual report to its shareholders and its two million customers. The 136th annual financial statement of the country's senior chartered bank shows all-time peaks in the most important departments, with total resources at a record figure of $2,364,000,000.

A most notable indication of business activity during the past year is provided by the fact that the B of M's total loans have increased by $145,582,000 to the impressive total of $867,762,561.

These loans are made "to Canadians of every calling — farmers, miners, fishermen, oil men, lumbermen, ranchers — to industrial and business enterprises and to provincial and municipal governments", according to the report just issued by the local B of M manager, Donald Hay.

His report underlines the fact that the extent of the bank's participation in financing the business and personal needs of its customers is made possible by the record amount of funds which B of M depositors have placed with its branches from coast to coast. Increased oved the year by $79 million, the bank's total deposits run to $2,226,960,000 — highest in the bank's long history. Well over half this money is made up of the savings of private citizens in all walks of life.

Strong Position Maintained

Notwithstanding the greatly increased amount which the B of M is lending to its customers, the traditionally strong liquid position of the institution has been maintained; quickly available resources, at $1,513,000,000, equal 66.75 per cent of all its liabilities to the public. Of these "quick assets" the most important in size are the bank's holdings of government bonds and other investments amounting in all to nearly a billion dollars.

—Earnings and taxes both showed increases for the bank's year, which closed on October 31. After allowing for a tax-bill of $6,650,000 — up from $5,918,000 in 1952 — the B of M reported earnings from the operation of its 600 branches of $1,042,676. Of this amount $5,040,000 is being paid to shareholders. This represents a return of 5.21 per cent on their investment, compared with 5.01 per cent last year. The bank's rest account was further strengthened and now stands at $90,000,000.

Regina (CP) — Five hundred mink, most of them breeding stock from the 200 ranches in the province, were entered at the two-day live mink show sponsored by the Saskatchewan Fur Breeders' Association here.

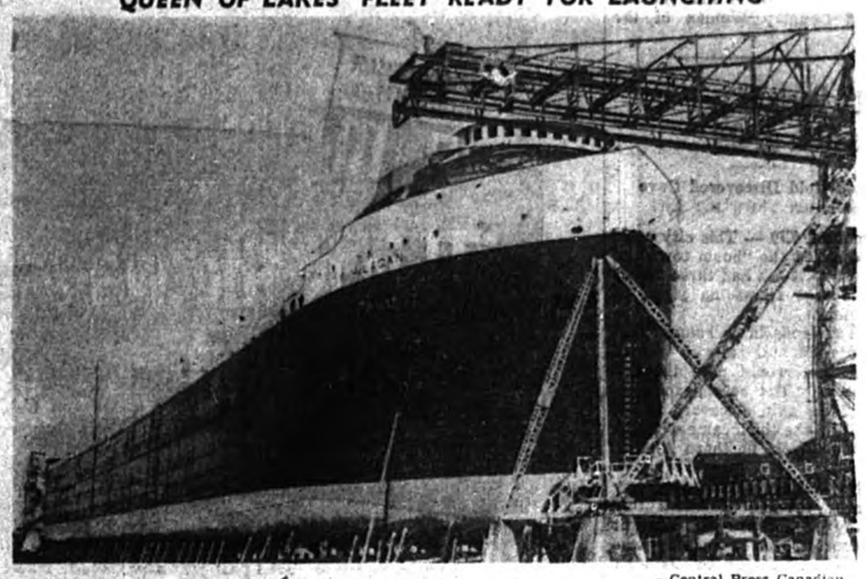


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QUEEN OF LAKES' FLEET READY FOR LAUNCHING



—Central Press Canadian

Longest ship ever to sail the Great Lakes was launched recently at Midland, Ont. She is the 715-foot T. L. McLagan, a grain carrier, which will take up all available space in the locks of the Great Lakes. First keel plate of the ship was laid last January and construction has been ahead of schedule. The ship is described by her builders as being the most up-to-date of her type in the world, with electricity used wherever possible.

Man Proposes Dam, Beaver Builds It

A beaver has saved the biologists the work, and Quebec Province the expense, of building a dam to improve a trout lake, according to a report of the Biological Bureau of the Provincial Department of Game and Fisheries.

The dam had been planned to improve the water reserve, habitat qualities and, consequently, average size of speckled trout of Heart Lake (Lac en Coeur) in the territory surrounding the Mont Tremblant biological station.

That was last year, and a heavy work program caused Albt. Courtmanche, station director, to postpone this particular project for execution at a more convenient time. But great was Mr. Courtemanche's satisfaction when, in a recent check-up visit to the lake, he found a beaver has since done the job.

Not that it was entirely a surprise. Since they have been afforded protection, beavers have been doing a lot of good work in this province, and this is especially marked in the Mont Tremblant area where their rarity had begun to impair the wildlife population by upsetting the balance of nature. As the Heart Lake dam, industriously constructed of trunks and branches, spans the lake outlet exactly where planned, and meets all specifications, the beaver's job has been gratefully accepted.

Vancouver — Canadian Pacific Airlines has ordered a fleet of the latest type Comet 2 jet airliners, to be delivered next fall for use on the company's inter-continental routes from Vancouver to the South Pacific and South America — according to announcement by G. W. G. McConachie, president.

Three of the 500-mile-an-hour jet transports have been ordered from De Havilland, England, for delivery next September, October and November. CPAL has an option on purchase of a fourth Comet 2 for delivery early in 1955.

A radio announcer, emphasizing that a laundry's special drying process practically eliminated ironing by the customer, wound up his spiel: "When your clothing is returned there is very little left to iron." — The Reader's Digest

C.N.R. APPOINTMENTS



A. P. Lait, passenger traffic manager, Canadian National Railways, who has been appointed assistant general freight traffic manager for the system. He served with the CEF in the First World War and was awarded the Military Medal for action at Hill 70. While serving at Washington and New York, he handled travel arrangements for many notables, including Prime Minister Churchill and the late President Roosevelt.



J. N. Vincent, who has been appointed manager of the passenger service bureau for the Canadian National System. During more than 33 years' service with the company, he has acquired a thorough knowledge of all phases of passenger traffic work and has held the positions of travelling agent, special passenger agent, assistant to general passenger traffic manager and assistant passenger traffic manager.

Pretty far north to grow oranges, but Mrs. Dan MacDonald will be ready to pick hers off a six foot tree around Christmas; she started the tree from seed at Grand Forks, B.C.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "TENDER FOR WHARF, LAC DES SEIZE ILES, ARGENTEUIL COUNTY, P.Q.", will be received in the office of the Secretary, until 3.00 p.m. (E.S.T.) WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1953.

Plans, forms of contracts and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Postal Station "H", Montreal, P.Q., and at the Post Offices at Sixteen Island Lake and Lachute, P.Q.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on, or according to these printed forms supplied by the Department, and in accordance with conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, or Bearer Bonds as specified in the form of tender, for 10% of the amount of the tender.

Note: Upon application to the undersigned, the Department will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of $20.00, in the form of a certified bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on the return of the blue-prints and specification within a month from the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

— ROBERT FORTIER, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 9, 1953. N26.2n

Paint Rosy Picture Of Life in Canada

New Canadian Says Migrants Lack Adequate Knowledge of Conditions

Regina (CP) — Many persons coming to Canada from Europe do not have the right attitude, says Max Petersen, a Danish immigrant of two years standing who built a carpentry trade into a flourishing contracting business.

Max, 35, contends some immigration ofifcials in European countries paint too rosy a picture of Canadian life. Sometimes the newcomer becomes discouraged when faced with reality.

"These immigration people tell too many of the good things and forget the bad", he says. "The picture they paint suggests the immigrant can work for a short time and then own a car. It is not so."

"You can have a car, yes, but only after working hard to make money to save. The immigrants should be told how big Canada is and how small is the population.

"They should be told that new Canadians must work hard to build Canada up. They must come prepared to give, not to get all at once."

Max came to Canada in the summer of 1951, settling in Regina because he was told it was a good place to live and his kind of work, carpentry, was in demand.

Last March he started his own contracting business, building homes mainly. He says there is a good future for immigrants in Regina.

"I have a good number of both Danish and German people working for me and I could take on a lot more if they become available. To all young tradesmen in Europe I would say — come on over here — this is the life."

Max was born at Hasleu, 60 miles south of Copenhagen. After apprenticing as a finishing carpenter and furniture maker, he served with the Danish navy during the Second World War and worked as a jail warden and in real estate before heading for Canada.

TAKES PLANNING

A well-planed community doesn't just happen. Good planning requires organization and co-operation between municipal officials and public-spirited citizens — looking ahead together to our community's future development.

— Campbellton (N.B.) Tribune

THOUGHTS AND DEEDS

By M. V. Trayers

Memory-Training

Around the turn of the century a lot of attention was given to ways and means of cultivating one's memory. Courses were offered to improve our recollection of things, and the association of ideas became a factor of importance in educating ourselves to remember wanted facts and figures, and so raise ourselves above the common herd. At that time teaching employed a lot of memory work, and so as to absorb the exercises set out, people and students had recourse to the "little grey books", a series of lessons in memory training or getting figures or dates to rhyme, like "Thirty days hath September — " or "in fourteen-hundred-and-ninety-two somesailed the ocean blue" and by that means got to Canada.

Then once you got to Canada you had an association of ideas which brought you to heaven, and there you met St. Lawrence, and thus you knew the name of the longest river. It was quite an interesting game, and although I know someone will surely contradict me, it was a very profitable game too — for the reader as well as the author of the "little grey books".

In schools we learned long lists of tables, we learned the capital cities of all the countries in the world, and we knew what rivers they were on. This was all very well until a lot of people got to know too much and changed a lot of capitals, so that now when I think of Constantinople on the Bosporus it only reminds me of the "good old days" and not of the capital of Turkey, which is Stamboul, afterwards changed to Istamboul. During the last war Prime Minister Churchill had the same trouble, for he had associated the city of Angora with cats, and when it was changed to Ankara he said he would resist such degradation to the utmost of his power. Whoever heard of an Ankara cat, or rabbit for that matter? At that time (when I was going to school) the capital of Russia was St. Petersburg — a nice, respectable name— but since then it got shuffled around among a lot of Bolshies so that I don't know what it is called now.

I was listening to a woman the other night questioning a teacher as to why teaching methods have changed. She wanted to know why her child didn't get a book and learn to read as soon as he started the grade? Then she said another child didn't have any spelling that day. She couldn't understand why? When she was Mary's age she knew all the multiplication tables, and Mary has not even started yet. The woman was honestly puzzled.

What I could gather from the teacher's reply was: Teaching methods change as we extend our knowledge and understanding of children. They also change as we extend our knowledge and understanding of how people learn. And there is also the fact that teachers revise their ideas of the relative importance of various things to be learned. . .

I am not so sure about that. I can understand the old Model-T Ford would look badly outmoded among the streamlined streaks of today, but I also know that the only aspect of education which compares with the cars of today is the cost. There is no improvement in value. One of the things that put education on the skids was the over-emphasizing of the principle of Utility, as opposed to the Liberal Arts. This stems from some of the false philosophies of John Locke, who wrote: "Can there be anything more ridiculous than that a father should waste his money, and his son's time, in setting him to learn the Roman language, when at the same time he designs him for a trade wherein he, having no use for Latin, fails not to forget that little he brought from school, and which 'tis ten to one he abhors for the ill-usage it procured him." Newman replied to this by saying: "If a liberal education consists in the culture of the intellect, and if that culture be in itself a good, here, without going further, is an answer to Locke's question, for if a healthy body is a good in itself, why is not a healthy intellect?"

Maybe there are some who will say the study of Latin is a waste of time, like the memorizing of tables or the addition of long tots. A waste of time! Now, what would you call the products of this enlightened age, the Crime Comics, "Forever Amber", "Of Mice and Men" — Vocational Guidance? Mortimer Smith, in his "And Madly Teach", says: "The educator of the past was apt to be a scholar usually in the field of classics, who moved in an era of intellectuality and moral precepts. But your modern educator is anti-intellectual anti-cultural, practical and narrowly scientific. Though he has been exposed to cursory training in the Liberal Arts, he is usually a specialist in some narrow field."

Education is the culture of both body and soul; there are two of us, and we shouldn't let one obscure the other. We may be the master of our fate, but we should also remember we are captain of our soul. Thus there is more to the education of our children than to train them to be smoothly functioning robots.

LOOKING FOR FIFTH WOLF



—Central Press Canadian

One shot was all that was needed by Mrs. Beharriel to bring down a wolf that was raiding her herd of sheep at Dean lake, near Sault St. Marie., Ont. It was the fourth wolf she had shot this year. In March she beat one to death with a stick after it had revived from a bullet wound.

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Mrs. Oman and Miss Mitchell, of Montreal, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bates last Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. Morrow and son, Reginald, of St. Catharines, Ont., are spending a short holiday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. James Young and Mr. Young, Pte. au Chêne.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. H. Bates and Mrs. Thos. Young, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their home in Calumet.

We are sorry to report the serious illness of Mr. S. E. Smith, who is being removed to the General Hospital in Montreal; friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Herbert Brown, who has been in the Smiths' Clinic at Hawkesbury for the past two weeks, is now slowly recovering.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Provencal over the week-end were Mrs. Watterman and little granddaughter, Sandra, of Montreal, and Mrs. McCullough and son, of Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl MacRae, of Marclar, and Miss Ethel Provencal, visited their parents over the week-end.

Mrs. Chesser Waite, of Pte. au Chene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Andrews.

Mr. Houben returned to Asbestos, Que., on Sunday evening after spending the week-end with his family.

Mrs. George Kelly, who was visiting her son, Douglas and Mrs. Kelly, at Sherkston, Ont., has now returned home.

Mrs. Larry Fox, of Rivington, was the guest of her parents for a few days last week.

Mr. Edward Andrews, while walking along the road, picked mayflowers and strawberry blossoms in November.

Morin Heights

Mrs. N. Morrison entertained at a party at Lake Echo on Saturday, for the ninth birthday of her son, Morley. Fourteen children were present.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Wm. Rowland in the death of his father, which occurred suddenly last week in Montreal.

Messrs. W. R. and Graeme Bell spent the week-end with their family. Miss Barbara Anderson was also at the Bell home over the week-end.

Mrs. E. Graves has rented Rock Cliff Inn to the Montreal Ski Club for five months beginning December 1. The regular Saturday night barn dances will be discontinued until May 1 next.

Cushing

Mrs. Ralph Horner was the guest of the Misses Byrne for several days during the week.

Mrs. Roy Dobbie was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Heatlie on Thursday, after attending the Baptist Circle meeting at their home.

Mrs. A. Graham visited friends in Lachute on Friday.

Mr. A. Pierink, Sr., also Mr. and Mrs. Pierink, Jr., of Douglas, Ont., were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Graham on Sunday.

Miss Alberta Cleland left Thursday for a visit with friends in Ottawa.

Master Peter Chapman, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chapman, "Hill Top Cottage".

Mrs. Fred Wilkins, of St. Jerome, visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. V. Elliott and with other friends.

Mr. F. Pitt and son, Danny, were at their cottage for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cushing, of Montreal, visited the old Cushing home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Tomalty and daughters, of Mount Maple, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dobbie.

The W.C.T.U. held their monthly meeting at Mrs. A. Graham's on Wednesday, and arrangements were made to send vegetables, canned goods, jellies, etc., to the Friendly Home in Montreal. Mr. T. W. Weir assisted in this matter by delivering the goods to the Home, when he and Mrs. Weir motored in to visit relatives. . . Mrs. Weir will remain in the city for several weeks.

Weir

Mrs. Stanley Langdon, with her daughters Mildred and Milan, of Normetal, spent a few days recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen motored to Montreal on Friday, where they spent the day. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. D. Morrison and her granddaughter, Gayle, who remained in the city Saturday and witnessed the Santa Claus parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cleland, of Dalesville, accompanied by Mrs. Leonard Hyde and sons, Victor, Lloyd and Douglas, visited friends here on Sunday.

Week-end guests at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen's included Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Owen, of Lachine, Messrs. Earl Pennington and Ralph Lawrence, of Montreal.

Mr. Frank Hurdle, of Montreal, spent a few days last week as a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaven's.

Mr. Lloyd Larose, Jr., of Joliette, spent the past fortnight at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. P. Larose.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Greenbank left Sunday to spend some time in Montreal, owing to the illness of Mrs. Greenbank's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Williams, accompanied by Miss T. Hussey, spent the week-end as guests at Mr. and Mrs. Alex Williams'.

Miss Naomi Ivall, of Christieville, was the recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Ed Kerr and Mr. Kerr.

Week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Chas. Mountain included the Misses Irene Clifford and Mary Kelly, also Messrs. Gordon Stone, S. Dyer and Clifford Mountain, all of Montreal.

Mrs. Gordon Beaven and her son, Ralph, were in Montreal for a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, and viewed the Santa Claus parade on Saturday.

St. Andrews East

Mrs. W. J. Pitcairn left Saturday to spend the winter at Hudson, Que.

Miss Elizabeth Wales spent the week-end with friends here.

Mr. George Taylor returned home last week after spending two months in the West. He was accompanied by his cousin, Mr. Jack Barr, of Vermillion, Alta., who will spend some time here.

Mrs. Wilde spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pitts.

Miss Gladys Hyde was at her home here for the week-end.

Miss Dorothy Halsey spent the week-end with her father, Dr. Halsey, at Carillon.

Lost River

Mr. James Calder, of Pine Hill, visited with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Morrow, last week.

Recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Rod Chisholm's were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Chisholm and daughter, Helen Jean, of Maxville, Ont.

Mrs. Willie Dewar spent Thursday of last week visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin White, in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Chisholm spent Thursday visiting with friends in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil MacCluskey motored to Montreal on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Irvin Dewar and son, Russel, spent Thursday of last week in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. Jessie Loudin.

Mr. Ernest Russel, of Montreal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy MacCrimmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacDonald, of N.D.G., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

Miss Helen Dewar, of Montreal, visited her parents, also Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grey at Arundel, over the week-end.

Miss Rhoda MacMillan, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. W. MacMillan's.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Dewar were Mrs. Thomas White, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin White and son, Darley, Miss D. White and Mrs. E. Larose, all of Montreal.

Mr. Kenneth Bethune, of Montreal, visited with his parents last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Egner and family, Miss Shirley Richie and C. Henderson, of Montreal, spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. A. Richie's.

Mr. Ronnie Chisholm and Mr. Donald MacCrimmon spent Sunday visiting friends in Maxville and Cornwall, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Richie and family, of Montreal, spent the week-end at their cottage here.

Ogdensburg

Messrs. Donald MacKiddie and Charlie McAndrew have returned home from Western Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Campbell, of Lachute, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Horner last week-end.

Mr. John Heatlie, Jr., and Mr. R. McFaul, returned home from the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, on Thursday evening. They were accompanied home by Mr. John Heatlie, Sr., who had gone to Toronto the previous week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyman McAdam and family were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Horner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Silverson, from Western Canada, who have been visiting friends in the district, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Witham.

A number of Farm Forum members from here attended the Fourth Night session in Lachute High School Monday evening. A good time was reported.

We are glad to hear that Mr. John Heatlie and son won several prizes on their horse shown at the Royal Winter Fair.

NEWEST SCOUT CENSUS

Canadian Scout membership figures as at September 30, 1953, show 86,398 Wolf Cubs, 49,475 Boy Scouts, 904 Sea Scouts, 389 Lone Scouts, 2,428 Rover Scouts, 98 Rover Sea Scouts, a total boy membership of 139,692 which, with 13,972 adult leaders, gives a grand total of 153,664.

YOUNG AT 65

Man's average life span has increased so that today's man of 65 is no rare specimen to be hung up in the closet, with the worn-out shoes and the 1890 bathing suit. Retirement at 65 is indeed outmoded.

— Banff (Alta.) Crag and Canyon

SABRE JETS ARE IN FAST COMPANY WITH FLYING SAUCER



—Central Press Canadian

If cameras do not lie, we see here the Canadian-built flying saucer keeping sky company with Sabre-jets. Airmen at Sixardee, No. 6 Repair Depot, at Trenton, Ont., have pieced together a prototype flying saucer which, they solemnly say, will be able to fly straight up, down and sideways at something more than the speed of sound and a little less than the speed of light. So, in the company of Sabres, it's just idling along. (P.S.: Cameras don't lie, but make-up artists sometimes enlarge on the truth a little)

Preserve Butter By New Process

Winnipeg (CP) — They opened a two-year-old can of butter at the University of Manitoba the other day and it was in fine condition.

It tasted just like fresh butter, but had been kept in a locker without refrigeration in temperatures ranging up to 90 degrees.

The magic, secret formula isn't magic or secret. All you need, says Dr. J. M. Nesbitt who is in charge of research on the project, is just a pinch of anti-oxidant, a thorough sterilization and an air-tight can.

The men are working on a grant from the Defence Research board and are not particularly interested in the commercial value of the project. It would cost a bit more than ordinary butter — but not much.

Dr. Nesbitt says all you need to do is take ordinary butter, sterilize it and make sure no oxygen is present to make it keep indefinitely.

If some needed equipment comes through, he hopes to have the product in mass production by spring. It will be ideal for northern camps and army installations where refrigeration is not available. It becomes as perishable as ordinary butter when the can is opened.

No opposition, such as there was when margarine appeared, is expected from dairy products producers because the butter actually is a dairy product and can be most easily produced by the creameries themselves.

Famine and Strikes

By Lewis Milligan

Lying in a hospital after a minor operation I had been trying to catch up with the news of the cold war strikes for a higher standard of living in Canada, when I came upon an article in the British Weekly describing famine conditions in South India. The writer, Minnie Jennings, told of how for the past six years most of the mission district in which she worked had been stricken with famine as a result of the continuous failure of the monsoons. She told of how villages were deserted by all who were able to leave them, the people going out, "not knowing whither", in the hope of some way of maintaining life. "No work in their own areas could be got and such roots and vegetation as were edible had been consumed. Only the aged and sickly remain, suffering, bewildered and quietly enduring the starvation which takes long to kill outright but which bring indescribable suffering from hunger and disease."

There are children in those areas who have never known anything but famine conditions. "The change in them after a few days of good food and care is very marked, and children who have never before had a meal which was really sufficient can scarcely believe they are not dreaming. . . Many of the little ones who come to the hospital do not seem to have known anything about smiling. How rewarding it is for those who care for them to find children slowly learning to smile, and presently becoming happy children with energy for fun and games. Is it not a tragedy that most of them have to be sent back to the famine setting from which for a time they have been rescued?"

Miss Jennings says that the climate of the Diocese in which she works is one that creates great thirst — "sand and dust everywhere, and the temperature is usually around 95 degrees, rising to over 100 during the hotter months. Yet there are many country places where the only water available has to be dug from the sandy river bed and both quality and quantity are poor indeed." Even in the mission boarding schools water is strickly rationed, "each one receiving daily what would seem a small amount to those accustomed to the luxury of turning on the tap and seeing crystal clear water flow without measure. . . These, briefly, are the conditions of thousands and thousands of people — these are the circumstances in which the work of the church in famine areas must be done."

How many of us Canadians, when we reeently celebrated Thanksgiving Day, even half realized how much we have to be thankful for, or gave the least thought to our fellow creatures who would be thankful for the discarded scraps of food in our garbage cans? When one compares the starvation conditions endured by those people with the home comforts and plenty we enjoy, the current agitation and strikes for higher standards of living seem like the basest ingratitude. We are actually living in a Utopia, and if the famine stricken people of India were to be transported to the lowest standard of living in Canada they would think it was a dream of Paradise. Poverty and famine in those Eastern countries are the result of climatic conditions. The only approach to famine in Canada at the present time is in the strike areas of Northern Ontario, and that condition has been created deliberately by labor leaders who profess to be the only friends of the working man. The impoverished wives and families of northern miners may well pray, "Lord save us from our friends!"

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If you are uncertain about any point do not hesitate to send your question to your district Unemployment Insurance office. We will obtain an answer and publish it in this column.

Q. If my book is destroyed by fire, what do I do?

A. You should report the loss to the local office of the Commission. If the Commission is satisfied that the book actually was destroyed accidentally by fire, it will, if possible, rebuild your contribution record in order to give you credit for the lost contributions.

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Q. Will you please explain to me the difference between ordinary benefits and supplementary benefits?

A. The main differences are three:

1—Supplementary benefit can be paid only in respect of unemployment between January 1 and April 15, whereas ordinary benefit can be paid for unemployment at any time of the year.

2—Supplementary benefit is payable under certain conditions to a claimant who, although unemployed and available for work, has not enough qualifying contributions to his credit to satisfy the conditions for ordinary benefit.

3—Supplementary benefit is payable at a lower rate than ordinary benefit (approximately 80%).

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Q. I am an insured worker who pays contributions regularly. I know that if I lose my job I can draw benefits. What I want to know is how the rates of benefit are determined? Can you tell me?

A. The rates of benefit are set out a schedule in the Act, and the rate applicable to a particular claimant is determined by reference to the average rate of his most recent 180 daily contributions. The contributions in turn are directly related to his weekly earnings, ranging from 18 cents a week for earnings of less than $9.00 to 54 cents a week for earnings of $48.00 or more. Hence the benefit rates are related to th claimant's recent rate of earnings.

The almost extinct Whooping Crane spends its summers in the Northwest Territories and its winters in Texas.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1—Of land in Canada considered suitable for cultivation, how much is at present occupied?

2—What is the distance by rail from Toronto to Edmonton?

3—In gross value of products, which are Canada's three leading manufacturing industries?

4—In production of furs, which province has the highest annual revenue?

5—Per capita national debt in 1939 was $279. In 1952 was in $247, $524, or $775.

ANSWERS: 5—In 1952 it was $775. 3—Pulp and paper, primary textiles, slaughtering and meatpacking. 1—Slightly less than half. 4—Ontario. 2—From Edmonton to Toronto by rail is 2,008 miles.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

ARCTIC AIR FORCE POST IS 240 MILES FROM NORTH POLE



—Central Press Canadian Photo

One of the few views of the U.S. air base at Thule, Greenland, shows this village of tents, warehouses and huts in a land barreen of trees and foliage. Shipping reaches the base only three months of the year and nine months cold, ice and gales seal off the base from outside contact except by air. Thule is about 700 miles from the north pole.

Ontario History Goes With Sale Of Pioneer Farm

Toronto (CP) — Expanding Toronto cut another slice out of historical suburban farmland when a fine 133-acre farm was sold for industrial development.

The household effects in P. A. Snider's 14-room farmhouse, just northwest of Toronto, are being sold at Auction and with them will go another piece of Ontario rural history.

The farm is part of 400 acres originally rented by Mr. Enider's great-grandfather from a United Empire Loyalist. The big, brick house, built about 70 years ago by the present occupant's father is full of articles long out of use.

A giant spinning wheel in its day provided material for many of the clothes worn by the early Sniders. In the attic there is an old wooden cradle, sides worn down by mothers' shoes.

There's a big windlass which hauled bags and barrels of sugar and flour for storage and a huge flour bin still marked for hard and soft flour.

In the barn there are timbers a foot square — used for pig pens, cattle stalls and a drive shed. The barn also houses a blacksmith's workshop, already sold to a syndicate.

A stove in the shop has no screws, bolts or nuts. All its parts are interlocking.

Fine Workmanship

The tools now are electrically operated, but in the attic of the shop are specimens of craftsmanship which show that old equipment turned out just as intricate work as the modern machines.

There are rolls of elm bark used for making chair bottoms; a hand-cut nameplate to be used in labelling Snider boxes; wooden butter dishes and spoons, and tools with handles worn thin by past generations.

Stacks of barrels and tub staves, stand in the attic worked into shape on a "shaving bench", a bench vise which uses a limber hickory switch instead of a metal spring. Above the rafters is a prized white pine plank more than three feet wide, cut and aged on the farm.

Outside is an old home-made wagon with wooden wheels eight-inches wide. This was used in pioneer days to haul tree stumps.

Antique dealers visited the home long before the auction was arranged but Mr. and Mrs. Snider would like to see some of the older articles placed in a museum where Ontario children can see how their forefathers lived.

GOVERNMENT CONCERNED

Saint John, N.B. (CP) — Reports of hunting accidents in New Brunswick, which included three fatalities, are a matter of much concern to the provincial government, said lands minister Norman Buchanan. Stressing the danger of the situation, he said about 40,000 resident and 4,000 non-resident hunting licenses are sold each year.

A grocer had difficulty with a doctor who was backward in paying his bills, so he put the matter in the hands of a collector. The man returned looking worried.

"What's the matter?" asked the grocer. "What did the doctor say?"

"Well", replied the collector, "he said I wasn't looking well, examined my tongue, and advised me to remain indoors for a few weeks."

OLD INDIAN CHIEF PROUD JAYWALKER

Penicton, B.C. (CP) — Eighty-three-year-old Chief William Krueger of the Okanagan Indian reserve, is proud of his membership in the Ancient Order of Jaywalkers, but says this does not allow him to walk between intersections on city streets.

He said that in 1880 a bill fostered by a man named Jay and known as the Jay-walking bill was made law in the United States. It gave Indians, Canadian and American, living on reservations the right to walk across the international boundary at will, taking with them household chattels.

"There is no limit placed on the time we may stay, how much money we have or how much we spend. Before we could bring in goods as household chattels, but this has been restricted and we are now in the unfortunate class of the white man as regards to duties", he said.

Chief Krueger, son of a Dutch father and a full-blooded Indian mother, operates a farm near here.

Reclamation Scheme Called For Linking Of Two B. C. Rivers

Canal Flat Scene of Effort to Reclaim Lands Now Made Productive by Drainage

Canal Flat, B.C. (CP) — In some respects this place — in name at least — stands as a monument to a British sportsman who years ago tried to join two great rivers to reclaim a valley now known as the East Kootenay country.

The man with the dream was W. A. Baillie-Grohman, who roamed British Columbia in the 1880's in search of mountain goat and sheep.

He planned to bring together the Columbia and Kooteney rivers by building a canal between them. That is why the town, 350 miles east of Vancouver, is called Canal Flat. Portions of the canal and some of the locks are still visible.

A valley in the Creston district caught the eye of Baillie-Grohman. His idea was that the bottom lands could be reclaimed if some of the flow of the Kootenay could be prevented by diverting it into the Columbia.

Years later the flats were reclaimed and turned into productive orchard country by drainage.

Some reports say the canal was built to provide navigation between the two rivers in the days of the Fort Steele gold rush. This was denied by Mrs. Baillie-Grohman after her husband died.

Aided Husband

She helped her husband in much of his work. In a letter to the International Joint Commission, which investigated water power development in the Kootenay valley, she said he tried to built a canal lock "only under considerable pressure and much against his will."

The B.C. government thought the project feasible and granted Baillie-Grohman the right to 350 acres for every new settler who came in. However, the Canadian Pacific Railway soon protested to the federal government that the scheme would flood its main line along the Columbia river.

A compromise was reached. The federal government agreed to let a company sponsoring Baillie-Grohman make a navigable canal and widened the channel into the Columbia lake. Later the company, with no profits coming in, passed its rights on to the Alberta Exploration company.

Baillie-Grohman quit soon afterwards. He learned federal engineers planned to dam the river banks around Creston and decided it would mean the waste of money. He retired to England and devoted his time to literature.

Baillie-Grohman left his mark. At one time the town was named Grohman Flat. He was the first justice of the peace, built the first shanty, ran the first saw mill and first store and was the first postmaster.

GRAIN PILES NOW PRAIRIE LANDMARKS



—Central Press Canadian

Huge mounds such as this of wheat and other grains are common throughout the grain-growing areas of the prairies as farmers, unable to find storage space, had to pile it in the open.

EXHIBITION EXPERT

Brandon, Man. (CP) — Lt.-Col. Sydney McLennan, secretary-manager of the Provincial Exhibition of Manitoba since 1946, died in hospital here. He was well-known throughout Western Canada for his agricultural work in the provincial exhibitions.

LOST AND FOUND

Shawville, Que. (CP) — Mrs. A. Hodgins, 81, now has a wedding ring she lost 47 years ago. Her brother-in-law found it in the garden of the old family home, which has passed through several owners since Mrs. Hodgins left there.

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